REGULAR AUDIT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012



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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

Mahoning County High School Mahoning County 100 DeBartolo Place, Suite 220 Youngstown, Ohio 44512

To the Governing Board:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Mahoning County High School, Mahoning County, Ohio (the "School"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2012, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the School's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of Mahoning County High School, Mahoning County, Ohio, as of June 30, 2012, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 29, 2013 on our consideration of the School's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. While we did not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance, that report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. You should read it in conjunction with this report in assessing the results of our audit.

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Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require this presentation to include *Management's Discussion and Analysis*, as listed in the table of contents, to supplement the basic financial statements. Although this information is not part of the basic financial statements, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board considers it essential 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 or provide any other assurance.

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March 29, 2013

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

The management's discussion and analysis of Mahoning County High School's (the "School") financial performance provides an overall review of the School's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the School's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2012 are as follows:

- In total, net assets were \$220,247, which represents a \$75,069 decrease from 2011.
- The School had operating revenues of \$744,742 and operating expenses of \$981,617 for fiscal year 2012. The School also received \$161,525 in federal and state grants and \$281 in interest income during fiscal year 2012.

Using these Basic Financial Statements

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand the School's financial activities. The *Statement of Net Assets* and *Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets* provide information about the activities of the School, including all short-term and long-term financial resources and obligations.

Reporting the School's Financial Activities

Statement of Net Assets, Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets and the Statement of Cash Flows

These documents look at all financial transactions and asks the question "How did we do financially during 2012?" The Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets answer this question. These statements include *all assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses* using the *accrual basis of accounting* similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. This basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the School's *net assets* and changes in those assets. This change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the School as a whole, the *financial position* of the School has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. These statements can be found on pages 7 and 8 of this report.

The Statement of Cash Flows provides information about how the School finances and is meeting the cash flow needs of its operations. The Statement of Cash Flows can be found on page 9 of this report.

The table below provides a summary of the School's net assets for fiscal years 2012 and 2011.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

Net Assets

	-	2012	2	2011
Assets				
Current assets	\$	346,231	\$	350,803
Capital assets, net		21,091		28,061
Total assets		367,322		378,864
Liabilities				
Current liabilities		147,075		83,548
Total liabilities		147,075		83,548
<u>Net assets</u>				
Invested in capital assets		21,091		28,061
Restricted		30,904		80,491
Unrestricted		168,252		186,764
Total net assets	\$	220,247	\$	295,316

Over time, net assets can serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At June 30, 2012, the School's net assets totaled \$220,247.

At year-end, capital assets represented 5.74% and 7.41% of total assets for fiscal years 2012 and 2011, respectively. Capital assets consisted of furniture and equipment. There is no debt related to these capital assets. Capital assets are used to provide services to the students and are not available for future spending.

A portion of the School's net assets, \$30,904, represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net assets of \$168,252 may be used to meet the School's ongoing obligations to the students and creditors.

The table below shows the changes in net assets for fiscal years 2012 and 2011.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

Change in Net Assets

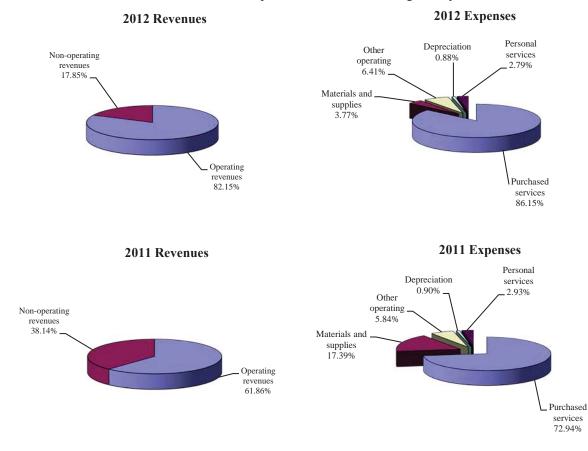
	2012	2011
Operating revenues:		
State foundation	\$ 743,977	\$ 598,285
Other operating revenues	765	404
Total operating revenue	744,742	598,689
Operating expenses:		
Personal services	27,427	25,737
Purchased services	845,695	640,853
Materials and supplies	37,011	152,779
Other	62,886	51,327
Depreciation	8,598	7,878
Total operating expenses	981,617	878,574
Non-operating revenues:		
Federal and state grants	161,525	368,634
Interest income	281	515
Total non-operating revenues	161,806	369,149
Change in net assets	(75,069)	89,264
Net assets at beginning of year	295,316	206,052
Net assets at end of year	\$ 220,247	\$ 295,316

Overall, both revenues and expenses increased during fiscal year 2012 due primarily to higher enrollment, which increased from 87 to 97 students. The School's primary source of revenue is foundation payments from the State of Ohio, which accounted for 82.07% of total revenues in 2012. The School continues to supplement its State foundation revenues by applying for federal and state grants whenever possible.

The School's most significant expenses are for purchased services. These expenses are primarily payments to the School's Sponsor (the Mahoning County Educational Service Center). The Sponsor, under the Sponsorship Contract, provides planning, instructional, administrative and technical services to the School. In addition, the Sponsor provides personnel services to the School under a purchased services basis.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012 (UNAUDITED)

The charts below illustrate the revenues and expenses for the School during fiscal years 2012 and 2011.



Capital Assets

At June 30, 2012, the School had \$21,091 invested in furniture and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation. See Note 4 to the basic financial statements for more detail on capital assets.

Current Financial Related Activities

The School relies on the State Foundation Funds as well as State and Federal Sub-Grants to provide the monies necessary to operate the school. The School has committed itself to providing educational opportunities to students. Management will aggressively pursue adequate funding to secure the financial stability of the School.

Contacting the School's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our clients and creditors with a general overview of the School's finances and to show the School's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information contact Mr. Blaise Karlovic, Treasurer, Mahoning County High School, 100 DeBartolo Place, Suite 220, Youngstown, Ohio 44512-7019.

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2012

Assets:	
Current assets:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 282,787
Receivable:	
Intergovernmental	62,586
Prepayments	 858
Total current assets	 346,231
Non-current assets:	
Capital assets, net	 21,091
Total assets	 367,322
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable.	17,208
Intergovernmental payable	129,867
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Total liabilities	 147,075
Net assets:	
Invested in capital assets	21,091
Restricted for:	
State funded programs	5,926
Federally funded programs	24,866
Other purposes.	112
Unrestricted	 168,252
Total net assets	\$ 220,247

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

Operating revenues:	
State foundation	\$ 743,977
Other operating revenues	765
Total operating revenues	 744,742
Operating expenses:	
Personal services	27,427
Purchased services.	845,695
Materials and supplies	37,011
Other operating expenses	62,886
Depreciation	8,598
Total operating expenses	 981,617
Operating loss	 (236,875)
Non-operating revenues:	
Federal and state grants	161,525
Interest income	281
Total nonoperating revenues	 161,806
Change in net assets	(75,069)
Net assets at beginning of year	 295,316
Net assets at end of year	\$ 220,247

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

Cash flows from operating activities: Cash received from State foundation Cash received from other operations Cash payments for personal services	\$ 784,647 765 (27,427)
Cash payments to suppliers for goods and services Cash payments for materials and supplies	 (768,352) (73,216) (57,213)
Net cash used in operating activities	 (140,796)
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities: Cash received from state and federal grants	 207,894
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities.	 207,894
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:	
Acquisition of capital assets	 (1,628)
Net cash used in capital and related financing activities.	 (1,628)
Cash flows from investing activities: Interest received	 281
Net cash provided by investing activities	 281
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	65,751
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	217,036
Cash and cash equivalents at end of year	\$ 282,787
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used in operating activities:	
Operating loss.	\$ (236,875)
Adjustments: Depreciation	8,598
Changes in assets and liabilities: * Decrease in intergovernmental receivable Decrease in prepayments	 23,943 11 (24,972) 88,499
Net cash used in operating activities	\$ (140,796)

Footnote:

* Intergovernmental receivables overall decrease of \$70,312 had two components: operating and non-operating. The cash flows reconciliation only provides a comparison for operating activities, therefore non-operating revenues are not considered in the reconciliation. A decrease of \$23,943 was accounted for in the operating revenues, while the remaining decrease of \$46,369 was from federal and state grants and was accounted for under non-capital financing activities.

SEE ACCOMPANYING NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 1 - DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHOOL

Mahoning County High School (the "School") is a nonprofit corporation established pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Chapters 3314 and 1702. The School's objective is to meet the individual learning needs of at-risk students and/or students who are likely to drop out. The School targets students at risk of severe academic failure, primarily as a result of legal proceedings in the Mahoning County Juvenile Justice system. The School, which is part of the State's education program, is nonsectarian in its programs, admissions policies, employment practices and all other operations. The School may acquire facilities as needed and contract for any services necessary for the operation of the School.

The School is a legally separate, start-up community school, served by a five person Board of Directors. The Board of Directors shall be responsible for helping create, approve, and monitor the annual budget of the School, developing policies to guide the operation of the School, secure funding for the School, and maintaining a commitment to the vision, mission and belief statements of the School and the children it serves. The Treasurer of the Mahoning County Educational Service Center (the "Mahoning County ESC") acts as fiscal officer for the School.

The Mahoning County ESC sponsored the School during fiscal year 2012 (See Note 7.A). The Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System (ACCESS), under a purchased services contract with the School, provides internet, e-mail and other services to the School (See Note 7.B). Personnel providing services to the School on behalf of the Mahoning County ESC are considered employees of the ESC and the ESC shall be solely responsible for all payroll functions. The School provides services to 97 students.

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The basic financial statements (BFS) of the School have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The School also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) guidance issued on or before November 30, 1989, provided it does not conflict or contradict GASB pronouncements. The School does not apply FASB guidance issued after November 30, 1989. The School's significant accounting policies are described below.

A. Basis of Presentation

Enterprise accounting is used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises where the intent is that the costs (expenses) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges or where it has been decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control, accountability or other purposes.

Operating revenues are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activity of the School. Operating expenses are necessary costs incurred to provide the service that is the primary activity of the School. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating.

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

B. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Enterprise fund accounting uses a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities are included on the Statement of Net Assets. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in total net assets. Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenses are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made. The accrual basis of accounting is used for reporting purposes. Revenues are recognized when they are earned, and expenses are recognized when they are incurred.

C. Budgetary Process

Unlike other public schools located in the State of Ohio, community schools are not required to follow budgetary provisions set forth in Ohio Revised Code Chapter 5705, unless specifically provided in the School's contract with its Sponsor. The contract between the School and its Sponsor requires the School to submit a financial plan detailing an estimated school budget for each fiscal year of the contract, or five years, whichever is less.

D. Cash and Cash Equivalents

All funds of the School are maintained in demand depository accounts. These depository accounts are presented on the Statement of Net Assets as "Cash and Cash Equivalents".

E. Capital Assets and Depreciation

Capital assets are capitalized at cost or estimated historical cost and updated for additions and deletions during the year. The School maintains a capitalization threshold of \$1,000. The School does not have any infrastructure. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not capitalized.

All capital assets are depreciated. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method. Equipment is depreciated over five to ten years.

F. Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets consist of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

The School applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 2 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - (Continued)

G. Intergovernmental Revenues

The School currently participates in the State Foundation Program and the State Special Education Program. Revenues received from these programs are recognized as operating revenues in the accounting period in which all eligibility requirements have been met. Other grants and entitlements are recognized as non-operating revenues in the accounting period in which all eligibility requirements have been met.

Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is permitted, matching requirements, in which the School must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the School on a reimbursement basis.

The School also participated in the Federal Charter School Grant Program through the Ohio Department of Education. Money received under this program is recognized as non-operating revenue in the accompanying financial statements, unless it is restricted for capital acquisitions in which case it is recognized as a capital contribution. The remaining grants and entitlements received by the School are recognized as non-operating revenues in the accounting period in which eligibility requirements have been met.

H. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS

At June 30, 2012, the carrying amount of all School deposits was \$282,787. Based on the criteria described in GASB Statement No. 40, "<u>Deposits and Investment Risk Disclosures</u>", as of June 30, 2012, \$275,500 of the School's bank balance of \$304,977 was covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC), while \$29,477 was exposed to custodial credit risk as described below.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the School's deposits may not be returned. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities in amounts equal to at least 105% of the carrying value of the deposits. Such collateral, as permitted by the Ohio Revised Code, is held in single financial institution collateral pools at Federal Reserve Banks, or at member banks of the federal reserve system, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds or as specific collateral held at the Federal Reserve Bank in the name of the School. The School has no deposit policy for custodial credit risk beyond the requirement of State statute. Although the securities were held by the pledging institutions' trust department and all statutory requirements for the deposit of money had been followed, noncompliance with federal requirements could potentially subject the School to a successful claim by the FDIC.

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 4 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012, was as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2011	Additions	Disposals	Balance June 30, 2012
Furniture and equipment Less: accumulated depreciation	\$ 44,108 (16,047)	\$ 1,628 (8,598)	\$ - 	\$ 45,736 (24,645)
Capital assets, net	\$ 28,061	\$ (6,970)	<u>\$ -</u>	\$ 21,091

NOTE 5 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The School is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to contracted personnel; and natural disasters. For fiscal year 2012, the School contracted with Argonaut Insurance Company for general liability insurance with a \$1,000,000 limit for each occurrence and a \$2,000,000 annual aggregate limit. The School contracted with Argonaut Insurance Company for commercial property insurance with a coverage limit of \$27,319, subject to a \$1,000 deductible.

NOTE 6 - PURCHASED SERVICES

For fiscal year ended June 30, 2012, purchased service expenses were as follows:

Professional and technical services	\$ 787,573
Property services	33,498
Travel expenses	1,037
Communications	1,863
Utilities services	11,210
Contracted services	3,514
Pupil transportation services	 7,000
Total	\$ 845,695

NOTE 7 - CONTRACTS

A. Mahoning County ESC

The School entered into a sponsorship contract with Mahoning County ESC (the "ESC") effective April 1, 2008. Under the terms of the agreement, the ESC shall carry out the responsibilities established by law, including the following:

- Monitor and evaluate the academic and fiscal performance and the organization and operation of the School on at least a semi-annual basis;
- Report on an annual basis the results of the evaluation conducted to the Department of Education and to the parents/guardians of students enrolled in the School.

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 7 - CONTRACTS - (Continued)

- Provide technical assistance and monitor the School's compliance with all laws applicable to the School and with the terms of the contract.
- Take steps to intervene in the School's operation to correct problems in the School's overall performance, declare the School to be on probationary status under Ohio Revised Code Section 3314.073, suspend operation of the School pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3314.072, or terminate or non-renew this contract pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 3314.07, as determined necessary by the ESC;
- Establish a plan of action to be undertaken if the School experiences financial difficulties or closes before the end of the school year;
- Act as fiscal agent of the School and provide the services of a qualified individual who shall, as an employee or contractor of the ESC, serve as the School's fiscal officer; and
- Support the School's establishment and operation, as determined to be appropriate by the ESC in the ESC's sole discretion.

The School also entered into a service agreement with the ESC, valid for one year that commenced on September 1, 2009 and thereafter shall be automatically renewed for successive one year terms until the agreement is terminated. This contract outlined the services that would be provided to the School, which include fiscal, payroll, administrative, and teaching services. The School's payments to the ESC for the period July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012, were as follows:

Instructional	\$ 316,869
Student and staff support	36,888
Administrative	171,100
Fiscal	 86,656
Total	\$ 611,513

B. Area Cooperative Computerized Educational Service System (ACCESS)

The School entered into a one-year agreement commencing on July 1, 2011 and ending June 30, 2012, with ACCESS for internet access, electronic mail, Ohio Uniform School Accounting System (USAS), the Uniform Staff Payroll System (USPS), Educational Management Information System (EMIS), Student Information System (SIS/POISE) to include student grade reporting, attendance and scheduling and INFOhio Automated library services. Separate and apart from this agreement, the School agrees to obtain at its own expense, the additional computer and electronic equipment necessary for receipt of these services at the School's facilities. The School paid ACCESS \$2,891 for services during the contract period.

NOTE 8 - OPERATING LEASE

The School entered into a lease agreement on November 17, 2008, with the Youngstown City School District (the "District") to lease land and a building for the School.

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 8 - OPERATING LEASE – (Continued)

The lease shall continue through June 30, 2014, unless sooner terminated by either party upon giving at least sixty days written notice. The School shall pay the District one dollar for the term.

Except for natural gas, as described below, the School shall pay for the cost of utilities and services in the following percentages:

Telephone	100%
Electricity	100%
Natural gas	100%
Refuse collection	100%
Snow removal	100%
Water and sewage charge	100%
Security system	100%

The cost and delivery of natural gas which is above \$1,000 per month for the months of November through April during the term of the lease shall be paid by the District. The District's liability for natural gas usage and delivery to the building shall not exceed \$6,000 per school year.

The District shall pay the first \$2,000 for each occurrence of an item of maintenance or repair of any nature. For each maintenance or repair item that exceeds \$2,000, the District shall pay two-thirds of the excess and the School shall pay the remaining one-third. However, if any item of maintenance or repair is estimated to cost more than \$5,000, the District may determine that the maintenance or repair shall not be made, and the District may instead terminate the lease upon sixty days written notice.

NOTE 9 - CONTINGENCIES

A. Grants

The School received financial assistance from federal and State agencies in the form of grants. The expenditure of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the general fund or other applicable funds. However, the effect of any such disallowed claims on the overall financial position of the School at June 30, 2012, if applicable, cannot be determined at this time.

B. Litigation

The School is not a party to legal proceedings that, in the opinion of management, would have a material adverse effect on the financial statements.

C. State Funding

The Ohio Department of Education (ODE) conducts reviews of enrollment data and full-time equivalency (FTE) calculations made by the schools. These reviews are conducted to ensure the schools are reporting accurate student enrollment data to the State, upon which State Foundation funding is calculated. As a result of the review after fiscal year-end, the School owed ODE \$16,727. This amount will be repaid by decreasing fiscal year 2013 foundation revenues and is recorded as an intergovernmental payable on the basic financial statements.

NOTES TO BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2012

NOTE 10 - ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMPLIANCE

For fiscal year 2012, the School has implemented GASB Statement No. 57, "<u>OPEB Measurements by</u> <u>Agent Employers and Agent Multiple-Employer Plans</u>", and GASB Statement No. 64, "<u>Derivative</u> <u>Instruments: Application of Hedge Accounting Termination Provisions - an Amendment of GASB</u> <u>Statement No. 53</u>".

GASB Statement No. 57 addresses issues related to the use of the alternative measurement method and the frequency and timing of measurements by employers that participate in agent multiple-employer other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plans. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 57 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the School.

GASB Statement No. 64 clarifies the circumstances in which a hedge accounting should continue when a swap counterparty, or a swap counterparty's credit support provider, is replaced. The implementation of GASB Statement No. 64 did not have an effect on the financial statements of the School.

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS **REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS**

Mahoning County High School Mahoning County 100 DeBartolo Place, Suite 220 Youngstown, Ohio 44512

To the Governing Board:

We have audited the financial statements of Mahoning County High School, Mahoning County, Ohio (the "School"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2012, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated March 29, 2013. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the Comptroller General of the United States' Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the School's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of opining on the effectiveness of the School's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we have not opined on the effectiveness of the School's internal control over financial reporting.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in more than a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the School's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and timely corrected.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider material weaknesses. as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of reasonably assuring whether the School's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we tested its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could directly and materially affect 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 an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters we must report under Government Auditing Standards.

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We intend this report solely for the information and use of management, the Governing Board, the Community School's sponsor, and others within the School. We intend it for no one other than these specified parties.

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March 29, 2013



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CLERK'S CERTIFICATION This is a true and correct copy of the report which is required to be filed in the Office of the Auditor of State pursuant to Section 117.26, Revised Code, and which is filed in Columbus, Ohio.

Susan Babbett

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