

Iredell-Statesville
Board of Education
Financial Report

Year Ended June 30, 2024

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Board of Education
Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Statesville, North Carolina

Opinions

We have audited accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise of the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education as of June 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position, and cash flows, where applicable, thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund, the State Public School Fund, the Federal Grants Fund, and the Other Special Revenue Fund 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) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Governmental Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Iredell-Statesville 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 Audit of 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 raises substantial doubt about Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's ability to continue as a going concern for the twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free of 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 and *Governmental Auditing Standards* will always detect material statement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

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

- Exercised professional judgement and maintained 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 Management's Discussion and Analysis on pages 4 through 11 and the Schedule of the Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability, OPEB Liabilities and the Schedule of Board Contributions on pages 54 to 59, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management, 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's basic financial statements. The individual fund budgetary schedules, as well as the accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* and the State Single Audit Implementation Act 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, individual fund budgetary schedules and the schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 31, 2024 on our consideration of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 effectiveness of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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October 31, 2024
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**IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS
June 30, 2024**

This section of the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's (*the Board*) financial report represents our discussion and analysis of the financial performance of the Board for the year ended June 30, 2024. This information should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements included in this report.

Financial Highlights

- The Board's enrollment increased in 2023-2024. The ADM was 20,530 students which was an increase of 119 students.
- The county increased the Local Current Expense appropriation by \$2.88 million or 5.83%.
- The Board received \$9.7 million in federal ESSER funding that expires September 2024.

Overview of the Financial Statements

The audited financial statements of the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education consist of four components. They are as follows:

- *Independent Auditors' Report*
- *Management's Discussion and Analysis (required supplementary information)*
- *Basic Financial Statements*
- *Required supplemental section that presents combining and budgetary statements for non-major governmental funds and budgetary statements for enterprise funds*

The *Basic Financial Statements* include two types of statements that present different views of the Board's finances. The first is the *government-wide statements*. The government-wide statements are presented on the full accrual basis of accounting and include the statement of net position and the statement of activities. The statement of net position includes all of the Board's assets and liabilities. Assets and liabilities are classified in the order of relative liquidity for assets and due date for liabilities. This statement provides a summary of the Board's investment in assets and obligations to creditors. Liquidity and financial flexibility can be evaluated using the information contained in this statement. The Statement of Activities summarizes the Board's revenues and expenses for the current year. A net (expense) revenue format is used to indicate to what extent each function is self-sufficient.

The second type of statement included in the basic financial statements is the *Fund Financial Statements*, which are presented for the Board's governmental funds, and proprietary funds. These statements present the governmental funds on the modified accrual basis of accounting, measuring the near term inflows and outflows of financial resources and what is available at year-end to spend in the next fiscal year. The proprietary funds are presented on the full accrual basis of accounting. The fund financial statements focus on the Board's most significant funds. Because a different basis of accounting is used in the government wide statements, reconciliation from the governmental fund financial statements to the government-wide statements is required. The government-wide statements provide information about the Board as an economic unit while the fund financial statements provide information on the financial resources of each of the Board's major funds.

Government-wide Statements

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

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

- Over time, increases or decreases in the Board's net position are an indicator of whether its financial position is improving or deteriorating.
- To assess the Board's overall health, you need to consider additional non-financial factors such as changes in Iredell County's (the "County") property tax base and the condition of its school buildings and other physical assets.

The unit's activities are divided into two categories in the government-wide statements:

- Governmental activities: Most of the Board's basic services are included here, such as regular and special education, transportation, and administration. County funding and state and federal aid finance most of these activities.
- Business-type activities: The Board charges fees to help it cover the costs of certain services it provides. School food service and childcare services are included here.

The government-wide statements are shown as Exhibits 1 and 2 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the Board's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds – not the unit as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the Board uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs.

- Some funds are required by State law, such as the State Public School Fund. The Board has established other funds to control and manage money for a particular purpose or to show that it is properly using certain revenues, such as in the Federal Grants fund.

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Iredell-Statesville Board of Education has two types of funds:

Governmental funds: Most of the Board's basic services are included in the governmental funds, which generally focus on two things – how cash and other assets can readily be converted to cash flow in and out, and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. As a result of this focus, the governmental funds statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps the reader determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the coming year to finance the Board's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, additional information at the bottom of the governmental funds statements, in the form of a reconciliation, explains the relationship (or differences) between the government-wide and the fund financial statements. The Board has several governmental funds: the General Fund, the State Public School Fund, the Individual Schools Fund, the Capital Outlay Fund, the Other Special Revenue Fund and the Federal Grants Fund.

The governmental fund statements are shown as Exhibits 3, 4 and 5 of this report.

Proprietary funds: Services for which the Board charges a fee are generally reported in the proprietary funds. The proprietary fund statements are reported on the same full accrual basis of accounting as the government-wide statements. Iredell-Statesville Board of Education has two proprietary funds – both enterprise funds – the School Food Service Fund and the Child Care Fund.

The proprietary fund statements are shown as Exhibits 6, 7, and 8 of this report.

Financial Analysis of the Schools as a Whole

Net position is an indicator of the fiscal health of the Board. Liabilities exceeded assets by \$109,706,084 as of June 30, 2024. The largest component of net position, other than unrestricted net position, is net investment in capital assets, of \$102,564,009.

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Following is a summary of the Statement of Net Position:

**Table 1
Condensed Statement of Net Position
As of June 30, 2024 and 2023**

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total Primary Government	
	6/30/2024	6/30/2023	6/30/2024	6/30/2023	6/30/2024	6/30/2023
Current assets	\$ 30,667,243	\$ 37,504,179	\$ 7,181,138	\$ 7,119,235	\$ 37,848,381	\$ 44,623,414
Capital assets	106,877,963	98,992,022	1,453,137	1,076,990	108,331,100	100,069,012
Total assets	<u>137,545,206</u>	<u>136,496,201</u>	<u>8,634,275</u>	<u>8,196,225</u>	<u>146,179,481</u>	<u>144,692,426</u>
Deferred outflow s of resources	<u>105,647,025</u>	<u>95,475,470</u>	<u>3,097,143</u>	<u>3,035,923</u>	<u>108,744,168</u>	<u>98,511,393</u>
Current liabilities	6,455,168	9,311,564	199,832	217,439	6,655,000	9,529,003
Long-term liabilities	<u>298,184,661</u>	<u>269,562,850</u>	<u>8,508,124</u>	<u>8,259,096</u>	<u>306,692,785</u>	<u>277,821,946</u>
Total liabilities	<u>304,639,829</u>	<u>278,874,414</u>	<u>8,707,956</u>	<u>8,476,535</u>	<u>313,347,785</u>	<u>287,350,949</u>
Deferred inflow s of resources	<u>49,821,386</u>	<u>74,940,704</u>	<u>1,460,562</u>	<u>2,382,961</u>	<u>51,281,948</u>	<u>77,323,665</u>
Net investment in capital assets	101,110,872	93,844,446	1,453,137	1,076,990	102,564,009	94,921,436
Restricted net position	13,307,609	15,300,340	-	-	13,307,609	15,300,340
Unrestricted net position	<u>(225,687,465)</u>	<u>(230,988,233)</u>	<u>109,763</u>	<u>(704,338)</u>	<u>(225,577,702)</u>	<u>(231,692,571)</u>
Total net position	<u>\$ (111,268,984)</u>	<u>\$ (121,843,447)</u>	<u>\$ 1,562,900</u>	<u>\$ 372,652</u>	<u>\$ (109,706,084)</u>	<u>\$ (121,470,795)</u>

Note that net position of governmental activities increased by \$10,574,463 during the year. The increase in governmental activities net position was largely due to the change in pension and OPEB related assets and liabilities. Also note that the Board carries capital assets for which Iredell County carries the offsetting debt.

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The following table shows the revenues and expenses for the Board for the current fiscal year.

**Table 2
Condensed Statement of Activities
For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30, 2024 and 2023**

	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total Primary Government	
	6/30/2024	6/30/2023	6/30/2024	6/30/2023	6/30/2024	6/30/2023
Revenues:						
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ 6,666,400	\$ 6,514,456	\$ 4,484,895	\$ 4,922,268	\$ 11,151,295	\$ 11,436,724
Operating grants and contributions	183,138,363	174,289,411	9,752,397	8,559,076	192,890,760	182,848,487
Capital grants and contributions	6,137,488	1,403,585	-	-	6,137,488	1,403,585
General revenues:						
Other revenues	76,303,576	80,512,295	165,786	48,024	76,469,362	80,560,319
Total revenues	<u>272,245,827</u>	<u>262,719,747</u>	<u>14,403,078</u>	<u>13,529,368</u>	<u>286,648,905</u>	<u>276,249,115</u>
Expenses:						
Governmental activities:						
Instructional services	196,403,998	179,557,215	-	-	196,403,998	179,557,215
System-wide support services	52,797,997	43,506,725	-	-	52,797,997	43,506,725
Ancillary services	1,763,663	1,928,743	-	-	1,763,663	1,928,743
Non-programmed charges	7,601,947	6,602,071	-	-	7,601,947	6,602,071
Interest on long-term debt	119,013	184,714	-	-	119,013	184,714
Unallocated depreciation	2,939,746	5,215,935	-	-	2,939,746	5,215,935
Business-type activities:						
School food service	-	-	12,552,347	10,717,650	12,552,347	10,717,650
Child care	-	-	705,483	367,509	705,483	367,509
Total expenses	<u>261,626,364</u>	<u>236,995,403</u>	<u>13,257,830</u>	<u>11,085,159</u>	<u>274,884,194</u>	<u>248,080,562</u>
Excess (deficiency) before transfers	10,619,463	25,724,344	1,145,248	2,444,209	11,764,711	28,168,553
Transfers in (out)	(45,000)	(45,000)	45,000	45,000	-	-
Change in net position	10,574,463	25,679,344	1,190,248	2,489,209	11,764,711	28,168,553
Beginning net position	(121,843,447)	(147,522,791)	372,652	(2,116,557)	(121,470,795)	(149,639,348)
Ending net position	<u>\$ (111,268,984)</u>	<u>\$ (121,843,447)</u>	<u>\$ 1,562,900</u>	<u>\$ 372,652</u>	<u>\$ (109,706,084)</u>	<u>\$ (121,470,795)</u>

Total governmental activities generated revenues of \$272.2 million while expenses in this category totaled \$261.6 million for the year ended June 30, 2024. Comparatively, revenues were \$262.7 million and expenses totaled \$237 million for the year ended June 30, 2023. After transfers to the business-type activities, the increase in net position stands at \$10,574,463 at June 30, 2024, compared to an increase of \$25,679,344 in 2023. Instructional services comprised 75.1% of total governmental-type expenses while system-wide support services made up 20.0% of those expenses

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for 2024. County funding comprised 25% of total governmental revenue in 2024. In 2023, county funding was 22%. Much of the remaining 75% of total governmental revenue for 2024 consists of restricted State and federal money. Business-type activities generated revenue of \$14.4 million and had expenses of \$13.3 million. Net position increased in the business-type activities by \$1,190,248, after transfers in from the governmental activities of \$45,000.

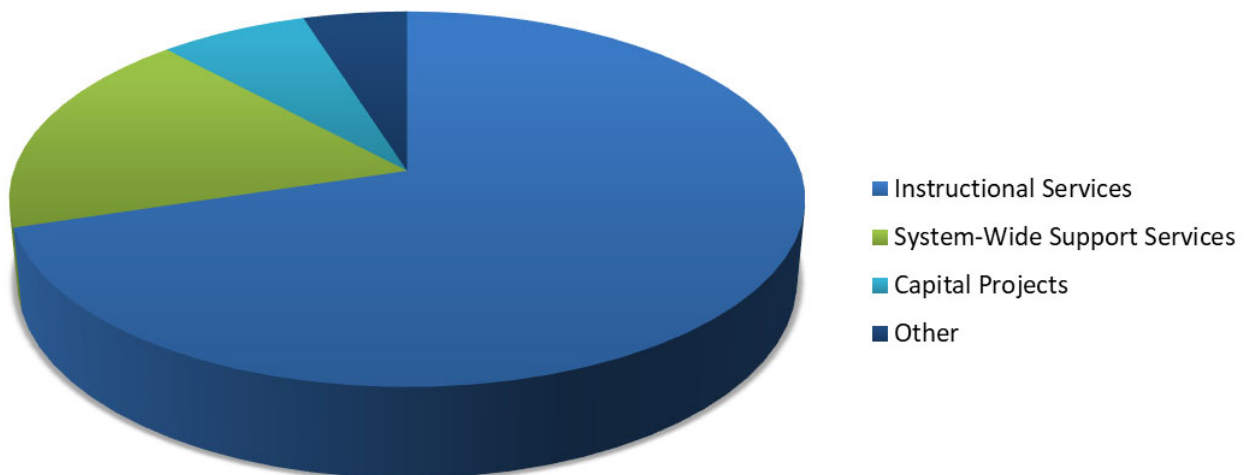
Financial Analysis of the Board's Funds

Governmental Funds: The focus of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of usable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Board's financing requirements.

The Board's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$24,324,406 a \$3,868,209 decrease from last year. The General Fund decreased by \$584,722.

Proprietary Funds: The Board's business-type funds had a combined increase in net position of \$1,190,248 in the past year. The School Food Service Fund reflected an increase in net position of \$573,573 while the Child Care Fund's net position increased by \$616,675.

Categorization of Expenditures for Governmental Funds



Expenditures are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting.

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General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the Board revised the budget several times to account for changes in expenditures. Generally, budget amendments fall into one of three categories: 1. Amendments to adjust the estimates that are used to prepare the original budget ordinance once exact information is available; 2. Amendments made to recognize new funding amounts from external sources, such as Federal and State grants; and 3. Increases and decreases in appropriations that become necessary to maintain services.

Capital Assets

Capital assets increased by \$8,262,088 (8.3%) from the previous year. This was due to current year capital expenditures exceeding depreciation expense. The following is a summary of the capital assets, net of depreciation at year-end.

Table 3						
Summary of Capital Assets						
As of June 30, 2024 and 2023						
	<u>Governmental Activities</u>		<u>Business-type Activities</u>		<u>Total Primary Government</u>	
	<u>6/30/2024</u>	<u>6/30/2023</u>	<u>6/30/2024</u>	<u>6/30/2023</u>	<u>6/30/2024</u>	<u>6/30/2023</u>
Land	\$ 19,297,031	\$ 19,297,031	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,297,031	\$ 19,297,031
Construction in progress	4,951,890	628,408	-	-	4,951,890	628,408
Buildings	62,669,924	58,106,045	-	-	62,669,924	58,106,045
Equipment and furniture	13,101,965	14,616,599	1,453,137	1,076,990	14,555,102	15,693,589
Vehicles	6,857,153	6,343,939	-	-	6,857,153	6,343,939
Total	<u>\$106,877,963</u>	<u>\$ 98,992,022</u>	<u>\$1,453,137</u>	<u>\$ 1,076,990</u>	<u>\$ 108,331,100</u>	<u>\$ 100,069,012</u>

Debt Outstanding

During the year, the Board's outstanding debt decreased by \$642,528 during the year to \$4,505,048. The debt consists of installment purchase agreements for school buses and security equipment. The Board is limited by North Carolina General Statutes with regards to the types of debt it can issue and for what purpose that debt can be used. Iredell County holds the majority of the debt issued for school construction.

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Economic Factors

County funding is a major source of income for the Board; therefore, the County's economic outlook directly affects that of the Board. The following factors have positively affected the economic outlook of Iredell County.

- Iredell County enjoys its close proximity to Charlotte and Lake Norman drawing many to relocate here.
- Iredell County's unemployment rate of 3.9% at June 2024 has increased from 3.3% at June 2023. The State unemployment rate at June 2024 was 3.6%.
- Iredell County maintains one of the lower property tax rates (53.80) in the state.
- Our County Commissioners understand the value of good schools to attract new business and industry to our county.
- The State has increased the minimum starting wage to \$15 per hour, and we continue to see fuel prices and cost of supplies increasing. These increased costs continue to put a strain on the budget.

Requests for Information

This report is intended to provide a summary of the financial condition of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education. Questions or requests for additional information should be addressed to:

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GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
June 30, 2024

Exhibit 1

	Primary Government		
	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 27,295,348	\$ 6,832,838	\$ 34,128,186
Due from other governments	2,406,852	102,500	2,509,352
Receivables	965,043	37,539	1,002,582
Inventories	-	208,261	208,261
Capital assets:			
Land and construction in progress	24,248,921	-	24,248,921
Other capital assets, net of depreciation	82,629,042	1,453,137	84,082,179
Total capital assets	106,877,963	1,453,137	108,331,100
Total assets	137,545,206	8,634,275	146,179,481
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	105,647,025	3,097,143	108,744,168
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	5,046,989	19,393	5,066,382
Accrued interest payable	112,331	-	112,331
Unearned revenues	1,295,848	180,439	1,476,287
Long-term liabilities:			
Due within one year:			
Direct placement installment purchases	1,830,767	-	1,830,767
Compensated absences	5,483,595	137,404	5,620,999
Due in more than one year:			
Net pension liability	119,144,604	3,492,836	122,637,440
Net OPEB liability	163,646,229	4,797,443	168,443,672
Direct placement installment purchases	2,674,281	-	2,674,281
Compensated absences	5,405,185	80,441	5,485,626
Total liabilities	304,639,829	8,707,956	313,347,785
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	49,821,386	1,460,562	51,281,948
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	101,110,872	1,453,137	102,564,009
Restricted for:			
Individual school activities	2,315,623	-	2,315,623
Stabilization by State statute	1,312,149	-	1,312,149
School Capital Outlay	9,679,837	-	9,679,837
Unrestricted	(225,687,465)	109,763	(225,577,702)
Total net position	\$ (111,268,984)	\$ 1,562,900	\$ (109,706,084)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

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IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

					Exhibit 2 Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Program Revenues			Primary Government		Total
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	
Primary government:							
Governmental Activities:							
Instructional services:							
Regular instructional	\$ 116,579,486	\$ 1,008,276	\$ 102,199,783	\$ 2,437,846	\$ (10,933,581)	\$ -	\$ (10,933,581)
Special populations	27,511,771	-	22,379,405	-	(5,132,366)	-	(5,132,366)
Alternative programs	14,506,982	-	14,408,850	-	(98,132)	-	(98,132)
School leadership	13,181,855	-	10,174,482	-	(3,007,373)	-	(3,007,373)
Co-curricular services	6,393,028	5,204,401	-	2,000,000	811,373	-	811,373
School-based support	18,230,876	-	11,760,304	-	(6,470,572)	-	(6,470,572)
System-wide support services							
Support and development	1,788,993	-	682,072	-	(1,106,921)	-	(1,106,921)
Special population support and development	1,017,343	-	821,698	-	(195,645)	-	(195,645)
Alternative programs	780,140	-	403,386	-	(376,754)	-	(376,754)
Technology support	3,093,316	-	1,145,624	-	(1,947,692)	-	(1,947,692)
Operational support	39,313,252	453,723	16,972,447	1,699,642	(20,187,440)	-	(20,187,440)
Financial and human resource services	3,052,495	-	1,288,711	-	(1,763,784)	-	(1,763,784)
Accountability	1,723,874	-	-	-	(1,723,874)	-	(1,723,874)
System-wide pupil support	25,000	-	-	-	(25,000)	-	(25,000)
Policy, leadership and public relations	2,003,584	-	901,601	-	(1,101,983)	-	(1,101,983)
Ancillary services	1,763,663	-	-	-	(1,763,663)	-	(1,763,663)
Non-programmed charges	7,601,947	-	-	-	(7,601,947)	-	(7,601,947)
Interest on long-term debt	119,013	-	-	-	(119,013)	-	(119,013)
Unallocated depreciation expense**	2,939,746	-	-	-	(2,939,746)	-	(2,939,746)
Total governmental activities	261,626,364	6,666,400	183,138,363	6,137,488	(65,684,113)	-	(65,684,113)
Business-type activities:							
School food service	12,552,347	3,247,553	9,752,397	-	-	447,603	447,603
Child care	705,483	1,237,342	-	-	-	531,859	531,859
Total business-type activities	13,257,830	4,484,895	9,752,397	-	-	979,462	979,462
Total primary government	\$ 274,884,194	\$ 11,151,295	\$ 192,890,760	\$ 6,137,488	(65,684,113)	979,462	(64,704,651)
General revenues:							
Unrestricted county appropriations - operating					52,389,292	-	52,389,292
Unrestricted county appropriations - capital					15,022,596	-	15,022,596
Investment earnings, unrestricted					1,339,245	61,917	1,401,162
Miscellaneous, unrestricted					7,552,443	103,869	7,656,312
Transfers					(45,000)	45,000	-
Total general revenues and transfers					76,258,576	210,786	76,469,362
Change in net position					10,574,463	1,190,248	11,764,711
Net position-beginning					(121,843,447)	372,652	(121,470,795)
Net position-ending					\$ (111,268,984)	\$ 1,562,900	\$ (109,706,084)

** This amount excludes the depreciation that is included in the direct expenses of the various programs

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
June 30, 2024

Exhibit 3

	Major Funds						Total Governmental Funds
	General	State Public School	Individual Schools	Capital Outlay	Federal Grants	Other Special Revenue	
ASSETS							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 12,446,972	\$ -	\$ 2,315,623	\$ 9,272,014	\$ -	\$ 3,260,739	\$ 27,295,348
Receivables	14,265	-	-	41,242	-	909,536	965,043
Due from other governments	-	-	-	2,018,504	-	388,348	2,406,852
Total assets	<u>\$ 12,461,237</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,315,623</u>	<u>\$ 11,331,760</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,558,623</u>	<u>\$ 30,667,243</u>
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES							
Liabilities:							
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 3,445,264	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,262,043	\$ -	\$ 339,682	\$ 5,046,989
Unearned revenue	-	-	-	389,880	-	905,968	1,295,848
Total liabilities	<u>3,445,264</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,651,923</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,245,650</u>	<u>6,342,837</u>
Fund balances:							
Restricted:							
Stabilization by State statute	14,265	-	-	-	-	1,297,884	1,312,149
Scholarships	130,384	-	-	-	-	-	130,384
School capital outlay	-	-	-	9,679,837	-	-	9,679,837
Individual schools	-	-	2,315,623	-	-	-	2,315,623
Assigned:							
Special revenues	-	-	-	-	-	2,015,089	2,015,089
Subsequent year's expenditures	2,460,031	-	-	-	-	-	2,460,031
Unassigned	6,411,293	-	-	-	-	-	6,411,293
Total fund balances	<u>9,015,973</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,315,623</u>	<u>9,679,837</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,312,973</u>	<u>24,324,406</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances	<u>\$ 12,461,237</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,315,623</u>	<u>\$ 11,331,760</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,558,623</u>	
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position (Exhibit 1) are different because:							
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.							106,877,963
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions.							70,304,855
Deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB							35,342,170
Some liabilities, including bonds payable and accrued interest, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.							(15,506,159)
Net pension liability							(119,144,604)
Net OPEB liability							(163,646,229)
Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB							(48,809,768)
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions							(1,011,618)
Net position of governmental activities							<u>\$ (111,268,984)</u>

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 4

	Major Funds						Total Governmental Funds
	General	State Public School	Individual Schools	Capital Outlay	Federal Grants	Other Special Revenue	
REVENUES							
State of North Carolina	\$ -	\$ 147,991,289	\$ -	\$ 5,942,762	\$ -	\$ 362,217	\$ 154,296,268
Iredell County	52,389,292	-	-	15,022,596	-	-	67,411,888
U.S. Government	194,726	775,889	-	-	24,029,178	10,508,859	35,508,652
Other	2,443,776	-	5,204,401	182,246	-	7,216,886	15,047,309
Total revenues	55,027,794	148,767,178	5,204,401	21,147,604	24,029,178	18,087,962	272,264,117
EXPENDITURES							
Current:							
Instructional services:							
Regular instructional	13,002,618	90,730,179	-	-	5,583,003	5,237,394	114,553,194
Special populations	2,731,648	15,709,502	-	-	6,289,795	3,041,801	27,772,746
Alternative programs	439,169	4,357,027	-	-	6,629,841	3,012,318	14,438,355
School leadership	3,397,060	10,087,810	-	-	81,733	32,504	13,599,107
Co-curricular services	1,142,499	-	5,277,032	-	-	283	6,419,814
School-based support	7,042,035	7,884,081	-	-	2,685,611	906,527	18,518,254
System-wide support services:							
Support and development	852,666	558,506	-	-	116,524	308,485	1,836,181
Special population support and development	11,326	350,723	-	-	444,135	215,609	1,021,793
Alternative programs and services	29,766	153,213	-	-	235,916	366,664	785,559
Technology support	1,348,598	749,673	-	-	373,386	660,642	3,132,299
Operational support	15,911,165	16,155,448	-	2,449,338	38,767	1,596,541	36,151,259
Financial and human resource services	1,644,732	1,197,953	-	-	74,010	187,068	3,103,763
Accountability	5,867	-	-	-	-	1,718,007	1,723,874
System-wide pupil support	25,000	-	-	-	-	-	25,000
Policy, leadership and public relations	826,955	788,063	-	-	107,068	320,831	2,042,917
Ancillary services	-	-	-	-	-	1,763,663	1,763,663
Non-programmed charges	7,201,412	-	-	-	1,369,389	400,535	8,971,336
Debt service:							
Principal payments	-	-	-	2,682,859	-	-	2,682,859
Interest and other charges	-	-	-	162,591	-	-	162,591
Capital outlay	-	-	-	19,420,334	-	2,759	19,423,093
Total expenditures	55,612,516	148,722,178	5,277,032	24,715,122	24,029,178	19,771,631	278,127,657
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(584,722)	45,000	(72,631)	(3,567,518)	-	(1,683,669)	(5,863,540)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							
Transfers from (to) other funds	-	(45,000)	-	-	-	-	(45,000)
Installment purchase obligations issued	-	-	-	2,040,331	-	-	2,040,331
Total other financing sources (uses)	-	(45,000)	-	2,040,331	-	-	1,995,331
Net change in fund balance	(584,722)	-	(72,631)	(1,527,187)	-	(1,683,669)	(3,868,209)
Fund balances-beginning	9,600,695	-	2,388,254	11,207,024	-	4,996,642	28,192,615
Fund balances-ending	\$ 9,015,973	\$ -	\$ 2,315,623	\$ 9,679,837	\$ -	\$ 3,312,973	\$ 24,324,406

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 4
(Continued)

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

Net changes in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ (3,868,209)
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlay expense exceeded depreciation in the current period.	7,904,231
Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.	
OPEB nonemployer contributions	214,764
Contributions to the OPEB plan in the current fiscal year are not included in the Statement of Activities.	9,332,984
Contributions to the pension plan in the current fiscal year are not included in the Statement of Activities.	22,695,244
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of issuance costs, premiums, discounts and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items.	686,106
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.	
Pension expense	(30,836,115)
Net OPEB expense	4,523,527
Compensated absences	(59,779)
Loss on disposal of assets	(18,290)
Total changes in net position of governmental activities	<u>\$ 10,574,463</u>

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND AND ANNUALLY BUDGETED MAJOR
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 5

	General Fund			Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual Amounts	
Revenues:				
State of North Carolina	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Iredell County	52,360,542	52,389,292	52,389,292	-
U.S. Government	-	285,000	194,726	(90,274)
Other	1,990,000	2,608,000	2,443,776	(164,224)
Total revenues	54,350,542	55,282,292	55,027,794	(254,498)
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instructional services	27,269,056	28,405,932	27,755,029	650,903
System-wide support services	22,390,396	21,560,270	20,656,075	904,195
Ancillary services	-	-	-	-
Non-programmed charges	6,652,742	7,277,742	7,201,412	76,330
Total expenditures	56,312,194	57,243,944	55,612,516	1,631,428
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(1,961,652)	(1,961,652)	(584,722)	1,376,930
Other financing uses:				
Transfers to other funds	-	-	-	-
Revenues over (under) expenditures and other uses	(1,961,652)	(1,961,652)	(584,722)	1,376,930
Appropriated fund balance	1,961,652	1,961,652	-	1,961,652
Revenue and appropriated fund balance over expenditures and other uses	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	(584,722)	<u>\$ (584,722)</u>
Fund balances, beginning of year			9,600,695	
Fund balances, end of year			<u>\$ 9,015,973</u>	

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND AND ANNUALLY BUDGETED MAJOR
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 5 (Continued)

	State Public School Fund			Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual Amounts	
Revenues:				
State of North Carolina	\$ 147,027,904	\$ 151,020,031	\$ 147,991,289	\$ (3,028,742)
Iredell County	-	-	-	-
U.S. Government	-	-	775,889	775,889
Other	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	147,027,904	151,020,031	148,767,178	(2,252,853)
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instructional services	129,408,219	130,971,388	128,768,599	2,202,789
System-wide support services	17,574,685	20,003,643	19,953,579	50,064
Ancillary services	-	-	-	-
Non-programmed charges	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	146,982,904	150,975,031	148,722,178	2,252,853
Revenues over expenditures	45,000	45,000	45,000	-
Other financing uses:				
Transfers to other funds	(45,000)	(45,000)	(45,000)	-
Revenues over expenditures and other uses	-	-	-	-
Appropriated fund balance	-	-	-	-
Revenue and appropriated fund balance over expenditures and other uses	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balances, beginning of year			-	
Fund balances, end of year			\$ -	

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND AND ANNUALLY BUDGETED MAJOR
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 5 (Continued)

	Federal Grants Fund			Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual Amounts	
Revenues:				
State of North Carolina	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Iredell County	-	-	-	-
U.S. Government	26,251,956	27,839,213	24,029,178	(3,810,035)
Other	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	26,251,956	27,839,213	24,029,178	(3,810,035)
Expenditures:				
Current:				
Instructional services	23,849,317	24,963,288	21,269,983	3,693,305
System-wide support services	923,328	1,441,964	1,389,806	52,158
Ancillary services	-	-	-	-
Non-programmed charges	1,479,311	1,433,961	1,369,389	64,572
Total expenditures	26,251,956	27,839,213	24,029,178	3,810,035
Revenues over expenditures	-	-	-	-
Other financing uses:				
Transfers to other funds	-	-	-	-
Revenues over expenditures and other uses	-	-	-	-
Appropriated fund balance	-	-	-	-
Revenue and appropriated fund balance over expenditures and other uses	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balances, beginning of year			-	
Fund balances, end of year			\$ -	

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND AND ANNUALLY BUDGETED MAJOR
SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 5 (Continued)

Other Special Revenue Fund			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual Amounts
			Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
Revenues:			
State of North Carolina	\$ 577,425	\$ 907,281	\$ 362,217
Iredell County	-	-	-
U.S. Government	10,197,142	17,470,959	10,508,859
Other	5,587,963	7,126,684	7,216,886
Total revenues	16,362,530	25,504,924	18,087,962
Expenditures:			
Current:			
Instructional services	12,581,009	19,368,149	12,230,827
System-wide support services	2,998,339	5,716,042	5,373,847
Ancillary services	1,557,368	1,764,125	1,763,663
Non-programmed charges	562,559	804,287	400,535
Capital Outlay	55,564	75,420	2,759
Total expenditures	17,754,839	27,728,023	19,771,631
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(1,392,309)	(2,223,099)	(1,683,669)
Other financing uses:			
Transfers to other funds	-	-	-
Revenues over (under) expenditures and other uses	(1,392,309)	(2,223,099)	(1,683,669)
Appropriated fund balance	1,392,309	2,223,099	-
Revenue and appropriated fund balance over expenditures and other uses	\$ -	\$ -	(1,683,669)
Fund balances, beginning of year			4,996,642
Fund balances, end of year			\$ 3,312,973

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - PROPRIETARY FUNDS
June 30, 2024

Exhibit 6

	Enterprise Funds		
	Major Fund		
	School Food Service	Child Care	Total
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,229,439	\$ 1,603,399	\$ 6,832,838
Due from other governments	102,500	-	102,500
Receivables (net)	37,539	-	37,539
Inventories	208,261	-	208,261
Total current assets	5,577,739	1,603,399	7,181,138
Noncurrent assets:			
Capital assets, net	1,453,137	-	1,453,137
Total assets	7,030,876	1,603,399	8,634,275
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	2,675,868	421,275	3,097,143
LIABILITIES			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	13,494	5,899	19,393
Compensated absences	127,602	9,802	137,404
Unearned revenue	180,439	-	180,439
Total current liabilities	321,535	15,701	337,236
Noncurrent liabilities:			
Net pension liability	3,017,739	475,097	3,492,836
Net OPEB liability	4,144,893	652,550	4,797,443
Compensated absences	60,069	20,372	80,441
Total liabilities	7,544,236	1,163,720	8,707,956
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	1,261,895	198,667	1,460,562
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	1,453,137	-	1,453,137
Unrestricted	(552,524)	662,287	109,763
Total net position	\$ 900,613	\$ 662,287	\$ 1,562,900

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

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IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION -
PROPRIETARY FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 7

	Enterprise Funds		
	Major Fund		
	School Food Service	Child Care	Total
OPERATING REVENUES			
Food sales	\$ 3,247,553	\$ -	\$ 3,247,553
Child care fees	-	1,237,342	1,237,342
Total operating revenues	3,247,553	1,237,342	4,484,895
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Purchase of food	5,485,795	36,267	5,522,062
Salaries and benefits	5,353,099	613,634	5,966,733
Indirect costs	476,406	-	476,406
Materials and supplies	60,243	33,282	93,525
Noncapital equipment	234,907	1,297	236,204
Contracted services	413,165	-	413,165
Repairs and maintenance	288,929	-	288,929
Depreciation	187,019	-	187,019
Other	52,784	21,003	73,787
Total operating expenses	12,552,347	705,483	13,257,830
Operating income (loss)	(9,304,794)	531,859	(8,772,935)
NONOPERATING REVENUES			
Federal reimbursements	8,562,676	-	8,562,676
Federal commodities	701,616	-	701,616
State reimbursements	11,699	-	11,699
Interest earned	61,917	-	61,917
Contract reimbursement	-	84,816	84,816
Indirect costs not paid	476,406	-	476,406
Gain on sale of capital assets	2,360	-	2,360
Other	16,693	-	16,693
Total nonoperating revenues	9,833,367	84,816	9,918,183
Income (loss) before transfers	528,573	616,675	1,145,248
Transfer from other funds	45,000	-	45,000
Change in net position	573,573	616,675	1,190,248
Total net position - beginning	327,040	45,612	372,652
Total net position - ending	\$ 900,613	\$ 662,287	\$ 1,562,900

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IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - PROPRIETARY FUNDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit 8

	Enterprise Funds		
	Major Fund		
	School Food Service	Child Care	Total
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Cash received from customers	\$ 3,371,721	\$ 1,237,342	\$ 4,609,063
Cash paid for goods and services	(5,744,362)	(91,849)	(5,836,211)
Cash paid to employees for services	(5,943,288)	(784,085)	(6,727,373)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	(8,315,929)	361,408	(7,954,521)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Federal reimbursements	8,759,695	-	8,759,695
State reimbursements	11,699	-	11,699
Contract reimbursement	-	84,816	84,816
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities	8,771,394	84,816	8,856,210
CASH FLOWS USED BY CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Proceeds from the sale of capital assets	3,007	-	3,007
Acquisition of capital assets	(563,813)	-	(563,813)
Net cash provided by capital and financing activities	(560,806)	-	(560,806)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Interest on investments and other	78,610	-	78,610
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(26,731)	446,224	419,493
Balances-beginning of the year	5,256,170	1,157,175	6,413,345
Balances-end of the year	\$ 5,229,439	\$ 1,603,399	\$ 6,832,838

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - PROPRIETARY FUNDS
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Exhibit 8
(Continued)

Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided (used) by operating activities

Operating income (loss)	\$ (9,304,794)	\$ 531,859	\$ (8,772,935)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash used by operating activities:			
Depreciation	187,019	-	187,019
Donated commodities consumed	701,616	-	701,616
Transfers from other funds	45,000	-	45,000
Indirect costs not paid	476,406	-	476,406
Changes in assets deferred outflows of resources, and liabilities:			
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable	115,726	-	115,726
(Increase) decrease in inventory	44,845	-	44,845
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(24,217)	(1,832)	(26,049)
(Increase) decrease in deferred outflows	(86,595)	25,375	(61,220)
Increase (decrease) in net pension liability	155,399	(18,658)	136,741
Increase (decrease) in net OPEB liability	134,258	(39,286)	94,972
Increase (decrease) in deferred inflows	(770,480)	(151,919)	(922,399)
Increase (decrease) in unavailable revenues	8,442	-	8,442
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences	1,446	15,869	17,315
Total adjustments	988,865	(170,451)	818,414
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$ (8,315,929)	\$ 361,408	\$ (7,954,521)

Noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:

The State Public School Fund paid operating expenses of \$45,000 of the School Food Service Fund during the fiscal year. The payment is reflected as an operating transfer in and an operating expense on Exhibit 7.

Indirect costs of \$476,406 that would be due to the Other Special Revenue Fund were not paid. These unpaid costs are reflected as a nonoperating revenue and an operating expense on Exhibits 7 and C-1.

The School Food Service Fund received donated commodities with a value of \$701,616 during the fiscal year. The receipt of the commodities is recognized as a nonoperating revenue.

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NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governments. The following is a summary of the more significant accounting policies:

Reporting Entity

The Iredell-Statesville Board of Education (Board) is a Local Education Agency empowered by State law [Chapter 115C of the North Carolina General Statutes] with the responsibility to oversee and control all activities related to public school education in Statesville, North Carolina. The Board receives State, local, and federal government funding and must adhere to the legal requirements of each funding entity.

Basis of Presentation

Government-wide Statements: The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the Board. These statements include the financial activities of the overall government. Eliminations have been made to minimize the effect of internal activities upon revenues and expenses. These statements distinguish between the *governmental* and *business-type activities* of the Board. Governmental activities generally are financed through intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties.

The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for the different business-type activities of the Board and for each function of the Board'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. Indirect expense allocations that have been made in the funds have been reversed for the statement of activities. 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 are presented as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements: The fund financial statements provide information about the Board's funds. Separate statements for each fund category – *governmental and proprietary* – are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental and enterprise funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental and enterprise funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds.

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

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The Board reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund. The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Board. The General Fund accounts for all financial resources except those that are accounted for in another fund.

State Public School Fund. The State Public School Fund includes appropriations from the Department of Public Instruction for the current operating expenditures of the public school system.

Federal Grants Fund. The Federal Grants Fund includes appropriations from the federal government, generally the U.S. Department of Education, which are passed-through the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction for the current operating expenditures of the school system.

Individual Schools Fund. The Individual Schools Fund includes revenues and expenditures of the activity funds of the individual schools. The primary revenue sources include funds held on the behalf of various clubs and organizations, receipts from athletic events, and proceeds from various fund raising activities. The primary expenditures are for athletic teams, club programs, activity buses, and instructional needs.

Capital Outlay Fund. The Capital Outlay Fund accounts for financial resources to be used for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds and trust funds). It is mandated by State law [G.S.115C-426]. Capital projects are funded by Iredell County appropriations, restricted sales tax moneys, proceeds of Iredell County bonds issued for public school construction, as well as certain State assistance.

Other Special Revenue Fund. The Other Special Revenue Fund is used to account for certain grants, reimbursements, indirect costs and other financial resources received by the Board.

The Board reports the following major enterprise funds:

School Food Service Fund. The School Food Service Fund is used to account for the food service program within the school system.

Child Care Fund. The Child Care Fund is used to account for the before and after school care program operated by the school system.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

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

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Governmental Fund Financial Statements. Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available. The Board considers all revenues reported in the governmental funds to be available if the revenues are collected within 60 days after year-end. These could include federal, State, and county grants, and some charges for services. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for 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. Acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Under the terms of grant agreements, the Board funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants and general revenues. Thus when program expenses are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net position available to finance the program. It is the Board's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs and then general revenues.

Budgetary Data

The Board's budgets are adopted as required by the North Carolina General Statutes. Annual budgets are adopted for all funds, except for the individual schools special revenue funds, as required by the North Carolina General Statutes. No budget is required by State law for individual school funds. All appropriations lapse at the fiscal year-end. All budgets are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations at the functional level for all annually budgeted funds. The Board has authorized the Superintendent to move moneys (up to \$50,000) from one function to another within a fund with a report on such transfers at the next meeting of the Board. Amendments are required for any revisions that alter total expenditures of any fund or that change functional appropriations by more than \$50,000. All amendments must be approved by the governing board. During the year, several amendments to the original budget were necessary. The budget ordinance must be adopted by July 1 of the fiscal year or the governing board must adopt an interim budget that covers that time until the annual ordinance can be adopted.

Encumbrance accounting is employed in all governmental funds except the Individual Schools Fund. Encumbrances (e.g., purchase orders, contracts) outstanding at year end are reported as reservations of fund balances and do not constitute expenditures or liabilities because the commitments will be reappropriated and honored during the subsequent year. There were no outstanding encumbrances at June 30, 2024.

Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows and Fund Equity

Deposits and Investments

All deposits of the Board are made in board-designated official depositories and are secured as required by State law [G.S. 115C-444]. The Board may designate, as an official depository, any bank or savings association whose principal office is located in North Carolina. Also, the Board may establish time deposit accounts such as NOW and SuperNOW accounts, money market

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accounts, and certificates of deposit. The Board also has money credited in its name with the State Treasurer and may issue State warrants against these funds.

State law [G.S. 115C-443] authorizes the Board to invest in obligations of the United States or obligations fully guaranteed both as to principal and interest by the United States; obligations of the State of North Carolina; bonds and notes of any North Carolina local government or public authority; obligations of certain non-guaranteed federal agencies; certain high quality issues of commercial paper and bankers' acceptances; the North Carolina Capital Management Trust (NCCMT), an SEC-registered (2a-7) money market mutual fund; and the North Carolina State Treasurer's Short Term Investment Fund (STIF). The STIF is managed by the staff of the Department of State Treasurer and operated in accordance with state laws and regulations. It is not registered with the SEC. It consists of an internal portion and an external portion in which the Board participates. Investments are restricted to those enumerated in G.S. 147-69.1.

The Board's investments are reported at amortized cost or at fair value determined by either quoted market prices or a matrix pricing model. Bank deposits and the NCCMT are measured at amortized cost, which is the NCCMT's share price. Ownership interest in the STIF is determined on a fair market valuation basis as of fiscal year end in accordance with the STIF operating procedures. Valuation of the underlying assets is performed by the custodian. All investments are measured using the market approach. The STIF is classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy and is valued using prices that are either directly or indirectly observable for an asset or liability. Under the authority of G.S. 147-69.3, no unrealized gains or losses of the STIF are distributed to external participants of the fund.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Board pools money from several funds to facilitate disbursement and investment and to maximize investment income. Therefore, all cash and investments are essentially demand deposits and are considered cash and cash equivalents.

Inventories

The inventories of the Board are valued at cost and the Board uses the first-in, first-out (FIFO) flow assumption in determining cost. Proprietary Fund inventories consist of food and supplies and are recorded as expenses when consumed.

Capital Assets

Donated assets received prior to June 30, 2015 are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of donation or forfeiture. Donated capital assets received after June 30, 2015 are recorded at acquisition value. All other assets are recorded at original cost. Improvements are capitalized and depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Certain items acquired before July 1984 are recorded at an estimated original historical cost. The total of these estimates is not considered large enough that any errors would be material when capital assets are considered as a whole. Donated assets received prior to June 15, 2015 are recorded at their

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estimated fair value at the date of donation or forfeiture. Donated capital assets received after June 15, 2015 are recorded at acquisition value. All other assets are recorded at original cost.

It is the policy of the Board to capitalize all capital assets costing more than \$5,000 with an estimated useful life of two or more years. In addition, other items that are purchased and used in large quantities such as student desks are capitalized. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized.

Iredell County holds title to certain properties, which are reflected as capital assets in the financial statements of the Board. The properties have been deeded to the County to permit installment purchase financing of acquisition and construction costs and to permit the County to receive refunds of sales tax paid for construction costs. Agreements between the County and the Board gives the schools full use of the facilities, full responsibility for maintenance of the facilities, and provides that the County will convey title of the property back to the Board, once all restrictions of the financing agreements and all sales tax reimbursement requirements have been met.

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

	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	50
Equipment and furniture	10
Vehicles	6
Computer equipment	3

Depreciation for building and equipment that serve multiple purposes cannot be allocated ratably and is therefore reported as “unallocated depreciation” on the Statement of Activities.

Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an expense or expenditure until then. The Board has several items that meet this criterion - pension and OPEB related deferrals and contributions made to the plans subsequent to the measurement date. The statement of financial position also reports a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as revenue until then. The Board has several items that meet this criterion – pension and OPEB related deferrals.

Long-term obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities.

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Unearned Revenue

Unearned revenue in the Governmental Funds is for programs for which funds have been received but not earned. Unearned revenue in the Enterprise Funds represents prepaid lunches for the School Nutrition Program.

Compensated Absences

The Board follows the State's policy for vacation and sick leave. Employees may accumulate up to thirty (30) days earned vacation leave with such leave being fully vested when earned. For the Board, the current portion of the accumulated vacation pay is not considered to be material. The Board's liability for accumulated earned vacation and the salary-related payments as of June 30, 2024 is recorded in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements on a FIFO basis. An estimate has been made based on prior years' records, of the current portion of compensated absences.

The sick leave policy of the Board provides for an unlimited accumulation of earned sick leave. Sick leave does not vest, but any unused sick leave accumulated at the time of retirement may be used in the determination of length of service for retirement benefit purposes. Since the Board has no obligation for accumulated sick leave until it is actually taken, no accrual for sick leave has been made.

Net Position/Fund Balances

Net position in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements are classified net investment in capital assets; restricted; and unrestricted. Restricted net position represent constraints on resources that are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or the laws or regulations of other governments, or imposed by law through State statute.

Fund Balances

In the governmental fund financial statements, fund balance is composed of three classifications designed to disclose the hierarchy of constraints placed on how fund balance can be spent.

The governmental fund types classify fund balances as follows:

Restricted fund balance – This classification includes amounts that are restricted to specific purposes externally imposed by creditors or imposed by law.

Restricted for Stabilization by State statute - portion of fund balance that is restricted by State Statute [G.S. 115C-425(a)].

Restricted for Scholarships – portion of fund balance not available for appropriation because it represents the year-end fund balance of scholarships, which are not expendable, available resources.

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Restricted for school capital outlay - portion of fund balance that can only be used for school capital outlay. [G.S. 159-18 through 22]

Restricted for Individual Schools – revenue sources restricted for expenditures for the various clubs and organizations, athletic events, and various fund raising activities for which they were collected.

Assigned fund balance – portion of fund balance that the Board of Education intends to use for specific purposes.

Special revenues – portion of fund balance that represents the residual amount of revenues from certain grants, reimbursements, indirect costs and other financial resources in excess of related expenditures that the Board of Education has assigned to be expended for educational services. This amount can be expended on instructional services, system-wide support services, ancillary services or non-programmed charges.

Subsequent Years Expenditures – portion of fund balance that is appropriated in the next year's budget that is not already classified in restricted. The governing body approves the appropriation.

Unassigned fund balance – the portion of fund balance that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes or other funds.

The Board of Education has a management policy for revenue spending that provides guidance for programs with multiple revenue sources. The Finance Officer will use resources in the following hierarchy: bond proceeds, federal funds, State funds, local non-board of education funds, and lastly board of education funds. For purposes of fund balance classification, expenditures are to be spent from restricted fund balance first, followed in-order by committed fund balance, assigned fund balance and lastly unassigned fund balance. The Finance Officer has the authority to deviate from this policy if it is in the best interest of the Board of Education.

Reconciliation of Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

A. Explanation of certain differences between the governmental fund balance sheet and the government-wide statement of net position.

The governmental fund balance sheet includes a reconciliation between fund balance - total governmental funds and net position – governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of net position. The net adjustment of \$(135,593,390) consists of several elements as follows:

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Description	Amount
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are therefore not reported in the funds (total capital assets on government-wide statement in governmental activities column)	\$ 260,292,177
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>153,414,214</u>
Net capital assets	106,877,963
Pension related deferred outflows of resources	70,304,855
OPEB related deferred outflows of resources	35,342,170
Liabilities that, because they are not due and payable in the current period, do not require current resources to pay and are therefore not recorded in the fund statements:	
Net pension liability	(119,144,604)
Net OPEB liability	(163,646,229)
Compensated absences	(10,888,780)
Installment purchases	(4,505,048)
Accrued interest	(112,331)
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions	(1,011,618)
Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB	<u>(48,809,768)</u>
Total adjustment	<u>\$ (135,593,390)</u>

- B. Explanation of certain differences between the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance and the government-wide statement of activities.

The governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances includes a reconciliation between net changes in fund balances – total governmental funds and changes in net position of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of activities. There are several elements of that total adjustment of \$14,442,672 as follows:

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Description	Amount
Capital outlay expenditures recorded in the fund statements but capitalized as assets in the statement of activities.	\$ 17,594,294
Depreciation expenses, the allocation of those assets over their useful lives, that is recorded on the statement of activities but not in the fund statements.	(9,690,063)
Contributions to the pension plan in the current fiscal year are not included on the Statement of Activities	22,695,244
Contributions to the OPEB plan in the current fiscal year are not included on the Statement of Activities	9,332,984
Revenues reported in the statement of activities that do not provide current resources are not recorded as revenues in the fund statements. OPEB nonemployer contributions	214,764
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction has any effect on net position. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt.	642,528
Expenses reported in the statement of activities that do not require the use of current resources to pay are not recorded as expenditures in the fund statements. Pension expense	(30,836,115)
Net OPEB expense	4,523,527
Compensated absences are accrued in the government-wide statements but not in the fund statements because they do not use current resources.	(59,779)
Interest expense	43,578
Gain (loss) on disposal of assets	(18,290)
Total adjustment	<u>\$ 14,442,672</u>

Defined Benefit Pension Plan and OPEB Plans

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' and State Employees' Retirement System (TSERS), the Retiree Health Benefit Fund (RHBf), and the Disability Income Plan of NC (DIPNC) and additions to/deductions from TSERS, RHBf, and DIPNC's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by TSERS, RHBf, and DIPNC. For this purpose, plan

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member contributions are recognized in the period in which the contributions are due. The Board's employer contributions are recognized when due and the Board has a legal requirement to provide the contributions. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable

NOTE 2 – DETAIL NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

Assets

Deposits

All of the Board's deposits are either insured or collateralized by using one of two methods. Under the Dedicated Method, all deposits exceeding the federal depository insurance coverage level are collateralized with securities held by the Board's agents in the unit's name. Under the Pooling Method, which is a collateral pool, all uninsured deposits are collateralized with securities held by the State Treasurer's agent in the name of the State Treasurer. Since the State Treasurer is acting in a fiduciary capacity for the Board, these deposits are considered to be held by the agent in the entity's name. The amount of the pledged collateral is based on an approved averaging method for non-interest bearing deposits and the actual current balance for interest-bearing deposits. Depositories using the Pooling Method report to the State Treasurer the adequacy of their pooled collateral covering uninsured deposits. The State Treasurer does not confirm this information with the Board or with the escrow agent. Because of the inability to measure the exact amount of collateral pledged for the Board under the Pooling Method, the potential exists for under-collateralization, and this risk may increase in periods of high cash flows. However, the State Treasurer of North Carolina enforces strict standards of financial stability for each depository that collateralizes public deposits under the Pooling Method. The Board has no policy regarding custodial credit risk for deposits.

At June 30, 2024, the Board had deposits with banks and savings and loans with a carrying amount of \$34,107,727 and with the State Treasurer of \$-0-. The bank balances with the financial institutions and the State Treasurer were \$33,386,584 and \$5,196,514, respectively. Of these balances, \$2,581,451 was covered by federal depository insurance and \$36,001,647 was covered by collateral held by authorized escrow agents in the name of the State Treasurer.

Investments

At June 30, 2024, the Board had \$7,502 invested with the North Carolina Capital Management Trust's Cash Portfolio which carried a credit rating of AAAM by Standard and Poor's. There was \$12,957 invested with the State Treasurer in the Short Term Investment Fund (STIF). The STIF is unrated and had a weighted average maturity of 1.3 years at June 30, 2024. The Board has no policy for managing interest rate risk or credit risk.

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Accounts Receivable

Receivables at the government-wide level at June 30, 2024, were as follows:

	<u>Due from other governments</u>	<u>Other</u>
Governmental activities:		
General Fund	\$ -	\$ 14,265
Other governmental activities	<u>2,406,852</u>	<u>950,778</u>
Total	<u>\$ 2,406,852</u>	<u>\$ 965,043</u>
Business-type activities:		
School Food Service	<u>\$ 102,500</u>	<u>\$ 37,539</u>

Due from other governments consists of the following:

Governmental activities:		
Capital Outlay Fund	\$ 2,018,504	Iredell County
Other Special Revenue Fund	55	NC Department of Justice
Other Special Revenue Fund	12,511	JROTC
Other Special Revenue Fund	46,728	Gear Up
Other Special Revenue Fund	<u>329,054</u>	US Treasury - Various Grants
Total	<u>\$ 2,406,852</u>	
Business-type activities:		
School Food Service	<u>\$ 102,500</u>	USDA Grant reimbursement

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Capital Assets

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

	<u>Beginning Balances</u>	<u>Increases</u>	<u>Decreases and Transfers</u>	<u>Ending Balances</u>
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 19,297,031	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,297,031
Construction in progress	628,408	11,362,292	7,038,810	4,951,890
Total capital assets not being depreciated	<u>19,925,439</u>	<u>11,362,292</u>	<u>7,038,810</u>	<u>24,248,921</u>
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	167,422,696	9,403,708	-	176,826,404
Equipment and furniture	40,510,937	1,442,456	12,718,677	29,234,716
Vehicles	27,850,686	2,424,648	293,198	29,982,136
Total capital assets being depreciated	<u>235,784,319</u>	<u>13,270,812</u>	<u>13,011,875</u>	<u>236,043,256</u>
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	109,316,651	4,839,829	-	114,156,480
Equipment and furniture	25,894,338	2,939,746	12,701,333	16,132,751
Vehicles	21,506,747	1,910,488	292,252	23,124,983
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>156,717,736</u>	<u>9,690,063</u>	<u>12,993,585</u>	<u>153,414,214</u>
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	<u>79,066,583</u>			<u>82,629,042</u>
Governmental activity capital assets, net	<u>\$ 98,992,022</u>			<u>\$106,877,963</u>
Business-type activities:				
School Food Service Fund:				
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Equipment and furniture	\$ 3,116,044	\$ 563,813	\$ 25,266	\$ 3,654,591
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Equipment and furniture	<u>2,039,054</u>	<u>187,019</u>	<u>24,619</u>	<u>2,201,454</u>
Business-type activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 1,076,990</u>			<u>\$ 1,453,137</u>

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Depreciation was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Regular Instruction services	\$ 4,839,829
System-wide support services	1,910,488
Unallocated depreciation	<u>2,939,746</u>
Total	<u>\$ 9,690,063</u>

Construction Commitments

The Board of Education has active construction projects as of June 30, 2024 for the benefit of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education. At year end, commitments with contractors for school construction and renovations are as follow:

	<u>Spent-to-date</u>	<u>Remaining Commitment</u>
School Renovations	\$ 872,664	\$ 496,240
New ESC Building	959,533	2,628,487
Field and Track at West Iredell High School	<u>3,119,693</u>	<u>96,485</u>
Total	<u>\$ 4,951,890</u>	<u>\$ 3,221,212</u>

Liabilities

Pension Plan Obligations

a. Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System

Plan Description. The Board is a participating employer in the statewide Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System (TSERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the State of North Carolina. TSERS membership is comprised of employees of the State (state agencies and institutions), universities, community colleges, and certain proprietary component units along with the employees of Local Education Agencies and charter schools. Article 1 of G.S. Chapter 135 assigns the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions to the North Carolina General Assembly. Management of the plan is vested in the TSERS Board of Trustees, which consists of 13 members – nine appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the state Senate, one appointed by the state House of Representatives, and the State Treasurer and State Superintendent, who serve as ex-officio members. The Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System is included in the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) for the State of North Carolina. The State's ACFR includes financial statements and required supplementary information for TSERS. That report may be obtained by writing to the Office of the State Controller, 1410 Mail Service Center, Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-1410, by calling (919) 981-5454, or at www.osc.nc.gov.

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Benefits Provided. TSERS provides retirement and survivor benefits. Retirement benefits are determined as 1.82% of the member's average final compensation times the member's years of creditable service. A member's average final compensation is calculated as the average of a member's four highest consecutive years of compensation. General employee plan members are eligible to retire with full retirement benefits at age 65 with five years of creditable service, at age 60 with 25 years of creditable service, or at any age with 30 years of creditable service. General employee plan members are eligible to retire with partial retirement benefits at age 50 with 20 years of creditable service or at age 60 with five years of creditable service. Survivor benefits are available to eligible beneficiaries of members who die while in active service or within 180 days of their last day of service and who have either completed 20 years of creditable service regardless of age or have completed five years of service and have reached age 60. Eligible beneficiaries may elect to receive a monthly Survivor's Alternate Benefit for life or a return of the member's contributions. The plan does not provide for automatic post-retirement benefit increases. Increases are contingent upon actuarial gains of the plan.

TSERS plan members who are LEOs are eligible to retire with full retirement benefits at age 55 with five years of creditable service as an officer, or at any age with 30 years of creditable service. LEO plan members are eligible to retire with partial retirement benefits at age 50 with 15 years of creditable service as an officer. Survivor benefits are available to eligible beneficiaries of LEO members who die while in active service or within 180 days of their last day of service and who also have either completed 20 years of creditable service regardless of age, or have completed 15 years of service as a LEO and have reached age 50, or have completed five years of creditable service as a LEO and have reached age 55, or have completed 15 years of creditable service as a LEO if killed in the line of duty. Eligible beneficiaries may elect to receive a monthly Survivor's Alternate Benefit for life or a return of the member's contributions.

Contributions. Contribution provisions are established by General Statute 135-8 and may be amended only by the North Carolina General Assembly. Board employees are required to contribute 6% of their compensation. Employer contributions are actuarially determined and set annually by the TSERS Board of Trustees. The Board's contractually required contribution rate for the year ended June 30, 2024, was 17.63% of covered payroll, actuarially determined as an amount that, when combined with employee contributions, is expected to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year. Contributions to the pension plan from the Board were \$23,360,584 for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Refunds of Contributions – Board employees who have terminated service as a contributing member of TSERS, may file an application for a refund of their contributions. By state law, refunds to members with at least five years of service include 4% interest. State law requires a 60 day waiting period after service termination before the refund may be paid. The acceptance of a refund payment cancels the individual's right to employer contributions or any other benefit provided by TSERS.

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

At June 30, 2024, the Board reported a liability of \$122,637,440 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023. The total pension liability used to calculate the net pension asset was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2022. The total pension liability was then rolled forward to the measurement date of June 30, 2023 utilizing update procedures incorporating the actuarial assumptions. The Board's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Board's long-term share of future payroll covered by the pension plan, relative to the projected future payroll covered by the pension plan of all participating TSERS employers, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2024 and at June 30, 2023, the Board's proportion was .74% and .73%, respectively.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the Board recognized pension expense of \$31,636,585. At June 30, 2024, the Board reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 9,997,852	\$ 905,151
Changes of assumptions	4,306,865	-
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	34,154,518	-
Changes in proportion and differences between Board contributions and proportionate share of contributions	546,090	136,124
Board contributions subsequent to the measurement date	23,360,584	-
Total	<u>\$ 72,365,909</u>	<u>\$ 1,041,275</u>

\$23,360,584 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from the Board contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a decrease of the net pension liability in the year ended 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:

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Year ended June 30:

2025	\$ 15,842,833
2026	8,726,479
2027	21,935,761
2028	1,458,977
2029	-
Thereafter	-
Total	<u>\$ 47,964,050</u>

Actuarial Assumptions. The total pension liability in the December 31, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all period included in the measurement:

Inflation	2.50%
Salary increases	3.25% to 8.05%, including inflation and productivity factor
Investment rate of return	6.50%, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

The plan currently uses mortality tables that vary by age, gender, employee group (i.e. general, law enforcement officer) and health status (i.e. disabled and healthy). The current mortality rates are based on published tables and based on studies that cover significant portions of the U.S. population. The healthy mortality rates also contain a provision to reflect future mortality improvements.

The actuarial assumptions used in the December 31, 2022 actuarial valuation were based on the actuarial experience study for the prepared as of December 31, 2019 and adopted by the Board of Trustees on January 28, 2022. Future ad hoc COLA amounts are not considered to be substantively automatic and are therefore not included in the measurement.

The projected long-term investment returns and inflation assumptions are developed through review of current and historical capital markets data, sell-side investment research, consultant whitepapers, and historical performance of investment strategies. Fixed income return projections reflect current yields across the U.S. Treasury yield curve and market expectations of forward yields projected and interpolated for multiple tenors and over multiple year horizons. Global public equity return projections are established through analysis of the equity risk premium and the fixed income return projections. Other asset categories and strategies' return projections reflect the foregoing and historical data analysis. These projections 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. The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class as of June 30, 2024 are summarized in the following table:

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<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return</u>
Fixed Income	33.0%	0.9%
Global Equity	38.0%	6.5%
Real Estate	8.0%	5.9%
Alternatives	8.0%	8.2%
Credit	7.0%	5.0%
Inflation Protection	6.0%	2.7%
Total	100.0%	

The information above is based on 30 year expectations developed with the consulting actuary for the 2022 asset, liability and investment policy study for the North Carolina Retirement Systems, including TSERS. The long-term nominal rates of return underlying the real rates of return are arithmetic annualized figures. The real rates of return are calculated from nominal rates by multiplicatively subtracting a long-term inflation assumption of 2.50%. All rates of return and inflation are annualized.

Discount Rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability reported at June 30, 2024 and 2023 was 6.50%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members will be made at the current contribution rate and that contributions from employers will be made at statutorily required rates, actuarially determined. Based on these assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of the current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Board's proportionate share of the net pension asset to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the Board's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 6.50 percent, as well as what the Board's proportionate share of the net pension asset or net pension liability would be if calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (5.50 percent) or 1-percentage-point higher (7.50 percent) than the current rate:

	<u>1% Decrease (5.50%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (6.50%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (7.50%)</u>
Board's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$210,539,746	\$ 122,637,440	\$ 50,120,888

Pension plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) for the State of North Carolina.

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b. Other Post-employment Benefits

Healthcare Benefits

Plan description. The Retiree Health Benefit Fund (RHBF) has been established as a fund to provide health benefits to retired and disabled employees and their applicable beneficiaries. RHBF is established in General Statute 135, Article 1 of the General Statutes. It is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer, defined benefit healthcare plan, exclusively for the benefit of former employees of the State, the University of North Carolina System, and community colleges. In addition, LEAs, charter schools, and some select local governments also participate.

Management of the plan is vested in the State Health Plan Board of Trustees, which consists of 13 members – eight appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the State Senate, one appointed by the State House of Representatives, and the State Treasurer the State Superintendent and the Director of the Office of State Human Resources who serve as ex-officio members. RHBF is supported by a percent of payroll contribution from participating employing units. Each year the percentage is set in legislation, as are the maximum per retiree contributions from RHBF to the State Health Plan. The State Treasurer, with the approval of the State Health Plan Board of Trustees, then sets the employer contributions (subject to the legislative cap) and the premiums to be paid by retirees, as well as the health benefits to be provided through the State Health Plan.

The financial statements and other required disclosures for the plan are presented in the State of North Carolina's ACFR, which can be found at <https://www.osc.nc.gov/public-information/reports>.

Benefits provided. Plan benefits received by retired employees and disabled employees from RHBF are OPEB. The healthcare benefits for retired and disabled employees who are not eligible for Medicare are the same as for active employees. The plan options change when former employees become eligible for Medicare. Medicare retirees have the option of selecting one of two fully-insured Medicare Advantage/Prescription Drug Plan (MA-PDP) options of the self-funded Traditional 70/30 preferred Provider Organization plan option that is also offered to non-Medicare members. If the Traditional 70/30 Plan is selected by a Medicare retiree, the self-funded State Health Plan coverage is secondary to Medicare.

Those former employees who are eligible to receive medical benefits from RHBF are long-term disability beneficiaries of the Disability Income Plan of North Carolina (DIPNC) and retirees of the TSERS, the Consolidated Judicial Retirement System (CJRS), the Legislative Retirement System (LRS), the University Employees' Optional Retirement Program (ORP), and a small number of local governments, with five or more years of contributory membership service in their retirement system prior to disability or retirement, with the following exceptions: for employees first hired on or after October 1, 2006, and members of the General Assembly first taking office on or after February 1, 2007, future coverage as retired employees and retired members of the General Assembly is subject to the requirement that the future retiree have 20 or more years of retirement service credit in order to receive coverage on a noncontributory basis. Employees first hired on or after October 1, 2006 and members of the General Assembly first taking office on or after February 1, 2007 with 10 but less than 20 years of retirement service credit are

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eligible for coverage on a partially contributory basis. For such future retirees, the State will pay 50% of the State Health Plan's noncontributory premium.

Section 35.21 (c) and (d) of Session Law 2017-57 repeals retiree medical benefits for employees first hired January 1, 2021. The new legislation amends Article 3B of Chapter 135 of the General Statutes to require that retirees must earn contributory retirement service in TSERS (or in an allowed local system unit), CJRS, or LRS prior to January 1, 2021, and not withdraw that service, in order to be eligible for retiree medical benefits under the amended law. Consequently, members first hired on and after January 1, 2021 will not be eligible to receive retiree medical benefits.

RHBF's benefit and contribution provisions are established by Chapter 135, Article 1 and Chapter 135, Article 3B of the General Statutes and may be amended only by the North Carolina General Assembly. RHBF does not provide for automatic post-retirement benefit increases.

Contributions. By General Statute, accumulated contributions from employers to RHBF and any earnings on those contributions shall be used to provide health benefits to retired and disabled employees and their applicable beneficiaries. By statute, contributions to RHBF are irrevocable. Also by law, fund assets are dedicated to providing benefits to retired and disabled employees and their applicable beneficiaries and are not subject to the claims of creditors of the employers making contributions to RHBF. However, RHBF assets may be used for reasonable expenses to administer the RHBF, including costs to conduct required actuarial valuations of state—supported retired employees' health benefits. Contribution rates to RHBF, which are intended to finance benefits and administrative expenses on a pay-as-you-go basis are determined by the General Assembly in the Appropriations Bill. For the current fiscal year, the Board contributed 7.14% of covered payroll which amounted to \$9,460,838. During the current fiscal year, the plan also recognized a one-time transfer of excess funding from the Public Employees Health Benefits Fund totaling \$187.0 million, which was isolated from the OPEB expense and allocated to participating employers as a separate revenue item. The Board's proportionate share of this allocation totaled \$221,060.

At June 30, 2024, Board reported a liability of \$168,273,226 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2022. The total OPEB liability was then rolled forward to the measurement date of June 30, 2023 utilizing update procedures incorporating the actuarial assumptions. The Board's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on a projection of the Board's present value of future salary, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2024 and at June 30, 2023, the Boards proportion was 0.63% and 0.64%, respectively.

\$9,460,838 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from Board contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a decrease of the net OPEB liability in the year ending June 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

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Year ended June 30:

2025	\$ (10,357,279)
2026	(11,011,347)
2027	(4,541,708)
2028	2,183,863
2029	-
Thereafter	-
Total	<u><u>\$ (23,726,471)</u></u>

Actuarial assumptions. Common actuarial assumptions for both OPEB plans follow individual note disclosures for each OPEB plan.

Inflation	2.50%
Salary increases	3.25 - 8.05% including a 3.25% inflation and productivity factor
Investment rate of return	6.50%
<u>Healthcare cost trend rates:</u>	
Medical	5.00 - 6.50%
Prescription drug	5.00 - 10.00%
Administrative costs	3.00%
Post-retirement mortality rates	Pub-2010 Healthy Annuitant Mortality Table for males and females, adjusted for Collar for some Participants, further adjusted with scaling factors varying by participant group, and projected for mortality improvement using Scale MP-2019

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability for the RHBF at June 30, 2024 and 2023 were 3.65% and 3.54%, respectively. The projection of cash flow used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from employers would be made at the current statutorily determined contribution rate. Based on the above assumptions, the plan's fiduciary net position was not projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members. As a result, a municipal bond rate of 3.65% was used as the discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability. The 3.65% rate is based on the Bond Buyer 20-year General Obligation Index as of June 30, 2023.

Sensitivity of the Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.65 percent) or 1-percentage point higher (4.65 percent) than the current discount rate:

	<u>1% Decrease (2.65%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (3.65%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (4.65%)</u>
Net OPEB liability	\$ 198,510,220	\$ 168,273,226	\$ 143,647,091

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Sensitivity of the Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability to changes in the healthcare trend rates. The following presents the Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current healthcare trend rates:

		Current Trend Rates (5.00-6.50% Medical, 5.00-10.00% Rx, 5.00% Medicare, 3.00% Administrative Expenses)	1% Increase in Trend Rates
	1% Decrease in Trend Rates		
Net OPEB liability	\$ 138,924,585	\$ 168,273,226	\$ 206,117,547

OPEB plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued ACFR for the State of North Carolina.

Disability Benefits

Plan description. Short-term and long-term disability benefits are provided through the Disability Income Plan of North Carolina (DIPNC), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit plan, to the eligible members of TSERS which includes employees of the State, the University of North Carolina System, community colleges, certain Local Education Agencies, and ORP.

Management of the plan is vested in the State Health Plan Board of Trustees, which consists of 13 members – eight appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the State Senate, one appointed by the State House of Representatives, and the State Treasurer the State Superintendent and the Director of the Office of State Human Resources who serve as ex-officio members. Management of the plan is vested in the State Health Plan Board of Trustees, which consists of 13 members – eight appointed by the Governor, one appointed by the State Senate, one appointed by the State House of Representatives, and the State Treasurer the State Superintendent and the Director of the Office of State Human Resources who serve as ex-officio members.

The financial statements and other required disclosures for the plan are presented in the State of North Carolina's ACFR, which can be found at <https://www.osc.nc.gov/public-information/reports>.

Benefits Provided. Long-term disability benefits are payable as an OPEB from DIPNC after the conclusion of the short-term disability period or after salary continuation payments cease, whichever is later, for as long as an employee is disabled. An employee is eligible to receive long-term disability benefits provide the following requirements are met: (1) the employee has five or more years of contributing membership service in TSERS or ORP, earned within 96 months prior to the end of the short-term disability period or cessation of salary continuation payments, whichever is later; (2) the employee must make application to receive long-term

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benefits within 180 days after the conclusion of the short-term disability period or after salary continuation payments cease or after monthly payments for Workers' Compensation cease (excluding monthly payments for permanent partial benefits), whichever is later; (3) the employee must be certified by the Medical Board to be mentally or physically disabled for the further performance of his/her usual occupation; (4) the disability must have been continuous, likely to be permanent, and incurred at the time of active employment; (5) the employee must not be eligible to receive an unreduced retirement benefit from TSERS after (1) reaching the age of 65 and completing 5 years of membership service, or (2) reaching the age of 60 and completing 25 years of creditable service, or (3) completing 30 years of service at any age.

Contributions. Benefit and contribution provisions are established by Chapter 135, Article 6, of the General Statutes and may be amended only by the North Carolina General Assembly. The plan does not provide for automatic post-retirement benefit increases. Disability income benefits are funded by actuarially determined employer contributions that are established in the Appropriations Bill by the General Assembly and coincide with the State fiscal year. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, employers made a statutory contribution of 0.11% of covered payroll which was equal to the actuarially required contribution. Board contributions to the plan were \$145,755 for the year ended June 30, 2024.

The contributions cannot be separated between the amounts that relate to other postemployment benefits and employment benefits for active employees. Those individuals who are receiving extended short-term disability benefit payments cannot be separated from the number of members currently eligible to receive disability benefits as an other postemployment benefit.

At June 30, 2024, Board reported an OPEB liability of \$170,446 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2022. The total OPEB liability was then rolled forward to the measurement date of June 30, 2023 utilizing update procedures incorporating the actuarial assumptions. The Board's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on a projection of the Board's present value of future salary, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2024 and at June 30, 2023, the Board's proportion was .64%.

\$145,755 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from Board contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a decrease of the net OPEB liability in the year ending June 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

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Year ended June 30:

2025	\$	82,917
2026		50,763
2027		76,498
2028		26,860
2029		12,752
Thereafter		7,675
Total	\$	<u>257,465</u>

Actuarial assumptions. Common actuarial assumptions for both OPEB plans follow individual note disclosures for each OPEB plan.

Inflation	2.50%
Salary increases	3.25% to 8.05%, including a 3.25% inflation and productivity factor
Investment rate of return expense,	3.00%, net of OPEB plan investment including inflation

Sensitivity of the Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.00 percent) or 1-percentage point higher (4.00 percent) than the current discount rate:

	<u>1% Decrease (2.00%)</u>	<u>Current Discount Rate (3.00%)</u>	<u>1% Increase (4.00%)</u>
Net OPEB liability	\$ 204,899	\$ 170,446	\$ 135,365

Common actuarial assumptions for both OPEB plans. The total OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation performed as of December 31, 2022 using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement, unless otherwise specified. The total OPEB liability was calculated through the use of update procedures to roll forward from the actuarial valuation date to the measurement date of June 30, 2023. The update procedures incorporated the actuarial assumptions used in the valuation. The entry age normal cost method was utilized.

The plan currently uses mortality tables that vary by age, gender, employee group (i.e. teacher, general, law enforcement officer), and health status (i.e. disabled and healthy). The current mortality rates are based on published tables and based on studies that cover significant portions of the U.S. population. The mortality rates also contain a provision to reflect future mortality improvements.

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The actuarial assumptions were based on the results of an actuarial experience review for the period January 1, 2015 through December 31, 2019.

The long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return 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 and by adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

DIPNC is primarily invested in the Bond Index Investment Pool as of June 30, 2023. The long-term expected rate of return was determined based on the combination of expected future real rates of return and expected inflation. The long-term expected real rate of return for the Bond Index Investment Pool as of June 30, 2023 is 1.3%.

Total OPEB Expense, OPEB Liabilities, and Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources of Related to OPEB

Following is information related to the proportionate share and pension expense:

	RHBF	DIPNC	Total
OPEB expense (revenue)	\$ 5,368,023	\$(237,365)	\$ 5,130,658
OPEB liability	168,273,226	170,446	168,443,672
Proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	0.631%	0.641%	
Deferred of Outflows of Resources			
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 1,853,018	\$ 149,374	\$ 2,002,392
Changes of assumptions	18,229,113	12,420	18,241,533
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on plan investments	1,344,253	222,625	1,566,878
Changes in proportion and defferences between Board contributions and proportionate share of contributions	4,953,192	7,672	4,960,864
Board contributions subsequent to the measurement date	9,460,838	145,755	9,606,593
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>\$ 35,840,414</u>	<u>\$ 537,846</u>	<u>\$ 36,378,260</u>
Deferred of Inflows of Resources			
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 164,874	\$ 94,407	\$ 259,281
Changes of assumptions	44,893,939	29,095	44,923,034
Changes in proportion and differences between Board contributions and proportionate share of contributions	5,047,234	11,124	5,058,358
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>\$ 50,106,047</u>	<u>\$ 134,626</u>	<u>\$ 50,240,673</u>

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Accounts Payable

Accounts payable at June 30, 2024, are as follows:

	<u>Vendors</u>
Governmental activities:	
General Fund	\$ 3,445,264
Other governmental activities	<u>1,601,725</u>
Total governmental activities	<u>\$ 5,046,989</u>
Business-type activities:	
School Food Service Fund	\$ 13,494
Child Care Fund	<u>5,899</u>
Total business-type activities	<u>\$ 19,393</u>

Governmental activities have \$112,331 accrued interest payable related to debt the district holds for security cameras.

Unearned Revenues

The balance in unearned revenues at year-end is composed of the following elements:

	<u>Unearned Revenues</u>
Prepaid lunch balances (School Food Service Fund)	<u>\$ 180,439</u>
Various grants (Other Special Revenue Fund)	<u>\$ 905,968</u>
State capital grant (Capital Outlay Fund)	<u>\$ 389,880</u>

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Deferred Inflows of resources

The balance in deferred inflows of resources for government-wide financial statements at year-end is composed of the following:

	<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>	<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>
Changes in proportion and differences between Board contributions and proportionate share of contributions	\$ 5,506,954	\$ 5,194,482
Changes in assumptions	22,548,398	44,923,034
Difference between projected and actual earnings on plan investments	35,721,395	-
Board contributions subsequent to the measurement date	32,967,177	-
Difference between expected and actual experience	<u>12,000,244</u>	<u>1,164,432</u>
Total	<u>\$ 108,744,168</u>	<u>\$ 51,281,948</u>

Risk Management

The Board is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Board participates in the North Carolina School Boards Trust (the Trust), a member funded risk management program administered by the North Carolina School Boards Association. Through the Trust, the Board maintains general liability and errors and omissions coverage of \$1,000,000 each claim made / \$3,150,000 coverage period aggregate. The Trust is reinsured through commercial companies for losses in excess of \$150,000 per claim for errors and omissions and general liability coverage.

Statutory workers' compensation coverage is purchased through a private insurer for employees to the extent they are paid from Federal and local funds. Workers' compensation coverage is provided by the State of North Carolina through a self-insured fund, to the extent employees are paid from State funds.

The Board also participates in the State Public Education Property Insurance Fund (the Fund), a voluntary, self-insured risk control and risk financing fund administered by the North Carolina Department of Insurance. The Fund insures the tangible property assets of the Board. Coverage is provided on an "all risk" perils contract. Buildings and contents are insured on a replacement cost basis. The Fund purchases excess reinsurance to protect the assets of the Fund in the event of a catastrophic event. The Fund maintains a self-insured retention of \$10 million. Excess reinsurance is purchased through commercial insurers. A limit of \$5 million per

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occurrence is provided on flood, earthquake, business interruption and extra expense. \$10 million per occurrence is provided on increased cost of construction.

The Board also participates in the Teachers' and State Employees' Comprehensive Major Medical Plan, a self-funded risk financing pool of the State administered by Blue Cross and Blue Shield of North Carolina. The Board pays a substantial portion of the cost of coverage for employees enrolled in the Comprehensive Major Medical Plan.

In accordance with G.S. 115C-442, the Board's employees who have custody of the Board's monies at any given time of the Board's funds are performance bonded through a commercial surety bond. The finance officer is bonded for \$50,000.

The Board carries commercial coverage for all other risks of loss. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage in the prior year, and claims have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

Long-Term Obligations

Direct Placement Installment Purchases

The Board is authorized to finance the purchase of school buses under G.S. 115C-528(a). Session law 2003-284, section 7.25 authorized the State Board of Education to allot moneys for the payments on financing contracts entered into pursuant to G.S. 115C-528. The State has accepted the bid to purchase Thomas Built Buses through third party financing arrangements with various companies. The Board has two such contracts for the purchase of school buses. The terms of the financing contract is four years, with the required annual payments ranging from \$157,089 to \$368,046.

The Board is authorized to finance the purchase of security cameras under the general statutes. On May 12, 2023 the Board entered into a direct placement installment purchase agreement with TEQlease, Inc for the purchase of security cameras. Five annual payments of \$1,145,808 are due through July 2026. These payments include interest at 3.90%

The future minimum payment of the installment purchases as of June 30, 2024, are as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>
2025	\$ 1,830,767	\$ 124,245
2026	1,571,482	84,404
2027	<u>1,102,799</u>	<u>43,009</u>
Total	<u>\$ 4,505,048</u>	<u>\$ 251,658</u>

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The following is a summary of changes in the Board's long-term obligations for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024:

	<u>July 1, 2023</u>	<u>Increases</u>	<u>Decreases</u>	<u>June 30, 2024</u>	<u>Current Portion</u>
Governmental activities:					
Direct placement					
installment purchases	\$ 5,147,576	\$ 2,040,331	\$ 2,682,859	\$ 4,505,048	\$1,830,767
Net pension liability	105,544,374	13,600,230	-	119,144,604	-
Net OPEB liability	147,885,990	15,760,239	-	163,646,229	-
Compensated absences	<u>10,829,001</u>	<u>11,106,515</u>	<u>11,046,736</u>	<u>10,888,780</u>	<u>5,483,595</u>
Total governmental activities	<u>\$ 269,406,941</u>	<u>\$ 42,507,315</u>	<u>\$ 13,729,595</u>	<u>\$ 298,184,661</u>	<u>\$ 7,314,362</u>
Business-type activities:					
Net pension liability	\$ 3,356,095	\$ 136,741	\$ -	\$ 3,492,836	\$ -
Net OPEB liability	4,702,471	94,972	-	4,797,443	-
Compensated absences	<u>200,530</u>	<u>389,422</u>	<u>372,107</u>	<u>217,845</u>	<u>137,404</u>
Total business activities:	<u>\$ 8,259,096</u>	<u>\$ 621,135</u>	<u>\$ 372,107</u>	<u>\$ 8,508,124</u>	<u>\$ 137,404</u>

Compensated absences are typically liquidated by the general and other governmental funds.

Transfers to/from other funds

Transfers to/from other funds at June 30, 2024, consist of the following:

State Public School Fund to the School Food Service Fund	
for administrative costs	<u>\$ 45,000</u>

Contingent Liabilities

As of the date of our report, the Board was a defendant to multiple pending and threatened lawsuits. The Board's management and the Board's attorney have been unable to determine the amount of loss, if any, the Board might incur as a result of these legal matters.

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Net Investment in Capital Assets – Governmental Activities

Net investment in capital assets presented in Exhibit 1 is calculated as follows:

Total governmental activities capital assets	\$ 106,877,963
Less:	
Accounts payable	1,262,043
Installment purchase obligations	<u>4,505,048</u>
Net investment in capital assets, governmental activities	<u><u>\$ 101,110,872</u></u>

Fund Balance

The following schedule provides management and citizens with information on the portion of General fund balance that is available for appropriation.

Total fund balance - General Fund	\$ 9,015,973
Less:	
Stabilization by State statute	14,265
Scholarships	130,384
Appropriated Fund Balance in 2024-2025 budget	<u>2,460,031</u>
Remaining fund balance	<u><u>\$ 6,411,293</u></u>

NOTE 3 – SUMMARY DISCLOSURE OF SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENCIES

Federal and State Assisted Programs

The Board has received proceeds from several federal and State grants. Periodic audits of these grants are required and certain costs may be questioned as not being appropriate expenditures under the grant agreements. Such audits could result in the refund of grant moneys to the grantor agencies. Management believes that any required refunds will be immaterial. No provision has been made in the accompanying financial statements for the refund of grant moneys.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Schedule of the Board's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System

Schedule of Board Contributions
Teachers' and State Employees' Retirement System

Schedule of the Board's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability
Retiree Health Benefit Fund

Schedule of Board Contributions
Retiree Health Benefit Fund

Schedule of the Board's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability
Disability Income Plan of North Carolina

Schedule of Board Contributions
Disability Income Plan of North Carolina

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM
Last Ten Fiscal Years*

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Board's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.736%	0.734%	0.721%	0.713%	0.723%
Board's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 122,637,440	\$ 108,900,469	\$ 33,777,942	\$ 86,097,519	\$ 74,955,173
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 126,163,727	\$ 122,661,660	\$ 113,308,244	\$ 109,392,817	\$ 108,792,545
Board's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	97.20%	88.78%	29.81%	78.70%	68.90%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	82.97%	84.14%	94.86%	85.98%	87.56%

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Board's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.722%	0.733%	0.737%	0.757%	0.754%
Board's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 71,842,143	\$ 58,175,322	\$ 67,730,562	\$ 27,883,682	\$ 8,837,119
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 104,322,182	\$ 102,838,697	\$ 98,459,836	\$ 100,923,997	\$ 96,688,155
Board's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	68.87%	56.57%	68.79%	27.63%	9.14%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	87.61%	89.51%	87.32%	96.64%	98.24%

* The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of the prior fiscal year ending June 30.

This schedule is required supplementary information.

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF BOARD CONTRIBUTIONS
TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 23,360,584	\$ 21,927,256	\$ 20,732,647	\$ 16,746,958	\$ 14,188,248
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>23,360,584</u>	<u>21,927,256</u>	<u>20,732,647</u>	<u>16,746,958</u>	<u>14,188,248</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 132,504,728	\$ 126,163,727	\$ 122,661,660	\$ 113,308,244	\$ 109,392,817
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	17.63%	17.38%	16.90%	14.78%	12.97%

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 13,370,604	\$ 11,245,931	\$ 10,263,302	\$ 9,009,075	\$ 9,234,546
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>13,370,604</u>	<u>11,245,931</u>	<u>10,263,302</u>	<u>9,009,075</u>	<u>9,234,546</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 108,792,545	\$ 104,322,182	\$ 102,838,697	\$ 98,459,836	\$ 100,923,997
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	12.29%	10.78%	9.98%	9.15%	9.15%

This schedule is required supplementary information.

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF THE PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY
RETIREE HEALTH BENEFIT FUND
*Last Eight Fiscal Years**

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Board's proportion of the net OPEB liability (asset)	0.631%	0.642%	0.623%	0.619%	0.627%
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset)	\$ 168,273,226	\$ 152,398,029	\$ 192,497,921	\$ 171,568,850	\$ 198,492,628
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 126,163,727	\$ 122,661,660	\$ 113,308,244	\$ 109,392,817	\$ 108,792,545
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	133.38%	124.24%	169.89%	156.84%	182.45%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	10.73%	10.58%	7.72%	6.92%	4.40%

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Board's proportion of the net OPEB liability (asset)	0.644%	0.663%	0.643%
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset)	\$ 183,323,700	\$ 217,402,150	\$ 279,591,436
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 104,322,182	\$ 102,838,697	\$ 98,459,836
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	175.73%	211.40%	283.96%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	4.40%	3.52%	2.41%

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This schedule is required supplementary information.

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF BOARD CONTRIBUTIONS
RETIREE HEALTH BENEFIT FUND
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Contractually required contribution	\$ 9,460,838	\$ 8,692,681	\$ 7,961,438	\$ 7,568,991	\$ 7,077,715
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	9,460,838	8,692,681	7,961,438	7,568,991	7,077,715
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 132,504,728	\$ 126,163,727	\$ 122,661,660	\$ 113,308,244	\$ 109,392,817
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	7.14%	6.89%	6.49%	6.68%	6.47%

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually required contribution	\$ 6,821,293	\$ 6,311,492	\$ 5,974,928	\$ 5,513,751	\$ 5,540,727
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	6,821,293	6,311,492	5,974,928	5,513,751	5,540,727
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 108,792,545	\$ 104,322,182	\$ 102,838,697	\$ 98,459,836	\$ 100,923,997
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	6.27%	6.05%	5.81%	5.60%	5.49%

This schedule is required supplementary information.

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF THE PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY
DISABILITY INCOME PLAN OF NORTH CAROLINA
*Last Eight Fiscal Years**

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Board's proportion of the net OPEB liability/asset	0.641%	0.640%	0.636%	0.620%	0.635%
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset)	\$ 170,446	\$ 190,432	\$ (103,848)	\$ (305,184)	\$ (274,024)
Board's covered payroll	\$ 126,163,727	\$ 122,661,660	\$ 113,308,244	\$ 109,392,817	\$ 108,792,545
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability/asset as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	0.14%	0.16%	0.09%	0.28%	0.25%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability/asset	90.61%	90.34%	105.18%	115.57%	113.00%

	2019	2018	2017
Board's proportion of the net OPEB liability/asset	0.636%	0.644%	0.653%
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability (asset)	\$ (193,225)	\$ (393,283)	\$ (405,786)
Board's covered payroll	\$ 104,322,182	\$ 102,838,697	\$ 98,459,836
Board's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability/asset as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	0.19%	0.38%	0.41%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability/asset	108.47%	116.23%	116.06%

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This schedule is required supplementary information.

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF BOARD CONTRIBUTIONS
DISABILITY INCOME PLAN OF NORTH CAROLINA
Last Ten Fiscal Years

	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 145,755	\$ 126,164	\$ 113,916	\$ 101,977	\$ 109,393
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>145,755</u>	<u>126,164</u>	<u>113,916</u>	<u>101,977</u>	<u>109,393</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 132,504,728	\$ 126,163,727	\$ 122,661,660	\$ 113,308,244	\$ 109,392,817
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	0.11%	0.10%	0.09%	0.09%	0.10%

	<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>
Contractually required contribution	\$ 152,310	\$ 146,051	\$ 390,787	\$ 403,685	\$ 413,788
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	<u>152,310</u>	<u>146,051</u>	<u>390,787</u>	<u>403,685</u>	<u>413,788</u>
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Board's covered-employee payroll	\$ 108,792,545	\$ 104,322,182	\$ 102,838,697	\$ 98,459,836	\$ 100,923,997
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	0.14%	0.14%	0.38%	0.41%	0.41%

This schedule is required supplementary information.

INDIVIDUAL FUND BUDGETARY SCHEDULES

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

			Exhibit A-1
	Budget	Actual	Positive (Negative) Variance
Revenues:			
U.S Government:			
Emergency Connectivity	\$ 285,000	\$ 194,726	\$ (90,274)
Iredell County:			
County appropriations	52,389,292	52,389,292	-
Other:			
Fines and forfeitures		833,963	
Interest earned on investments and other		1,339,245	
Miscellaneous		270,568	
Total	2,608,000	2,443,776	(164,224)
Total revenues	55,282,292	55,027,794	(254,498)
Expenditures:			
Instructional services:			
Regular instructional		13,002,618	
Special populations		2,731,648	
Alternative programs		439,169	
School leadership		3,397,060	
Co-curricular services		1,142,499	
School-based support		7,042,035	
Total	28,405,932	27,755,029	650,903
System-wide support services:			
Support and development		852,666	
Special population support and development		11,326	
Alternative programs and services		29,766	
Technology support		1,348,598	
Operational support		15,911,165	
Financial and human resource services		1,644,732	
Accountability		5,867	
Systemwide pupil support		25,000	
Policy, leadership and public relations		826,955	
Total	21,560,270	20,656,075	904,195
Non-programmed charges			
Payments to charter schools	7,277,742	7,201,412	76,330
Total expenditures	57,243,944	55,612,516	1,631,428
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(1,961,652)	(584,722)	1,376,930
Appropriated fund balance	1,961,652	-	1,961,652
Revenues and appropriated fund balance over expenditures	\$ -	(584,722)	\$ (584,722)
Fund balances:			
Beginning of year, July 1		9,600,695	
End of year, June 30		\$ 9,015,973	

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE -
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit B-1

	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Revenues:			
State of North Carolina:			
State appropriations - buses	\$ 2,961,812	\$ 1,699,642	\$ (1,262,170)
OSBM direct grant	2,000,000	2,000,000	-
Lottery	2,633,000	2,243,120	(389,880)
Total State of North Carolina	7,594,812	5,942,762	(1,652,050)
Local Government:			
County appropriations	20,348,201	15,022,596	(5,325,605)
Other:			
Other	-	182,246	182,246
Total revenues	27,943,013	21,147,604	(6,795,409)
Expenditures:			
System-wide support services	3,382,895	2,449,338	933,557
Capital outlay	33,461,299	19,420,334	14,040,965
Debt service			
Principal payments	4,169,224	2,682,859	1,486,365
Interest expense	162,591	162,591	-
Total expenditures	41,176,009	24,715,122	16,460,887
Revenues over (under) expenditures	(13,232,996)	(3,567,518)	9,665,478
Other financing sources			
Installment purchase obligations issued	2,931,815	2,040,331	(891,484)
Revenues and other sources over (under) expenditures	(10,301,181)	(1,527,187)	8,773,994
Appropriated fund balance	10,301,181	-	(10,301,181)
Revenues, other sources, and appropriated fund balance over (under) expenditures	\$ -	(1,527,187)	\$ (1,527,187)
Fund balances:			
Beginning of year, July 1		11,207,024	
End of year, June 30		\$ 9,679,837	

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SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-
GAAP) - SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE FUND
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit C-1

	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Operating revenues:			
Food sales	\$ 3,977,434	\$ 3,247,553	\$ (729,881)
Operating expenditures:			
Purchase of food		5,440,950	
Salaries and benefits		5,919,071	
Materials and supplies		60,243	
Noncapital equipment		234,907	
Contracted services		413,165	
Indirect costs		476,406	
Repairs and maintenance		288,929	
Capital outlay		563,813	
Other		52,784	
Total operating expenditures	14,720,088	13,450,268	1,269,820
Operating loss	(10,742,654)	(10,202,715)	539,939
Nonoperating revenues:			
Federal reimbursements		8,562,676	
Federal commodities		701,616	
State reimbursements		11,699	
Gain on sale of capital assets		2,360	
Interest earned		61,917	
Other		16,693	
Total nonoperating revenues	10,697,654	9,356,961	1,340,693
Revenues over (under) expenditures before other financing sources	(45,000)	(845,754)	(800,754)
Other financing sources:			
Transfers from other funds	45,000	45,000	-
Revenues and other sources over expenditures	\$ -	\$ (800,754)	\$ (800,754)

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SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-
GAAP) - SCHOOL FOOD SERVICE FUND
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit C-1
(Continued)

	<u>Actual</u>
Reconciliation of modified accrual to full accrual basis:	
Revenues, other sources, and appropriated fund balance over expenditures	\$ (800,754)
Reconciling items:	
Depreciation	(187,019)
Indirect costs not paid	476,406
Capital outlay	563,813
Increase (decrease) in inventory	(44,845)
(Increase) decrease in compensated absences	(1,446)
Deferred outflows	86,595
Net pension liability	(155,399)
Net OPEB liability	(134,258)
Deferred inflows	<u>770,480</u>
Change in net position	<u><u>\$ 573,573</u></u>

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL (NON-
GAAP) - CHILD CARE FUND
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Exhibit C-2

	Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)
Operating revenues:			
Child care fees	\$ 1,386,000	\$ 1,237,342	\$ (148,658)
Operating expenditures:			
Purchase of food		36,267	
Salaries and benefits		798,122	
Materials and supplies		33,282	
Contracted services		1,297	
Other		21,003	
Total operating expenditures	1,386,000	889,971	496,029
Operating income (loss)	-	347,371	(644,687)
Nonoperating revenues:			
Contract reimbursement	-	84,816	84,816
Revenues over (under) expenditures	\$ -	\$ 432,187	\$ 432,187
Reconciliation of modified accrual to full accrual basis:			
Revenues under expenditures		\$ 432,187	
Reconciling items:			
Deferred outflows		(25,375)	
Net pension liability		18,658	
Net OPEB liability		39,286	
Deferred inflows		151,919	
Change in net position		\$ 616,675	

COMPLIANCE SECTION



ANDERSON SMITH & WIKE PLLC

Certified Public Accountants

**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 AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Education
Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Statesville, North Carolina

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to the financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the basic financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education, North Carolina, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education, North Carolina's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated October 31, 2024.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing 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 Board's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Board's internal control.

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

Our consideration of internal control 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 material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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.

Purpose of this Report

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

Anderson Smith & Wike PLLC

October 31, 2024
Elon, North Carolina



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Report On Compliance for Each Major Federal Program and Report on Internal Control Over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance and the State Single Audit Implementation Act

To the Board of Education
Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Statesville, North Carolina

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* and the *Audit Manual for Governmental Auditors in North Carolina*, issued by the Local Government Commission, that could have a direct and material effect on each of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2024. Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, Iredell-Statesville 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 federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and the State Single Audit Implementation Act. Our responsibilities under those standards, the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report. We are required to be independent of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of Iredell-Statesville 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act, 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

A deficiency *in internal control over compliance* exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A *material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or 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 Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section and above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies or material weaknesses 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. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

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

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

Anderson Smith & Wike PLLC

*October 31, 2024
Elon, North Carolina*



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Report On Compliance for Each Major State Program and Report on Internal Control Over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance and the State Single Audit Implementation Act

To the Board of Education
Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Statesville, North Carolina

Report on Compliance for Each Major State Program

Opinion on Each Major State Program

We have audited the Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the *Audit Manual for Governmental Auditors in North Carolina*, issued by the Local Government Commission that could have a direct and material effect on each of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's major state programs for the year ended June 30, 2024. The Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's major state programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, Iredell-Statesville 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; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and the State Single Audit Implementation Act. Our responsibilities under those standards, the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report. We are required to be independent of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major State program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Iredell-Statesville 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's State programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's compliance with the requirements of each major State program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act, 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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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 Iredell-Statesville Board of Education's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, and the State Single Audit Implementation Act, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education'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

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Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section and above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies or material weaknesses 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. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

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

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

Anderson Smith & Wike PLLC

*October 31, 2024
Elon, North Carolina*

**Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024**

Section I. Summary of Auditors' Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditors' report issued on whether the financial statements audited were prepared in accordance with GAAP:

Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

- Material weakness(es) identified? ___yes Xno
- Significant deficiency(s) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? ___yes Xnone reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?

___yes Xno

Federal Awards

Internal control over major federal programs:

- Material weakness(es) identified? ___yes Xno
- Significant deficiency(s) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? ___yes Xnone reported

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

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported
In accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?

___yes Xno

**Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024**

Section II. Financial Statement Findings

None Reported

Section III. Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

None Reported

Section IV. State Award Findings and Questioned Costs

None Reported

**Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Corrective Action Plan
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024**

Section II. Financial Statement Findings

Finding: None Reported

Section III. Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

Finding: None Reported

Section IV. State Award Findings and Questioned Costs

Finding: None Reported

**Iredell-Statesville Board of Education
Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024**

Finding:	2023
Status:	None reported

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AND STATE AWARDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

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Grantor/Pass-through Grantor/Program Title	Federal AL Number		Expenditures
Federal Grants:			
<u>U.S. Department of Agriculture</u>			
Food and Nutrition Service			
Passed-through the N.C. Department of Public Instruction:			
Child Nutrition Cluster:			
Noncash Assistance (Commodities):			
National School Lunch Program	10.555	PRC 035	\$ 701,616
Cash Assistance:			
School Breakfast Program	10.553	PRC 035	1,902,943
National School Lunch Program	10.555	PRC 035	5,662,731
Supply Chain Assistance Funds	10.555	PRC 035	489,154
Summer Food Service Program for Children	10.559	PRC 035	167,000
Cash Assistance Subtotal			8,221,828
Total Child Nutrition Cluster			8,923,444
Passed-through the N.C. Department of Health and Human Services			
Child and Adult Care Food Program	10.558	PRC 035	340,848
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			9,264,292
<u>U.S. Department of Education</u>			
Office of Elementary and Secondary Education			
Passed-through the N.C. Department of Public Instruction:			
Education Consolidation and Improvement Act of 1981			
Improving America School Act of 1994 (IASA)			
Title I, Grants to Local Educational Agencies		PRC 050, 105,	
Educationally Deprived Children	84.010	107 & 115	5,305,072
Language Acquisition Grants	84.365	PRC 104 & 111	209,561
Mckinney-Vento Homeless Assistance	84.196A	PRC 026	49,480
Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program	84.424	PRC 108	325,227
21st Century Community Learning Centers	84.287C	PRC 110	115,883
Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants	84.367A	PRC 103	678,138
COVID-19 - Education Stabilization Fund			
CARES Act:			
ReThink Education Stipend	84.425B	PRC 146	7,960
CRRSA:			
ESSER II - K-12 Emergency Relief Fund	84.425D	PRC 171	1,750,222
ESSER II - Supplemental Contract Instructional Support Funding	84.425D	PRC 173	1,003
ESSER II - Learning Loss Funding	84.425D	PRC 176	344,092
ESSER II - Summer Career Acceleratory Programs	84.425D	PRC 177	57,890
ARP:			
ESSER III - K-12 Emergency Relief Fund	84.425U	PRC 181	7,300,449
ESSER III - Homeless I	84.425W	PRC 183	262
ESSER III - Homeless II	84.425W	PRC 184	12,234
ESSER III - Summer Career Acceleratory Programs	84.425U	PRC 188	248,674
ESSER III - Math Enrichment Programs	84.425U	PRC 189	406,558
ESSER III - Cyberbullying & Suicide Prevention Grants	84.425U	PRC 192	91,967
ESSER III - Leadership Institute	84.425U	PRC 195	29,048
ESSER III - Education And Competitive After-School Robotics	84.425U	PRC 201	125
ESSER III - Principal Retention Supplements	84.425U	PRC 206	81,733
Total COVID-19 - Education Stabilization Fund			10,332,217

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AND STATE AWARDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

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Grantor/Pass-through Grantor/Program Title	Federal AL Number		Expenditures
Direct Programs:			
Gear-Up Program	84.334	PRC 311	852,741
Education Innovation and Research Grant	84.411C	PRC 371	731,440
Teacher and School Leadership Incentive Program	84.374A	PRC 381	5,380,784
School Climate Transformation Grant	84.184G	PRC 372	780,585
RESOLVE Grant	84.184H	PRC 373	1,509,299
Project Prevent Grant	84.184M	PRC 380	1,028,314
Total School Safety National Activity Grants	84.184		3,318,198
Total Direct Programs			10,283,163
Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services			
Passed-through the N.C. Department of Public Instruction:			
Special Education Cluster:			
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act			
Special Education - Grants to States	84.027	PRC 060	6,066,402
Special Education - Targeted Assistance	84.027	PRC 118	18,712
Special Education - Targeted Assistance for Preschool	84.173	PRC 119	2,053
Special Education - Preschool Grants	84.173	PRC 049	203,294
Special Education - Coordinated Early Intervening Services	84.027	PRC 070	379,427
COVID-19 - ESSER III - ARP IDEA Grant to States	84.027	PRC 185	5,476
COVID-19 - ESSER III - ARP IDEA Preschool Grants	84.173	PRC 186	7,318
Total Special Education Cluster			6,682,682
Title VI-B, Education of the Handicapped	84.323	PRC 082	15,283
Passed-through the N.C. Department of Public Instruction:			
Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology			
Education Act Amendments of 1990			
Basic Grants to States			
Program Development	84.048	PRC 017	315,635
Total U.S. Department of Education			34,312,341
<u>U.S. Department of the Treasury</u>			
Passed-through the N.C. Office of State Management and Budget			
N.C. Pandemic Recovery Office			
Passed-through the N.C. Department of Public Instruction			
Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds			
COVID-19 - ARP - School Bus Safety Pilot	21.027	PRC 140	775,889
Other Federal Assistance:			
<u>U.S. Department of Defense</u>			
Direct Program:			
JROTC	12.000		213,421
<u>U.S. Department of Justice</u>			
Direct Program:			
Public Safety Partnership and Community Policing Grant	16.710	PRC 382	12,275
<u>U.S. Federal Communications Commission</u>			
Direct Program:			
Emergency Connectivity Fund	32.009		194,726
Total Federal Assistance			44,772,944

IREDELL-STATESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AND STATE AWARDS
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Grantor/Pass-through Grantor/Program Title	Federal AL Number	Expenditures
State Grants:		
<u>N.C. Department of Agriculture</u>		
State Reduced Breakfast Program		2,768
State Reduced Lunch Program		8,931
Total N.C. Department of Agriculture		11,699
<u>N.C. Department of Public Instruction:</u>		
State Public School Fund		138,922,109
Career Technical Education		
State Months of Employment	PRC 013	7,187,389
Program Support Funds	PRC 014	1,143,522
Driver Training	PRC 012	496,467
School Technology Fund	PRC 015	241,802
Passed-through Iredell County:		
Lottery Capital Funds		
Public School Building Capital Fund		2,000,000
Public School Building Repair and Renovation Fund		243,120
Total Lottery Capital Funds		2,243,120
Total N.C. Department of Public Instruction		150,234,409
<u>Non-cash from N.C Department of Public Instruction</u>		
Buses		1,699,642
<u>N.C. Office of State Budget Management</u>		
Directed Capital Grant		2,000,000
<u>N.C. Wildlife Resources Commission</u>		
N.C. Outdoor Heritage Advisory Council		
N.C. Schools Go Outside		9,429
<u>N.C. Department of Health and Human Services</u>		
Division of Child Development and Early Education		
School Nurse Funding Initiative		50,000
N.C. Expansion and Access to Childcare Grant		302,788
Total N.C. Department of Health and Human Services		352,788
Total State Assistance		154,307,967
Total Federal and State Assistance		\$ 199,080,911

Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards

Note 1. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal and State awards (SEFSA) includes the federal and State grant activity of Iredell-Statesville Board of Education under the programs of the federal government and the State of North Carolina for the year ended June 30, 2024. The information in this SEFSA is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 US Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards and the State Single Audit Implementation Act. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of Iredell-Stateville Board of Education, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets or cash flows of Iredell-Stateville Board of Education.

Note 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Expenditures reported in the SEFSA are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

Iredell-Statesville Board of Education has elected not to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

Note 3. Clusters

The following are clustered by the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction and are treated separately for state audit requirements purposes: School Nutrition Program.