

**ANDOVER REGIONAL
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**Andover Regional School District
Board of Education
Newton, Sussex County
New Jersey**

**Annual Comprehensive Financial Report
For The Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

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Financial Report

of the

Andover Regional School District

Board of Education

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Board of Education

Finance Department

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December 10, 2024

The Honorable President and Members
of the Board of Education
Andover Regional School District
County of Sussex, State of New Jersey

Dear Board Members:

The annual comprehensive financial report of the Andover Regional School District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the management of the Andover Regional Board of Education. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data presented in this report is accurate in all material respects and is reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the various funds of the District. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the District's financial activities have been included.

The annual comprehensive financial report is presented in four sections: introductory, financial, statistical and single audit. The introductory section includes this transmittal letter, the District's organizational chart and a list of principal officials. The financial section includes the Independent Auditors' Report, the management's discussion and analysis, the basic financial statements and notes providing an overview of the District's financial position and operating results, and supplementary schedules providing detailed budgetary information. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, financial trends and the fiscal capacity of the District, generally presented on a multi-year basis. The District is subject to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and the U.S. Office of Management and Budget "Uniform Guidance", "Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-profit Organizations", and New Jersey's OMB Circular 15-08, "Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid". Information related to this single audit, including the auditor's report on the internal control and compliance with applicable laws, regulations contracts and grants and findings and questioned costs are included in the single audit section of this report.

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1) **REPORTING ENTITY AND ITS SERVICES:** Andover Regional School District is an independent reporting entity within the criteria adopted by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB) in codification section 2100. All funds of the District are included in this report. The Andover Regional Board of Education and all its schools constitute the District's reporting entity.

The District provides a full range of educational services appropriate to grade levels Pre-K through 8. These include regular, as well as special education for handicapped students from preschool disabled through grade 8. Additionally, the District provides for the education of regular and special education high school level students through a sending-receiving relationship with the Newton Board of Education, as well as transportation services or aid in lieu of transportation for all resident public and nonpublic students.

2) **ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK:** The District relied heavily on grants and additional funding such as Special Education, Extraordinary Aid and transportation aid. Many consumable lines, including heat, energy, and custodial supplies were decimated. During the past few years, the mainly suburban bedroom communities of Andover Township and Andover Borough have experienced no growth in housing. There has been no significant development of commercial property in either municipality. Over the past five years, the District's enrollment has increased slightly in preschool but has been steady across all other grade levels.

3) **MAJOR INITIATIVES:**

The District financial budget includes and supports the maintenance of our two school buildings, upgrades and maintenance of all district technology, new and revised curriculum, and professional development opportunities for all staff.

The District continues to maintain a relationship with the Newton School District via a sending/receiving agreement for Andover Regional high school students. Approximately 199 students residing in the Andover Regional community in grades 9-12 attend Newton High School through this sending/receiving relationship.

4) **INTERNAL ACCOUNTING CONTROLS:** Management of the District is the responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control system designed to ensure that the assets of the District are protected from loss, theft, or misuse and to ensure that adequate accounting data is compiled to allow for the preparation of financial statements in conformity with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP). The internal control system is designed to provide

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reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that: (1) the cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

As a recipient of federal and state financial assistance, the District also is responsible for ensuring that an adequate internal control system is in place to ensure compliance with applicable laws and regulations related to those programs. This internal control system is also subject to periodic evaluation by the District's management.

As part of the District's single audit described earlier, tests are made to determine the adequacy of the internal control system, including that portion related to federal and state financial assistance programs, as well as to determine that the District has complied with applicable laws and regulations.

5. **BUDGETARY CONTROLS:** In addition to internal accounting controls, the District maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions embodied in the annual appropriated budget approved by the voters of the municipality. Annual appropriated budgets are adopted for the general fund, the special revenue fund, and the debt service fund. Project-length budgets are approved for the capital improvements accounted for in the capital projects fund. The final budget amount as amended for the fiscal year is reflected in the financial section.

An encumbrance accounting system is used to record outstanding purchase commitments on a line item basis. Open encumbrances at year-end are either cancelled or are included as re-appropriations of fund balance in the subsequent year. Those amounts to be re-appropriated are reported as restrictions, commitments and assignments of fund balance at June 30, 2024.

6. **ACCOUNTING SYSTEM AND REPORTS:** The District's account records reflect generally accepted accounting principles, as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The accounting system of the District is organized on a fund basis. These funds are explained in "Notes to the Basic Financial Statements", Note 1.

7. **CASH MANAGEMENT:** The investment policy of the District is guided in large part by state statute as detailed in "Notes to the Basic Financial Statements", Note 3. The District has adopted a cash management plan which requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit. Deposit Protection Act ("GUDP A").

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GUDP A was enacted in 1970 to protect governmental units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. The law requires governmental units to deposit public funds only in public depositories located in New Jersey, where the funds are secured in accordance with the Act.

8. RISK MANAGEMENT: The Board carries various forms of insurance, including, but not limited to, general liability, automobile liability and comprehensive/collision, hazard and theft insurance on property and contents, and fidelity bonds. The New Jersey Schools Insurance Group oversees risk management for the District. A schedule of insurance coverage is found on Exhibit J-20.

9. OTHER INFORMATION: Independent Audit - State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants or registered municipal accountants. The accounting firm of Ardito & Co., LLP was selected by the Board. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the requirements of the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996 and the related OMB "Uniform Guidance" and New Jersey's OMB Circular 15-08. The auditor's report on the basic financial statements and combining and individual fund statements and schedules are included in the financial section of this report. The auditor's reports related specifically to the single audit and *Government Auditing Standards* are included in the single audit section of this report.

10. ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS: We would like to express our appreciation to the members of the Andover Regional School District for their concern in providing fiscal accountability to the citizens and taxpayers of the district and thereby contributing their full support to the development and maintenance of our financial operation. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of our financial and accounting staff.

Respectfully submitted,



Mr. John Fritzky

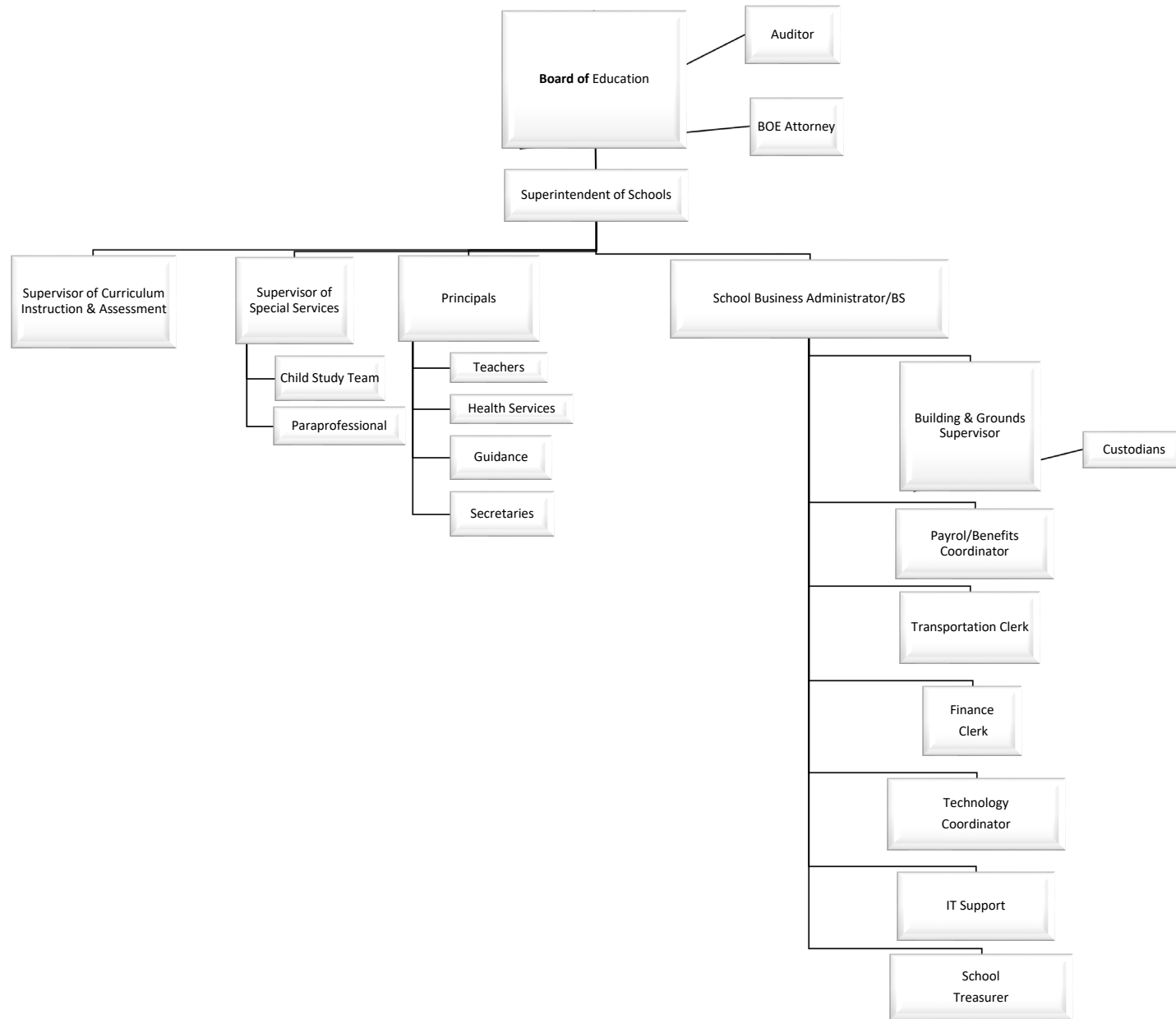
Superintendent



Nicole Sylvester

School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

**ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
ORGANIZATIONAL CHART**



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ROSTER OF OFFICIALS

June 30, 2024

<u>Members of the Board of Education</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Robert Koroski, President	2026
Maria Dunbar, Vice President	2026
James Fetcho	2026
William Porter	2025
Lena Sciroppo	2024
Brian Hertenstein	2024
Jane Byron	2025
Steven Minnick	2025
Jeffrey Neubig	2024

Other Officials

Mr. Bryan Fleming, Acting Superintendent

Nicole Sylvester, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary

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Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable President and
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Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the government activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Andover Regional School District Board of Education, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, 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 accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Andover Regional School District Board of Education, as of June 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS), the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and the audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey. 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 Andover School District Board of Education, 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 these 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.

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.

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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 GAAS, ***Government Auditing Standards*** and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey 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, ***Government Auditing Standards*** and audit requirements prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, 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 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 judgment, 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.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information and pension and post-employment benefit trend information as noted in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, 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.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Andover Regional School District Board of Education's basic financial statements. The combining and individual non-

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major fund financial statements, long-term debt schedules, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*; and New Jersey OMB's Circulars 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The 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 non-major fund financial statements, long-term debt schedules, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The other information comprises the the introductory and statistical sections but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 10, 2024, on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Required Supplementary Information - Part I

Management's Discussion and Analysis

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024
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The discussion and analysis of Andover Regional School District's financial performance provides an overall review of the School District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the notes to the basic financial statements and financial statements to enhance their understanding of the School District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for 2024 are as follows:

- ◆ In total, Net Position increased \$2,053,298 which represents a 17.5% increase from 2023.
- ◆ General revenues accounted for \$16,631,222 in revenue or 79.8% of all revenues. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services, operating grants and contributions, and capital grants and contributions accounted for \$4,216,408 or 20.2% of total revenues of \$20,847,630.
- ◆ Total assets of governmental activities decreased by \$1,208,310, as cash and cash equivalents decreased by \$446,865, receivables decreased by \$367,298, and capital assets decreased by \$394,097.
- ◆ The School District had \$18,794,332 in expenses; only \$4,216,408 of these expenses were offset by program specific charges for services, grants or contributions. General revenues (primarily property taxes) of \$16,631,222 were available to provide for these programs.
- ◆ Among major funds, the General Fund had \$20,058,313 in revenues and \$18,780,993 in expenditures. The General Fund's surplus balance increased \$1,146,361 over 2023, which compares favorably to the budgeted decrease of \$3,681,735.

Using this Generally Accepted Accounting Principals Report (GAAP)

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand Andover Regional School District as a financial whole, an entire operating entity. The statements then proceed to provide an increasingly detailed look at specific financial activities. The Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the whole School District, presenting both an aggregate view of the School District's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail.

For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look at the School District's most significant funds with all other non-major funds presented in total in one column. In the case of Andover Regional School District, the General Fund is by far the most significant fund.

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024
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Reporting the School District as a Whole

Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities

While this document contains the large number of funds used by the School District to provide programs and activities, the view of the School District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, “How did we do financially during 2024?” The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities answer this question. These statements include all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year’s revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the School District’s Net Position and changes in those assets. This change in Net Position is important because it tells the reader that, for the School District as a whole, the financial positions of the School District has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, and some not. Nonfinancial factors include the School District’s property tax base, current laws in New Jersey restricting revenue growth, facility condition, required educational programs and other factors.

In the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, the School District is divided into two distinct kinds of activities:

- Governmental activities--All of the School District's programs and services are reported here including instruction, support services, operation and maintenance of plant facilities, pupil transportation and extracurricular activities.
- Business-type Activity--This service is provided on a charge for goods or services basis to recover all the expenses of the goods or services provided. The Food Service enterprise fund is reported as a business activity.

Reporting the School District’s Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The analysis of the School District’s major funds begins on page 26. Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the School District’s major funds. The School District uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focus on the School District’s most significant funds. The School District’s major governmental funds are the General Fund, Special Revenue Fund, and Capital Projects Fund.

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Governmental Funds

The School District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in the future years. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the School District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the financial statements.

The School District as a Whole

Recall that the Statement of Net Position provides the perspective of the School District as a whole.

Table 1 provides a summary of the School District's Net Position for 2024 compared to 2023.

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Table 1		
Net Position		
Assets		
Current and Other Assets	\$ 6,997,487	\$ 7,811,700
Capital Assets	<u>11,626,598</u>	<u>12,020,695</u>
Total Assets	<u>18,624,085</u>	<u>19,832,395</u>
Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>448,439</u>	<u>674,154</u>
Liabilities		
Long-Term Liabilities	4,457,245	5,876,328
Other Liabilities	<u>310,223</u>	<u>2,338,191</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>4,767,468</u>	<u>8,214,519</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>531,907</u>	<u>572,179</u>
Net Position		
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Debt	9,136,598	8,655,695
Restricted	6,212,146	4,631,215
Unrestricted	<u>(1,575,595)</u>	<u>(1,567,059)</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 13,773,149</u>	<u>\$ 11,719,851</u>

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Total assets of governmental activities decreased by \$1,208,310, as cash and cash equivalents decreased by \$446,865, receivables decreased by \$367,298, and capital assets decreased by \$394,097.

The cash decrease was mainly due to liquidation of over one million in prior year accounts payable. Receivables decreased due to federal grant reimbursements from prior year spending. Capital assets decreased due to depreciation expense for the fiscal year.

Table 2 shows the changes in Net Position from fiscal year 2023.

Table 2
Changes in Net Position

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Revenues		
Program Revenues:		
Charges for Services	\$ 290,685	\$ 270,537
Operating Grants and Contributions	3,925,723	4,115,636
General Revenues:		
Property Taxes	16,052,315	15,293,107
Investment Earnings	236,723	12,862
Other	<u>342,184</u>	<u>168,680</u>
Total Revenues	<u>20,847,630</u>	<u>19,860,822</u>
 Program Expenses		
Instruction	6,638,554	6,286,749
Support Services:		
Tuition	4,018,733	3,836,831
Pupils and Instructional Staff	3,235,794	2,718,445
General Administration, School Administration, Business	1,059,712	1,064,288
Operations and Maintenance of Facilities	1,354,169	1,458,635
Pupil Transportation	2,074,630	2,274,935
Transfer to Charter School	63,699	73,554
Business-Type Activities	202,137	197,262
Interest and Fiscal Charges	<u>146,904</u>	<u>167,310</u>
Total Expenses	<u>18,794,332</u>	<u>18,078,009</u>
 Increase in Net Position	 <u>\$ 2,053,298</u>	 <u>\$ 1,782,813</u>

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Governmental Activities

The unique nature of property taxes in New Jersey creates the need to routinely seek voter approval for the School District operations. Property taxes made up 77.0% percent of revenues for governmental activities for the Andover Regional School District for the fiscal year 2024.

Instruction comprises 35.3% of district expenses. Support services expenses make up 62.5% of the expenses.

The Statement of Activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. Table 3 shows the total cost of services and the net cost of services compared to 2023. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State entitlements.

Table 3

	<u>Total Cost of</u> <u>Services 2024</u>	<u>Net Cost of</u> <u>Services 2024</u>	<u>Total Cost of</u> <u>Services 2023</u>	<u>Net Cost of</u> <u>Services 2023</u>
Instruction	\$ 6,638,554	\$ 4,788,726	\$ 6,286,749	\$4,185,312
Support Services:				
Tuition	4,018,733	4,018,733	3,836,831	3,836,831
Pupils and Instructional Staff	3,235,794	2,102,359	2,718,445	1,885,640
General Admin., School Admin., Business	1,059,712	872,990	1,064,288	834,773
Operation and Maintenance of Facilities	1,354,169	1,115,564	1,458,635	1,144,078
Pupil Transportation	2,074,630	1,709,079	2,274,935	1,784,341
Charter	63,699	63,699	73,554	73,554
Business-Type Activities	202,137	(49,520)	197,262	(30,496)
Interest and Fiscal Charges	146,904	(43,706)	167,310	(22,197)
Total Expenses	<u>\$ 18,794,332</u>	<u>\$ 14,577,924</u>	<u>\$ 18,078,009</u>	<u>\$ 13,691,836</u>

Instruction expenses include activities directly dealing with the teaching of pupils and the interaction between teacher and student.

Pupils and instructional staff include the activities involved with assisting staff with the content and process of teaching to students.

General administration, school administration and business include expenses associated with administrative and financial supervision of the District.

Operation and maintenance of facilities activities involve keeping the school grounds, buildings and equipment in an effective working condition.

Pupil transportation includes activities involved with the conveyance of students to and from school, as well as to and from school activities, as provided by state law.

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Business-type activities includes expenses related to activities provided by the School District which are designed to provide for students to participate in food service.

Interest and fiscal charges involve the transactions associated with the payment of interest and other related charges to debt of the School District and unallocated depreciation.

The dependence upon tax revenues is apparent. Over 72.1% of instruction activities are supported through taxes and other general revenues; for all activities general revenue support is 83.7%. The community, as a whole, is the primary support for the Andover Regional School District.

The School District's Funds

Information about the School District's major funds starts on page 26. These funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. All governmental funds had total revenues and other sources of \$22,259,778 and expenditures of \$21,059,852. The General Fund's surplus balance increased \$1,146,361 over 2023, which compares favorably to the budgeted decrease of \$3,681,735.

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

The School District's budget is prepared according to New Jersey law, and is based on accounting for certain transactions on a basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The most significant budgeted fund is the General Fund.

During the course of the fiscal 2024 year, the School District amended its General Fund budget as needed. The School District uses program based budgeting and the budgeting systems are designed to tightly control total program budgets but provide flexibility for program management.

For the General Fund, budget basis revenue and other financing sources, excluding on-behalf payments, was \$17,551,821, \$915,544 over original budgeted estimates of \$16,636,277. This difference was due primarily to non-budgeted miscellaneous revenue, tuition and extraordinary aid.

General fund revenues exceeded expenditures by \$1,143,497. Again this surplus compares to a budgeted deficit of \$3,681,735, which was due to the budgeted surplus needed to balance the 2023-2024 budget. The budgeted deficit was reduced due to revenue increases, as noted above, reduction in budgeted capital and maintenance reserve withdrawals, and cost savings in the budget.

Overall general fund balance (budget basis) was \$6,738,465, and amounts ear-marked and reserved for future purposes were \$6,148,709, creating a surplus in unreserved fund balance of \$563,058. Management believes unreserved fund balance at 2% statutory levels will provide adequate working capital for the district.

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Capital Assets

At the end of the fiscal year 2024, the School District had \$11,579,995 invested in land, buildings, furniture and equipment, and vehicles. Table 4 shows fiscal 2024 balances compared to 2023.

**Table 4
Capital Assets (Net of Depreciation) at June 30,**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
Land	\$ 265,016	\$ 265,016
Land Improvements	154,886	166,873
Buildings and Improvements	10,785,498	11,162,770
Machinery and Equipment	<u>374,595</u>	<u>416,841</u>
 Totals	 <u>\$ 11,579,995</u>	 <u>\$ 12,011,500</u>

Overall capital assets decreased \$431,505 from fiscal year 2023 to fiscal year 2024. The decrease in capital assets was due to depreciation expense for the year.

Capital improvements of \$00 were purchased during fiscal year 2024.

Debt Administration

At June 30, 2024, the School District had \$2,806,429 as outstanding long term debt. Of this amount, \$316,429 is for compensated absences, and \$2,490,000 is for bonds payable outstanding.

At June 30, 2024, the School District's overall legal debt margin was \$32,855,225 and the unvoted debt margin was \$30,365,225.

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For the Future

The Andover Regional School District is in very good financial condition presently. A major concern is the increased reliance on local property taxes in light of declining state aid over the past few years. However, the district feels at current funding levels it can maintain its high degree of educational excellence.

In conclusion, the Andover Regional School District has committed itself to financial excellence for many years. In addition, the School District's system for financial planning, budgeting, and internal financial controls are well regarded. The School District plans to continue its sound fiscal management to meet the challenge of the future.

Contacting the School District's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the School District's finances and to show the School District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information contact Nicole Sylvester, School Business Administrator/Board Secretary at Andover Regional School District, 707 Limecrest Road, Newton, New Jersey 07860.

Basic Financial Statements

DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the District. These statements include the financial activities of the overall District, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the governmental and business-type activities of the District.

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Exhibit A-1

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

June 30, 2024

	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES	TOTAL
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 3,284,716	\$ 151,512	\$ 3,436,228
Receivables, Net	546,933	3,022	549,955
Interfund Receivables	40,000		40,000
Inventory		7,358	7,358
Restricted Assets:			
Capital and Maint. Reserve - Cash	2,963,946		2,963,946
Capital Assets, Net (Note 6)	11,579,995	46,603	11,626,598
Total Assets	18,415,590	208,495	18,624,085
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension Deferred Outflows	448,439		448,439
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable	132,328	10,399	142,727
Interfund Payables		40,000	40,000
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	4,244		4,244
Unemployment Compensation Claims Payable			
Net Pension Liability (Note 8)	1,650,816		1,650,816
Accrued Interest	16,242		16,242
Unearned Revenue	105,813	1,197	107,010
Noncurrent Liabilities (Note 7):			
Due Within One Year	895,000		895,000
Due Beyond One Year	1,911,429		1,911,429
Total Liabilities	4,715,872	51,596	4,767,468
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension Deferred Inflows	531,907		531,907
NET POSITION			
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	9,089,995	46,603	9,136,598
Restricted for:			
Other Purposes	6,212,146		6,212,146
Unrestricted	(1,685,891)	110,296	(1,575,595)
Total Net Position	\$ 13,616,250	\$ 156,899	\$ 13,773,149

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

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Exhibit A-2

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

Functions/Programs	PROGRAM REVENUES			NET(EXPENSE) REVENUE AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION			
	EXPENSES	CHARGES FOR SERVICES	OPERATING GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS	CAPITAL GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES	TOTAL
Governmental Activities:							
Instruction:							
Regular	\$ 4,883,039	\$ 55,120	\$ 1,485,387		\$ (3,342,532)		\$ (3,342,532)
Special Education	1,399,240	15,795	230,751		(1,152,694)		(1,152,694)
Other Special Instruction	9,673	109	1,595		(7,969)		(7,969)
Other Instruction	346,602	3,912	57,159		(285,531)		(285,531)
Support Services:							
Tuition	4,018,733				(4,018,733)		(4,018,733)
Student & Instruction Related Serv.	3,235,794	36,526	1,096,909		(2,102,359)		(2,102,359)
School Administrative Services	324,220	3,660	53,468		(267,092)		(267,092)
General and Business Admin. Serv.	735,492	8,302	121,292		(605,898)		(605,898)
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,354,169	15,286	223,319		(1,115,564)		(1,115,564)
Pupil Transportation	2,074,630	23,419	342,132		(1,709,079)		(1,709,079)
Charter School	63,699				(63,699)		(63,699)
Interest and Other Fiscal Charges	146,904		190,610		43,706		43,706
Total Governmental Activities	18,592,195	162,129	3,802,622		(14,627,444)		(14,627,444)
Business-Type Activities:							
Food Service	202,137	128,556	123,101			\$ 49,520	49,520
Total Business-Type Activities	202,137	128,556	123,101	-	-	49,520	49,520
Total Primary Government	\$ 18,794,332	\$ 290,685	\$ 3,925,723		\$ (14,627,444)	\$ 49,520	\$ (14,577,924)
General Revenues:							
Taxes:							
Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes, Net					\$ 15,330,238		\$ 15,330,238
Taxes Levied for Debt Service					722,077		722,077
Investment Earnings					236,723		236,723
Miscellaneous Income					337,276	\$ 4,908	342,184
Transfers					-	-	-
Total General Revenues, Special Items, Extraordinary Items and Transfers					16,626,314	4,908	16,631,222
Change in Net Position					1,998,870	54,428	2,053,298
Net Position—Beginning					12,911,551	102,471	13,014,022
Prior Period Adjustments (See Note 21)					(1,294,171)	-	(1,294,171)
Net Position—Beginning (Restated)					11,617,380	102,471	11,719,851
Net Position—Ending					\$ 13,616,250	\$ 156,899	\$ 13,773,149

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Individual Fund statements and schedules present more detailed information for the individual fund in a format that segregates information by fund type.

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Exhibit B-1

BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
June 30, 2024

	<u>GENERAL FUND</u>	<u>SPECIAL REVENUE FUND</u>	<u>TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS</u>
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 6,211,923	\$ 36,739	\$ 6,248,662
Receivables from Other Governments	231,480	230,260	461,740
Other Accounts Receivable	82,393	2,800	85,193
Interfund Receivables	197,400		197,400
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 6,723,196</u>	<u>\$ 269,799</u>	<u>\$ 6,992,995</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES			
Liabilities:			
Accounts Payable	\$ 95,627	\$ 36,701	\$ 132,328
Interfund Payables	8,650	148,750	157,400
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings Payable	4,244		4,244
Unemployment Compensation Claims Payable	-		-
Deferred Revenue		105,813	105,813
Total Liabilities	<u>108,521</u>	<u>291,264</u>	<u>399,785</u>
Fund Balances:			
<u>Restricted for:</u>			
Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures	310,397		310,397
Excess Surplus	2,146,565		2,146,565
Capital Reserve Account	2,177,909		2,177,909
Tuition Reserve	727,801		727,801
Maintenance Reserve	786,037		786,037
Unemployment Compensation	26,698		26,698
Student Activities		36,739	36,739
<u>Unassigned:</u>			
General Fund	439,268		439,268
Special Revenue Fund		(58,204)	(58,204)
Total Fund Balances	<u>6,614,675</u>	<u>(21,465)</u>	<u>6,593,210</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	<u>\$ 6,723,196</u>	<u>\$ 269,799</u>	<u>\$ 6,992,995</u>

Amounts reported for *governmental activities* in the statement of net position (A-1) are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. The cost of the assets is \$21,677,720 and the accumulated depreciation is \$10,097,725.	\$ 11,579,995
Deferred Outflows related to pension contributions subsequent to the Net Pension Liability measurement date and other deferred items are not current financial resources and therefore are not reported in the fund statements. (See Note 8)	448,439
Deferred Inflows related to pension actuarial gains from experience and differences in actual return and assumed returns and other deferred items are not reported as liabilities in the fund statements. (See Note 8)	(531,907)
Long-term liabilities, including Net Pension Liability, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds (see Note 8)	(1,650,816)
Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, Compensated Absences, and Lease Obligations are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds (see Note 7)	(2,806,429)
Accrued Interest on Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds (see Note 7)	(16,242)
Net Position of governmental activities (Exhibit A-1)	<u>\$ 13,616,250</u>

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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

Exhibit B-2

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Special Revenue Fund</u>	<u>Debt Service Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
REVENUES				
Local sources:				
Local Tax Levy	\$ 15,330,238		\$ 722,077	\$ 16,052,315
Tuition	162,129			162,129
Miscellaneous	528,623	\$ 45,376		573,999
Total - Local Sources	<u>16,020,990</u>	<u>45,376</u>	<u>722,077</u>	<u>16,788,443</u>
State Sources	4,037,323	626,866	190,610	4,854,799
Federal Sources	-	616,536		616,536
Total Revenues	<u>20,058,313</u>	<u>1,288,778</u>	<u>912,687</u>	<u>22,259,778</u>
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
Regular Instruction	2,999,110	749,910		3,749,020
Special Education Instruction	1,185,569			1,185,569
Other Special Instruction	8,196			8,196
Other Instruction	293,674			293,674
Support services and undistributed costs:				
Tuition	4,018,733			4,018,733
Student and Instruction Related Services	2,178,385	563,287		2,741,672
School Administrative Services	274,710			274,710
Other Administrative Services	623,179			623,179
Plant Operations and Maintenance	1,049,830			1,049,830
Pupil Transportation	1,757,824			1,757,824
Unallocated Benefits	4,220,633			4,220,633
Transfer to Charter School	63,699			63,699
Debt Service:				
Principal			875,000	875,000
Interest and Other Charges			64,523	64,523
Capital Outlay	107,451	26,139		133,590
Total Expenditures	<u>18,780,993</u>	<u>1,339,336</u>	<u>939,523</u>	<u>21,059,852</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expend.	<u>1,277,320</u>	<u>(50,558)</u>	<u>(26,836)</u>	<u>1,199,926</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfer - Preschool Education	(130,959)	130,959		-
Total Other Financing Sources and Uses	<u>(130,959)</u>	<u>130,959</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net Change in Fund Balances	1,146,361	80,401	(26,836)	1,199,926
Fund Balance—July 1	5,468,314	(101,866)	26,836	5,393,284
Prior Period Adjustment	-	-		-
Fund Balance—July 1 (Restated)	<u>5,468,314</u>	<u>(101,866)</u>	<u>26,836</u>	<u>5,393,284</u>
Fund Balance—June 30	<u>\$ 6,614,675</u>	<u>\$ (21,465)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>\$ 6,593,210</u>

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit B-3

**RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (from B-2) \$ 1,199,926

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities (A-2) are different because:

Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the period.

Depreciation Expense	\$ (431,504)	
Capital Outlays	_____ -	(431,504)

Pension contributions are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the contributions are adjusted for actuarial valuation adjustments, including service and interest costs, administrative costs, investment returns, and experience/assumption. This is the amount by which net pension liability and deferred inflows/outflows related to pension changed during the period.

231,025

Repayment of bond principal and capital leases is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position and is not reported in the statement of activities.

875,000

In the statement of activities, compensated absences is accrued regardless of when paid. In the governmental funds, compensated absences are reported when paid. This is the amount by which the current year's compensated absence payments exceed the current year's amount earned.

127,615

In the statement of activities, interest on long-term debt in the statement of statement of activities is accrued, regardless of when due. In the governmental funds, interest is reported when due. This is the amount by which current year's amount of interest accrual exceeds the prior year's amount.

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Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities (Exhibit A-2) \$ 1,998,870

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit B-4

STATEMENT OF PROPRIETARY NET POSITION
 PROPRIETARY FUNDS

June 30, 2024

		Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Funds	
		Food Service	Totals
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	151,512	\$ 151,512
Accounts Receivable-Federal and State		3,022	3,022
Inventories		7,358	7,358
Total Current Assets		<u>161,892</u>	<u>161,892</u>
Noncurrent Assets:			
Furniture, Machinery and Equipment		112,929	112,929
Less Accumulated Depreciation		<u>(66,326)</u>	<u>(66,326)</u>
Total Noncurrent Assets		<u>46,603</u>	<u>46,603</u>
Total Assets		<u>208,495</u>	<u>208,495</u>
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts Payable		10,399	10,399
Interfund Payable		40,000	40,000
Deferred Revenue		<u>1,197</u>	<u>1,197</u>
Total Current Liabilities		<u>51,596</u>	<u>51,596</u>
Total Liabilities		<u>51,596</u>	<u>51,596</u>
NET POSITION			
Invested in Capital Assets Net of Related Debt		46,603	46,603
Unrestricted		<u>110,296</u>	<u>110,296</u>
Total Net Position		<u>\$ 156,899</u>	<u>\$ 156,899</u>

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ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit B-5

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND
CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

	Business-type Activities - Enterprise Fund	
	Food Service	Total Enterprise
Operating Revenues:		
Charges for Services:		
Daily Sales - Reimbursable Programs	\$ 83,916	\$ 83,916
Daily Sales - Non-Reimb. Programs	44,640	44,640
Miscellaneous Income	4,908	4,908
Total Operating Revenues	<u>133,464</u>	<u>133,464</u>
 Operating Expenses:		
Cost of Sales - Reimbursable Programs	60,076	60,076
Cost of Sales - Non-reimbursable Programs	22,766	22,766
Salaries	57,344	57,344
Employee Benefits	18,801	18,801
Purchased Property Service	12,561	12,561
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	17,150	17,150
Miscellaneous	6,212	6,212
Depreciation	7,227	7,227
Total Operating Expenses	<u>202,137</u>	<u>202,137</u>
 Operating Income (Loss)	<u>(68,673)</u>	<u>(68,673)</u>
 Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses):		
State Sources:		
State School Lunch Program	3,678	3,678
Federal Sources:		
National School Lunch Program	54,113	54,113
School Equipment	39,989	39,989
Local Food for Schools Cooperative Agreement Program	890	890
Supply Chain Assistance	14,658	14,658
P-EBT Administrative Cost Reimbursement	653	
Food Distribution Program	9,120	9,120
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	<u>123,101</u>	<u>122,448</u>
 Income (Loss) Before Contributions and Transfers	54,428	53,775
 Total Net Position—Beginning	<u>102,471</u>	<u>102,471</u>
 Total Net Position—Ending	<u>\$ 156,899</u>	<u>\$ 156,246</u>

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit B-6

**STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
PROPRIETARY FUNDS**

For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Business-Type Activities - Enterprise Funds	
	Food Service	Total Enterprise
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from Customers	\$ 133,464	\$ 133,464
Payments to Employees	(57,344)	(57,344)
Payments for Employee Benefits	(18,801)	(18,801)
Payments to Suppliers	(109,300)	(109,300)
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Operating Activities	<u>(51,981)</u>	<u>(51,981)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
State Sources	3,640	3,640
Federal Sources	110,559	110,559
Transfers to/from Other Funds	-	-
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Non-Capital Financing Activities	<u>114,199</u>	<u>114,199</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Capital Contributions	(44,634)	(44,634)
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Capital Financing Activities	<u>(44,634)</u>	<u>(44,634)</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	17,584	17,584
Balances—Beginning of Year	<u>133,928</u>	<u>133,928</u>
Balances—End of Year	<u>\$ 151,512</u>	<u>\$ 151,512</u>
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided (used) by Operating Activities:		
Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (68,673)	\$ (68,673)
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income (Loss) to Net Cash Provided by (used for) Operating Activities:		
Depreciation and Net Amortization	7,227	7,227
Federal Commodities	9,120	9,120
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable	-	-
(Increase) Decrease in Inventories	51	51
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	294	294
Total Adjustments	<u>16,692</u>	<u>16,692</u>
Net Cash Provided by (used for) Operating Activities	<u>\$ (51,981)</u>	<u>\$ (51,981)</u>

The accompanying Notes to Basic Financial Statements are an integral part of this statement.

Notes to Financial Statements

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Board of Education (Board) of the Andover Regional School District (District) have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the Board's accounting policies are described below.

In June 1999, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) unanimously approved Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis for State and Local Governments (Statement No.34). This Statement provided for the most significant change in financial reporting in over twenty years and was phased-in (based on amount of revenues) starting with fiscal years ending 2002 (for larger governments). The District was not required to implement the new model until the 2003-2004 school year.

In addition, the School District has implemented GASB Statement No.37, Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis for State and Local Governments: Omnibus, Statement No.38, Certain Financial Statement Note Disclosures, Statement No.40, Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosures, an amendment of GASB Statement No.3, and Statement 44, Economic Condition Reporting: The Statistical Section (GASB 44), an amendment of NCGA Statement 1, Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Principles is found in the Introduction, a revised statistical section in the Outline of the ACFR, GASB Statement No. 45, Other Post-retirement Employee Benefits, GASB No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, and GASB No. 63 and 65, Deferred Outflows and Inflows and Net Position, and Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities, GASB No. 68, Accounting for Pensions, an amendment of GASB No. 27, GASB No. 75, Accounting for OPEB, GASB 84, Fiduciary Activities, GASB 87, Leases, GASB 96, Subscriptions, GASB 98, Annual Comprehensive Financial Report, and GASB 100, Accounting Changes and Error Corrections. The implementation of these statements did not effect net position balances as previously reported for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023.

A. Reporting Entity:

The Andover Regional School District is a Type II district located in the County of Sussex, State of New Jersey. As a Type II district, the School District functions independently through a Board of Education. The board is comprised of nine members elected to three-year terms. The purpose of the district is to educate students in grades K-8. The Andover Regional School District had an approximate enrollment at June 30, 2024, of 660 students.

The primary criterion for including activities within the District's reporting entity, as set forth in Section 2100 of the GASB *Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards*, is whether:

- the organization is legally separate (can sue or be sued in their own name)
- the District holds the corporate powers of the organization
- the District appoints a voting majority of the organization's board
- the District is able to impose its will on the organization
- the organization has the potential to impose a financial benefit/burden on the District
- there is a fiscal dependency by the organization on the District

Based on the aforementioned criteria, the District has no component units.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. Basis of Presentation, Basis of Accounting:

The School District's basic financial statements consist of District-wide statements, including a statement of net position and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

Basis of Presentation

District-wide Statements: The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the overall District, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double-counting of internal activities. These statements distinguish between the governmental and business-type activity of the District. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees and charged to external parties. The statement of net position presents the financial condition of the governmental and business-type activity of the School District at fiscal year end. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for the business-type activity of the District and for each function of the District's governmental activities.

Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include (a) fees 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. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function or business segment is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the School District.

Fund Financial Statements: During the fiscal year, the School District segregates transactions related to certain School District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds, including its fiduciary funds. Separate statements for each fund category—*governmental*, *proprietary*, and *fiduciary*—are presented. The New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) has elected to require New Jersey districts to treat each governmental fund as a major fund in accordance with the option noted in GASB No.34, paragraph 76. The NJDOE believes that the presentation of all funds as major is important for public interest and to promote consistency among district financial reporting models.

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

The District reports the following governmental funds:

General Fund - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District and is used to account for all expendable financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. Included are certain expenditures for vehicles and movable instructional or noninstructional equipment which are classified in the Capital Outlay subfund.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. Basis of Presentation, Basis of Accounting (Continued):

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS (Continued)

As required by the New Jersey State Department of Education, the District includes budgeted Capital Outlay in this fund. Generally accepted accounting principles as they pertain to governmental entities state that General Fund resources may be used to directly finance capital outlays for long-lived improvements as long as the resources in such cases are derived exclusively from unrestricted revenues. Resources for budgeted capital outlay purposes are normally derived from State of New Jersey Aid, district taxes and appropriated fund balance. Expenditures are those that result in the acquisition of or additions to fixed assets for land, existing buildings, improvements of grounds, construction of buildings, additions to or remodeling of buildings and the purchase of built-in equipment. These resources can be transferred from and to Current Expense by board resolution.

Special Revenue Fund - The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue from State and Federal Government, (other than major capital projects, debt service or the enterprise funds) and local appropriations that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Capital Projects Fund - The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for all financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds). The financial resources are derived from temporary notes or serial bonds that are specifically authorized by the voters as a separate question on the ballot either during the annual election or at a special election.

Debt Service Fund - The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for, and the payment of principal and interest on bonds issued to finance major property acquisition, construction and improvement programs.

PROPRIETARY FUNDS

The District reports the following proprietary funds:

Enterprise Fund - The Enterprise Fund accounts for all revenues and expenses pertaining to the Board's cafeteria and child care operations. The enterprise fund is utilized to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises. The stated intent is that the costs (i.e. expenses including depreciation and indirect costs) of providing goods or services on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

Additionally, the District reports the following fund type:

Fiduciary Funds - The Fiduciary Funds are used to account for assets held by the District on behalf of others and include the Student Activities Fund, Payroll Agency Fund and Unemployment Compensation Trust Fund.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

B. Basis of Presentation, Basis of Accounting (Continued):

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements.

District-wide, Proprietary, and Fiduciary Fund Financial Statements: The District-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting; the enterprise fund and fiduciary funds use the accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred revenue, and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures. Ad Valorem (Property) Taxes are susceptible to accrual as under New Jersey Statute a municipality is required to remit to its school district the entire balance of taxes in the amount voted upon or certified, prior to the end of the school year.

The District records the entire approved tax levy as revenue (accrued) at the start of the fiscal year, since the revenue is both measurable and available. The District is entitled to receive monies under the established payment schedule and the unpaid amount is considered to be an “accounts receivable”. 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. “Measurable” means the amount of the transaction can be determined and “available” means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on general long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences, which are recognized as expenditures to the extent they have matured. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

All governmental and business-type activities and enterprise funds of the District follow FASB Statements and Interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, Accounting Principles Board Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins, unless those pronouncements conflict with GASB pronouncements.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

C. Budgets/Budgetary Control:

Annual appropriated budgets are prepared in the spring of each year for the general, special revenue, and debt service funds. The budgets are submitted to the county office for approval and are voted upon at the annual school election on the third Tuesday in April. Budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting, except for the special revenue funds. The legal level of budgetary control is established at line item accounts within each fund. Line item accounts are defined as the lowest (most specific) level of detail as established pursuant to the minimum chart of accounts referenced in N.J.A.C. 6:20-2A.2(m)1. In addition, transfers are also covered by changes in N.J.A.C.6A:23A-2.3, that can require approval through the state department. All budget amendments/transfers must be approved by School Board resolution and are subject to transfer limitations and approvals per P.L. 2004, c.73(S-1701). All budget amounts presented in the accompanying supplementary information reflect the original budget and the amended budget (which have been adjusted for legally authorized revisions of the annual budgets during the year).

Appropriations, except remaining project appropriations, encumbrances and unexpended grant appropriations, lapse at the end of each fiscal year. The capital projects fund presents the remaining project appropriations compared to current year expenditures.

Formal budgetary integration into the accounting system is employed as a management control device during the fiscal year. For governmental funds, there are no substantial differences between the budgetary basis of accounting and generally accepted accounting principles with the exception of the legally mandated revenue recognition of the last state aid payment for budgetary purposes only and the special revenue fund as noted below. Encumbrance accounting is also employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the governmental fund types. Unencumbered appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The accounting records of the special revenue fund are maintained on the grant accounting budgetary basis. The grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that the grant accounting budgetary basis recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not recognize encumbrances as expenditures. Sufficient supplemental records are maintained to allow for the presentation of GAAP basis financial reports.

D. Encumbrance Accounting:

Under encumbrance accounting purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of resources are recorded to reserve a portion of the applicable appropriation. Open encumbrances in governmental funds, other than the special revenue fund, are reported as reservations of fund balances at fiscal year end as they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities but rather commitments related to unperformed contracts for goods and services.

Open encumbrances in the special revenue fund, for which the District has received advances, are reflected in the balance sheet as deferred revenues at fiscal year end.

The encumbered appropriation authority carries over into the next fiscal year. An entry will be made at the beginning of the next fiscal year to increase the appropriation reflected in the certified budget by the outstanding encumbrance amount as of the current fiscal year end.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. **Assets, Liabilities and Equity:**

Cash and Cash Equivalents:

Cash and cash equivalents includes petty cash, change funds, amounts in deposits, money market accounts and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less.

Interfund Transactions:

Transfers between governmental and business-type activities on the District-wide statements are reported in the same manner as general revenues.

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds and after non-operating revenues/expenses in the enterprise fund. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements.

Inventories:

Inventory purchases, other than those recorded in the enterprise fund, are recorded as expenditures during the year of purchase. Enterprise fund inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first-in, first-out (FIFO) method.

Allowance for Uncollectible Accounts:

No allowance for uncollectible accounts has been recorded as all amounts are considered collectible.

Capital Assets:

The District has established a formal system of accounting for its capital assets. Purchased or constructed capital assets are reported at cost. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received. 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. The School District does not possess any infrastructure. The capitalization threshold used by school districts in the State of New Jersey is \$2,000.

All reported capital assets except for land and construction in progress are depreciated. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method under the half-year convention over the following estimated useful lives:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Estimated Useful Lives</u>
School Buildings	50
Building Improvements	20
Electrical/Plumbing	30
Vehicles	8
Office and Computer Equipment	5-10
Instructional Equipment	10
Grounds Equipment	15

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities and Equity (Continued):

In the fund financial statements, fixed assets used in governmental fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay expenditures of the governmental fund upon acquisition. Fixed assets are not capitalized and related depreciation is not reported in the fund financial statements.

Compensated Absences:

The District accounts for compensated absences (e.g., unused vacation, sick leave) as directed by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No.16 (GASB 16), "Accounting for Compensated Absences". A liability for compensated absences attributable to services already rendered and not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee is accrued as employees earn the rights to the benefits.

District employees are granted varying amounts of vacation and sick leave with the District's personnel policies. Upon termination, employees are paid accrued vacation. The District's policy permits employees to accumulate unused sick leave and carry forward the full amount to subsequent years. Upon retirement employees shall be paid by the District for the unused sick leave in accordance with the District's agreements with the various employee unions.

The liability for compensated absences was accrued using the termination payment method, whereby the liability is calculated based on the amount of sick leave that is expected to become eligible for payment upon termination. The District estimates its accrued compensated absences liability based on the accumulated sick and vacation days at the balance sheet date by those employees who are currently eligible to receive termination payments. Salary related payments for the employer's share of social security and medicare taxes, as well as pension contributions, are included.

For the District-wide Statements, the current portion is the amount estimated to be used in the following year. In accordance with GAAP, for the governmental funds, in the Fund Financial Statements, all of the compensated absences are considered long-term and therefore, are not a fund liability and represents a reconciling item between the fund level and District-wide presentations.

Deferred Revenue:

Deferred revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied. Property taxes for which there is an enforceable legal claim as of June 30, 2024, but which were levied to finance subsequent fiscal year operations, have been recorded as deferred revenue. Grants and entitlement received before the eligible requirements are met are also recorded as deferred revenue.

Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations:

All payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations are reported on the District-wide financial statements. In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of the funds. However, contractually required pension contributions and compensated absences that are paid from governmental funds are reported as liabilities on the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year. Bonds are recognized as a liability on the fund financial statements when due.

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NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities and Equity (Continued):

Net Position:

Net Position represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net Position invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balance of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net Position are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the School District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. The School District's policy is to first apply restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position are available.

Fund Balance Reserves:

The School District reserves those portions of fund balance which are legally segregated for a specific future use or which do not represent available expendable resources and, therefore, are not available for appropriation or expenditure. Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion which is available for appropriation in future periods. A fund balance reserve has been established for encumbrances.

Revenues—Exchange and Nonexchange Transactions

Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On the modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the District, available means within sixty days of the fiscal year end.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the School District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, income taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On the accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from income taxes is recognized in the period in which the income is earned. Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted; matching requirements, in which the School District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose; and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the School District on a reimbursement basis. On the modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year end: property taxes available as an advance, interest and tuition.

Operating Revenues and Expenses:

Operating revenues are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activity of the enterprise fund. For the School District, these revenues are sales for food service. Operating expenses are necessary costs incurred to provide the service that is the primary activity of the enterprise fund.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities and Equity (Continued):

Allocation of Indirect Expenses:

The District reports all direct expenses by function in the Statement of Activities. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a function. Indirect expenses are allocated to functions but are reported separately in the Statement of Activities. Employee benefits, including the employer's share of social security, workers compensation and medical and dental benefits, were allocated based on salaries of that program. Depreciation expense, where practicable, is specifically identified by function and is included in the indirect expense column of the Statement of Activities. Depreciation expense, that could not be attributed to a specific function, is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities. Interest on long-term debt is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities.

Extraordinary and Special Items:

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of management and are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither of these types of transactions occurred during the fiscal year.

Management Estimates:

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

NOTE 2: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Deposits:

New Jersey statutes require that school districts deposit public funds in public depositories located in New Jersey, which are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, or by any other agency of the United States that insures deposits made in public depositories. School districts are also permitted to deposit public funds in the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund.

New Jersey statutes require public depositories to maintain collateral for deposits of public funds that exceed depository insurance limits as follows:

The market value of the collateral must equal at least 5% of the average daily balance of collected public funds on deposit.

In addition to the above collateral requirement, if the public funds deposited exceed 75% of the capital funds of the depository, the depository must provide collateral having a market value at least equal to 100% of the amount exceeding 75%.

All collateral must be deposited with the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, the Federal Home Loan Bank of New York, or a banking institution that is a member of the Federal Reserve System and has capital funds of not less than \$25,000,000.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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NOTE 2: CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS (Continued)

Pursuant to GASB Statement No. 40, "Deposit and Investment Risk Disclosures" ("GASB 40"), the district's accounts are profiled in order to determine exposure, if any, to Custodial Credit Risk (risk that in the event of failure of the counterparty the municipality would not be able to recover the value of its deposits or investment). Deposits are considered to be exposed to Custodial Credit Risk if they are: uncollateralized or collateralized with securities held by the financial institution's trust department or agent but not in the government's name. At June 30, 2024, all of the district's deposits were collateralized by securities held in its name and, accordingly, not exposed to custodial credit risk. The district does not have a policy for custodial credit risk.

As of June 30, 2024, cash and cash equivalents of the District consisted of the following:

	<u>Cash and Cash Equivalents (A-1)</u>
Checking	<u>\$ 5,376,185</u>
	<u>\$ 5,376,185</u>

The carrying amount of the Board's cash and cash equivalents at June 30, 2024, was \$5,376,185 and the bank balance was \$5,603,706. All bank balances were covered by federal depository insurance and/or covered by a collateral pool maintained by the banks as required by New Jersey statutes. Of these bank balances, \$250,000 was covered by federal depository insurances and \$5,353,706 was covered by collateral pool.

Investments:

Pursuant to the Enabling Act, the funds of the district may be invested in any direct obligations of, or obligations as to which the principal and interest thereof is guaranteed by, the United States of America or other obligations as the district may approve.

In order to maximize liquidity, the district utilizes the New Jersey Asset Rebate and Management Program ("NJ/ARM") as its sole investments. The NJ/ARM was created in 1989 as a joint investment trust under the Interlocal Services Act. NJ/ARM provides local governments in New Jersey with investment management services for capital, reserve, and general operating funds. It invests pooled monies from various State and non-State agencies in primarily short-term investments. These investments include: U.S. Treasuries, short-term Commercial Paper, U.S. Agency Bonds, Corporate Bonds, and Certificates of Deposit. The Program is designed to comply with all New Jersey statutes and regulations for the permitted investment of public funds.

At June 30, 2024, the district's balance was - \$ 1,023,989

Custodial Credit Risk: Pursuant to GASB 40, the NJ/ARM, which is a pooled investment, is exempt from custodial credit risk disclosure. The district does not have a policy for custodial credit risk.

Credit Risk: The district does not have an investment policy regarding the management of credit risk. GASB 40 requires that disclosure be made as to the credit rating of all debt security investments except for obligations of the U.S. government or investments guaranteed by the U.S. government. The NJ/ARM has a S&P Global AAAm Rating.

Interest Rate Risk: The district does not have a policy to limit interest rate risk. The average maturity of the district's investments is less than one year.

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 3: RECEIVABLES

Receivables at June 30, 2024, consisted of accounts and intergovernmental. All receivables are considered collectible in full. A summary of the principal items of intergovernmental receivables follows:

	Governmental Fund Financial Statements	Government-Wide Financial Statements
State Aid	\$ 231,480	\$ 231,688
Federal Aid	230,260	233,074
Other Local Receivables	85,193	85,193
Gross Receivable	\$ 546,933	\$ 549,955
Less: Allow. for Uncollectibles	-	-
Total Receivables, Net	<u>\$ 546,933</u>	<u>\$ 549,955</u>

NOTE 4: INVENTORY

Inventory in the Food Service Fund at June 30, 2024, consisted of the following:

Food	\$ <u>7,358</u>
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The value of Federal donated commodities as reflected on Schedule A (required by the Single Audit Law of 1996, as revised) is the difference between market value and cost of the commodities at the date of purchase and has been included as an item of nonoperating revenue in the financial statements.

NOTE 5: DEFERRED BOND ISSUANCE COSTS

In governmental funds, debt issuance costs are recognized in the current period. For the District-wide financial statements, governmental activity debt issuance costs are amortized straight-line over the life of the specific bonds (18 to 20 years). The costs associated with the issued of the various bonds are immaterial and are not amortized on the District-wide financial statements.

NOTE 6: CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, was as follows:

	Beginning <u>Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Retirements</u>	Ending <u>Balance</u>
Governmental Activities:				
<i>Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated:</i>				
Land	\$ 265,016			\$ 265,016
Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	<u>265,016</u>			<u>265,016</u>
<i>Capital Assets Being Depreciated:</i>				
Land Improvements	498,330			498,330
Buildings and Building Improvements	20,212,441			20,212,441
Machinery and Equipment	701,933			701,933
Total at Historical Cost	<u>21,412,704</u>	-	-	<u>21,412,704</u>

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 6: CAPITAL ASSETS - (Continued)

Less Accumulated Depreciation for:

Land Improvements	(331,457)	\$	(11,986)	(343,444)
Building and Improvements	(9,049,671)		(377,272)	(9,426,943)
Equipment	(285,092)		(42,246)	(327,338)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	(9,666,220)		(431,504)	- (10,097,725)
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated, net of Accumulated Depreciation	11,746,484		(431,504)	11,314,979
Government Activity Capital Assets, Net	\$ 12,011,500	\$	(431,504)	\$ 11,579,995

On January 11, 2001, the NJ State Department of Education announced that effective July 1, 2001, the capitalization threshold used by school districts in the State of New Jersey is increased to \$2,000. The previous threshold was \$500. Applying the higher capitalization threshold retroactively (removal of old assets from the General Fixed Assets Account Group) will be permitted by the State regulations in situations where (1) the assets have been fully depreciated, or (2) the assets have exceeded their useful lives. The retirement of machinery and equipment is due to the retroactive application of the higher threshold of equipment capitalization. That is, the District has removed from their records assets with a historical cost greater than \$500 but not greater than \$2,000 that were fully depreciated or had exceeded their useful lives.

Depreciation expense was charged to functions as follows:

Instruction	\$	388,354	
Direct Expenses of Various Functions		43,150	
Total	\$	431,504	

NOTE 7: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Bonds are authorized in accordance with State law by the voters of the municipality through referendums. All bonds are retired in serial installments within the statutory period of usefulness. Bonds issued by the Board are general obligation bonds.

A. Long-Term Obligation Activity:

Changes in long-term obligations for the year ended June 30, 2024, are as follows:

	Balance		Increases	Decreases	Balance	Amounts
	<u>7/1/23</u>				<u>6/30/24</u>	<u>Due Within</u>
						<u>One Year</u>
Governmental Activities:						
Bonds Payable:						
General Obligation Debt	\$ 3,365,000			\$ (875,000)	\$ 2,490,000	\$ 895,000
Other Liabilities:						
Compensated Absences Payable	444,044			(127,615)	316,429	
Total	\$ 3,809,044		-	\$ (1,002,615)	\$ 2,806,429	\$ 895,000

Compensated absences have been liquidated in the General Fund.

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NOTE 7: LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (Continued)

Interest paid on debt issued by the District is exempt from federal income taxes. Because of this, bond holders are willing to accept a lower interest rate than they would on taxable debt. The District temporarily reinvests the proceeds of such debt in higher-yielding taxable securities, especially during construction projects. The federal tax code refers to this as arbitrage.

Earnings in excess of the yield on the debt issue are rebated to the federal government based on requirements in the Internal Revenue Code. Arbitrage rebate payable represents amounts due to the Internal Revenue Service for interest earned on unspent bond proceeds that exceeds legally allowable returns.

Rebatable arbitrage liabilities related to District debt are not recorded in governmental funds. There is no recognition in the balance sheet or income statement until rebatable amounts are due and payable to the federal government. Thus, rebatable arbitrage liabilities related to governmental debt will be accrued as incurred at least annually (at fiscal year end) on the District-wide financial statements.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, it is not necessary for the Board to establish a liability for arbitrage rebate.

	Government Activities			
	<u>Issue</u> <u>Dates</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>Rates</u>	<u>Date of</u> <u>Maturity</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>6/30/24</u>
Series 2021 Refunding Bonds	11/18/21	1.348%	2/15/30	\$ 1,900,000
Series 2014 Refunding Bonds	9/1/14	2.0-3.0%	2/15/25	590,000
Total Bonds				\$ 2,490,000

B. Debt Service Requirements:

Debt Service requirements on serial bonds payable at June 30, 2024, is as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2025	\$ 895,000	\$ 43,312	\$ 938,312
2026	315,000	21,500	336,500
2027	310,000	17,254	327,254
2028	320,000	13,076	333,076
2029	320,000	8,762	328,762
2030	330,000	4,448	334,448
	\$ 2,490,000	\$ 108,352	\$ 2,598,352

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS

Description of Plans - All required employees of the District are covered by either the Public Employees' Retirement System or the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund which have been established by state statute and are administered by the New Jersey Division of Pension and Benefits (Division). According to the State of New Jersey Administrative Code, all obligations of both Systems will be assumed by the State of New Jersey should the Systems terminate. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes the financial statements and required supplementary information for the Public Employees Retirement System and the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund. These reports may be obtained by writing to the Division of Pension and Benefits, PO Box 295, Trenton, New Jersey, 08625 or on the internet at <http://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/annrpts.shtml>.

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) - The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund was established as of January 1, 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 18A:66 to provide retirement benefits, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund is considered a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan with a special funding situation, as under current statute, 100% of employer contributions are made by the State of New Jersey on behalf of the District and the system's other related non-contributing employers. Membership is mandatory for substantially all teachers or members of the professional staff certified by the State Board of Examiners, and employees of the Department of Education who have titles that are unclassified, professional and certified.

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies - 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 Teachers Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) and additions to/deductions from the TPAF's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the TPAF. 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.

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

The employer contributions for the district are legally required to be funded by the State in accordance with N.J.S.A 18:66-33. Therefore, the district (employer) is considered to be in a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 and the State is treated as a nonemployer contributing entity. Since the district (employer) does not contribute directly to the plan (except for employer specific financed amounts), there is no net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows to report in the financial statements of the district. However, the state's portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the district was \$19,437,441 as measured on June 30, 2023 and \$18,142,736 measured on June 30, 2022.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized pension expense of \$477,521 and revenue of \$477,521 for support provided by the State. The measurement period for the pension expense and revenue reported in the district's financial statements (A-2) at June 30, 2024 is based upon changes in the collective net pension liability with a measurement period of June 30, 2022 through June 30, 2023. Accordingly, the pension expense and the related revenue associated with the support provided by the State is based upon the changes in the collective net pension liability between July 1, 2022 and June 30, 2023.

Although the district does not report net pension liability or deferred outflows or inflows related to the TPAF, the following schedule illustrates the collective net pension liability and deferred items and the State's portion of the net pension liability associated with the district. The collective amounts are the total of all New Jersey local governments participating in the TPAF plan.

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

	<u>6/30/2023</u>	<u>6/30/2024</u>
Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$4,996,491,160	\$2,498,730,891
Collective deferred inflows of resources	\$19,532,696,776	\$14,719,080,314
Collective net pension liability (Nonemployer- State of New Jersey)	\$51,594,415,806	\$51,032,669,551
State's portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the district	\$18,142,736	\$19,437,441
State's portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the district as a percentage of the collective net pension liability	0.035164%	0.038088%

Actuarial assumptions - The total pension liability for the June 30, 2023 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

Inflation:	
Price	2.75%
Wage	3.25%
Salary Increases	2.75-5.65% based on years of service
Investment Rate of Return	7.00%

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Employee mortality table with a 93.9% adjustment for males and 85.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 114.7% adjustment for males and 99.6% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 106.3% adjustment for males and 100.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return - In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.0% at June 30, 2023) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by 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 TPAF's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2023 are summarized in the following table:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
US Equity	28.00%	8.98%
Non-US devel.markets equit	12.75%	9.22%
International Small Cap Equ	1.25%	9.22%
Emerging markets equity	5.50%	11.13%
Private Equity	13.00%	12.50%
Real Estate	8.00%	8.58%
Real Assets	3.00%	8.40%
High Yeild	4.50%	6.97%
Private Credit	8.00%	9.20%
Investment Grade Credit	7.00%	5.19%
Cash equivalents	2.00%	3.31%
US Treasuries	4.00%	3.31%
Risk mitigation	3.00%	6.21%

Discount rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2023. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments in determining the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the State's net pension liability to changes in the discount rate - Since the District has no proportionate share of the net pension liability because of the special funding situation, the district would not be sensitive to any changes in the discount rate. The following presents the State's net pension liability measured as of June 30, 2023, calculated using the discount rate shown above, as well as what the State's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

	<u>1% Decrease</u>	<u>Current Discount</u>	<u>1% Increase</u>
	<u>(6.00%)</u>	<u>Rate (7.00%)</u>	<u>(8.00%)</u>
State's Collective Net Pension Liability	\$ 60,267,919,597	\$ 51,109,961,824	\$ 43,396,784,734

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

Pension plan fiduciary net position - Detailed information about the pension plan’s fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued State of New Jersey Divisions of Pensions and Benefits financial report at <http://www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions/financial-rprts-home.shtml>. The plan fudiciary net position as of June 30, 2023 was \$27,130,181,268.

Amortization of Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources - Amount reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources (excluding employer specific amoounts) related to pensions will be recognized in the state's pension expense as follows:

	<u>Year Ended June 30:</u>
2024	(\$3,918,676,894)
2025	(3,446,016,070)
2026	(1,604,289,401)
2027	(1,742,641,843)
2028	(1,672,806,952)
Thereafter	<u>56,606,524</u>
Total	<u><u>(\$12,327,824,636)</u></u>

Pension Expense - The components of allocable pension expense and pension expense related to specific liabilities of individual employers, for state and local employers for the year ending June 30, 2023 are as follows:

Service cost	\$1,364,281,690
Interest on total pension liability	5,268,967,929
Member contributions	(933,033,324)
Administrative expense	13,581,904
Expected investment return net of investment expenses	(1,703,986,173)
Pension expense related to specific liabilities of individual employers	(449,590)
Recognition (amortization) of deferred inflows/outflows:	
Differences between expected and actual experience	195,761,712
Changes in assumptions	(3,048,968,450)
Difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	<u>99,467,335</u>
Total pension expense	<u><u>\$1,255,623,033</u></u>

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) - The Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) was established as of January 1, 1955 under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A to provide retirement, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. The Public Employees' Retirement System is a cost-sharing multiple-employer plan. Membership is mandatory for substantially all full-time employees of the State of New Jersey or any county, municipality, school district, or public agency, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another state-administered retirement system or other state or local jurisdiction.

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies - 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 PERS and additions to/deductions from PERS fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by PERS. 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.

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

At June 30, 2024, the District reported a liability of \$1,650,816 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total pension liability to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The total pension liability for the June 30, 2022 valuation was determined by an experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021. The District's proportion of the net pension liability is based on the ratio of the contributions as an individual employer to total contributions to the PERS during the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022. At June 30, 2023, the District's proportion was 0.0114% which was a decrease of 0.0023% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2022.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized pension expense/(benefit) of (\$91,224). At June 30, 2024, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to PERS from the following sources:

	<u>Deferred</u> <u>Outflows of</u> <u>Resources</u>	<u>Deferred</u> <u>Inflows of</u> <u>Resources</u>
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 15,784	\$ 6,748
Changes of assumptions	3,627	100,047
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	7,602	-
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	269,099	425,112
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	152,327	
Total	<u>\$ 448,439</u>	<u>\$ 531,907</u>

\$58,671 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from school district contributions subsequent to the measurement date (i.e. for the school year ending June 30, 2024, the plan measurement date is June 30, 2023) will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability measured as of June 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

	<u>Year Ended June 30:</u>
2024	(\$257,592)
2025	(143,778)
2026	200,920
2027	(35,957)
2028	<u>612</u>
Total	<u>(\$235,795)</u>

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

	<u>6/30/2023</u>	<u>6/30/2024</u>
Collective deferred outflows of resources	\$1,660,772,008	\$1,080,204,730
Collective deferred inflows of resources	3,236,303,935	1,780,216,457
Collective net pension liability (Non State - Local Group)	\$15,091,376,611	\$14,606,489,066
District's portion of net pension liability	\$2,067,284	\$1,650,816
District's proportion %	0.01369845%	0.01130194%

Actuarial assumptions - The collective total pension liability for the June 30, 2023 measurement date was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation:	
Price	2.75%
Wage	3.25%
Salary Increases:	2.75%-6.55% based on years of service
Investment Rate of Return:	7.00%

Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee mortality table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2021.

Long-Term Expected Rate of Return - In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2023) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investment and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return was determined using a building block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS's target asset allocation as of June 30, 2023 are summarized in the following table:

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
US Equity	28.00%	8.98%
Non-US devel.markets equit	12.75%	9.22%
International Small Cap Equ	1.25%	9.22%
Emerging markets equity	5.50%	11.13%
Private Equity	13.00%	12.50%
Real Estate	8.00%	8.58%
Real Assets	3.00%	8.40%
High Yeild	4.50%	6.97%
Private Credit	8.00%	9.20%
Investment Grade Credit	7.00%	5.19%
Cash equivalent	2.00%	3.31%
US Treasuries	4.00%	3.31%
Risk mitigation	3.00%	6.21%

Discount rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2023. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers and the nonemployer contributing entity will be based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate - The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability measured as of June 30, 2023, calculated using the discount rate as disclosed above, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current rate:

	<u>1% Decrease</u> <u>(6.00%)</u>	<u>Current Discount</u> <u>Rate (7.00%)</u>	<u>1% Increase</u> <u>(8.00%)</u>
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 2,149,011	\$1,650,816	\$ 1,226,786

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

Pension Expense - The components of allocable pension expense and pension expense related to specific liabilities of individual employers, for state and local employers for the year ending June 30, 2023 are as follows:

Service cost	\$757,120
Interest on total Pension liability	2,859,241
Benefit changes	
Member contributions	(610,617)
Administrative expens	13,361
Expected investment return net of investment expenses	(1,685,384)
Pension expense related to specific liabilities of individual employers	(11,252)
Recognition (amortization) of deferred inflows/outflows:	
Differences between expected and actual experience	49,357
Changes in assumptions	(1,380,663)
Difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	<u>(82,389)</u>
Total pension expense/(benefit)	<u>(\$91,224)</u>

Pension plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the pension plan’s fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued State of New Jersey Divisions of Pensions and Benefits financial report at <http://www.nj.gov/treasury/pensions/financial-rprts-home.shtml>.

Defined Contribution Retirement Plan (DCRP) - The Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) was established as of July 1, 2007 under the provisions of Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2007 (N.J.S.A. 43:15C-1 et seq.). The DCRP is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined contribution pension fund. The DCRP provides eligible members, and their beneficiaries with a tax-sheltered, defined contribution retirement benefit, along with life insurance and disability coverage. Vesting and benefit provisions are established by N. J.S.A. 43:15C-1 et. seq.

The contribution requirements of plan members are determined by state statute. In accordance with Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2007, plan members are required to contribute 5.5% of their annual covered salary. The State Treasurer has the right under current law to make temporary reductions in member rates based on the existence of surplus plan assets in the retirement system; however statute also requires the return to the normal rate when such surplus pension assets no longer exist.

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

PERS and TPAF Vesting and Benefit Provisions - The vesting and benefit provisions for PERS are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A and 43.3B, and N.J.S.A. 18A:6C for TPAF. All benefits vest after eight to ten years of service, except for medical benefits that vest after 25 years of service. Retirement benefits for age and service are available at age 60 and are generally determined to be 1/60 of the final average salary for each year of service credit, as defined. Final average salary equals the average salary for the final three years of service prior to retirement (or highest three years' compensation if other than the final three years). Members may seek early retirement after achieving 25 years of service credit or they may elect deferred retirement after achieving eight to ten years of service in which case benefits would begin the first day of the month after the member attains normal retirement age.

The TPAF and PERS provides for specified medical benefits for members who retire after achieving 25 years of qualified service, as defined, or under the disability provisions of the System. Members are always fully vested for their own contributions and, after three years of service credit, become vested for 2% of related interest earned on the contributions. In the case of death before retirement, members' beneficiaries are entitled to full interest credited to the members' accounts.

Significant Legislation - Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, effective June 28, 2011 made various changes to the manner in which the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) and the Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) operate and to the benefit provisions of those systems.

Chapter 78's provisions impacting employee pension and health benefits include:

□ New members of the PERS hired on or after June 28, 2011 (Tier 5 members) will need 30 years of creditable service and age 65 for receipt of the early retirement benefit without a reduction of $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1% for each month that the member is under age 65. □ The eligibility age to qualify for a service retirement in the PERS is increased from age 63 to 65 for Tier 5 members. □ The annual benefit under special retirement for new PFRS members enrolled after June 28, 2011 (Tier 3 members), will be 60% instead of 65% of the member's final compensation plus 1% for each year of creditable service over 25 years but not to exceed 30 years. □ Increases in active member contribution rates. PERS active member rates increase from 5.5% of annual compensation to 6.5% plus an additional 1% phased-in over 7 years; PFRS active member rate increase from 8.5% to 10%. For fiscal year 2012, the member contribution rates increased in October 2011. The phase-in of the additional incremental member contribution rates for PES members will take place in July of each subsequent fiscal year.

□ The payment of automatic cost-of-living adjustment (COLA) additional increases to current and future retirees and beneficiaries is suspended until reactivated as permitted by this law. □ New employee contribution requirements towards the cost of employer-provided health benefit coverage. Employees are required to contribute a certain percentage of the cost of coverage. The rate of contribution is determined based on the employee's annual salary and the selected level of coverage. The increased employee contributions will be phased in over a 4-year period for those employed prior to Chapter 78's effective date with a minimum contribution required to be at least 1.5% of salary. □ In addition, this new legislation changes the method for amortizing the pension systems' unfunded accrued liability (from a level percent of pay method to a level dollar of pay).

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NOTE 8: PENSION PLANS (Continued)

Contribution Requirements - The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A, Chapter 62, P.L. of 1994, Chapter 115, P.L. of 1997 (PERS) and N.J.S.A. 18:66 (TPAF) requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Plan member and employer contributions may be amended by State of New Jersey legislation. TPAF and PERS provide for employee contributions of 6.5% of employees' annual compensation, as defined. Employers are required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate in both TPAF and PERS. The current TPAF rate is 6.5% and the PERS rate is 6.5% of covered payroll.

<u>Three-Year Trend Information for PERS</u>			
Year	Annual Pension Cost (APC)	Percentage of APC Contributed	Net Pension Obligation
<u>Funding</u>	<u>Cost (APC)</u>	<u>Contributed</u>	<u>Obligation</u>
6/30/2024	\$152,327	100 %	-0-
6/30/2023	\$172,744	100 %	-0-
6/30/2022	\$140,022	100 %	-0-

<u>Three-Year Trend Information for TPAF (On behalf)</u>			
Year	Annual Pension Cost (APC)	Percentage of APC Contributed	Net Pension Obligation
<u>Funding</u>	<u>Cost (APC)</u>	<u>Contributed</u>	<u>Obligation</u>
6/30/2024	\$1,675,621	100 %	-0-
6/30/2023	\$1,579,405	100 %	-0-
6/30/2022	\$1,468,604	100 %	-0-

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, the State of New Jersey did contribute \$2,131,438 to the TPAF for post-retirement benefits on behalf of the District. Also, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 18A:66-66 the State of New Jersey reimbursed the District \$372,190 during the year ended June 30, 2024, for the employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members, as calculated on their base salaries. The PERS amounts have been included in the fund-based statements as pension expense and the TPAF on-behalf amounts have been included in fund-based statements as revenues and expenditures. The PERS and TPAF amounts have been modified and included in the District-wide financial statements in accordance with GASB Statement No. 68.

NOTE 9: POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS

Plan description and benefits provided

The State of New Jersey reports a liability as a result of its statutory requirements to pay other post-employment (health) benefit for State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan. The State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan is a multiple-employer defined benefit OPES plan that is administered on a pay-as-you-go basis. Accordingly, no assets are accumulated in a qualifying trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for the Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*. The State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan provides medical, prescription drug, and Medicare Part B reimbursement to retirees and their covered dependents of local education employers.

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NOTE 9: POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS-(Continued)

The employer contributions for the participating local education employers are legally required to be funded by the State of New Jersey in accordance with N.J.S.A 52:14-17.32f. According to N.J.S.A 52:14-17.32f, the State provides employer-paid coverage to employees who retire from a board of education or countycollege with 25 years or more of service credit in, or retires on a disability pension from, one or more of the following plans: the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF), the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), the Police and Firemen Retirement System (PFRS), or the Alternate Benefit Program (ABP). Pursuant to Chapter 78, P .L, 2011, future retirees eligible for postretirement medical coverage who have less than 20 years of creditable service on June 28, 2011 will be required to pay a percentage of the cost of their health care coverage in retirement provided they retire with 25 or more years of pension service credit. The percentage of the premium for which the retiree will be responsible will be determined based on the retiree's annual retirement benefit and level of coverage. Additional information on Pensions and OPEB can be accessed on the Division of Pensions & Benefits Financial Reports webpage: <https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml>.

Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability

The State, a nonemployer contributing entity, is the only entity that has a legal obligation to make employer contributions to OPEB for qualified retired PERS and TPAF participants. The LEA's proportionate share percentage determined under paragraphs 193 and 203 through 205 of GASBS No. 75 is zero percent. Accordingly, the LEA did not recognize any portion of the collective net OPEB liability on the Statement of Net Position. Accordingly, the following OPEB liability note information is reported at the State's level and is not specific to the board of education.

The total nonemployer OPEB liability does not include certain other postemployment benefit obligations that are provided by the local education employers. The reporting of these benefits are the responsibility of the individual local education employers.

Actuarial assumptions and other imputes. The June 30, 2024 GASB 75 reporting is based on a measurement date of June 30, 2023. The total nonemployer OPEB liability as of June 30, 2023 was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of actuarial experience studies for the periods July 1, 2018 - June 30, 2021 for TPAF, PERS and PFRS. The actuarial assumptions vary for each plan member depending on the pension plan the member is enrolled in. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

Total Nonemployer OPEB Liability:	\$	52,361,668,239		
		<u>TPAF/ABP</u>	<u>PERS</u>	<u>PFRS</u>
Salary Increases		2.75% to 4.25%	2.75% to 6.55%	3.25% to 16.25%

Based on service years

(a) Health Care Trend Assumptions

For pre-Medicare medical benefits, the trend rate is initially 6.50% and decreases to a 4.50% long-term trend rate after nine years. For post-65 medical benefits PPO, the trend is increasing to 14.8% in fiscal year 2026 and decreases to 4.50% in fiscal year 2033. For HMO, the trend is increasing to 17.4% in fiscal year 2026 and decreases to 4.50% in fiscal year 2033. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 9.5% and decreases to a 4.50% long-term trend rate after seven years. For the Medicare Part B reimbursement, the trend rate is 5.00%.

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NOTE 9: POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS-(Continued)

(b) Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability wa 3.65%. This represents the municipal bond return rate as chosen by the Division. The source is the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. As the long-term rate of return is less than the municipal bond rate, it is not considered in the calculation of the discount rate, rather the discount rate is set at the municipal bond rate.

Preretirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Healthy "Teachers" (TPAF/ABP), "General" (PERS), and "Safety" (PFRS) classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021. Postretirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 "General" classification headcount-weighted mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021. Disability mortality was based on the Pub-2010 "General" classification headcount-weighted disabled mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021 for current disables retirees. Future disabled retirees was based on the Pub-2010 "Safety" (PFRS), "General" (PERS), and "Teachers" (TPAF/ABP) classification headcount-weighted disabled mortality table with fully generational mortality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021.

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability reported by the State of New Jersey

	<u>Total OPEB Liability</u>
The State's Total OPEB Liability Balance at 6/30/2022	\$50,646,462,966
<u>Changes for the year:</u>	
Service Cost	2,136,235,476
Interest on the Total OPEB Liability	1,844,113,951
Change in Benefit Terms	-
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience	(980,424,863)
Changes of Assumptions	105,539,463
Gross Benefit Payments	-
Contributions from Members/Employers	<u>(1,390,258,754)</u>
Net changes	<u>1,715,205,273</u>
The State's Total OPEB Liability Balance at 6/30/2023	<u>\$52,361,668,239</u>
The State's total OPEB liability attributable to the District:	\$22,930,385

Changes of assumptions and other inputs reflects a change in the discount rate from 3.54 percent in 2022 to 3.65 percent in 2023 and other changes.

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the total OPEB liability of the State for school board retirees, as well as what the State's total OPEB liability for school board would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage -point lower or 1- percentage-point higher than the current discount rate:

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NOTE 9: POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS-(Continued)

	June 30, 2023		
	At 1% Decrease	At Discount Rate	At 1% Increase
	<u>2.65%</u>	<u>3.65%</u>	<u>4.65%</u>
Total OPEB Liability (School Retirees)	\$61,385,066,712	\$52,361,668,239	\$45,116,926,835

	June 30, 2022		
	At 1% Decrease	At Discount Rate	At 1% Increase
	<u>2.54%</u>	<u>3.54%</u>	<u>4.54%</u>
Total OPEB Liability (School Retirees)	\$59,529,589,697	\$50,646,462,966	\$43,527,080,995

Sensitivity of the total OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare cost trend rates. The following presents the total OPEB liability of the State, as well as what the State’s total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

	June 30, 2023		
	At 1% Decrease	Health Care Cost Trend Rate	At 1% Increase
		<u>Trend Rate</u>	
Total OPEB Liability (School Retirees)	\$43,468,257,358	\$52,361,668,239	\$63,998,719,320

	June 30, 2022		
	At 1% Decrease	Health Care Cost Trend Rate	At 1% Increase
		<u>Trend Rate</u>	
Total OPEB Liability (School Retirees)	\$41,862,397,291	\$50,646,462,966	\$62,184,866,635

OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the board of education recognized OPEB expense and related revenue of (\$15,543) determined by the State as the total OPEB liability for benefits provided through a defined benefit OPEB plan that is not administered through a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASBS No. 75 and in which there is a special funding situation.

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NOTE 9: POST-RETIREMENT BENEFITS-(Continued)

In accordance with GASBS No. 75, the District's proportionate share of school retirees OPEB is zero, and there is no recognition of the allocation of proportionate share of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources. At June 30, 2023, the State reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to retired school employee's OPEB from the following sources:

	<u>Deferred Outflows</u>	<u>Deferred Inflows</u>
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience	\$7,639,717,639	\$13,791,541,217
Changes of assumptions or other inputs	<u>7,445,895,322</u>	<u>14,449,948,556</u>
Total	<u>\$15,085,612,961</u>	<u>\$28,241,489,773</u>

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to retired school employee's OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year ended June 30:	
2024	(\$2,611,225,301)
2024	(\$2,611,225,301)
2025	(\$2,269,523,460)
2026	(\$1,338,024,839)
2027	(273,877,609)
Thereafter	<u>(4,052,000,302)</u>
	<u>(\$13,155,876,812)</u>

NOTE 10: COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The District accounts for compensated absences (e.g., unused vacation, sick leave) as directed by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No.16 (GASB 16), "Accounting for Compensated Absences". A liability for compensated absences attributable to services already rendered and not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee is accrued as employees earn the rights to the benefits.

District employees are granted sick leave in varying amounts under the District's personnel agreement. Sick leave benefits provide for ordinary sick pay and begin vesting with the employee after initial service and amounts are payable at predetermined values upon retirement in the state pension system.

In the district-wide *Statement of Assets*, the liabilities whose average maturities are greater than one year should be reported in two components--the amount due within one year and the amount due in more than one year.

NOTE 11: INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES

The following interfund balances remained on the balance sheet at June 30, 2024:

	<u>Interfund Receivable</u>	<u>Interfund Payable</u>	
General Fund	\$ 197,400	\$ 8,650	
Special Revenue Fund		148,750	
Enterprise Fund		40,000	
	<u>\$ 197,400</u>	<u>\$ 197,400</u>	

The interfund payable in the special revenue fund is due to the general fund for cash advances to cover cash deficit caused by federal grant reimbursements that have not yet been received. The interfund payable in the enterprise fund is due to cash advances from the general fund for cash flow.

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NOTE 12: RISK MANAGEMENT

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

Property and Liability Insurance - The District maintains commercial insurance coverage for property, liability, student accident and surety bonds. A complete schedule of insurance coverage can be found in the Statistical Section of this Annual Comprehensive Financial Report.

New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance - The District has elected to fund its New Jersey Unemployment Compensation Insurance under the *Benefit Reimbursement Method*. Under this plan, the District is required to reimburse the New Jersey Unemployment Trust Fund for benefits paid to its former employees and charged to its account with the State. The District is billed quarterly for amounts due to the State. The following is a summary of District contributions, employee contributions, reimbursements to the State for benefits paid and the ending balance of the District's expendable trust fund for the current and previous two years:

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>District Contributions</u>	<u>Employee Contributions</u>	<u>Amount Reimbursed</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
2023-2024	\$1,525	\$14,554	\$47,374	\$26,698 *
2022-2023	\$86	\$14,682	\$16,567	\$57,993
2021-2022	\$55	\$12,374		\$59,792

* - Unemployment compensation fund balance and unemployment compensation claims payable

NOTE 13: CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

GRANT PROGRAMS

The Board participates in state and federally assisted grant programs. These programs are subject to program compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The Board is potentially liable for any expenditures which may be disallowed pursuant to the terms of these grant programs. Management is not aware of any material items of noncompliance which would result in the disallowance of program expenditures.

LITIGATION

The Board is not involved in any know claims or lawsuits.

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NOTE 14: CAPITAL RESERVE ACCOUNT

A capital reserve account was established by the Andover Regional School District Board of Education for the accumulation of funds for use as capital outlay expenditures in subsequent fiscal years. The capital reserve account is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

Funds placed in the capital reserve account are restricted to capital projects in the district's approved Long Range Facilities Plan (LRFP). Upon submission of the LRFP to the department, a district may increase the balance in the capital reserve by appropriating funds in the annual general fund budget certified for taxes or by transfer by board resolution at year end of any unanticipated revenue or unexpended line-item appropriation amounts, or both. A district may also appropriate additional amounts when the express approval of the voters has been obtained either by a separate proposal at budget time or by a special question at one of the four special elections authorized pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:60-2. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 6A:23A-14.1(g), the balance in the account cannot at any time exceed the local support costs of uncompleted capital projects in its approved LRFP.

The activity of the capital reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning balance July 1, 2023	\$ 1,254,536
Interest	35,273
Budgeted Withdrawal Expended	(111,900)
Deposits: June Board resolution June 19, 2024	<u>1,000,000</u>
Ending balance June 30, 2024	<u>\$ 2,177,909</u>

NOTE 15: MAINTENANCE RESERVE ACCOUNT

A maintenance reserve account was established by the School District Board of Education for the accumulation of funds for use in accordance with PL 2007 c.62 (A1). The maintenance reserve account is maintained in the general fund and its activity is included in the general fund annual budget.

The activity of the maintenance reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning balance July 1, 2023	\$ 302,321
Budgeted Withdrawal Expended	(110,540)
Interest	8,636
Deposits: June Board resolution June 19, 2024	<u>585,620</u>
Ending balance June 30, 2024	<u>\$ 786,037</u>

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NOTE 16: TUITION RESERVE ACCOUNT

A tuition reserve account was established by the School District Board of Education in fiscal year 2024, for the accumulation of funds for use in fiscal year 2024 and 2024, respectively, in accordance with NJAC 6A:23A17.1(f). The tuition reserve account is maintained in the general fund and enables the district to reserve fund balance for an anticipated large tuition adjustment for the current contract year. A maximum reserve for the current year is restricted to ten percent of the formal sending/receiving contract amount. Upon certification of rates in the second year following the contract year, full appropriation of the applicable year's reserve must be liquidated and any remaining balance related to that year must be reserved and budgeted for tax relief.

The activity of the tuition reserve for the July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024 fiscal year is as follows:

Beginning balance July 1, 2023	\$ 710,180
Utilized in 2023-2024 Budget	(355,225)
Deposits: June Board resolution June 19, 2024	372,846
Ending balance June 30, 2024	<u>\$ 727,801</u>

NOTE 17: FUND BALANCE APPROPRIATED

General Fund (Exhibit B-1) - Of the \$6,614,675 General Fund fund balance at June 30, 2024, \$2,456,962 is reserved as excess surplus in accordance with N.J.S.A.18A:7F-7 (\$310,397 of the excess surplus was appropriated and included as anticipated revenue for the year ending June 30, 2025); \$2,177,909 is reserved in the Capital Reserve Account; \$786,037 is reserved in the Maintenance Reserve Account; \$727,801 is reserved in the Tuition Reserve Account; \$26,698 is reserved for Unemployment Compensation; and \$439,268 is unreserved and undesignated.

NOTE 18: CALCULATION OF EXCESS SURPLUS

The designation for Reserved Fund Balance – Excess Surplus is a required calculation pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A:7F-7, as amended. New Jersey school districts are required to reserve General Fund fund balance at the fiscal year end of June 30 if they did not appropriate a required minimum amount as budgeted fund balance in their subsequent years' budget. The excess fund balance at June 30, 2024 is \$2,146,565.

NOTE 19: TAX ABATEMENTS

As defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), a tax abatement is an agreement between a government and an individual or entity in which the government promises to forgo tax revenues and the individual or entity promises to subsequently take a specific action that contributes to economic development or otherwise benefits the government or its citizens. School districts are not authorized by New Jersey statute to enter into tax abatement agreements. However, the county or municipality in which the school district is situated may have entered into tax abatement agreements, and that potential must be disclosed in these financial statements. If the county or municipality entered into tax abatement agreements, those agreements will not directly affect the school district's local tax revenue because N.J.S.A. 54:4-75 and N.J.S.A. 54:4-76 require that amounts so forgiven must effectively be recouped from other taxpayers and remitted to the school district.

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NOTE 20: DEFICIT FUND BALANCES

The District has a deficit fund balance (Exhibit B-1) of \$21,465 in the Special Revenue Fund as of June 30, 2023, as reported in the fund statements (modified accrual basis). P.L.2003, c.97 provides that in the event a state school aid payment is not made until the following school budget year, districts must record the last state aid payment as revenue, for budget purposes only, in the current school budget year. The bill provides legal authority for school districts to recognize this revenue in the current budget year. For intergovernmental transactions, GASB Statement No.33 requires that recognition (revenue, expenditure, asset, liability) should be in symmetry, i.e., if one government recognizes an asset, the other government recognizes a liability.

Since the State is recording the last state aid payment in the subsequent fiscal year, the school district can not recognize the last state aid payment on the GAAP financial statements until the year the State records the payable. Due to the timing difference of recording the last state aid payment, the Special Revenue Fund balance deficits do not alone indicate that the district is facing financial difficulties.

NOTE 21: RETROACTIVE RESTATEMENT OF NET POSITION

Restatement of Prior Period:

As an ongoing process of maintaining records in accordance with GASB#34, the district conducted a physical appraisal of capital assets as of June 30, 2024. The appraisal revealed asset activity that that should be recorded as of June 30, 2023. Accordingly, a restatement of Net Position as of June 30, 2023 was necessary.

Governmental Activities Net Position:

Net Position (per A-1), June 30, 2023	\$ 12,911,551
Restatement of Capital Assets	<u>(1,294,171)</u>
Net Position (per A-1), June 30, 2023, as Restated	<u>\$ 11,617,380</u>

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - PART II

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULES

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Exhibit C-1

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
REVENUES:					
Local Sources:					
Local Tax Levy	\$ 15,330,238		\$ 15,330,238	\$ 15,330,238	
Tuition from Individuals	-			2,571	\$ 2,571
Tuition from Other LEA's				159,558	159,558
Miscellaneous	10,100		10,100	528,623	518,523
Total - Local Sources	<u>15,340,338</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>15,340,338</u>	<u>16,020,990</u>	<u>680,652</u>
State Sources:					
Equalization Aid	28,208		28,208	28,208	
School Choice	60,244		60,244	60,244	
Transportation Aid	542,672		542,672	542,672	
Special Education Aid	532,625		532,625	532,625	
Security Aid	61,429		61,429	61,429	
Adjustment Aid	70,761		70,761	70,761	
Supplemental Stabilization Aid		\$ 21,269	21,269	21,269	
Extraordinary Aid				183,880	183,880
Other State Aid				29,743	29,743
TPAF Pension (On-Behalf - Non-Budgeted)				1,674,791	1,674,791
TPAF Post Retirement Medical (On-Behalf - Non-Budgeted)				455,817	455,817
TPAF Pension LTD Insurance (On-Behalf - Non-Budgeted)				830	830
TPAF Social Security (Reimbursed - Non-Budgeted)				372,190	372,190
Total State Sources	<u>1,295,939</u>	<u>21,269</u>	<u>1,317,208</u>	<u>4,034,459</u>	<u>2,717,251</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	<u>16,636,277</u>	<u>21,269</u>	<u>16,657,546</u>	<u>20,055,449</u>	<u>3,397,903</u>

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Exhibit C-1

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
EXPENDITURES:					
Current Expense:					
Regular Programs - Instruction:					
Kindergarten - Salaries of Teachers	275,639	51,501	327,140	326,231	909
Grades 1-5 - Salaries of Teachers	1,540,045	(43,213)	1,496,832	1,443,673	53,159
Grades 6-8 - Salaries of Teachers	1,017,509	(8,288)	1,009,221	996,697	12,524
Regular Programs - Home Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	6,000		6,000	4,613	1,387
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	5,000		5,000		5,000
Regular Programs - Undistributed Instruction:					
Purchased Technical Services	4,530	1,190	5,720	5,034	686
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	20,100		20,100	19,750	350
General Supplies	241,067	(1,102)	239,965	192,219	47,746
Textbooks	66,095	(88)	66,007	10,893	55,114
TOTAL REGULAR PROGRAMS - INSTRUCTION	3,175,985		3,175,985	2,999,110	176,875
SPECIAL EDUCATION - INSTRUCTION					
Learning or Language Disabilities:					
Salaries of Teachers	238,773	(4,678)	234,095	174,835	59,260
Other Salaries for Instruction	90,802	3,143	93,945	93,945	
General Supplies	10,482	(544)	9,938	9,938	
Total Learning or Language Disabilities	340,057	(2,079)	337,978	278,718	59,260

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Exhibit C-1

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Special Education - Multiple Disabilities:					
Salaries of Teachers	71,051	3,847	74,898	74,898	
General Supplies	6,054	(1,768)	4,286	4,286	
Total Special Education - Multiple Disabilities	77,105	2,079	79,184	79,184	
Resource Room/Resource Center:					
Salaries of Teachers	581,371	73,969	655,340	655,340	
General Supplies	10,244	(5,246)	4,998	4,998	
Total Resource Room/Resource Center	591,615	68,723	660,338	660,338	
Salaries of Teachers	154,749	(60,935)	93,814	72,157	21,657
Other Salaries for Instruction	112,546	780	113,326	89,907	23,419
General Supplies	6,000	(780)	5,220	4,990	230
Total Preschool Disabilities - Full Time	273,295	(60,935)	212,360	167,054	45,306
Home Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	6,000		6,000		6,000
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	3,000		3,000	275	2,725
Total Home Instruction	9,000		9,000	275	8,725
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION - INSTRUCTION	1,291,072	7,788	1,298,860	1,185,569	113,291

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Exhibit C-1

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	149,032		149,032	139,747	9,285
General Supplies	2,897	(31)	2,866	2,059	807
Total Basic Skills/Remedial - Instruction	151,929	(31)	151,898	141,806	10,092
Bilingual Education - Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	60,760	(120)	60,640	8,016	52,624
General Supplies	179	151	330	180	150
Total Bilingual Education - Instruction	60,939	31	60,970	8,196	52,774
School-Spon. Co/Extra Curricular Actvts. - Inst.:					
Salaries	89,995		89,995	53,207	36,788
General Supplies	9,796	(7,788)	2,008	385	1,623
Total School-Spon. Cocurricular Actvts. - Inst.	99,791	(7,788)	92,003	53,592	38,411
School-Spon. Athletics - Instruction:					
Salaries	29,400	440	29,840	29,840	
Purchased Services (300-500 series)	7,000	(440)	6,560	5,716	844
General Supplies	6,313		6,313	5,010	1,303
Total School-Spon. Athletics - Inst.	42,713		42,713	40,566	2,147
Summer School - Instruction:					
Salaries	32,000	2,112	34,112	34,112	
Other Salaries of Instruction	23,920		23,920	21,520	2,400
Purch Prof/Ed Svcs	24,480	(2,690)	21,790		21,790
General Supplies	1,500	578	2,078	2,078	
Total Summer School - Instruction	81,900		81,900	57,710	24,190
TOTAL INSTRUCTION	4,904,329		4,904,329	4,486,549	417,780

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	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES					
Instruction:					
Tuition to Other LEAs Within the State - Regular	3,465,703	11,360	3,477,063	3,477,063	
Tuition to Other LEAs Within the State - Special	242,133	(16,360)	225,773	189,537	36,236
Tuition to County Voc. District - Regular	62,500	5,000	67,500	67,500	
Tuition to County Voc. District - Special	12,500		12,500	12,500	
Tuition to Private Schools for the Disabled - Within State	556,432	(88,651)	467,781	272,133	195,648
Total Instruction	4,339,268	(88,651)	4,250,617	4,018,733	231,884
Attendance and Social Work:					
Salaries	109,009		109,009	102,214	6,795
Purchased Prof & Tech Svcs	28,808	699	29,507	29,146	361
Attendance Supplies	8,320	(699)	7,621		7,621
Total Attendance and Social Work	146,137		146,137	131,360	14,777
Health Services:					
Salaries	136,412	2,287	138,699	137,597	1,102
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	33,400	(2,287)	31,113	14,269	16,844
Supplies and Materials	10,684		10,684	9,895	789
Total Health Services	180,496		180,496	161,761	18,735
Speech, OT, PT and Related Services:					
Salaries	162,511		162,511	136,623	25,888
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	2,500		2,500		2,500
Supplies and Materials	3,869		3,869	3,272	597
Total Speech, OT, PT and Related Services	168,880		168,880	139,895	28,985

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Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Undist. Expend. - Other Supp. Serv. Students - Extra Serv.					
Extraordinary Svsc- Paras	442,744	21,649	464,393	464,393	
Salary- Extraordinary	80,558	(26,233)	54,325	54,325	
Purchased Professional - Educational Services	64,000	158,206	222,206	222,206	
Supplies and Materials	2,032	2,565	4,597	4,597	
Total Undist. Expend. - Other Supp. Serv. Students - Extra Serv.	589,334	156,187	745,521	745,521	
Guidance:					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	259,259	(36)	259,223	246,760	12,463
Other Purchased Prof. and Tech. Services	9,453	(756)	8,697	2,285	6,412
Supplies and Materials	1,300	793	2,093	2,092	1
Total Guidance	270,012	1	270,013	251,137	18,876
Child Study Teams:					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	265,818		265,818	264,147	1,671
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	51,409		51,409	46,309	5,100
Other Purchased Prof. and Tech. Services	20,462	1,366	21,828	15,034	6,794
Supplies and Materials	4,080	(1,366)	2,714	2,238	476
Other Objects	2,800		2,800	2,669	131
Total Child Study Teams	344,569		344,569	330,397	14,172

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Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Improvement of Instruction Services :					
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	101,891	2,174	104,065	104,065	
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	30,612	(2,174)	28,438	21,319	7,119
Supplies and Materials	82,464		82,464	54,345	28,119
Total Improvement of Instruction Services	214,967		214,967	179,729	35,238
Educational Media Services/School Library:					
Salaries	114,467	20	114,487	106,234	8,253
Salaries of Technology Coordinator	74,301		74,301	74,050	251
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	9,620		9,620	7,193	2,427
Supplies and Materials	53,839	(20)	53,819	46,113	7,706
Total Educational Media Services/School Library	252,227		252,227	233,590	18,637
Instructional Staff Training Services:					
Purchased Professional-Educational Services	82,045		82,045	4,995	77,050
Supplies and Materials	400		400		400
Total Instructional Staff Training Services	82,445		82,445	4,995	77,450

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	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Supp. Services - General Administration:					
Salaries	217,642	(18,019)	199,623	178,325	21,298
Legal Services	40,000		40,000	32,711	7,289
Audit Fees	29,804		29,804	29,804	
Other Professional Services	6,200	1,254	7,454	7,454	
Communications/Telephone	42,900	(1,254)	41,646	41,312	334
BOE Other Purchased Services	8,293		8,293	5,281	3,012
Other Purchased Services (400-500 series)	7,243	(245)	6,998	3,628	3,370
General Supplies	3,200	(889)	2,311	1,399	912
Miscellaneous Expenditures	5,300	11,134	16,434	16,434	
BOE Membership Dues and Fees	8,900		8,900	8,382	518
Total Supp. Services - General Administration	369,482	(8,019)	361,463	324,730	36,733
Support Services - School Administration:					
Salaries of Principals/Assistant Principals	191,427	20,900	212,327	212,327	
Salaries of Secretarial and Clerical Assistants	53,808	9	53,817	53,817	
Supplies and Materials	3,606	(2,823)	783	783	
Other Objects	7,850	(67)	7,783	7,783	
Total Support Services - School Administration	256,691	18,019	274,710	274,710	

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GENERAL FUND

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Central Services:					
Salaries	192,765		192,765	191,925	840
Purchased Professional Services	23,855		23,855	20,955	2,900
Misc. Purchased Services (400-500 series)	2,700		2,700	1,068	1,632
Supplies and Materials	6,600	(1,777)	4,823	2,447	2,376
Miscellaneous Expenditures	2,825	1,777	4,602	4,602	
Total Central Services	228,745		228,745	220,997	7,748
Admin. Information Technology:					
Salaries	46,754		46,754	46,754	
Purchased Technical Services	33,562	(777)	32,785	29,757	3,028
Supplies and Materials	500	777	1,277	941	336
Total Admin. Information Technology	80,816		80,816	77,452	3,364
Required Maintenance for School Facilities:					
Salaries	74,460		74,460	71,960	2,500
Cleaning, Repair, and Maintenance Services	384,747	62,954	447,701	163,100	284,601
General Supplies	156,700		156,700	19,711	136,989
Total Required Maintenance for School Facilities	615,907	62,954	678,861	254,771	424,090

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Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Other Operations and Maintenance of Plant:					
Salaries	387,798		387,798	343,692	44,106
Purchased Professional and Technical Services	72,420		72,420	45,497	26,923
Cleaning, Repair and Maintenance Services	53,500		53,500		53,500
Other Purchased Property Services	28,000		28,000	12,987	15,013
Insurance	93,591		93,591	79,898	13,693
General Supplies	117,265		117,265	47,313	69,952
Energy (Natural Gas)	89,740		89,740	51,953	37,787
Energy (Electricity)	130,123		130,123	125,100	5,023
Energy (Gasoline)	2,000		2,000	2,000	
Other Objects	8,130		8,130	920	7,210
Total Other Operations and Maintenance of Plant	982,567		982,567	709,360	273,207
Care and Upkeep of Grounds:					
Salaries	48,964		48,964	36,838	12,126
Repair & Maintenance	23,000		23,000	311	22,689
General Supplies	51,800		51,800	30,174	21,626
Total Care and Upkeep of Grounds	123,764		123,764	67,323	56,441
Security:					
Cleaning, Repair, and Maintenance Services	110,065		110,065	17,447	92,618
General Supplies	12,806		12,806	929	11,877
Total Security	122,871		122,871	18,376	104,495

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Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Student Transportation Services					
Salary for Pupil Trans. (Bet. Home & Sch) - Reg.	52,382		52,382	48,319	4,063
Salary for Pupil Trans. (Bet. Home & Sch) - Spec Ed.	24,847		24,847	22,339	2,508
Other Purchased Professional and Technical Services	4,700		4,700	4,600	100
Contract Services - Aid in Lieu of Payments-Nonpub.Sch.	28,100		28,100	27,293	807
Contract Services - Aid in Lieu of Payments-School Choice	22,480		22,480	17,792	4,688
Contract Services - (Between Home and School) - Vendors	890,620	21,269	911,889	820,385	91,504
Contract Services (Other than Between Home & School)-Vendors	30,620		30,620	12,532	18,088
Contract Services - (Between Home and School) - Joint Agreements	6,100	5,559	11,659	11,659	
Contract Services - (Special Ed. Students) - Vendors	1,083,995	(5,559)	1,078,436	792,663	285,773
Transportation Supplies	400		400	242	158
Total Student Transportation Services	2,144,244	21,269	2,165,513	1,757,824	407,689
UNALLOCATED BENEFITS					
Social Security Contributions	150,672	19,701	170,373	170,373	
Other Retirement Contributions - DCRP	26,739	6,548	33,287	33,287	
Other Retirement Contributions - Regular	157,045	(6,701)	150,344	142,513	7,831
Unemployment Compensation	10,000	3,763	13,763	13,763	
Workmen's Compensation	66,773	555	67,328	67,328	
Health Benefits	1,861,304	(23,867)	1,837,437	1,250,100	587,337
Tuition Reimbursement	50,703		50,703	14,042	36,661
Other Employee Benefits	45,281		45,281	25,599	19,682
TOTAL UNALLOCATED BENEFITS	2,368,517	(1)	2,368,516	1,717,005	651,511

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**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
GENERAL FUND**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)</u>
On-behalf TPAF pension Contrib. (non-budgeted)				1,674,791	(1,674,791)
On-behalf TPAF PRM Contrib. (non-budgeted)				455,817	(455,817)
On-behalf TPAF pension LTD Ins. (non-budgeted)				830	(830)
Reimbursed TPAF Social Security Contributions (non-budgeted)				372,190	(372,190)
TOTAL ON-BEHALF CONTRIBUTIONS				2,503,628	(2,503,628)
TOTAL PERSONAL SERVICES - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	2,368,517	(1)	2,368,516	4,220,633	(1,852,117)
TOTAL UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES	13,881,939	161,759	14,043,698	14,123,294	(79,596)
TOTAL GENERAL CURRENT EXPENSE	18,786,268	161,759	18,948,027	18,609,843	338,184
CAPITAL OUTLAY					
Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services					
Architectural/Engineering Services	217,000		217,000	71,412	145,588
Purchased Professional Services	468,000		468,000		468,000
Construction Services	330,000		330,000		330,000
Supplies & Materials	295,000		295,000		295,000
Assessment for Debt Service on SDA Funding	36,039		36,039	36,039	
Total Facilities Acquisition and Construction Services	1,346,039		1,346,039	107,451	1,238,588
TOTAL CAPITAL OUTLAY	1,346,039		1,346,039	107,451	1,238,588
Transfer of Funds to Charter Schools	54,746		54,746	63,699	(8,953)
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	20,187,053	161,759	20,348,812	18,780,993	1,567,819
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(3,550,776)	(140,490)	(3,691,266)	1,274,456	4,965,722

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BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE

GENERAL FUND

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Operating Transfer In/(Out):					
Transfer to Special Revenue Fund - Preschool	(130,959)		(130,959)	(130,959)	
Total Transfer In/(Out)	<u>(130,959)</u>		<u>(130,959)</u>	<u>(130,959)</u>	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(3,681,735)	(140,490)	(3,822,225)	1,143,497	4,965,722
Fund Balance, July 1	5,594,968		5,594,968	5,594,968	
Prior Period Adjustment					
Fund Balance, July 1 (Restated)	<u>5,594,968</u>		<u>5,594,968</u>	<u>5,594,968</u>	
Fund Balance, June 30	<u>\$ 1,913,233</u>	<u>\$ (140,490)</u>	<u>\$ 1,772,743</u>	<u>\$ 6,738,465</u>	<u>\$ 4,965,722</u>
Recapitulation:					
Restricted for:					
Excess Surplus - Designated for Subsequent Year's Expenditures				\$ 310,397	
Excess Surplus				2,146,565	
Capital Reserve				2,177,909	
Tuition Reserve - FY22-23 Due FY 24-25				354,955	
Tuition Reserve - FY23-24 Due FY 25-26				372,846	
Maintenance Reserve				786,037	
Unemployment Compensation				26,698	
Unassigned:					
Unrestricted Fund Balance				<u>563,058</u>	
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds(Budgetary Basis)				<u>6,738,465</u>	
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statement(GAAP Basis):					
Last State Aid Payment not recognized on GAAP basis				<u>(123,790)</u>	
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds(GAAP Basis B-2)				<u><u>\$ 6,614,675</u></u>	

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Exhibit C-2

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
SPECIAL REVENUE FUND**

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Final to Actual Favorable/ (Unfavorable)
REVENUES:					
Local Sources	-	\$ 48,176	\$ 48,176	\$ 45,376	\$ (2,800)
State Sources	\$ 712,999	(104,992)	608,007	554,494	(53,513)
Federal Sources	-	666,036	666,036	616,536	(49,500)
Total Revenues	712,999	609,220	1,322,219	1,216,406	(105,813)
EXPENDITURES:					
Instruction					
Salaries of Teachers	229,074	87,493	316,567	282,309	34,258
Other Salaries	81,938	(37)	81,901	81,901	
Purchased Professional Services	-	4,566	4,566	4,500	66
Tuition	-	156,700	156,700	156,700	
General Supplies	67,346	193,307	260,653	224,500	36,153
Total Instruction	378,358	442,029	820,387	749,910	70,477
Support Services					
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	11,075	-	11,075	11,075	-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	15,156	-	15,156	15,156	-
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assist.	5,974	-	5,974	5,974	-
Other Support Salaries	11,142	35,144	46,286	44,179	2,107
Salaries of Master Teachers	55,712	-	55,712	37,118	18,594
Employee Benefits	149,632	-	149,632	149,632	-
Purchased Professional Services	35,798	142,464	178,262	167,577	10,685
Cleaning, Repair, & Maintenance	37,301	3	37,304	37,304	-
Supplies and Materials	-	61,435	61,435	61,435	-
Student Activities	-	33,837	33,837	33,837	-
Total Support Services	321,790	272,883	594,673	563,287	31,386
Facilities Acq. and Const. Services:					
Buildings	-	17,238	17,238	17,238	
Non-Instructional Equipment	12,851		12,851	8,901	3,950
Total Facilities Acq. and Const. Svs	12,851	17,238	30,089	26,139	3,950
Total Expenditures	712,999	732,150	1,445,149	1,339,336	105,813
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Transfers from Other Funds		130,959	130,959	130,959	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		130,959	130,959	130,959	
Total Outflows	\$ 712,999	\$ 601,191	\$ 1,314,190	\$ 1,208,377	\$ 105,813
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
		8,029	8,029	8,029	
Fund Balance Beginning				28,710	
Prior Period Adjustment				-	
Fund Balance Beginning (Restated)				28,710	
Fund Balance Ending				<u>\$ 36,739</u>	
Recapitulation:					
Restricted:					
Student Activities				\$ 36,739	
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds(Budgetary Basis)				<u>36,739</u>	
Reconciliation to Governmental Funds Statement(GAAP Basis):					
Last State Aid Payment not recognized on GAAP basis				(58,204)	
Fund Balance per Governmental Funds(GAAP Basis)				<u>\$ (21,465)</u>	

**NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE**

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

**Note A - Explanation of Differences Between Budgetary Inflows and Outflows
and GAAP Revenues and Expenditures**

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund
Sources/Inflows of Resources		
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "revenue"		
from the budgetary comparison schedule (Exhibits C-1 and C-2, respectively)	\$ 20,055,449	\$ 1,216,406
Difference - budget to GAAP:		
Grant accounting budgetary basis differs from GAAP in that encumbrances are recognized as expenditures, and the related revenue is recognized.		
Prior Year	N/A	N/A
Current Year	N/A	N/A
Adjustment for: Prior Year Final State Aid Payment not included in Budgetary State Source Revenues and is considered a revenue for GAAP reporting purposes	126,654	130,576
Adjustment for: Current Year Final State Aid Payment included in State Source Revenues that is not considered a revenue for GAAP reporting purposes	<u>(123,790)</u>	<u>(58,204)</u>
 Total revenues as reported on the statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances - governmental funds. (Exhibit B-2)	 <u>\$ 20,058,313</u>	 <u>\$ 1,288,778</u>
Uses/outflows of resources		
Actual amounts (budgetary basis) "total outflows" from the budgetary comparison schedules (Exhibits C-1 and C-2, respectively)	\$ 18,780,993	\$ 1,208,377
Differences - budget to GAAP		
Encumbrances for supplies and equipment ordered but not received are reported in the year the order is placed for <i>budgetary</i> purposes, but in the year the supplies are received for <i>financial reporting</i> purposes.		-
Prior Year	N/A	N/A
Current Year	N/A	N/A
Transfers to and from other funds are presented as outflows of budgetary resources but are not expenditures for financial reporting purposes.	N/A	130,959
	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total expenditures as reported on the statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances - governmental funds (Exhibit B-2)	<u>\$ 18,780,993</u>	<u>\$ 1,339,336</u>

**Andover Regional School District
Required Supplementary Information - Part III
Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit L-3

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

	<u>2024</u>	<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>
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset) **	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) **	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) associated with the District	\$ 19,437,441	\$ 18,142,736	\$ 16,617,829	\$ 24,583,031	\$ 27,279,763	\$ 28,932,174	\$ 29,105,333	\$ 35,097,072	\$ 29,656,882	\$ 25,290,246
Total	\$ 19,437,441	\$ 18,142,736	\$ 16,617,829	\$ 24,583,031	\$ 27,279,763	\$ 28,932,174	\$ 29,105,333	\$ 35,097,072	\$ 29,656,882	\$ 25,290,246
District's covered employee payroll	\$ 5,134,974	\$ 4,940,619	\$ 4,494,188	\$ 4,237,820	\$ 3,939,681	\$ 3,698,743	\$ 3,972,034	\$ 4,638,945	\$ 4,339,275	\$ 4,315,898
District's proportionate share of the of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	34.68%	32.29%	35.50%	24.60%	26.95%	26.49%	25.41%	22.33%	28.71%	33.64%

** Note: TPAF is a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 in which the State of New Jersey is 100% responsible for contributions to the plan. Since the district (employer) does not contribute directly to the plan there is no net pension liability to report in the financial statements of the district.

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Exhibit L-1

	<u>2024</u>	<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>
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.011397224%	0.013698447%	0.011956286%	0.013135249%	0.011767591%	0.012896550%	0.014211676%	0.014175037%	0.014152204%	0.013732773%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 1,650,816	\$ 2,067,284	\$ 2,142,016	\$ 2,142,016	\$ 2,120,341	\$ 2,539,266	\$ 3,308,251	\$ 4,198,239	\$ 3,176,886	\$ 2,571,151
District's covered employee payroll	\$ 891,413	\$ 941,891	\$ 834,084	\$ 911,792	\$ 837,736	\$ 846,111	\$ 821,946	\$ 854,943	\$ 943,638	\$ 975,711
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	185.19%	219.48%	256.81%	234.92%	253.10%	300.11%	402.49%	491.05%	336.66%	263.52%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability (Local)	65.23%	62.91%	70.33%	58.32%	56.27%	53.60%	58.18%	40.14%	47.92%	52.08%

**Andover Regional School District
Required Supplementary Information - Part III
Schedule of District Contributions
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit L-2

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually required contribution **	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution **	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution deficiency (excess)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
District's covered employee payroll	\$ 5,134,974	\$ 4,940,619	\$ 4,494,188	\$ 4,237,820	\$ 3,939,681	\$ 3,698,743	\$ 3,972,034	\$ 4,638,945	\$ 4,339,275	\$ 4,315,898
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

** Note: TPAF is a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 68 in which the State of New Jersey is 100% responsible for contributions to the plan. The district (employer) does not contribute to the plan.

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually required contribution	\$ 152,327	\$ 172,744	\$ 140,022	\$ 143,693	\$ 114,919	\$ 128,753	\$ 132,704	\$ 125,929	\$ 134,273	\$ 113,211
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(152,327)	(172,744)	(140,022)	(143,693)	(114,919)	(128,753)	(132,704)	(125,929)	(134,273)	(113,211)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
District's covered employee payroll	\$ 891,413	\$ 941,891	\$ 834,084	\$ 911,792	\$ 837,736	\$ 846,111	\$ 821,946	\$ 854,943	\$ 943,638	\$ 975,711
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	17.09%	18.34%	16.79%	15.76%	13.72%	15.22%	16.15%	14.73%	14.23%	11.60%

Andover Regional School District
Required Supplementary Information - Part III
Schedule of Changes in the State's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios
Last Ten Fiscal Years *

Exhibit M-1

State Health Benefit Local Education Retired Employees Plan (TPAF and PERS)

The State of New Jersey's Total OPEB Liability	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Service Cost	\$ 2,136,235,476	\$ 2,770,618,025	\$ 3,217,184,264	\$ 1,790,973,822	\$ 1,734,404,850	\$ 1,984,642,729	\$ 2,391,878,884	\$ 1,723,999,319		
Interest	1,844,113,951	1,342,187,139	1,556,661,679	1,503,341,357	1,827,787,206	1,970,236,232	1,699,441,736	1,823,643,792		
Change in Benefit Terms	-	-	(63,870,842)							
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience	(980,424,863)	1,399,200,736	(11,385,071,658)	11,544,750,637	(7,323,140,818)	(5,002,065,740)				
Benefit Payments	-	(13,586,368,097)	59,202,205	(1,180,515,618)	(1,280,958,373)	(1,232,987,247)	(1,242,412,566)	(1,223,298,019)		
Contributions from Members	(1,390,258,754)	(1,329,476,059)	-	35,781,384	37,971,171	42,614,005	45,748,749	46,273,747		
Changes of Assumptions or other inputs	105,539,463	42,650,252	(1,186,417,186)	12,386,549,981	622,184,027	\$ (5,291,448,855)	\$ (7,086,599,129)	8,611,513,521		
Net change in total OPEB liability	1,715,205,273	(9,361,188,004)	(7,802,311,538)	26,080,881,563	(4,381,751,937)	(7,529,008,876)	(4,191,942,326)	10,982,132,360		
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning	\$ 50,646,462,966	\$60,007,650,970	\$67,809,962,608	\$ 41,729,081,045	\$46,110,832,982	\$ 53,639,841,858	\$57,831,784,184	\$ 46,849,651,824		
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	\$ 52,361,668,239	\$50,646,462,966	\$60,007,651,070	\$ 67,809,962,608	\$41,729,081,045	\$ 46,110,832,982	\$53,639,841,858	\$ 57,831,784,184		
The State of New Jersey's total OPEB liability **	\$ 52,361,668,239	\$50,646,462,966	\$60,007,651,070	\$ 67,809,962,608	\$41,729,081,045	\$ 46,110,832,982	\$53,639,841,858	\$ 57,831,784,184		
The State of New Jersey's OPEB liability attributable to the District **	\$ 22,930,385	\$ 22,320,692	\$ 25,417,666	\$ 29,972,815	\$ 19,743,269	\$ 22,948,282	\$ 27,407,589	\$ 29,599,949		
The District's proportionate share of the total OPEB liability	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero	Zero		
District's covered employee payroll	\$ 6,026,387	\$ 5,882,510	\$ 5,328,272	\$ 5,149,612	\$ 4,777,417	\$ 4,544,854	\$ 4,793,980	\$ 5,493,888		
Total District's OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%		
District's contribution	None	None	None	None	None	None	None	None		
State's covered employee payroll ***	\$ 15,314,749,297	\$14,753,355,408	\$14,425,669,769	\$ 14,267,738,657	\$13,929,083,479	\$ 13,640,275,833	\$13,493,400,208	\$ 13,493,400,208		
Total State's OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	341.90%	343.29%	415.98%	475.27%	299.58%	338.05%	397.53%	428.59%		

** Note: Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB) for employees of the Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF) and the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) is considered a special funding situation as defined by GASB Statement No. 75 in which the State of New Jersey is 100% responsible for contributions to the health insurance plan. The district (employer) does not contribute to the plan and the district's OPEB liability is zero.

*** Covered payroll for the Measurement Period ending June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2023 is based on the payroll on the June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2022 census data, respectively

* - Until a full ten year trend is compiled, information will be presented for those years for which information is available.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION-PART III
Pension and Other Post Employment Benefits (OPEB) Schedules**

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

Teachers' Pension and Annuity Fund (TPAF)

Pension Schedules

Changes of benefit terms. The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 18A:66. TPAF provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of TPAF. Members are always fully vested for their own contributions and, after three years of service credit, become vested for 2% of related interest earned on the contributions. In the case of death before retirement, members' beneficiaries are entitled to full interest credited to the members' accounts.

Changes of assumptions. Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Employee mortality table with a 93.9% adjustment for males and 85.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 114.7% adjustment for males and 99.6% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 106.3% adjustment for males and 100.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

OPEB Schedules

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASBS No. 75.

Changes of assumptions. Changes of assumptions and other inputs reflects a change in the discount rate from 3.54 percent in 2022 to 3.65 percent in 2023.

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Pension Schedules

Changes of benefit terms. The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A. PERS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service, except for medical benefits, which vest after 25 years of service or under the disability provisions of PERS.

Changes of assumptions. Pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Employee mortality table with a 93.9% adjustment for males and 85.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Teachers Above-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 114.7% adjustment for males and 99.6% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 106.3% adjustment for males and 100.3% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Mortality improvement is based on Scale MP-2021.

OPEB Schedules

No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASBS No. 75.

Changes of assumptions. Changes of assumptions and other inputs reflects a change in the discount rate from 3.54 percent in 2022 to 3.65 percent in 2023.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

<p style="text-align: center;">SPECIAL REVENUE FUND DETAIL STATEMENTS</p>
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The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources (other than expendable trusts or major capital projects) that are legally restricted to expenditures for specific purposes.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit E-1

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND
COMBINING SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGETARY BASIS

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Title I	Title II (A)	Title IV	IDEA Part B	IDEA Preschool	ARP ESSER III	ARP Accel. Learn.	ARP Summer	ARP Beyond Sch. Day	ARP Mental Health	CRRSA ESSER II	CRRSA Learning	CRRSA Mental	Preschool Education Aid	Local Grants	Student Activities	Totals
REVENUES																	
Local Sources															\$ 3,510	\$ 41,866	\$ 45,376
State Sources														\$ 554,494			554,494
Federal Sources	\$ 115,122	\$ 21,904	\$ 14,070	\$ 156,700	\$ 7,265	\$ 108,505	\$ 51,719	\$ 40,000	\$ 26,225	\$ 40,731	\$ 19,642	\$ 12,578	\$ 2,075				616,536
TOTAL REVENUES	115,122	21,904	14,070	156,700	7,265	108,505	51,719	40,000	26,225	40,731	19,642	12,578	2,075	554,494	3,510	41,866	1,216,406
EXPENDITURES:																	
Instruction:																	
Salaries of Teachers	4,750	1,100	2,082		7,265				25,450			12,550		229,112			282,309
Other Salaries														81,901			81,901
Purchased Professional Services	4,500																4,500
Tuition				156,700													156,700
General Supplies	65,767		1,485			23,647		40,000		12,248	15,500			62,343	3,510		224,500
Total Instruction	75,017	1,100	3,567	156,700	7,265	23,647		40,000	25,450	12,248	15,500	12,550		373,356	3,510		749,910
Support Services:																	
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction														11,075			11,075
Salaries of Other Professional Staff														15,156			15,156
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assist.														5,974			5,974
Other Support Salaries						26,620	1,500		775		4,142			11,142			44,179
Salaries of Master Teachers														37,118			37,118
Employee Benefits														149,632			149,632
Purchased Professional Services	36,305	20,804	4,879			10,000	50,219			7,500				35,795	2,075		167,577
Cleaning, Repair, & Maintenance														37,304			37,304
Supplies and Materials	3,800		5,624			31,000				20,983		28					61,435
Student Activities																33,837	33,837
Total Support Services	40,105	20,804	10,503			67,620	51,719		775	28,483	4,142	28		303,196			563,287
Facilities Acq. and Const. Services:																	
Buildings						17,238											17,238
Non-Instructional Equipment														8,901			8,901
Total Facilities Acq. and Const. Svs	-	-	-	-	-	17,238	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,901	-	-	26,139
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	115,122	21,904	14,070	156,700	7,265	108,505	51,719	40,000	26,225	40,731	19,642	12,578	2,075	685,453	3,510	33,837	1,339,336
Total Outflows	\$ 115,122	\$ 21,904	\$ 14,070	\$ 156,700	\$ 7,265	\$ 108,505	\$ 51,719	\$ 40,000	\$ 26,225	\$ 40,731	\$ 19,642	\$ 12,578	\$ 2,075	\$ 685,453	\$ 3,510	\$ 33,837	\$ 1,339,336
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(130,959)	-	8,029	(122,930)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):																	
Transfers from Other Funds														130,959			130,959
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	130,959	-	-	130,959
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Sources (Uses)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,029	8,029
Fund Balance Beginning	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,710	28,710
Prior Period Adjustment	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fund Balance Beginning (Restated)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,710	28,710
Fund Balance Ending	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$ 36,739	\$ 36,739

**Andover Regional School District
Special Revenue Fund
Preschool Education Aid Schedule of Expenditures
Preschool - All Programs
Budgetary Basis
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

	Original Budget	Budget Transfers	Final Budget	Actual	Variance
EXPENDITURES:					
Instruction:					
Salaries of Teachers	\$ 229,074	\$ 38	\$ 229,112	\$ 229,112	-
Other Salaries for Instruction	81,938	(37)	81,901	81,901	-
General Supplies	67,346	15,280	82,626	62,343	\$ 20,283
Total instruction	378,358	15,281	393,639	373,356	20,283
Support services:					
Salaries of Supervisors of Instruction	11,075	-	11,075	11,075	-
Salaries of Other Professional Staff	15,156	-	15,156	15,156	-
Salaries of Secr. And Clerical Assist.	5,974	-	5,974	5,974	-
Other Support Salaries	11,142	-	11,142	11,142	-
Salaries of Master Teachers	55,712	-	55,712	37,118	18,594
Employee Benefits	149,632	-	149,632	149,632	-
Purchased Professional Services	35,798	(3)	35,795	35,795	-
Cleaning, Repair, & Maintenance	37,301	3	37,304	37,304	-
Supplies and Materials	-	-	-	-	-
Total support services	321,790	-	321,790	303,196	18,594
Facilities Acq. & Construction:					
Non-Instructional Equipment	12,851	-	12,851	8,901	3,950
Total Facilities Acq. & Construction	12,851	-	12,851	8,901	3,950
Total Expenditures	\$ 712,999	\$ 15,281	\$ 728,280	\$ 685,453	\$ 42,827

CALCULATION OF BUDGET & CARRYOVER

Total 2023-2024 PreK Aid Allocation	\$ 582,040
Add: Actual ECPA Carryover June 30, 2023	15,281
Add: Budgeted Transfer From General Fund	<u>130,959</u>
Total Funds Available for 2022-2024 Budget	728,280
Less: 2023-2024 Budgeted PreK & ECPA (Including prior year budgeted carryover)	<u>(728,280)</u>
Available & Unbudgeted Funds as of June 30, 2024	-
Add: June 30, 2024 Unexpended PreK Aid	42,827
2023-2024 Actual Carryover - PreK Aid	<u>\$ 42,827</u>
2023-2024 PreK Carryover Budgeted in 2024-2025	<u>-</u>

**CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND
DETAIL STATEMENTS**

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities and equipment purchases other than those financed by proprietary funds.

N/A

**PROPRIETARY FUND
DETAIL STATEMENTS**

Proprietary Funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises - where the intent of the district's board is that the costs of providing goods or services be financed through user charges.

Food Services Fund - This fund provides for the operation of food services in all schools within the school district.

THIS SECTION HAS ALREADY BEEN INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS B-4, B-5 AND B-6.

**FIDUCIARY FUND
DETAIL STATEMENTS**

Fiduciary Funds are defined by GASB No. 84 as four funds. (1) pension (and other employee benefit) trust funds, (2) investment trust funds, (3) private-purpose trust funds, and (4) custodial funds.

N/A

LONG-TERM DEBT SCHEDULES

The Long-Term Schedules are used to reflect the outstanding principal balances of the general long-term liabilities of the school district. This includes serial bonds outstanding and obligations under capital leases.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit I-1

**SCHEDULE OF SERIAL BONDS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024**

<u>ISSUE</u>	<u>DATE OF ISSUE</u>	<u>AMOUNT OF ISSUE</u>	<u>ANNUAL MATURITIES</u>		<u>INTEREST RATE</u>	<u>BALANCE July 1, 2023</u>	<u>RETIRED</u>	<u>BALANCE June 30, 2024</u>
Series 2021 Refunding Bonds	11/18/21	\$ 2,510,000	02/15/25	\$ 305,000	1.35%	\$ 2,205,000	\$ 305,000	\$ 1,900,000
			02/15/26	315,000	1.35%			
			02/15/27	310,000	1.35%			
			02/15/28	320,000	1.35%			
			02/15/29	320,000	1.35%			
			02/15/30	330,000	1.35%			
Series 2014 Refunding Bonds	9/1/14	5,735,000	02/15/25	590,000	3.00%	1,160,000	570,000	590,000
Total						\$ 3,365,000	\$ 875,000	\$ 2,490,000

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

Exhibit I-3

**BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
DEBT SERVICE FUND**

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	<u>Original Budget</u>	<u>Budget Transfers</u>	<u>Final Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Variance Positive/ (Negative) Final to Actual</u>
REVENUES:					
Local Sources:					
Local Tax Levy	\$ 722,077		\$ 722,077	\$ 722,077	
Total - Local Sources	722,077		722,077	722,077	
State Sources:					
Debt Service Aid Type II	190,610		190,610	190,610	
Total - State Sources	190,610		190,610	190,610	
TOTAL REVENUES	912,687		912,687	912,687	
EXPENDITURES:					
Regular Debt Service:					
Interest	64,523		64,523	64,523	-
Redemption of Principal	875,000		875,000	875,000	-
Total Regular Debt Service	939,523		939,523	939,523	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	939,523		939,523	939,523	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(26,836)	-	(26,836)	(26,836)	-
Fund Balance, July 1	26,836		26,836	26,836	-
Fund Balance, June 30	-	-	-	-	
Recapitulation of Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures					
Budgeted Fund Balance					

Andover Regional School District
Statistical Section

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Sources:

Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the Annual Comprehensive Financial Reports (ACFR) for the relevant year.

**Andover Regional School District
Net Position by Component,
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

(accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-1

	2015		2016		2017		2018		Fiscal Year Ending June 30,		2021		2022		2023		2024	
									2019	2020								
Governmental activities																		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$ 5,644,839	\$ 5,411,694	\$ 5,720,801	\$ 6,251,208	\$ 6,596,357	\$ 7,496,568	\$ 8,232,089	\$ 7,688,018	\$ 9,940,670	\$ 9,089,995								
Restricted	55,948	305,000	726,000	1,615,888	2,704,917	3,662,047	4,455,538	5,736,669	4,631,215	6,212,146								
Unrestricted	(2,474,825)	(3,005,929)	(3,109,617)	(2,681,704)	(3,284,886)	(3,037,556)	(2,569,828)	(2,265,239)	(1,660,334)	(1,685,891)								
Total governmental activities net position	<u>\$ 3,225,962</u>	<u>\$ 2,710,765</u>	<u>\$ 3,337,184</u>	<u>\$ 5,185,392</u>	<u>\$ 6,016,388</u>	<u>\$ 8,121,059</u>	<u>\$ 10,117,799</u>	<u>\$ 11,159,448</u>	<u>\$ 12,911,551</u>	<u>\$ 13,616,250</u>								
Business-type activities																		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$ 7,793	\$ 4,006	-	-	-	-	-	-	\$ 9,196	\$ 46,603								
Restricted	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-								
Unrestricted	31,839	44,302	41,653	40,005	31,852	45,643	59,099	71,761	93,275	110,296								
Total business-type activities net position	<u>\$ 39,632</u>	<u>\$ 48,308</u>	<u>\$ 41,653</u>	<u>\$ 40,005</u>	<u>\$ 31,852</u>	<u>\$ 45,643</u>	<u>\$ 59,099</u>	<u>\$ 71,761</u>	<u>\$ 102,471</u>	<u>\$ 156,899</u>								
District-wide																		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$ 5,652,632	\$ 5,415,700	\$ 5,720,801	\$ 6,251,208	\$ 6,596,357	\$ 7,496,568	\$ 8,232,089	\$ 7,688,018	\$ 9,949,866	\$ 9,136,598								
Restricted	55,948	305,000	726,000	1,615,888	2,704,917	3,662,047	4,455,538	5,736,669	4,631,215	6,212,146								
Unrestricted	(2,442,986)	(2,961,627)	(3,067,964)	(2,641,699)	(3,253,034)	(2,991,913)	(2,510,729)	(2,193,478)	(1,567,059)	(1,575,595)								
Total district net position	<u>\$ 3,265,594</u>	<u>\$ 2,759,073</u>	<u>\$ 3,378,837</u>	<u>\$ 5,225,397</u>	<u>\$ 6,048,240</u>	<u>\$ 8,166,702</u>	<u>\$ 10,176,898</u>	<u>\$ 11,231,209</u>	<u>\$ 13,014,022</u>	<u>\$ 13,773,149</u>								

Source: ACFR Schedule A-1

Andover Regional School District
Changes in Net Position, Last Ten Fiscal Years
(accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-2

	2015		2016		2017		2018		Fiscal Year Ending June 30,		2021		2022		2023		2024			
									2019	2020										
Expenses																				
Governmental activities																				
Instruction																				
Regular	\$	4,717,033	\$	5,618,275	\$	5,764,771	\$	6,154,705	\$	4,904,544	\$	4,654,211	\$	4,386,385	\$	3,981,033	\$	4,646,437	\$	4,883,039
Special education		2,478,544		2,113,018		1,845,126		1,843,625		1,610,376		1,960,973		2,089,433		1,990,708		1,257,865		1,399,240
Other instruction		474,466		377,201		397,197		335,088		285,495		324,976		461,440		448,074		382,447		356,275
Support Services:																				
Tuition		3,937,232		4,621,849		4,468,513		4,461,200		4,976,000		4,607,833		4,124,983		3,276,504		3,836,831		4,018,733
Student & instruction related services		1,655,822		2,076,766		2,120,608		1,959,118		1,960,845		1,924,874		2,246,760		2,310,158		2,718,445		3,235,794
School administrative services		483,385		472,650		440,972		382,264		419,303		314,571		354,939		300,276		291,478		324,220
General administrative services		739,617		907,266		940,834		1,108,679		899,266		953,833		998,745		783,355		772,810		735,492
Plant operations and maintenance		1,187,679		1,075,138		1,628,635		984,128		1,873,602		1,191,504		1,794,916		1,465,530		1,458,635		1,354,169
Pupil transportation		1,017,964		1,343,962		1,443,594		1,401,334		1,616,631		1,182,875		1,374,296		1,549,386		2,274,935		2,074,630
Capital Outlay		53,791																		
Unallocated Depreciation		428,997																		
Transfer to Charter School		11,013		68,611		12,770		29,934		75,511		128,346		171,833		91,044		73,554		63,699
Interest on long-term debt		369,640		363,063		287,368		308,796		291,972		277,220		260,106		243,456		167,310		146,904
Total governmental activities expenses		<u>17,555,183</u>		<u>19,037,799</u>		<u>19,350,388</u>		<u>18,968,871</u>		<u>18,913,545</u>		<u>17,521,216</u>		<u>18,263,836</u>		<u>16,439,524</u>		<u>17,880,747</u>		<u>18,592,195</u>
Business-type activities:																				
Food service		202,861		150,563		148,004		147,168		139,910		108,476		116,986		211,374		197,262		202,137
Preschool/Child Care				36		-		-		10,238		-		-		-		-		-
Total business-type activities expense		<u>202,861</u>		<u>150,599</u>		<u>148,004</u>		<u>147,168</u>		<u>150,148</u>		<u>108,476</u>		<u>116,986</u>		<u>211,374</u>		<u>197,262</u>		<u>202,137</u>
Total district expenses		<u>\$ 17,758,044</u>		<u>\$ 19,188,398</u>		<u>\$ 19,498,392</u>		<u>\$ 19,116,039</u>		<u>\$ 19,063,693</u>		<u>\$ 17,629,692</u>		<u>\$ 18,380,822</u>		<u>\$ 16,650,898</u>		<u>\$ 18,078,009</u>		<u>\$ 18,794,332</u>
Program Revenues																				
Governmental activities:																				
Charges for services:																				
Instruction (regular & special education)	\$	79,773	\$	79,044	\$	10,056	\$	13,890	\$	69,947	\$	237,669	\$	80,161	\$	146,027	\$	143,647	\$	162,129
Operating grants and contributions		4,990,649		5,566,587		6,336,055		6,592,521		5,502,695		4,734,916		5,263,036		3,430,878		4,014,768		3,802,622
Capital Grants and contributions																				
Total governmental activities program revenues		<u>5,070,422</u>		<u>5,645,631</u>		<u>6,346,111</u>		<u>6,606,411</u>		<u>5,572,642</u>		<u>4,972,585</u>		<u>5,343,197</u>		<u>3,576,905</u>		<u>4,158,415</u>		<u>3,964,751</u>
Business-type activities:																				
Charges for services																				
Food service		161,796		106,665		102,926		109,176		105,491		57,540		537		28,800		126,890		128,556
Preschool/Child Care				7,948		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Operating grants and contributions		41,033		43,145		38,404		36,150		36,504		34,727		119,905		195,162		100,868		123,101
Total business type activities program revenues		<u>202,829</u>		<u>157,758</u>		<u>141,330</u>		<u>145,326</u>		<u>141,995</u>		<u>92,267</u>		<u>120,442</u>		<u>223,962</u>		<u>227,758</u>		<u>251,657</u>
Total district program revenues		<u>\$ 5,273,251</u>		<u>\$ 5,803,389</u>		<u>\$ 6,487,441</u>		<u>\$ 6,751,737</u>		<u>\$ 5,714,637</u>		<u>\$ 5,064,852</u>		<u>\$ 5,463,639</u>		<u>\$ 3,800,867</u>		<u>\$ 4,386,173</u>		<u>\$ 4,216,408</u>
Net (Expense)/Revenue																				
Governmental activities	\$	(12,484,761)	\$	(13,392,168)	\$	(13,004,277)	\$	(12,362,460)	\$	(13,340,903)	\$	(12,548,631)	\$	(12,920,639)	\$	(12,862,619)	\$	(13,722,332)	\$	(14,627,444)
Business-type activities		(32)		7,159		(6,674)		(1,842)		(8,153)		(16,209)		3,456		12,588		30,496		49,520
Total district-wide net expense		<u>\$ (12,484,793)</u>		<u>\$ (13,385,009)</u>		<u>\$ (13,010,951)</u>		<u>\$ (12,364,302)</u>		<u>\$ (13,349,056)</u>		<u>\$ (12,564,840)</u>		<u>\$ (12,917,183)</u>		<u>\$ (12,850,031)</u>		<u>\$ (13,691,836)</u>		<u>\$ (14,577,924)</u>

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Andover Regional School District
Changes in Net Position, Last Ten Fiscal Years
(accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-2

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Position										
Governmental activities:										
Property taxes levied for general purposes, net	\$ 12,214,591	\$ 12,592,919	\$ 12,844,777	\$ 13,101,673	\$ 13,363,706	\$ 13,630,980	\$ 13,903,600	\$ 14,267,269	\$ 14,552,614	\$ 15,330,238
Taxes levied for debt service	803,813	742,684	768,477	773,491	778,783	771,320	773,739	768,712	740,493	722,077
Tuition Received										
Investment earnings		3,361	4,955	5,859	8,100	10,568	10,176	11,345	12,862	236,723
Miscellaneous income	68,396	16,956	12,487	307,698	21,310	196,368	239,864	537,217	168,466	337,276
Adjustment to Capital Assets										
NJ SDA Grants for Capital Projects										
Transfers							(10,000)	-	-	-
Total governmental activities	<u>13,086,800</u>	<u>13,355,920</u>	<u>13,630,696</u>	<u>14,188,721</u>	<u>14,171,899</u>	<u>14,609,236</u>	<u>14,917,379</u>	<u>15,584,543</u>	<u>15,474,435</u>	<u>16,626,314</u>
Business-type activities:										
Miscellaneous Income		1,517	19	194	-	-	-	74	214	4,908
Transfers	39,664						10,000	-	-	-
Total business-type activities	<u>39,664</u>	<u>1,517</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>194</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>214</u>	<u>4,908</u>
Total district-wide	<u>\$ 13,126,464</u>	<u>\$ 13,357,437</u>	<u>\$ 13,630,715</u>	<u>\$ 14,188,915</u>	<u>\$ 14,171,899</u>	<u>\$ 14,609,236</u>	<u>\$ 14,927,379</u>	<u>\$ 15,584,617</u>	<u>\$ 15,474,649</u>	<u>\$ 16,631,222</u>
Change in Net Position										
Governmental activities	\$ 602,039	\$ (36,248)	\$ 626,419	\$ 1,826,261	\$ 830,996	\$ 2,060,605	\$ 1,996,740	\$ 2,721,924	\$ 1,752,103	\$ 1,998,870
Business-type activities	39,632	8,676	(6,655)	(1,648)	(8,153)	(16,209)	13,456	12,662	30,710	54,428
Total district	<u>\$ 641,671</u>	<u>\$ (27,572)</u>	<u>\$ 619,764</u>	<u>\$ 1,824,613</u>	<u>\$ 822,843</u>	<u>\$ 2,044,396</u>	<u>\$ 2,010,196</u>	<u>\$ 2,734,586</u>	<u>\$ 1,782,813</u>	<u>\$ 2,053,298</u>

Source: ACFR Schedule A-2

**Andover Regional School District
Fund Balances, Governmental Funds,
Last Ten Fiscal Years**
(modified accrual basis of accounting)

Exhibit J-3

	Fiscal Year Ending June 30,									
	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
General Fund										
Reserved	\$ 779,722	\$ 155,000	\$ 576,000	\$ 1,465,888	\$ 2,704,917	\$ 3,628,442	\$ 4,425,403	\$ 5,707,068	\$ 4,602,505	\$ 6,175,407
Unreserved	12,390	544,430	920,764	989,337	216,215	267,677	621,905	483,439	865,809	439,268
Total general fund	<u>\$ 792,112</u>	<u>\$ 699,430</u>	<u>\$ 1,496,764</u>	<u>\$ 2,455,225</u>	<u>\$ 2,921,132</u>	<u>\$ 3,896,119</u>	<u>\$ 5,047,308</u>	<u>\$ 6,190,507</u>	<u>\$ 5,468,314</u>	<u>\$ 6,614,675</u>
All Other Governmental Funds										
Reserved	\$ 55,948					\$ 33,605	\$ 30,135	\$ 29,601	\$ 28,710	\$ 36,739
Unreserved, reported in:										
Special revenue fund	-					-	-	-	(130,576)	(58,204)
Capital projects fund		\$ 2	\$ 9	\$ 25	\$ 55	-	-	-	-	-
Debt service fund		4,928	2	4,002	4,002	-	-	26,836	26,836	-
Total all other governmental funds	<u>\$ 55,948</u>	<u>\$ 4,930</u>	<u>\$ 11</u>	<u>\$ 4,027</u>	<u>\$ 4,057</u>	<u>\$ 33,605</u>	<u>\$ 30,135</u>	<u>\$ 56,437</u>	<u>\$ (75,030)</u>	<u>\$ (21,465)</u>

Source: ACFR Schedule B-1

**Andover Regional School District
Changes in Fund Balances, Governmental Funds,
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-4

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
Revenues										
Tax levy	\$ 13,018,404	\$ 13,335,603	\$ 13,613,254	\$ 13,875,164	\$ 14,142,489	\$ 14,402,300	\$ 14,677,339	\$ 15,035,981	\$ 15,293,107	\$ 16,052,315
Tuition charges	79,773	79,044	10,056	13,890	69,948	237,669	80,161	146,027	143,647	162,129
Miscellaneous	68,396	20,317	17,442	8,365	29,410	207,000	250,040	548,562	181,328	573,999
State sources	3,675,021	3,868,470	3,978,535	4,067,795	4,151,965	3,904,780	3,960,383	3,982,700	4,998,224	4,854,799
Federal sources	208,454	244,502	206,688	203,563	180,976	273,824	267,351	337,896	599,567	616,536
Total revenue	17,050,048	17,547,936	17,825,975	18,168,777	18,574,788	19,025,573	19,235,274	20,051,166	21,215,873	22,259,778
Expenditures										
Instruction										
Regular Instruction	3,074,461	4,106,907	3,561,296	3,679,698	3,102,775	3,272,699	2,576,188	2,847,211	3,467,296	3,749,020
Special education instruction	1,499,803	1,677,493	1,258,694	1,219,368	1,149,454	1,557,320	1,441,045	1,616,350	1,066,465	1,185,569
Other instruction	299,520	299,454	270,957	221,626	203,781	258,082	318,247	363,813	324,253	301,870
Support Services:										
Tuition	3,937,232	4,621,849	4,468,513	4,461,200	4,976,000	4,607,833	4,124,983	3,276,504	3,836,831	4,018,733
Student & instruction related services	1,389,964	1,648,713	1,446,620	1,295,755	1,399,612	1,528,652	1,549,551	1,875,726	2,304,799	2,741,672
School Administrative services	314,977	375,230	300,819	252,828	299,290	249,819	244,795	243,808	247,126	274,710
General administrative services	693,907	699,961	641,811	733,277	641,878	757,493	688,817	636,043	655,217	623,179
Plant operations and maintenance	1,007,232	853,536	717,819	818,724	896,520	946,241	1,198,022	1,189,933	1,236,685	1,049,830
Pupil transportation	1,009,998	1,066,951	984,780	926,838	1,153,919	939,388	947,828	1,258,020	1,928,775	1,757,824
Unallocated employee benefits	2,417,981	1,146,665	2,188,441	2,409,712	2,728,516	2,210,114	3,325,319	3,676,283	4,030,255	4,220,633
Charter Schools	11,013	68,611	12,770	29,934	75,511	128,346	171,833	91,044	73,554	63,699
Capital outlay	416,286	153,066	214,140	195,865	509,220	641,842	525,377	875,216	1,968,277	133,590
Debt service:										
Principal	675,000	705,000	715,000	725,000	755,000	765,000	785,000	805,000	845,000	875,000
Interest and other charges	324,725	268,200	251,900	236,475	217,375	202,475	180,550	126,714	85,000	64,523
Total expenditures	17,072,099	17,691,636	17,033,560	17,206,300	18,108,851	18,065,204	18,077,555	18,881,665	22,069,533	21,059,852
Excess (Deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	(22,051)	(143,700)	792,415	962,477	465,937	960,469	1,157,719	1,169,501	(853,660)	1,199,926
Other Financing Sources (uses)										
NJ SDA Grants for Capital Projects		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	364,089									
Transfers out	(1)					(30,000)	(10,000)	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	364,088	-	-	-	-	(30,000)	(10,000)	-	-	-
Net change in fund balances	\$ 342,037	\$ (143,700)	\$ 792,415	\$ 962,477	\$ 465,937	\$ 930,469	\$ 1,147,719	\$ 1,169,501	\$ (853,660)	\$ 1,199,926
Debt service as a percentage of noncapital expenditures	6.0%	5.5%	5.7%	5.7%	5.5%	5.6%	5.5%	5.2%	4.6%	4.5%

Source: ACFR Schedule B-2

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

GENERAL FUND OTHER LOCAL REVENUE BY SOURCE
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
UNAUDITED

Exhibit J-5

<u>Fiscal Year</u> <u>Ended June 30,</u>	<u>Interest on</u> <u>Investments</u>	<u>Refund</u> <u>Prior Year</u> <u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Tuition</u>	<u>Reimbursements</u>	<u>Miscellaneous</u>	<u>Total</u>
2015	\$ 3,052	\$ 46,319	\$ 79,773		\$ 19,365	\$ 148,509
2016	3,361	5,083	79,044		11,871	99,359
2017	4,955	12,333	10,056		147	27,491
2018	5,859	-	13,890		2,490	22,239
2019	8,100	10,843	69,948		9,437	98,328
2020	10,568	188,681	237,669		3,780	440,698
2021	10,176	233,121	80,161		2	323,460
2022	11,345	230,555	146,027	\$ 235,084	37,176	660,187
2023	12,862	108,387	143,647		19,473	284,369
2024	236,723	286,070	162,129		5,830	690,752

SOURCE: District Records

Andover Regional School District
Assessed Value and Actual Value of Taxable Property,
Last Ten Fiscal Years - Borough of Andover

Exhibit J-6

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Vacant Land	Residential	Farm Reg.	Qfarm	Commercial	Industrial	Apartment	Total Assessed Value	Less: Tax-Exempt Property	Public Utilities a	Net Valuation Taxable	Total Direct School Tax Rate b	Estimated Actual (County Equalized Value)
2015	\$1,330,200	\$29,344,000	\$745,700	\$113,400	\$13,477,900	\$150,200	\$968,100	\$49,728,879	\$3,315,800	\$283,579	\$46,413,079	\$2.650	\$70,893,559
2016	1,697,500	43,840,600	595,300	44,900	20,488,200	256,000	1,683,700	77,473,500	8,867,300	-	68,606,200	1.820	69,334,605
2017	1,812,800	43,603,900	460,700	31,700	20,322,800	256,000	1,683,700	77,038,900	8,867,300	-	68,171,600	1.843	69,759,297
2018	1,708,100	43,657,100	460,700	31,700	20,269,600	256,000	1,686,100	76,936,600	8,867,300	-	68,069,300	1.883	66,257,495
2019	1,472,000	43,729,000	460,700	27,000	20,401,400	256,000	1,686,100	77,135,600	9,103,400	-	68,032,200	1.947	67,136,768
2020	1,080,600	43,484,700	460,700	27,000	20,288,500	256,000	1,686,100	76,910,900	9,627,300	-	67,283,600	1.936	66,068,662
2021	1,080,600	43,485,900	478,700	33,000	20,307,500	256,000	1,686,100	76,955,100	9,627,300	-	67,327,800	1.873	68,497,474
2022	1,080,600	43,493,000	478,700	32,000	20,130,400	256,000	1,686,100	76,784,100	9,627,300	-	67,156,800	1.804	63,744,415
2023	1,074,600	43,223,300	728,900	29,600	20,155,600	256,000	1,666,600	76,761,900	9,627,300	-	67,134,600	1.845	74,771,874
2024	1,074,300	43,372,900	728,900	32,400	20,500,400	256,000	1,666,600	77,258,800	9,627,300	-	67,631,500	2.010	84,080,063

Source: District records Tax list summary & Municipal Tax Assessor

Note: Real property is required to be assessed at some percentage of true value (fair or market value) established by each county board of taxation.

Reassessment occurs when ordered by the County Board of Taxation

a Taxable Value of Machinery, Implements and Equipment of Telephone, Telegraph and Messenger System Companies

b Tax rates are per \$100

Andover Regional School District
Assessed Value and Actual Value of Taxable Property,
Last Ten Fiscal Years - Andover Township

Exhibit J-6

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Vacant Land	Residential	Farm Reg.	Ofarm	Commercial	Industrial	Apartment	Total Assessed Value	Less: Tax-Exempt Property	Public Utilities a	Net Valuation Taxable	Total Direct School Tax Rate b	Estimated Actual (County Equalized Value)
2015	\$11,739,900	\$483,478,000	\$24,967,700	\$1,259,370	\$79,531,000	\$5,575,900	\$1,700,000	\$669,684,133	\$60,699,200	\$733,063	\$608,984,933	\$1.910	\$684,777,001
2016	11,739,900	483,478,000	24,967,700	1,259,370	79,531,000	5,575,900	1,700,000	669,684,133	60,699,200	733,063	608,984,933	1.910	684,777,001
2017	11,311,800	481,529,300	25,287,500	1,247,070	76,811,500	5,575,900	1,700,000	665,319,591	60,995,000	861,521	604,324,591	1.974	681,593,457
2018	12,886,100	510,391,500	28,343,500	1,090,600	86,704,200	6,772,100	2,244,700	707,860,447	58,513,000	914,747	649,347,447	1.882	667,740,551
2019	11,419,200	507,656,100	29,291,400	1,119,200	64,104,500	6,933,400	22,129,500	701,921,002	58,340,500	927,202	643,580,502	1.971	679,423,689
2020	10,756,000	507,964,500	29,092,900	1,118,900	97,356,300	6,933,400	2,244,700	714,842,812	58,476,200	899,912	656,366,612	1.976	709,965,823
2021	10,635,100	505,823,900	29,924,400	1,048,400	96,840,400	6,933,400	2,244,700	682,741,013	29,288,100	2,613	653,452,913	2.032	719,688,843
2022	10,281,600	506,594,700	29,531,300	1,064,100	96,005,000	6,933,400	2,244,700	712,294,144	59,637,700	1,644	652,656,444	2.092	762,595,577
2023	9,955,600	507,079,100	28,251,700	1,040,300	96,876,100	6,933,400	2,244,700	713,439,306	61,056,700	1,706	652,382,606	2.135	788,278,946
2024	10,423,500	507,251,300	28,253,100	1,049,200	85,552,600	6,933,400	2,244,700	701,687,415	59,977,700	1,915	641,709,715	2.230	857,660,079

Source: District records Tax list summary & Municipal Tax Assessor

Note: Real property is required to be assessed at some percentage of true value (fair or market value) established by each county board of taxation.

Reassessment occurs when ordered by the County Board of Taxation

a Taxable Value of Machinery, Implements and Equipment of Telephone, Telegraph and Messenger System Companies

b Tax rates are per \$100

**Andover Regional School District
Direct and Overlapping Property Tax Rates - Borough of Andover
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-7

(rate per \$100 of assessed value)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Andover Regional Board of Education			Overlapping Rates		Total Direct and Overlapping Tax Rate
	Basic Rate ^a	General Obligation Debt Service ^b	Total Direct	Borough of Andover	Sussex County	
2015	\$2.490	\$0.160	\$2.650	\$0.680	\$0.860	\$4.190
2016	\$1.727	\$0.093	\$1.820	\$0.477	\$0.513	\$2.810
2017	\$1.750	\$0.093	\$1.843	\$0.477	\$0.563	\$2.883
2018	\$1.790	\$0.093	\$1.883	\$0.477	\$0.555	\$2.915
2019	\$1.838	\$0.109	\$1.947	\$0.525	\$0.573	\$3.045
2020	\$1.836	\$0.100	\$1.936	\$0.525	\$0.567	\$3.028
2021	\$1.773	\$0.100	\$1.873	\$0.539	\$0.595	\$3.007
2022	\$1.704	\$0.100	\$1.804	\$0.550	\$0.556	\$2.910
2023	\$1.745	\$0.100	\$1.845	\$0.568	\$0.626	\$3.039
2024	\$1.910	\$0.100	\$2.010	\$0.586	\$0.642	\$3.238

Source: District Records and Municipal Tax Collector

Note:

NJSA 18A:7F-5d limits the amount that the district can submit for a general fund tax levy . The levy when added to other components of the district's net budget may not exceed the prebudget year net budget by more than the spending growth limitation calculated as follows: the prebudget year net budget increased by the cost of living or 2.5 percent, whichever is greater, plus any spending growth adjustments.

a The district's basic tax rate is calculated from the A4F form which is submitted with the budget and the Net valuation taxable.

b Rates for debt service are based on each year's requirements.

**Andover Regional School District
Direct and Overlapping Property Tax Rates - Township of Andover
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-7

(rate per \$100 of assessed value)

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Andover Regional Board of Education		Overlapping Rates		Total Direct and Overlapping Tax Rate	
	Basic Rate ^a	General Obligation Debt Service ^b	Total Direct	Andover Township		Sussex County
2015	\$1.790	\$0.120	\$1.910	\$0.960	\$0.610	\$3.480
2016	\$1.790	\$0.120	\$1.910	\$0.960	\$0.610	\$3.480
2017	\$1.854	\$0.120	\$1.974	\$1.007	\$0.580	\$3.561
2018	\$1.772	\$0.110	\$1.882	\$0.956	\$0.565	\$3.403
2019	\$1.862	\$0.109	\$1.971	\$1.008	\$0.614	\$3.593
2020	\$1.869	\$0.107	\$1.976	\$1.032	\$0.642	\$3.650
2021	\$1.924	\$0.108	\$2.032	\$1.061	\$0.644	\$3.737
2022	\$1.984	\$0.108	\$2.092	\$1.060	\$0.684	\$3.836
2023	\$2.027	\$0.108	\$2.135	\$1.080	\$0.676	\$3.891
2024	\$2.120	\$0.110	\$2.230	\$1.137	\$0.693	\$4.060

Source: District Records and Municipal Tax Collector

Note:

NJSA 18A:7F-5d limits the amount that the district can submit for a general fund tax levy . The levy when added to other components of the district's net budget may not exceed the prebudget year net budget by more than the spending growth limitation calculated as follows: the prebudget year net budget increased by the cost of living or 2.5 percent, whichever is greater, plus any spending growth adjustments.

a The district's basic tax rate is calculated from the A4F form which is submitted with the budget and the Net valuation taxable.

b Rates for debt service are based on each year's requirements.

**Andover Regional Board of Education
Principal Property Tax Payers,
Current Year and Nine Years Ago**

Exhibit J-8

Andover Borough

Taxpayer	2024			2013		
	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank [Optional]	% of Total District Net Assessed Value	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank [Optional]	% of Total District Net Assessed Value
SGP Century, LLC	\$ 1,293,000	1	1.7%	\$ 1,766,100	1	3.85%
Black River Holdings, LLC	1,174,800	2	1.6%	947,800	2	2.07%
49 Main Street % Crown Castle	1,069,200	3	1.3%	718,000	3	1.76%
Sunn Kis, LLC	856,900	4	1.2%	620,220	6	1.35%
Cox Living Trust	765,700	5	1.1%			
UNZ Tiger Mart, Inc	709,200	6	1.1%			
136 Hwy 206, LLC	706,400	7	1.0%	714,500	4	1.56%
Shade Tree Enterprises, LLC	683,200	8	1.0%	440,000	10	0.96%
J. Nechamkin Family, LLC	646,800	9	1.0%			
Flag Associates	587,500	10	0.9%			
Westby Corporation				640,800	5	1.39%
Felicetti-Murphy, LLC				560,000	7	1.22%
Individual Taxpayer #2				495,400	8	1.08%
Individual Taxpayer #3				450,000	9	0.98%
Total	\$ 8,492,700		11.74%	\$ 7,352,820		16.22%

Source: District ACFR & Municipal Tax Assessor

**Andover Regional Board of Education
Principal Property Tax Payers,
Current Year and Nine Years Ago**

Exhibit J-8

Andover Township

Taxpayer	2024			2013		
	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank [Optional]	% of Total District Net Assessed Value	Taxable Assessed Value	Rank [Optional]	% of Total District Net Assessed Value
Andover Subacute & Rehab Center	\$ 26,599,700	1	4.1%			
Andover Nursing home	8,528,600	2	1.3%	\$14,172,900	1	2.47%
Perona Realty Corporation	4,310,900	3	0.7%	4,947,100	5	0.86%
Alex Cable, Inc.	3,374,500	4	0.5%			
Newton Country Club	3,109,000	5	0.5%	6,704,300	3	1.17%
Young Realty Association	2,786,700	6	0.4%	14,009,300	2	2.44%
Martin & Faul LTD	2,244,700	7	0.3%	3,079,800	10	0.05%
Individual Taxpayer # 3	2,236,100	8	0.3%			
St. Paul's Abbey	2,063,900	9	0.3%			
CCOM, LLC	1,850,000	10	0.3%			
Life Care Mews, Inc.				6,179,000	4	1.08%
St. Paul's Abbey				4,856,700	6	0.85%
Individual Taxpayer #1				4,715,400	7	0.82%
Morel Builders, Inc.				4,162,200	8	0.72%
Individual Taxpayer #2				3,857,600	9	0.67%
Total	<u>\$ 57,104,100</u>		<u>8.90%</u>	<u>\$52,511,400</u>		<u>11.13%</u>

Source: District ACFR & Municipal Tax Assessor

**Andover Regional School District
Property Tax Levies and Collections,
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-9

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Taxes Levied for the Fiscal Year	Collected within the Fiscal Year of the Levy		Collections in Subsequent Years
		Amount	Percentage of Levy	
2015	\$13,018,404	\$13,018,404	100.00%	-
2016	\$13,335,603	\$13,335,603	100.00%	-
2017	\$13,613,254	\$13,613,254	100.00%	-
2018	\$13,875,164	\$13,875,164	100.00%	-
2019	\$14,142,489	\$14,142,489	100.00%	-
2020	\$14,402,300	\$14,402,300	100.00%	-
2021	\$14,677,339	\$14,677,339	100.00%	-
2022	\$15,035,981	\$15,035,981	100.00%	-
2023	\$15,293,107	\$15,293,107	100.00%	-
2024	\$16,052,315	\$16,052,315	100.00%	-

Source: District records including the Certificate and Report of School Taxes (A4F form);
Abstract of Ratables - Sussex County

Note: School taxes are collected by the Municipal Tax Collector. Under New Jersey State Statute, a municipality is required to remit to the school district the entire property tax balance, in is the amount voted upon or certified prior to the end of the school year.

**Andover Regional School District
Ratios of Outstanding Debt by Type
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-10

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Governmental Activities				Business-Type Activities		Total District	Percentage of Personal Income ^a	Per Capita ^a
	General Obligation Bonds ^b	Certificates of Participation	Capital Leases	Bond Anticipation Notes (BANs)	Capital Leases				
2015	\$ 9,385,000	-	\$ 316,978	-	-0-	\$ 9,701,978	2.62%	\$1,469.33	
2016	8,680,000	-	229,253	-	-0-	8,909,253	2.55%	1,354.61	
2017	7,965,000	-	414,933	-	-0-	8,379,933	2.28%	1,280.36	
2018	7,240,000	-	-	-	-0-	7,240,000	1.89%	1,117.80	
2019	6,485,000	-	-	-	-0-	6,485,000	1.69%	1,001.24	
2020	5,720,000	-	-	-	-0-	5,720,000	1.44%	889.17	
2021	4,935,000	-	-	-	-0-	4,935,000	1.21%	770.13	
2022	4,210,000	-	-	-	-0-	4,210,000	0.92%	621.86	
2023	3,365,000	-	-	-	-0-	3,365,000	0.71%	503.59	
2024	2,490,000	-	-	-	-0-	2,490,000	0.56%	399.17	

Source: District ACFR Schedules I-1, I-2

Note: Details regarding the district's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

a See Exhibit NJ J-14 for personal income and population data. These ratios are calculated using personal income and population for the prior calendar year.

b Includes Early Retirement Incentive Plan (ERIP) refunding

* Current data unavailable

Andover Regional School District
Ratios of Net General Bonded Debt Outstanding
Last Ten Fiscal Years - Constituent Townships

Exhibit J-11

General Bonded Debt Outstanding					
Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	General Obligation Bonds	Deductions	Net General Bonded Debt Outstanding	Percentage of Actual Taxable Value ^a of Property	Per Capita ^b
2015	\$ 9,385,000	-0-	\$ 9,385,000	1.43%	\$ 1,469.33
2016	\$ 8,680,000	-0-	\$ 8,680,000	1.29%	\$ 1,354.61
2017	\$ 7,965,000	-0-	\$ 7,965,000	1.11%	\$ 1,280.36
2018	\$ 7,240,000	-0-	\$ 7,240,000	1.01%	\$ 1,117.80
2019	\$ 6,485,000	-0-	\$ 6,485,000	0.91%	\$ 1,001.24
2020	\$ 5,720,000	-0-	\$ 5,720,000	0.79%	\$ 889.17
2021	\$ 4,935,000	-0-	\$ 4,935,000	0.68%	\$ 770.13
2022	\$ 4,210,000	-0-	\$ 4,210,000	0.58%	\$ 621.86
2023	\$ 3,365,000	-0-	\$ 3,365,000	0.47%	\$ 503.59
2024	\$ 2,490,000	-0-	\$ 2,490,000	0.35%	\$ 399.17 *

Note: Details regarding the district's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

a See Exhibit NJ J-6 for property tax data.

b Population data can be found in Exhibit NJ J-14.

R Revised

* Current data unavailable

**Andover Regional School District
Ratios of Overlapping Governmental Activities Debt
As of June 30, 2024**

Exhibit J-12

<u>Governmental Unit</u>	<u>Debt Outstanding</u>	<u>Estimated Percentage Applicable ^a</u>	<u>Estimated Share of Overlapping Debt</u>
Debt repaid with property taxes			
Constituent Townships	\$ 2,104,909	100%	\$ 2,104,909
Other debt			
Sussex County	88,319,376	4.45%	<u>3,925,932</u>
Subtotal, overlapping debt			6,030,841
Andover Regional School District Direct Debt	2,490,000	100%	<u>2,490,000</u>
Total direct and overlapping debt			<u><u>\$ 8,520,841</u></u>

Sources: Constituent Townships Finance Officers, Sussex County Finance Office and Utility Authorities

Note: Overlapping governments are those that coincide, at least in part, with the geographic boundaries of the District. This schedule estimates the portion of the outstanding debt of those overlapping governments that is borne by the residents and businesses of the district. This process recognizes that, when considering the District's ability to issue and repay long-term debt, the entire debt burden borne by the residents and businesses should be taken into account. However this does not imply that every taxpayer is a resident, and therefore responsible for repaying the debt, of each overlapping payment.

a For debt repaid with property taxes, the percentage of overlapping debt applicable is estimated using taxable assessed property values. Applicable percentages were estimated by determining the portion of another governmental unit's taxable value that is within the district's boundaries and dividing it by each unit's total taxable value.

**Andover Regional School District
Legal Debt Margin Information,
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-13

Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Fiscal Year 2024

	Equalized valuation basis
	2023 \$ 1,002,098,983
	2022 952,964,093
	2021 861,099,106
	[A] \$ <u>2,816,162,182</u>
Average equalized valuation of taxable property	[A/3] \$ 938,720,727
Debt limit (3.5 % of average equalization value)	[B] 32,855,225
Net bonded school debt	[C] 2,490,000
Legal debt margin	[B-C] \$ <u>30,365,225</u>

	Fiscal Year									
	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
Debt limit	\$23,336,617	\$26,762,444	\$26,337,400	\$26,237,159	\$26,333,422	\$26,773,442	\$27,696,363	\$28,878,147	\$30,802,173	\$32,855,225
Total net debt applicable to limit	<u>9,385,000</u>	<u>8,680,000</u>	<u>7,965,000</u>	<u>7,240,000</u>	<u>6,485,000</u>	<u>5,720,000</u>	<u>4,935,000</u>	<u>4,210,000</u>	<u>3,365,000</u>	<u>2,490,000</u>
Legal debt margin	<u>\$13,951,617</u>	<u>\$18,082,444</u>	<u>\$18,372,400</u>	<u>\$18,997,159</u>	<u>\$19,848,422</u>	<u>\$21,053,442</u>	<u>\$22,761,363</u>	<u>\$24,668,147</u>	<u>\$27,437,173</u>	<u>\$30,365,225</u>
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	40.22%	32.43%	30.24%	27.59%	24.63%	21.36%	17.82%	14.58%	10.92%	7.58%

Source: Abstract of Ratables and District Records ACFR Schedule J-7

a Limit set by NJSA 18A:24-19 for a K through 8 district; other % limits would be applicable for other districts

**Andover Regional School District
Demographic and Economic Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-14

<u>Year</u>	<u>Population ^a</u>	<u>Personal Income (thousands of dollars) ^b</u>	<u>Per Capita Personal Income ^c</u>	<u>Unemployment Rate ^d</u>
2015	6,687	\$ 366,451,674	\$55,722 R	4.4%
2016	6,617	\$ 370,976,349	\$57,327 R	4.2%
2017	6,563	\$ 369,515,591	\$59,144 R	4.0%
2018	6,507	\$ 367,717,735	\$61,531 R	3.8%
2019	6,491	\$ 383,393,061	\$64,284 R	3.1%
2020	6,442	\$ 397,282,781	\$67,814 R	8.5%
2021	6,408	\$ 408,727,872	\$71,059 R	5.3%
2022	6,770	\$ 459,100,780	\$71,671 R	3.2%
2023	6,682	\$ 474,816,238	\$71,671 *	3.8%
2024	6,238	\$ 447,083,698	\$71,671 *	*

Source:

^a Population information provided by the NJ Dept of Labor and Workforce Development

^b Personal income provided by US Dept Commerce

^c Per Capita provided by NJ Dept of Labor

^d Unemployment data provided by the NJ Dept of Labor and Workforce Development

P Projected

R Revised

* Current data unavailable

**Andover Regional School District
Full-time Equivalent District Employees by Function/Program,
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-16

<u>Function/Program</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
Instruction										
Regular	48.0	48.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	47.0	49.0	50.0	51.0	40.0
Special education	13.0	13.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	18.0
Other special education	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
Other Instruction	25.0	26.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	28.0
Support Services:										
Student & instruction related services	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
School administrative services	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	5.0	6.0
General administrative services	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Plant operations and maintenance	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.0
Pupil transportation	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Business and Other Support Services	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Total	122.0	123.0	120.0	120.0	119.0	119.0	121.0	122.0	123.0	123.0

Source: District Personnel Records

**Andover Regional School District
Operating Statistics
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-17

Fiscal Year	Enrollment *	Operating Expenditures ^a	Cost Per Pupil	Percentage Change	Teaching Staff ^b	Pupil/Teacher Ratio		Average Daily Enrollment (ADE) ^c	Average Daily Attendance (ADA) ^c	% Change in Average Daily Enrollment	Student Attendance Percentage
						Elementary School	Middle School				
2015	825	\$ 15,686,983	\$ 19,015	7.68%	61	11.0:1	13.0:1	604.0	600.0	-0.33%	99.3%
2016	810	16,565,370	20,451	7.56%	61	11.5:1	12.3:1	600.4	576.4	-0.60%	96.0%
2017	774	15,852,520	20,481	0.15%	59	11.5:1	12.3:1	730.6	706.6	21.69%	96.7%
2018	674	16,048,960	23,812	16.26%	59	11.5:1	12.3:1	672.3	654.3	-7.98%	97.3%
2019	653	16,627,256	25,463	6.94%	59	11.5:1	12.3:1	653.0	620.0	-2.87%	94.9%
2020	594	16,455,987	27,704	8.80%	59	10.1:1	10.1:1	594.0	575.0	-9.04%	96.8%
2021	613	16,586,628	27,058	-2.33%	62	11.5:1	12.3:1	627.7	594.7	5.67%	94.7%
2022	604	17,074,735	28,269	4.48%	63	11.5:1	12.3:1	604.4	564.7	-3.71%	93.4%
2023	658	19,171,256	29,136	3.06%	64	11.5:1	12.3:1	649.0	615.0	7.38%	94.8%
2024	660	19,986,739	30,283	3.94%	62	7.7:1	7.5:1	641.6	601.5	-1.14%	93.8%

Sources: District records, ASSA and Schedules J-12, J-14

Note: Enrollment based on annual October district count.

- a Operating expenditures equal total expenditures less debt service and capital outlay; Schedule J-4
- b Teaching staff includes only full-time equivalents of certificated staff.
- c Average daily enrollment and average daily attendance are obtained from the School Register Summary (SRS).
- * Includes high school students sent to Newton High School

**Andover Regional School District
School Building Information
Last Ten Fiscal Years**

Exhibit J-18

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
<u>District Building:</u>										
<u>Long Pond School</u>										
Square Feet	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000	91,000
Capacity (Students)	554	554	554	554	554	554	554	554	554	554
Enrollment	298	236	241	221	225	211	200	195	201	196
<u>Florence M. Burd School</u>										
Square Feet	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419	46,419
Capacity (Students)	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
Enrollment	306	277	251	249	232	244	218	219	260	275

Number of Schools at June 30, 2024
Elementary = 1
Middle School = 1

Source: District records, ASSA

Note: Year of original construction is shown in parentheses. Increases in square footage and capacity are the result of renovations and/or additions. Enrollment is based on the annual October district count.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
 GENERAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF REQUIRED MAINTENANCE FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES
 Last Nine Fiscal Years Ending June 30, 2024

Exhibit J-19

UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES - REQUIRED
 MAINTENANCE FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES
 11-000-261-xxx

<u>School Facilities</u>	<u>Project #</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>	<u>Total</u>
Long Pond School		\$ 60,888	\$ 69,737	\$ 57,923	\$ 61,137	\$ 84,136	\$ 89,730	\$ 155,877	\$ 186,921	\$ 175,371	\$ 127,386	\$ 1,069,103
Florence M. Burd School		<u>60,888</u>	<u>69,737</u>	<u>57,923</u>	<u>61,137</u>	<u>84,136</u>	<u>89,730</u>	<u>155,877</u>	<u>186,921</u>	<u>175,371</u>	<u>127,386</u>	<u>1,069,103</u>
Total School Facilities		139,474	139,474	115,845	122,273	168,271	179,459	311,754	373,841	350,741	254,771	2,155,903
Other Facilities		<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>	<u>NONE</u>
Grand Total		<u>\$ 139,474</u>	<u>\$ 139,474</u>	<u>\$ 115,845</u>	<u>\$ 122,273</u>	<u>\$ 168,271</u>	<u>\$ 179,459</u>	<u>\$ 311,754</u>	<u>\$ 373,841</u>	<u>\$ 350,741</u>	<u>\$ 254,771</u>	<u>\$ 2,155,903</u>

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
INSURANCE SCHEDULE
June 30, 2024

UNAUDITED

	Coverage	Deductible
Commercial Package - NJSIG:		
Blanket Real & Personal Property	\$ 500,000,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Electronic Data Processing	\$ 500,000,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Extra Expense	\$ 50,000,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Valuable Papers	\$ 10,000,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Equipment Breakdown	\$ 100,000,000.00	\$ 25,000.00
Flood Zone X Limit	\$ 75,000,000.00	\$ 10,000.00
Earthquake	\$ 50,000,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Comprehensive General Liability - NJSIG:		
Occurrence Limit	\$ 11,000,000.00	None
Aggregate Limit	\$ 11,000,000.00	N/A
Employee Benefit Liability	\$ 11,000,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Commercial Automobile Liability - NJSIG:		
Automobile Liability Limit (Symbol 1)	\$ 11,000,000.00	None
Auto Physical Damage	Actual Cash Value	\$ 1,000.00
Crime - NJSIG:		
Blanket Employee Dishonesty	\$ 500,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Computer Fraud	\$ 500,000.00	\$ 1,000.00
Forgery	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 500.00
Theft/Disappearance/Destruction: Money & Securities		
Inside	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 500.00
Outside	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 500.00
Money Orders & Counterfeit Paper Currency	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 500.00
Cyber Liability & Data Breach Response - Beazley (NJSIG):		
Aggregate Policy Limit of Liability	\$ 10,000,000.00	N/A
Third Party Liability	\$ 2,000,000.00	\$ 250,000.00
Breach Response	\$ 2,000,000.00	\$ 250,000.00
Environmental Impairment Liability - Ironshore:		
Each Pollution Incident Limit	\$ 1,000,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
Aggregate Limit	\$ 11,000,000.00	N/A
Public Official Bonds - Western Surety:		
Board Secretary	\$ 225,000.00	None
Treasurer of School Monies	\$ 225,000.00	None
School Leaders Errors & Omissions Liability - NJSIG:		
Coverage A Each Claim Limit	\$ 11,000,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Coverage B Each Claim Limit	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 5,000.00
Coverage B Aggregate Limit	\$ 300,000.00	N/A
Workers' Compensation - NJSIG:		
Statutory Benefits	Included	None
Employer's Liability	\$ 3,000,000.00	None

Source: District Records

Single Audit Section

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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*

Independent Auditor's Report

Honorable President and
 Members of the Board of Education
 Andover Regional School District
 County of Sussex
 Newton, New Jersey 07860

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, and audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Andover Regional School District Board of Education in the County of Sussex, State of New Jersey, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Andover Regional School District Board of Education's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 10, 2024.

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. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the 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.

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

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 for New Jersey Department of Education use, 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.

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Frenchtown, New Jersey
December 10, 2024

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Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance For Each Major Program and on Internal Control Over Compliance Required by New Jersey OMB circular 15-08

Honorable President and
 Members of the Board of Education
 Andover Regional School District
 County of Sussex
 Newton, New Jersey 07860

Report on Compliance for Each Major State Program

Opinion on Each Major State Program

We have audited the Andover Regional School District Board of Education's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the New Jersey State Aid/Grant Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the District's major state programs for the year ended June 30, 2024. The Andover Regional School District Board of Education's major state programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the Andover Regional School District Board of Education 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 state programs for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major State 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; the audit requirements as prescribed by the Office of School Finance, Department of Education, State of New Jersey; and New Jersey OMB's Circular 15-08, *Single Audit Policy for Recipients of Federal Grants, State Grants and State Aid*. Our responsibilities under those standards, and New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08 are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the Andover Regional School District Board of Education, 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 opinion on compliance for each major state program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Andover Regional School District Board of Education'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 the District's state programs.

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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 the 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 New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08 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 the District's compliance with the requirements of each major state program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, ***Government Auditing Standards***, and New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, 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 the 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 the 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 New Jersey OMB Circular 15-08, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of 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 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.

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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 New Jersey OMB circular 15-08, and for New Jersey Department of Education use. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

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ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
for the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2024

Schedule A

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor/Program Title	Federal Assistance Listing No.	FAIN Number	Grant or State Project Number	Program or Award Amount	Grant Period		Balance At June 30, 2023	Carryover/ Walkover Amount	Cash Received	Budgetary Expend.	Adjust.	Repayment of Prior Years' Balances	Balance at June 30, 2024			Cumulative Total Expenditures		
					From	To							Accounts Receivable	Deferred Revenue	Due to Grantor			
U.S. Department of Education																		
Passed-through State																		
Department of Education:																		
Special Revenue Fund:																		
I.D.E.A. Part B, Basic Regular	84.027	H027A230100	N/A	\$ 156,700	7/1/23	6/30/24			\$ 146,629	\$ (156,700)			\$ (10,071)			\$ 156,700		
I.D.E.A. Part B, Preschool Special Education Cluster	84.173	H173A230114	N/A	7,265	7/1/22	6/30/23			5,812	(7,265)			(1,453)			7,265		
									-	-	152,441	(163,965)	-	-	(11,524)	-	-	163,965
Title I	84.010A	S010A230030	N/A	86,874	7/1/23	6/30/24			52,363	(86,808)			(34,511)	\$ 66		86,808		
Title I	84.010A	S010A220030	N/A	37,584	7/1/22	6/30/23	\$ 227		28,087	(28,314)						37,584		
Title II Part A	84.367A	S367B230027	N/A	15,754	7/1/23	6/30/24			11,707	(15,754)			(4,047)	-		15,754		
Title II Part A	84.367A	S367B220027	N/A	12,721	7/1/22	6/30/23	-		6,150	(6,150)						12,721		
Title IV	84.424A	S424A230027	N/A	10,000	7/1/23	6/30/24			3,396	(9,191)			(6,604)	809		9,191		
Title IV Total ESEA	84.424A	S424A220027	N/A	10,000	7/1/22	6/30/23	(4,592)		9,471	(4,879)						10,000		
							(4,365)	-	111,174	(151,096)	-	-	(45,162)	875	-	172,058		
American Rescue Plan-ESSER III	84.425U	S425U230027	ARP	384,409	3/13/20	9/30/24	(166,170)		229,803	(108,505)			(89,472)	44,600		339,809		
American Rescue Plan-Accel. Learn. Coaching & Ed. Support	84.425U	S425U230027	ARP	51,719	3/13/20	9/30/24	-		42,395	(51,719)			(9,324)	-		51,719		
American Rescue Plan-Evidence Based Summer Learning	84.425U	S425U230027	ARP	40,000	3/13/20	9/30/24	-		3,516	(40,000)			(36,484)	-		40,000		
American Rescue Plan-Evidence Based Beyond the Sch. Day	84.425U	S425U230027	ARP	40,000	3/13/20	9/30/24	(2,175)		13,219	(26,225)			(19,137)	3,956		36,044		
American Rescue Plan-NJTSS Mental Health Support Staffing	84.425U	S425U230027	ARP	45,000	3/13/20	9/30/24	(750)		22,393	(40,731)			(19,157)	69		44,931		
CRRSA - ESSER II	84.425D	S425D230027	CRRSA	171,043	3/13/20	9/30/23	(110,743)		130,385	(19,642)						171,043		
CRRSA - Learning	84.425D	S425D230027	CRRSA	25,000	3/13/20	9/30/23	-		12,578	(12,578)						25,000		
CRRSA - Mental Health Total Education Stabilization Fund	84.425D	S425D230027	CRRSA	45,000	3/13/20	9/30/23	2,075			(2,075)						45,000		
							(277,763)	-	454,289	(301,475)	-	-	(173,574)	48,625	-	753,546		
Total Special Revenue Fund							(282,128)	-	717,904	(616,536)	-	-	(230,260)	49,500	-	1,089,569		
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture																		
Passed Through State Dept. of Agriculture																		
Enterprise Fund:																		
Child Nutrition Cluster:																		
National School Lunch Program (Food Distribution)	10.555	231NJ304N1199	N/A		7/1/22	6/30/23	1,645			(1,645)						1,645		
National School Lunch Program (Food Distribution)	10.555	241NJ304N1199	N/A	8,672	7/1/23	6/30/24			8,672	(7,475)				1,197		7,475		
National School Lunch Program	10.555	231NJ304N1199	N/A		7/1/22	6/30/23	(3,070)		3,070									
National School Lunch Program	10.555	241NJ304N1199	N/A	54,113	7/1/23	6/30/24			51,299	(54,113)			(2,814)			54,113		
Supply Chain Assistance Funding Subtotal-Child Nutrition Cluster	10.555	241NJ344N8903	N/A	14,658	7/1/23	6/30/24			14,658	(14,658)			-			14,658		
							(1,425)	-	77,699	(77,891)	-	-	(2,814)	1,197	-	77,891		
School Equipment	10.579	241NJ354N8103	N/A	39,989	7/1/23	6/30/24			39,989	(39,989)			-			39,989		
Local Food for Schools Cooperative Agreement Program	10.185	Not Available	N/A	890	7/1/23	6/30/24			890	(890)			-			890		
P-EBT Administrative Cost Subtotal-Other Child Nutrition Programs	10.649	242222S900941	N/A	653	7/1/23	6/30/24			653	(653)			-			653		
							-	-	41,532	(41,532)	-	-	-	-	-	41,532		
Total Enterprise Fund							(1,425)	-	119,231	(119,423)	-	-	(2,814)	1,197	-	119,423		
Total Federal Financial Awards							\$ (283,553)	-	\$ 837,135	\$ (735,959)	-	-	\$ (233,074)	\$ 50,697	-	\$ 1,208,992		

The accompanying Notes to Schedules of Expenditures of Awards and Financial Assistance are an integral part of this schedule.

Note: This Schedule was not subject to an audit in accordance with OMB Uniform Guidance.

ANDOVER REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance
for the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2024

Schedule B

STATE GRANTOR/PASS-THROUGH GRANTOR/PROGRAM TITLE	GRANT OR STATE PROJECT NUMBER	GRANT PERIOD	AWARD AMOUNT	BALANCE 6/30/2023	CARRY- OVER AMOUNT	CASH RECEIVED	BUDGET. EXPEND.	ADJUST.	REPAYMENT OF PRIOR YEARS' BALANCES	BALANCE AT JUNE 30, 2024			MEMO		
										(ACCTS. RECEIV.)	DEFER. REVENUE/ INTERFUND PAYABLE	DUE TO GRANTOR	BUDGETARY RECEIVABLE	CUMULATIVE TOTAL EXPEND.	
State Department of Education:															
General Fund:															
Equalization Aid	24-495-034-5124-078	7/1/23-6/30/24	\$ 28,208			\$ 28,208	\$ (28,208)								
School Choice Aid	24-495-034-5124-068	7/1/23-6/30/24	60,244			60,244	(60,244)							\$ 2,694	\$ 28,208
Transportation Aid	24-495-034-5124-014	7/1/23-6/30/24	542,672			542,672	(542,672)							5,755	60,244
Special Education Aid	24-495-034-5124-089	7/1/23-6/30/24	532,625			532,625	(532,625)							51,837	542,672
Security Aid	24-495-034-5124-084	7/1/23-6/30/24	61,429			61,429	(61,429)							50,877	532,625
Adjustment Aid	24-495-034-5124-085	7/1/23-6/30/24	70,761			70,761	(70,761)							5,868	61,429
Supplemental Stabilization Aid	24-100-034-5120-494	7/1/23-6/30/24	21,269			21,269	(21,269)							6,760	70,761
Extra-Ordinary Aid	24-495-034-5124-044	7/1/23-6/30/24	183,880				(183,880)			\$ (183,880)					21,269
Extra-Ordinary Aid	23-495-034-5124-044	7/1/22-6/30/23	158,113	\$ (158,113)		158,113	-								183,880
Non-Public Transportation Aid	24-100-034-5124-068	7/1/23-6/30/24	29,743			-	(29,743)			(29,743)					-
Non-Public Transportation Aid	23-100-034-5124-068	7/1/22-6/30/23	14,878	(14,878)		14,878	-								-
On Behalf TPAF Pension	24-495-034-5094-002	7/1/23-6/30/24	1,674,791			1,674,791	(1,674,791)								1,674,791
On Behalf TPAF Pension PMR	24-495-034-5094-001	7/1/23-6/30/24	455,817			455,817	(455,817)								455,817
On Behalf TPAF Pension LTD Ins	24-495-034-5094-004	7/1/23-6/30/24	830			830	(830)								830
Reimb.TPAF Soc.Sec.Contrib.	24-495-034-5094-003	7/1/23-6/30/24	372,190	(35,917)		390,250	(372,190)			(17,857)					372,190
Total General Fund				(208,908)		4,011,887	(4,034,459)			(231,480)				123,791	4,034,459
Special Revenue Fund:															
Pre-School Education Aid	24-495-034-5124-086	7/1/23-6/30/24	582,040	15,281		582,040	(685,453)	\$ 130,959			\$ 42,827			58,204	685,453
SDA Grant - Emergent and Capital Aid	24-100-034-5120-519	7/1/23-6/30/24	10,685			10,685	-				10,685				0
Total Special Revenue Fund				15,281		592,725	(685,453)	130,959			53,512			58,204	685,453
Debt Service Fund															
Debt Service Aid Type 2	24-100-034-5124-124	7/1/23-6/30/24	190,610			190,610	(190,610)								190,610
Total Debt Service				-		190,610	(190,610)							-	190,610
State Department of Agriculture:															
Enterprise Fund:															
Nat. School Lunch Prog. (State Share)	23-100-010-3350-023	7/1/22-6/30/23		(170)		170									
Nat. School Lunch Prog. (State Share)	24-100-010-3350-023	7/1/23-6/30/24	3,678			3,470	(3,678)				(208)				3,678
Total Enterprise Fund				(170)		3,640	(3,678)				(208)				3,678
Total State Financial Assistance				\$ (193,797)		\$ 4,798,862	\$ (4,914,200)	\$ 130,959			\$ (231,688)	\$ 53,512		\$ 181,995	\$ 4,914,200
Less On-behalf TPAF Pension Amounts:															
On Behalf TPAF Pension	24-495-034-5094-002	7/1/23-6/30/24	1,674,791				1,674,791								
On Behalf TPAF Pension PMR	24-495-034-5094-001	7/1/23-6/30/24	455,817				455,817								
On Behalf TPAF Pension LTD Ins	24-495-034-5094-004	7/1/23-6/30/24	830				830								
Total State Expenditures Subject to Major Program Determination							\$ (2,782,762)								

The accompanying Notes to Schedules of Expenditures of Awards and Financial Assistance are an integral part of this schedule.

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 1. GENERAL

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal and state financial assistance includes federal and state award activity of the Board of Education, Andover Regional School District. The Board of Education is defined in Note 1 to the Board's basic financial statements. All federal and state awards received directly from federal and state agencies, as well as federal and state financial assistance passed through other government agencies is included on the schedules of expenditure of federal and state financial assistance.

NOTE 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying federal and state schedules of expenditures of awards and financial assistance are presented on the budgetary basis of accounting with the exception of programs recorded in the food service fund, which are presented using the accrual basis of accounting. These bases of accounting are described in Note 1 to the Board's basic financial statements. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

NOTE 3. RELATIONSHIP TO GENERAL PURPOSE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The basic financial statements present the general fund and special revenue fund on a GAAP basis. Budgetary comparison statements or schedules (RSI) are presented for the general fund and special revenue fund to demonstrate finance-related legal compliance in which certain revenue is permitted by law or grant agreement to be recognized in the audit year, whereas for GAAP reporting, revenue is not recognized until the subsequent year or when expenditures have been made.

The general fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the modified accrual basis with the exception of the revenue recognition of the last state aid payment in the current budget year, which is mandated pursuant to N.J.S.A.18A:22-44.2. For GAAP purposes, that payment is not recognized until the subsequent budget year due to the state deferral and recording of the last state aid payment in the subsequent year. The special revenue fund is presented in the accompanying schedules on the grant accounting budgetary basis which recognizes encumbrances as expenditures and also recognizes the related revenues, whereas the GAAP basis does not.

The net adjustment to reconcile from the budgetary basis to the GAAP basis is \$2,864 for the general fund and -0- for the special revenue fund. See Exhibit C-3 for a reconciliation of the budgetary basis to the modified accrual basis of accounting for the general and special revenue funds. Awards and financial assistance revenues are reported in the Board's basic financial federal and statements on a GAAP basis as presented on the following page:

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULES OF FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE
JUNE 30, 2024

NOTE 3. (Continued)

	<u>Federal</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Total</u>
General Fund	-	\$ 4,037,323	\$ 4,037,323
Special Revenue Fund	\$ 616,536	626,866	1,243,402
Debt Service Fund		190,610	190,610
Food Service Fund	<u>119,423</u>	<u>3,678</u>	<u>123,101</u>
Total Financial Assistance	<u>\$ 735,959</u>	<u>\$ 4,858,477</u>	<u>\$ 5,594,436</u>

NOTE 4. RELATIONSHIP TO FEDERAL AND STATE FINANCIAL REPORTS

Amounts reported in the accompanying schedules agree with the amounts reported in the related federal and state financial reports.

Revenues and expenditures reported under the Food Distribution Program represent current year value received and current year distributions respectively. The amount reported as TPAF Pension Contributions represents the amount paid by the state on behalf of the district for the year ended June 30, 2024. TPAF Social Security Contributions represents the amount reimbursed by the state for employer's share of social security contributions for TPAF members for the year ended June 30, 2024.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statement Section

Type of auditor's report issued: Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

1) Material weakness(es) identified? ___ Yes **x** No

2) Were significant deficiencies identified that were not considered to be material weaknesses? ___ Yes **x** None Reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? ___ Yes **x** No

Federal Awards

Not Applicable

Internal control over major programs:

1) Material weakness(es) identified? ___ Yes ___ No

2) Were significant deficiencies identified that were not considered to be material weaknesses? ___ Yes ___ None

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: N/A

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200 section .516(a) of? ___ Yes ___ No

Identification of major programs:

<u>Assistance Listing</u>	<u>FAIN Number(s)</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
N/A		

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs: N/A

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? ___ Yes ___ No

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

State Financial Assistance Section

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

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? x_yes_ _no

Internal Control over major programs:

1) Material weakness(es) identified? _yes_ _no

2) Were significant deficiencies identified that were not considered to be material weaknesses? _yes_ _no

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

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with NJ OMB Circular letter 15-08 as applicable? _yes_ _no

Identification of major programs:

State Grant/Project Number(s)

Name of State Program

<u>24-495-034-5120-078</u>	<u>Equalization Aid (State Aid Cluster)</u>
<u>24-495-034-5120-089</u>	<u>Special Education Aid (State Aid Cluster)</u>
<u>24-495-034-5120-085</u>	<u>Adjustment Aid (State Aid Cluster)</u>
<u>24-495-034-5120-084</u>	<u>Security Aid (State Aid Cluster)</u>
<u>24-495-034-5120-068</u>	<u>School Choice Aid (State Aid Cluster)</u>
<u>24-495-034-5124-086</u>	<u>Preschool Education Aid</u>

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

Section II-Financial Statement Findings

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, fraud, noncompliance with provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, and abuse related to the financial statements for which *Government Auditing Standards* requires reporting.

Financial Statement N/A

Section III - Federal Awards and State Financial Assistance Findings and Questioned Costs

This section identifies audit findings required to be reported by 2 CFR 200 section .516 of the *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*, and NJOMB Circular Letter 15-08, as applicable.

Federal Awards N/A

State Awards N/A

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS
AND QUESTIONED COSTS AS PREPARED BY MANAGEMENT
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2024

N/A

In accordance with *government auditing standards* , our procedures included a review of all prior year recommendations. There were no prior year recommendations.