Caddo Hills School District No. 28

Montgomery County, Arkansas

Regulatory Basis Financial Statements and Other Reports

June 30, 2023



LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE

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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Caddo Hills School District No. 28 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Caddo Hills School District No. 28 (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's regulatory basis financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Unmodified Opinions on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective regulatory basis financial position of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District as of June 30, 2023, and the respective regulatory basis changes in financial position thereof and the respective regulatory basis budgetary comparison for the general and special revenue funds for the year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) as provided in Act 2201 of 2005 described in Note 1.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles section of our report, the accompanying financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the District as of June 30, 2023, or the changes in financial position for the year then ended.

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

Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described in Note 1 of the financial statements, the financial statements are prepared by the District on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) as provided in Act 2201 of 2005, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, to meet the requirements of the State of Arkansas. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material and pervasive.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) as provided in Act 2201 of 2005, as described in Note 1, to meet the requirements of the State of Arkansas. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

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

- exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's regulatory basis financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards,* is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the regulatory basis 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 regulatory basis financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory basis financial statements and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements or to the regulatory basis financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the regulatory basis financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the report. The other information comprises the Schedule of Capital Assets and the Schedule of Selected Information for the Last Five Years – Regulatory Basis but does not include the regulatory basis financial statements, supplementary information, and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the regulatory basis financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 7, 2024 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Caddo Hills School District No. 28 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Caddo Hills School District No. 28 (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's regulatory basis financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated March 7, 2024. We issued an adverse opinion because the District prepared the financial statements on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Arkansas Code, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material and pervasive. However, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective regulatory basis financial position of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District as of June 30, 2023, and the respective regulatory basis changes in financial position thereof and the respective regulatory basis budgetary comparison for the general and special revenue funds for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the regulatory basis financial statements, we considered the District'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 regulatory basis financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control.

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

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of This Report

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

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

Matt Fink

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Little Rock, Arkansas March 7, 2024



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LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Caddo Hills School District No. 28 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Caddo Hills School District No. 28's (the "District") compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023. The District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the District complied, in all material respects, with the 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, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the District 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 provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, we

- exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit
 procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the
 District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we
 considered necessary in the circumstances.
- obtain an understanding of the District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit
 procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in
 accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the
 District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance which is required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-001. Our opinion on each major federal program is not modified with respect to this matter.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the District's response to the noncompliance finding identified in our audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The District's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we did identify a certain deficiency in internal control over compliance that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-001, to be a significant deficiency.

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.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the District's response to the internal control over compliance finding identified in our audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The District's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

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

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Matt Fink, CPA Deputy Legislative Auditor

Little Rock, Arkansas March 7, 2024

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS JUNE 30, 2023

	Major					
				Special		Other
		General		Revenue		Aggregate
ASSETS						
Cash	\$	911,610	\$	167,844	\$	516,719
Accounts receivable		458		333,167		
Due from other funds		217,298				
Deposit with paying agent						52,578
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	1,129,366	\$	501,011	\$	569,297
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
Liabilities:						
Accounts payable	\$	20,955	\$	30,593		
Due to other funds				217,298		
Total Liabilities		20,955		247,891		
Fund Balances:						
Nonspendable					\$	52,578
Restricted		136,218		253,120		
Assigned		91,576				516,719
Unassigned		880,617				
Total Fund Balances		1,108,411		253,120		569,297
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND						
FUND BALANCES	\$	1,129,366	\$	501,011	\$	569,297

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	Major					
				Special		Other
		General		Revenue		Aggregate
REVENUES	¢	1 0 4 0 700				
Property taxes (including property tax relief trust distribution)	\$	1,246,796 3,841,576	¢	0.460	¢	11 602
State assistance Federal assistance		239,738	\$	2,163 3,084,826	\$	11,693
Activity revenues		239,738 211,449		3,004,020		
Meal sales		211,445		60,707		
Investment income		37,275		00,101		5,797
Other revenues		77,577				0,101
TOTAL REVENUES		5,654,411		3,147,696		17,490
EXPENDITURES						
Regular programs		1,955,766		658,058		
Special education		365,461		161,009		
Career education programs		279,310		441,976		
Compensatory education programs		38,417		513,341		
Other instructional programs		233,992		30,410		
Student support services		178,495		62,958		
Instructional staff support services		318,547		259,144		
General administration support services		181,595		18,271		
School administration support services		254,702		41,914		
Central services support services		126,786		8,954		
Operation and maintenance of plant services		618,303		70,174		
Student transportation services		349,228		17,585		
Other support services		11,179				
Food services operations				469,657		
Community services operations				8,953		
Facilities acquisition and construction services				363,704		1,607,810
Non-programmed costs				26,814		
Activity expenditures		221,922				
Debt Service:						
Principal retirement		14,365				75,000
Interest and fiscal charges Net debt issuance costs		1,997				65,025 34,727
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		5,150,065		3,152,922		1,782,562
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		504,346		(5,226)		(1,765,072)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Transfers in						448,420
Transfers out		(448,420)				
Federal grant revenue passed through from a cooperative				21,736		
Early retirement of debt						(92,083)
Refund to grantor		(1,000)				
Proceeds from construction bond issue						840,000
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(449,420)		21,736		1,196,337
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER						
SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES						
AND OTHER USES		54,926		16,510		(568,735)
FUND BALANCES - JULY 1		1,053,485		236,610	_	1,138,032
FUND BALANCES - JUNE 30	\$	1,108,411	\$	253,120	\$	569,297
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

		General		Special Revenue				
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)		
REVENUES								
Property taxes (including property tax relief trust distribution)	\$ 1,210,000	\$ 1,246,796	\$ 36,796					
State assistance	3,717,267	3,841,576	124,309	\$ 2,500	\$ 2,163	\$ (337)		
Federal assistance	200,000	239,738	39,738	2,827,417	3,084,826	257,409		
Activity revenues		211,449	211,449		~~~~	(= 000)		
Meal sales				66,000	60,707	(5,293)		
Investment income	25,000	37,275	12,275					
Other revenues	7,800	77,577	69,777					
TOTAL REVENUES	5,160,067	5,654,411	494,344	2,895,917	3,147,696	251,779		
EXPENDITURES								
Regular programs	2,102,028	1,955,766	146,262	646,251	658,058	(11,807)		
Special education	374,533	365,461	9,072	169,994	161,009	8,985		
Career education programs	226,810	279,310	(52,500)	1,113	441,976	(440,863)		
Compensatory education programs	42,815	38,417	4,398	770,579	513,341	257,238		
Other instructional programs	240,578	233,992	6,586	-,	30,410	(30,410)		
Student support services	178,306	178,495	(189)	99,569	62,958	36,611		
Instructional staff support services	332,195	318,547	13,648	235,918	259,144	(23,226)		
General administration support services	188,822	181,595	7,227	9,163	18,271	(9,108)		
School administration support services	258,866	254,702	4.164	661	41,914	(41,253)		
Central services support services	132,067	126,786	5,281	21,055	8,954	12,101		
Operation and maintenance of plant services	575,477	618,303	(42,826)	36,867	70,174	(33,307)		
Student transportation services	460,606	349,228	111,378	37,012	17,585	19,427		
Other support services	9,294	11,179	(1,885)	- ,-	,	-,		
Food services operations	-, -	, -	()/	424,234	469,657	(45,423)		
Community services operations				15,936	8,953	6,983		
Facilities acquisition and construction services				557,082	363,704	193,378		
Non-programmed costs				38,349	26,814	11,535		
Activity expenditures		221,922	(221,922)	,	- , -	,		
Debt Service:		y -						
Principal retirement	52,365	14,365	38,000					
Interest and fiscal charges	1,997	1,997						
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	5,176,759	5,150,065	26,694	3,063,783	3,152,922	(89,139)		

Exhibit C

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

	General					Special Revenue						
	Budget		Actual		Variance Favorable Actual (Unfavorable)		Budget		Actual		F	Variance ⁻ avorable nfavorable)
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	(16,692)	\$	504,346	\$	521,038	\$	(167,866)	\$	(5,226)	\$	162,640
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Federal grant revenue passed through from a cooperative		6,666,869 (6,756,857)		(448,420)		(6,666,869) 6,308,437		30,705 (30,705) 21,736		21,736		(30,705) 30,705
Refund to grantor				(1,000)		(1,000)						
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(89,988)		(449,420)		(359,432)		21,736		21,736		0
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		(106,680)		54,926		161,606		(146,130)		16,510		162,640
FUND BALANCES - JULY 1		1,057,623		1,053,485		(4,138)		236,905	<u> </u>	236,610		(295)
FUND BALANCES - JUNE 30	\$	950,943	\$	1,108,411	\$	157,468	\$	90,775	\$	253,120	\$	162,345

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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Exhibit C

1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

The Board of Education, a five member group, is the level of government, which has responsibilities over all activities related to public elementary and secondary school education within the jurisdiction of the Caddo Hills School District (District). There are no component units.

B. Description of Funds

Major governmental funds (per the regulatory basis of accounting) are defined as General and Special Revenue.

<u>General Fund</u> – The General Fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

<u>Special Revenue Fund</u> – The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service. The Special Revenue Fund includes federal revenues and related expenditures, restricted for specific educational programs or projects, including the District's food services operations. The Special Revenue Fund also includes required matching for those federal programs, program income required to be used to further the objectives of those programs, and transfers from the general fund to supplement such programs.

Other governmental funds, presented in the aggregate, consist of the following:

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u> – The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. The Capital Projects Fund excludes those types of capital-related outflows financed by proprietary funds or for assets that will be held in trust for individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

<u>Debt Service Fund</u> – The Debt Service Fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for principal and interest.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with a regulatory basis of accounting (RBA). This basis of accounting is prescribed by Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) and requires that financial statements be presented on a fund basis with, as a minimum, the general fund and special revenue fund presented separately and all other funds included in the audit presented in the aggregate. The law also stipulates that the financial statements consist of a balance sheet; a statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances; a comparison of the final adopted budget to the actual expenditures for the general fund and special revenue funds of the entity; notes to financial statements; and a supplemental schedule of capital assets, including land, buildings, and equipment. The law further stipulates that the State Board of Education shall promulgate the rules necessary to administer the regulatory basis of presentation.

The RBA is not in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). GAAP require that basic financial statements present government-wide financial statements. Additionally, GAAP require the following major concepts: Management's Discussion and Analysis, accrual basis of accounting for government-wide financial statements, including depreciation expense, modified accrual basis of accounting for fund financial statements, separate financial statements for fiduciary fund types and other requirements for fiduciary fund types, separate identification of special and extraordinary items, inclusion of capital assets, leases, and debt in the financial statements, inclusion of the net pension liability in the financial statements, specific procedures for the identification of major governmental funds, and applicable note disclosures. The RBA does not require government-wide financial statements or the previously identified concepts.

1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

The accompanying financial statements are presented on a fund basis. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts, which are segregated for purposes of recording specific activities or attaining certain objectives. Major governmental funds are defined as general and special revenue, and such funds are presented separately in the financial statements. All other governmental funds are presented in the aggregate. Fiduciary fund types are presented in a separate column in the Balance Sheet – Regulatory Basis. Revenues are reported by major sources and expenditures are reported by major function. Other transactions, which are not reported as revenues or expenditures, are reported as other financing sources and uses. Transactions related to the recording of installment contracts and financed purchases are reported as other financing sources. Changes in private-purpose funds will be reflected in the notes to financial statements.

D. Revenue Recognition Policies

Revenues are recognized when they become susceptible to accrual in accordance with the RBA, except for property taxes (see Note 1 F below).

E. Capital Assets

Information on capital assets and related depreciation is reported at Schedule 1. Capital assets are capitalized at historical cost or estimated historical cost, if actual data is not available. Capital assets purchased are recorded as expenditures in the applicable fund at the time of purchase. Donated capital assets are reported at acquisition value when received. The District maintains a threshold level of \$2,500 for capitalizing equipment. Library holdings are not capitalized.

No salvage value is taken into consideration for depreciation purposes. All capital assets, other than land and construction in progress, are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Asset Class	Estimated Useful Life in Years					
Improvements/infrastructure	20					
Buildings	50					
Equipment	5-20					

F. Property Taxes

Property taxes are levied (tax rates are established) in November of each year based on property assessment (real and personal) that occurred within a specific period of time beginning January 1 of the same year. Property taxes are collectible beginning the first business day of March of the year following the levy date and are considered delinquent after October 15 of the same calendar year.

Amendment no. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution established a uniform minimum property tax millage rate of 25 mills for maintenance and operation of public schools. Ark. Code Ann. § 26-80-101 provides the uniform rate of tax (URT) shall be assessed and collected in the same manner as other school property taxes, but the net revenues from the URT shall be remitted to the State Treasurer and distributed by the State to the county treasurer of each county for distribution to the school districts in that county. For reporting purposes, URT revenues are considered property taxes.

1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

G. Interfund Receivables and Payables

Interfund receivables and payables result from services rendered from one fund to another or from interfund loans.

- H. Fund Balance Classifications
 - 1. Nonspendable fund balance represents amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.
 - Restricted fund balance represents amounts that are restricted to specific purposes when constraints placed on the use of resources are either (a) externally imposed by creditors (such as through bond covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
 - 3. Assigned fund balance represents amounts that are constrained by the District's *intent* to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.
 - 4. Unassigned fund balance represents amounts that have not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. This classification can also include negative amounts in other governmental funds, if expenditures incurred for specific purposes exceeded the amounts restricted, committed, or assigned to those purposes.
- I. Budget and Budgetary Accounting

The District is required by state law to prepare an annual budget. The annual budget is prepared on a fiscal year basis. The District does not prepare and submit amended budgets during the fiscal year. The State Department of Education's regulations allow for the cash basis or the modified accrual basis. However, the majority of the school districts employ the cash basis method.

The District budgets intra-fund transfers. Significant variances may result in the comparison of transfers at the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances – Budget and Actual – General and Special Revenue Funds – Regulatory Basis because only interfund transfers are reported at the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds – Regulatory Basis. Additionally, the District routinely budgets restricted federal programs as part of the special revenue fund.

Budgetary perspective differences are not considered to be significant, because the structure of the information utilized in preparing the budget and the applicable fund financial statements is essentially the same.

J. Stabilization Arrangements

The District's Board of Education has not formally set aside amounts for use in emergency situations or when revenue shortages or budgetary imbalances arise.

K. Minimum Fund Balance Policies

The District's Board of Education has not formally adopted a minimum fund balance policy.

L. Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures

The Superintendent, in conjunction with other management and accounting personnel, is authorized to assign amounts to a specific purpose. The District's Board of Education has not adopted a formal policy addressing this authorization.

1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

L. Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures (Continued)

The District's revenues, expenditures, and fund balances are tracked in the accounting system by numerous sources of funds. The fund balances of these sources of funds are combined to derive the District's total fund balances by fund. It is uncommon for an individual source of funds to contain restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, or unassigned) funds. The District does not have a policy addressing whether it considers restricted or unrestricted amounts to have been spent when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted amounts are available. District personnel decide which resources (source of funds) to use at the time expenditures are incurred. For classification of fund balance amounts, restricted resources are considered spent before unrestricted. The District does not have a policy addressing which resources to use within the unrestricted fund balances when committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available. When expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used, committed amounts are reduced first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts.

M. Encumbrances

The District does not utilize encumbrance accounting.

2: CASH DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Cash deposits are carried at cost (carrying value). A comparison of the bank balance and carrying value is as follows:

	 Carrying Amount		Ba Bala	
Insured (FDIC) Collateralized:	\$ 250,000		\$	250,000
Collateral held by the District's agent, pledging bank or pledging bank's trust department or agent in the District's name	1,346,173			1,479,249
Total Deposits	\$ 1,596,173		\$	1,729,249

3: ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable at June 30, 2023, were comprised of the following:

	Governmental Funds					
	Major					
				Special		
Description	Ge	neral	Revenue			
State assistance Federal assistance Other	\$	403 23 32	\$	333,167		
Totals	\$	458	\$	333,167		

4: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Accounts payable at June 30, 2023, were comprised of the following:

	Governmental Funds				
	Major				
			5	Special	
Description	G	eneral	R	evenue	
Vendor payables	\$	20,955	\$	30,593	

5: COMMITMENTS

The District was contractually obligated for the following at June 30, 2023:

A. Construction Contracts

Project Name	Completion Date	Contra	act Balance
Caddo Hills Post Tension Track	August 14, 2023	\$	32,223
Caddo Hills Nurses Station	October 30, 2023		122,807

B. Long-term Debt Issued and Outstanding

The District is presently paying on the following long-term debt:

Date of Issue	Date of Final Maturity	Rate of Interest	-	Amount Authorized and Issued		Debt Outstanding June 30, 2023		laturities To e 30, 2023
<u>Bonds</u> 5/1/20 12/1/22	2/1/50 2/1/37	1.25-2.45% 3.5-3.7%	\$	3,095,000 840,000	\$	2,860,000 840,000	\$	235,000
Total	l Long-Term De	ebt	\$	3,935,000	\$	3,700,000	\$	235,000

Changes in Long-term Debt

	Balance uly 1, 2022	lssued		I	Retired	Balance ne 30, 2023
Bonds payable	\$ 2,935,000	\$	840,000	\$	75,000	\$ 3,700,000
Direct Borrowings Financed purchase	 106,448				106,448	
Total Long-Term Debt	\$ 3,041,448	\$	840,000	\$	181,448	\$ 3,700,000

* Includes \$92,083 early retirement of debt - See Note 9.

5: COMMITMENTS (Continued)

Future Principal and Interest Payments

	Bonds								
Year Ended		Drineinel		late reat		Tatal			
June 30,		Principal		Interest		Total			
2024	\$	120,000	\$	99,291	\$	219,291			
2025		125,000		91,603		216,603			
2026		130,000		88,803		218,803			
2027		135,000		85,933		220,933			
2028		135,000		82,408	217,408				
2029-2033		740,000		355,978	1,095,978				
2034-2038		775,000		248,195		1,023,195			
2039-2043		570,000		160,512		730,512			
2044-2048		670,000		86,913		756,913			
2049-2050		300,000		11,147		311,147			
Totals	\$	3,700,000	\$	1,310,783	\$	5,010,783			

Security for Debt Payments

Ark. Code Ann. § 6-20-1204 specifies procedures to be followed if a school district is delinquent in a payment to the paying agent for bonded debt. As additional security, any delinquent payment for bonded debt will be satisfied by the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE). Depending on the date of the bond issue, DESE will recover the full amount of any delinquency payment through the withholding of a school district's state funding or a direct payment from the school district. There were no delinquent bond payments incurred by the District during the audit period.

6: PLEDGED REVENUES

The District has pledged a portion of its property taxes to retire bonds of \$3,935,000 issued from May 1, 2020 to December 1, 2022. The bonds were issued for various capital projects. Total principal and interest remaining on the bonds is \$5,010,783, payable through February 1, 2050. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total property taxes pledged for debt service were \$139,780 and \$321,873, respectively. The percentage of property taxes pledged for the current year for principal and interest payments was 43.43 percent.

7: INTERFUND TRANSFERS

The District transferred \$448,420 from the general fund to the other aggregate funds for debt related payments of \$148,420 and \$300,000 for future capital projects.

8: RETIREMENT PLAN

Arkansas Teacher Retirement System

Plan Description

The District contributes to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System (ATRS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that covers employees of schools and education-related agencies, except certain non-teaching school employees. ATRS, administered by a Board of Trustees, provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State law and can be amended only by the Arkansas General Assembly. The Arkansas Teacher Retirement System issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for ATRS. That report may be obtained by writing to Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, 1400 West Third Street, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201, by calling 501-682-1517, or by visiting the ATRS website at <u>www.artrs.gov</u>. Funding Policy

ATRS has contributory and noncontributory plans. Contributory members are required by State law to contribute 7% of their salaries. Each participating employer is required by State law to contribute at a rate determined by the Board of Trustees, based on the annual actuarial valuation. The current employer rate is 15% of covered salaries. The District's contributions to ATRS for the year ended June 30, 2023, were \$620,102, equal to the required contributions.

Net Pension Liability

The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education has stipulated that, under the regulatory basis of accounting, the requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement no. 68 would be limited to disclosure of the District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability. The District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability. The District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability.

9: EARLY RETIREMENT OF DEBT

The District paid \$92,083 to retire the principal balance of an installment contract dated November 24, 2015, prior to the scheduled maturity date of November 24, 2025.

10: RISK MANAGEMENT

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

The District carries commercial insurance for student accidents, business trips, and board liability.

The District participates in the Arkansas School Boards Association – Workers' Compensation Trust (the Trust), a self-insurance trust voluntarily established on July 1, 1994, pursuant to state law. The Trust is responsible for obtaining and administering workers' compensation insurance coverage for its members, as well as obtaining reinsurance coverage for those claims that exceed the standard policy limits. In its administrative capacity, the Trust is responsible for monitoring, negotiating and settling claims that have been filed on behalf of and against member districts. The District contributes annually to this program.

Additionally, the District participates in the Arkansas School Boards Association – Risk Management Program (the Association), a self-insurance program voluntarily established on February 1, 1984, pursuant to state law. The Association is responsible for obtaining and administering insurance coverage for property and vehicles for its members, as well as obtaining reinsurance coverage for those claims that exceed the standard policy limits. In its administrative capacity, the Association is responsible for monitoring, negotiating, and settling claims that have been filed against member districts. The District pays an annual premium for its coverage of building, contents, and vehicles.

10: RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

The District participates in the Arkansas Fidelity Bond Trust Fund administered by the Governmental Bonding Board. This program provides coverage for actual losses sustained by its members through fraudulent or dishonest acts committed by officials or employees. Each loss is limited to \$300,000 with a \$2,500 deductible. Premiums for coverage are paid by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State of Arkansas from funds withheld from the Public School Fund.

Settled claims have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the prior year in the major categories of risk.

11: ON-BEHALF PAYMENTS

The allocation of the health insurance premiums paid by the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education to the Employee Benefits Division, on-behalf of the District's employees, totaled \$180,138 for the year ended June 30, 2023.

12: DETAILS OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE CLASSIFICATIONS DISPLAYED IN THE AGGREGATE

	Governmental Funds							
	Ma							
		Special	Other					
Description	General	Revenue	Aggregate					
Fund Balances:								
Nonspendable:								
Deposit with paying agent			\$ 52,578					
Restricted for:								
Alternative learning environment	\$ 1,244							
Enhanced student achievement funding	64,866							
English-language learners	8,555							
Professional development	6,030							
Child nutrition programs		\$ 152,975						
Medical services		36,651						
Special education programs	54,140							
Other purposes	1,383	63,494						
Total Restricted	136,218	253,120						
Assigned to:								
Capital projects			516,719					
Student activities	91,576							
Total Assigned	91,576		516,719					
Unassigned	880,617							
Totals	\$1,108,411	\$ 253,120	\$ 569,297					

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 (Unaudited)

	Balance June 30, 2023
Nondepreciable capital assets:	
Land	\$ 78,078
Construction in progress	1,852,779
Total nondepreciable capital assets	1,930,857
Depreciable capital assets:	
Buildings	6,371,102
Improvements/infrastructure	1,273,271
Equipment	2,695,746
Total depreciable capital assets	10,340,119
Less accumulated depreciation for:	
Buildings	3,580,111
Improvements/infrastructure	925,225
Equipment	1,268,596
Total accumulated depreciation	5,773,932
Total depreciable capital assets, net	4,566,187
Capital assets, net	\$ 6,497,044

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Provided to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures
CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER			·	
U. S. Department of Agriculture				
Arkansas Department of Education - School Breakfast Program	10.553	4901		\$ 80,612
National School Lunch Program (Note 5) Arkansas Department of Education - National School Lunch	10.555			7,704
Program Arkansas Department of Human Services - National School	10.555	4901		303,029
Lunch Program (Note 6)	10.555	4901000		23,522
Total for National School Lunch Program				334,255
Arkansas Department of Education - Fresh Fruit and				
Vegetable Program	Fresh Fruit and griculture CLUSTER DEA) Special Education - Special Education - Special Education - Stration ION CLUSTER (IDEA) Rural Education Rural Education Strate Pund COVID-19 - Elementary Relief Fund COVID-19 - American condary School Emergency Strate Pund Strate Pund			5,759
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture				420,626
TOTAL CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER				420,626
SPECIAL EDUCATION CLUSTER (IDEA) U. S. Department of Education				
Arkansas Department of Education - Special Education -				
Grants to States	84.027A	4901		143,931
Arkansas Department of Education - Special Education -	01.02770	1001		110,001
Preschool Grants	84.173A	4901		5,728
Total U.S. Department of Education				149,659
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION CLUSTER (IDEA)				149,659
OTHER PROGRAMS				
U. S. Department of Education Rural Education	94 2594			2 5 9 2
Arkansas Department of Education - Rural Education		4001		3,583 16,081
Total for Rural Education	04.000	4901		19,664
				10,004
Arkansas Department of Education - COVID-19 - Elementary				
and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	84.425D	4901		299,150
Arkansas Department of Education - COVID-19 - American				
Rescue Plan - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	84.425U	4901		974.062
Arkansas Department of Education - COVID-19 - American	04.4200	4901		874,063
Rescue Plan - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency				
Relief - Homeless Children and Youth	84.425W	4901		6,802
Total Education Stabilization Fund				1,180,015
Arkansas Department of Education - Title I Grants to Local				
Educational Agencies	84.010A	4901		289,524
Arkansas Public School Resource Center - Charter Schools	84.282A	N/A		874,273
Arkansas Department of Education - Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program	84.424A	4901		19,476
Total U. S. Department of Education	07.7277	4301		2,382,952
				2,002,002
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services				
DeQueen-Mena Educational Service Cooperative - COVID-19				
Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases	93.323	N/A		21,736
Total U. S. Department of Health and Human Services				21,736
TOTAL OTHER PROGRAMS				2,404,688
				2,707,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			\$ 0	\$ 2,974,973

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

- Note 1: Basis of Presentation The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of Caddo Hills School District No. 28 (District) under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2023. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position or changes in financial position of the District.
- Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the regulatory 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.
- Note 3: The District has elected not to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.
- Note 4: During the year ended June 30, 2023, the District received Medicaid funding of \$38,831 from the Arkansas Department of Human Services. Such payments are not considered Federal awards expended, and therefore, are not included in the above Schedule.
- Note 5: Nonmonetary assistance is reported at the approximate value as provided by the U. S. Department of Defense through an agreement with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
- Note 6: Nonmonetary assistance is reported at the approximate value as provided by the Arkansas Department of Human Services.

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Types of auditor's reports issued on whether the financial statements audited were prepared in accordance with:

Generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) - adverse Regulatory basis - unmodified				
Internal control over financial reporting:				
Material weakness(es) identified?		yes	Х	no
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?		yes	Х	none reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?		yes	Х	no
FEDERAL AWARDS				
Internal control over major federal programs:				
Material weakness(es) identified?		yes	X	no
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	Х	yes		none reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major federal programs: un	nmodified			
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?	X	yes		no
Identification of major federal programs:				
AL Number(s)	Name of Federal I	Program or	Cluster	
84.425D, 84.425U, and 84.425W 84.282A	COVID-19 - Educati Charter	on Stabiliza Schools	tion Fund	
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs:	\$		750,000	
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	X	yes		no

SECTION II - FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

No matters were reported.

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

SECTION III - FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

SIGNIFICANT DEFICIENCY

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PASSED THROUGH ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION COVID-19 AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOL EMERGENCY RELIEF FUND - AL 84.425U PASS-THROUGH NUMBER 4901 AUDIT PERIOD - YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

2023-001 Special Tests and Provisions

Criteria or specific requirement (including statutory, regulatory, or other citation): 29 CFR 5.5 (Wage Rate Requirements) requires all contractors and subcontractors performing construction contracts in excess of \$2,000, financed by federal assistance funds, to pay laborers and mechanics employed by the contractor or subcontractor not less than the prevailing wage rates established by the Department of Labor for the locality of the project. Non-federal entities shall include in the applicable construction contracts a provision that the contractor or subcontractor comply with those requirements. Such requirements include the submission of weekly certified payrolls for each week in which any contract work is performed, to the non-federal entities.

Condition: The District paid a flooring company \$34,600 from the Education Stabilization Fund to replace old carpet with tile in the District without obtaining a written contract that included the prevailing wage rate clause. Additionally, weekly certified payrolls were not submitted to the District.

Effect: The District did not comply with Wage Rate Requirements.

Cause: Lack of program oversight.

Context: Examined all payments/contracts for facility repairs and improvements, three in total.

Identification as a repeat finding: No

Recommendation: The District should ensure that all applicable construction contracts contain the required notification regarding compliance with the Wage Rate Requirements. Copies of the weekly certified payrolls should be obtained for the applicable projects. The District should also contact the Arkansas Division of Elementary and Secondary Education for further directives regarding this matter and implement proper controls over program expenditures.

Views of responsible officials: The District will ensure that contracts are obtained and all applicable construction contracts will contain the required notification regarding compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act. Copies of the weekly-certified payrolls will be obtained for the applicable projects. When bids involving Federal funds are solicited, only those contracts with documentation of Davis Bacon will be considered for the project.



Home of the Indians



Schedule 4

Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings For the year ended June 30, 2023

Financial Statement Findings

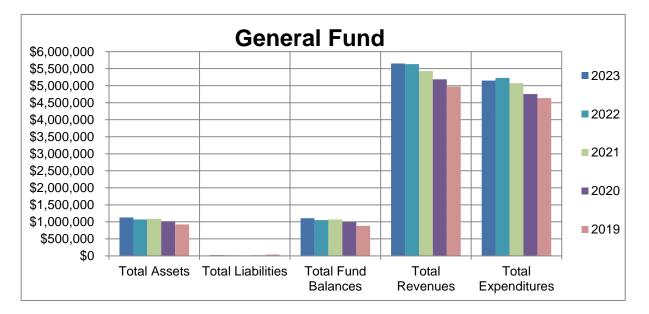
There were no findings in the prior audit.

Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

There were no findings in the prior audit.

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 (Unaudited)

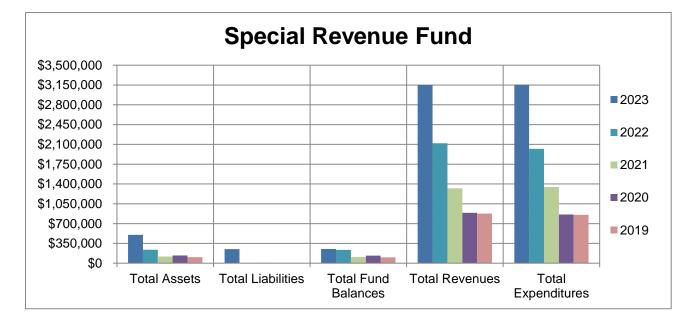
	Year Ended June 30,										
General Fund	2023		2022		2021		2020		2019		
Total Assets	\$	1,129,366	\$	1,068,595	\$	1,089,952	\$	1,016,592	\$	923,207	
Total Liabilities		20,955		15,110		18,665		15,588		38,251	
Total Fund Balances		1,108,411		1,053,485		1,071,287		1,001,004		884,956	
Total Revenues		5,654,411		5,633,841		5,427,141		5,189,447		4,974,219	
Total Expenditures		5,150,065		5,229,132		5,071,520		4,753,846		4,637,204	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		(449,420)		(422,511)		(312,428)		(319,553)		(335,139)	



Schedule 5

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 (Unaudited)

	Year Ended June 30,										
Special Revenue Fund	2023		2022		2021		2020		2019		
Total Assets	\$	501,011	\$	236,914	\$	117,898	\$	136,463	\$	105,772	
Total Liabilities		247,891		304		9,029		3,501		2,000	
Total Fund Balances		253,120		236,610		108,869		132,962		103,772	
Total Revenues		3,147,696		2,120,114		1,323,346		890,230		878,090	
Total Expenditures		3,152,922		2,022,509		1,347,439		861,040		855,948	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		21,736		30,136							



Schedule 5

CADDO HILLS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 28 MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023 (Unaudited)

Schedule 5

	Year Ended June 30,										
Other Aggregate Funds	2023		2022		2021		2020		2019		
Total Assets	\$	569,297	\$	1,138,032	\$	2,057,303	\$	2,404,733	\$	346,469	
Total Liabilities								2,554			
Total Fund Balances		569,297		1,138,032		2,057,303		2,402,179		346,469	
Total Revenues		17,490		24,719		46,332		18,667		66,513	
Total Expenditures		1,782,562		1,355,969		718,952		267,836		325,881	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		1,196,337		411,979		327,744		2,304,879		335,139	

