FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ANNUAL AUDIT REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

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Board of Education Fort Frye Local School District P. O. Box 1140 Beverly, Ohio 45715

We have reviewed the *Independent Auditors' Report* of the Fort Frye Local School District, Washington County, prepared by Wolfe, Wilson & Phillips, Inc., for the audit period July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2011. Based upon this review, we have accepted these reports in lieu of the audit required by Section 117.11, Revised Code. The Auditor of State did not audit the accompanying financial statements and, accordingly, we are unable to express, and do not express an opinion on them.

Our review was made in reference to the applicable sections of legislative criteria, as reflected by the Ohio Constitution, and the Revised Code, policies, procedures and guidelines of the Auditor of State, regulations and grant requirements. The Fort Frye Local School District is responsible for compliance with these laws and regulations.

Dave Yost Auditor of State

February 3, 2012



FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WASHINGTON COUNTY

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Education Fort Frye Local School District Beverly, Ohio 45715

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Fort Frye Local School District, Washington County as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District'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 and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about 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, if any, made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

ORC Section 117.38 and Ohio Admin. Code Section 117-2-03(B) requires the School District to prepare its annual financial report in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. However, as discussed in Note 2, the accompanying financial statements and notes follow the cash basis of accounting. This is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. The accompanying financial statements omit assets, liabilities, net assets, and disclosures that, while material, cannot be determined at this time.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position – cash basis of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Fort Frye Local School District, Washington County as of June 30, 2011, and the respective changes in financial position – cash basis and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund for the year then ended in conformity with the basis of accounting described in Note 2.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated December 20, 2011, on our consideration of Fort Frye Local School District's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. That report describes the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing. It does not opine on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

As stated in Note 3, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 54 "Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type definitions".

Management's discussion and analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information the Governmental Accounting Standards Board requires. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

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We conducted our audit to opine of the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards expenditures present additional information and is required by U. S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. It is not a required part of the basic financial statements. We subjected the federal awards expenditure schedule to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements. In our opinion, this information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. Zanesville, Ohio December 20, 2011

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Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011 Unaudited

The discussion and analysis of the Fort Frye Local School District's financial performance provides an overall review of the School District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the basic financial statements and the notes to the basic financial statements to enhance their understanding of the School District's financial performance.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for the fiscal year 2011 are as follows:

- Net assets of governmental activities increased \$578,880.
- General receipts amounted to \$9,456,970 or 80% of all receipts. Program specific cash receipts in the form of charges for services, grants, contributions, and interest accounted for \$2,361,889 or 20% of total receipts of \$11,818,859.
- The School District had \$11,239,979 in disbursements related to governmental activities; only \$2,361,889 of these disbursements were offset by program specific charges for services, grants, contributions, and interest. General receipts of \$9,456,970 were adequate to provide for these programs.
- The School District's major funds were the General Fund and the Permanent Improvement Capital Projects Fund. The General Fund's balance decreased \$52,993. The Permanent Improvement Fund's balance increased \$286,030.

Using this Annual Financial Report

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 Fort Frye Local School District as a financial whole, an entire operating entity. The statements then proceed to provide an increasingly detailed look at specific financial activities and conditions.

The Statement of Net Assets – Cash Basis and Statement of Activities – Cash Basis provide information about the activities of the whole School District, presenting both an aggregate view of the School District's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. Fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental funds, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements also look as the School District's most significant funds with all other non-major funds presented in total in one column.

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011 Unaudited

Reporting the School District as a Whole

Statement of Net Assets – Cash Basis and Statement of Activities – Cash Basis

While this document contains information about the large number of funds used by the School District to provide programs and activities for students, the view of the School District as a whole looks at all financial transactions and asks the question, "How did we do financially during fiscal year 2011?" The Statement of Net Assets – Cash Basis and the Statement of Activities – Cash Basis answer this question. These two statements report the School District's net assets and changes in those assets. This change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the School District as a whole, the financial position of the School District has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the result of many factors, some financial, some not. Non-financial factors include the School District's property tax base, current property tax laws in Ohio restricting revenue growth, facility conditions, required educational programs, and other factors.

In the Statement of Net Assets – Cash Basis and the Statement of Activities – Cash Basis, all of the School District's programs and services are reported as governmental activities including food service operations, instruction, support services, operation of non-instructional services, capital outlay, and extracurricular activities.

Reporting the School District's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The analysis of the School District's major funds begins on page 10. Fund financial reports provide detailed information about the School District's major funds. The School District uses many funds to account for a multiple of financial transactions. However, these fund financial statements focus on the School District's most significant funds. The School District's major governmental funds are the General Fund and the Permanent Improvement Capital Projects Fund.

Governmental Funds Most of the School District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at fiscal year end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported on a modified cash basis. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the School District's general governmental operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs.

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011 Unaudited

The School District as a Whole

Recall that the Statement of Net Assets – Cash Basis provides the perspective of the School District as a whole. Table 1 provides a summary of the School District's net assets for 2011 compared to 2010.

Table 1 Net Assets - Cash Basis

| | Governmental Activities | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | Change |
| Assets | | | |
| Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$5,015,352 | \$4,436,472 | \$578,880 |
| | | | |
| Net Assets | | | |
| Restricted | \$3,455,067 | \$3,068,573 | \$386,494 |
| Unrestricted | 1,560,285 | 1,367,899 | 192,386 |
| | | | |
| Total Net Assets | \$5,015,352 | \$4,436,472 | \$578,880 |

The above table reflects an increase in net assets of \$578,880. The predominant factors for the increase in net assets is due to an increase in federal grants during the fiscal year, combined with a decrease in advances to other funds and capital projects.

Table 2 shows the changes in net assets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, compared to fiscal year ended June 30, 2010.

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Table 2 Changes in Net Assets

| | Governmental Activities | | |
|--|-------------------------|-------------|-----------|
| | 2011 | 2010 | Change |
| Receipts | | | |
| Program Receipts: | | | |
| Charges for Services | \$1,026,256 | \$956,321 | \$69,935 |
| Operating Grants, Contributions and Interest | 1,335,633 | 1,171,626 | 164,007 |
| Total Program Receipts | 2,361,889 | 2,127,947 | 233,942 |
| General Receipts: | | | |
| Property Taxes | 4,165,055 | 4,065,693 | 99,362 |
| Payments in Lieu of Taxes | 366,318 | 732,636 | (366,318) |
| Grants and Entitlements | 4,818,925 | 4,841,707 | (22,782) |
| Investment Earnings | 36,945 | 71,013 | (34,068) |
| Receipts from Sale of Capital Assets | 7,738 | 2,286 | 5,452 |
| Miscellaneous | 61,989 | 20,037 | 41,952 |
| Total General Receipts | 9,456,970 | 9,733,372 | (276,402) |
| Total Receipts | 11,818,859 | 11,861,319 | (42,460) |
| Program Disbursements | | | |
| Instruction: | | | |
| Regular | 4,919,326 | 4,655,964 | 263,362 |
| Special | 1,202,793 | 883,878 | 318,915 |
| Vocational | 297,300 | 273,496 | 23,804 |
| Support Services: | | | |
| Pupils | 326,710 | 297,293 | 29,417 |
| Instructional Staff | 578,546 | 668,557 | (90,011) |
| Board of Education | 50,689 | 56,798 | (6,109) |
| Administration | 941,204 | 980,381 | (39,177) |
| Fiscal | 390,234 | 397,789 | (7,555) |
| Operation and Maintenance of Plant | 954,459 | 902,654 | 51,805 |
| Pupil Transportation | 698,812 | 843,980 | (145,168) |
| Central | 73,306 | 62,605 | 10,701 |
| Operation of Non-Instructional Services: | | | |
| Food Service Operations | 263,190 | 519,766 | (256,576) |
| Other | 231,566 | 77,718 | 153,848 |
| Extracurricular Activities | 261,443 | 277,691 | (16,248) |
| Capital Outlay | 50,401 | 361,855 | (311,454) |
| Total Disbursements | 11,239,979 | 11,260,425 | (20,446) |
| Increase in Net Assets | 578,880 | 600,894 | (22,014) |
| Net Assets Beginning of Year | 4,436,472 | 3,835,578 | 600,894 |
| Net Assets End of Year | \$5,015,352 | \$4,436,472 | \$578,880 |

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011 Unaudited

In November of 2006, the electors of Fort Frye Local School District approved a 7.32 mill operating levy. This levy is for a continuing period of time and produces approximately \$880,000 every year to be used for the day-to-day operations of the School District.

The DeRolph III decision has not eliminated the dependence on property taxes. The unique nature of property taxes in Ohio creates the need to routinely seek voter approval for operating funds. Inflation alone will not increase the amount of funds generated by a tax levy. Basically, the mills collected decreases as the property valuation increases thus generating about the same revenue. Property taxes made up approximately one- third of the receipts for governmental activities for the Fort Frye Local School District in fiscal year 2010.

The Statement of Activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services, grants, contributions, and interest earnings offsetting those services. Table 3 shows the total cost of services and the net cost of services for fiscal year 2010 compared to fiscal year 2009. That is, it identifies the cost of those services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted state entitlements.

Table 3
Governmental Activities

| | Total Cost | Net Cost | Total Cost | Net Cost |
|---|--------------|-------------|-------------------|-------------|
| | of Services | of Services | of Services | of Services |
| | 2011 | 2011 | 2010 | 2010 |
| Program Disbursements | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | |
| Regular | \$4,919,326 | \$4,110,179 | \$4,655,964 | \$3,834,979 |
| Special | 1,202,793 | 860,255 | 883,878 | 532,385 |
| Vocational | 297,300 | 277,913 | 273,496 | 254,254 |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Pupils | 326,710 | 323,185 | 297,293 | 285,737 |
| Instructional Staff | 578,546 | 369,068 | 668,557 | 419,000 |
| Board of Education | 50,689 | 50,689 | 56,798 | 56,798 |
| Administration | 941,204 | 934,866 | 980,381 | 976,235 |
| Fiscal | 390,234 | 390,234 | 397,789 | 397,789 |
| Operation and Maintenance of Plant | 954,459 | 947,981 | 902,654 | 896,389 |
| Pupil Transportation | 698,812 | 675,805 | 843,980 | 816,182 |
| Central | 73,306 | 43,382 | 62,605 | 36,630 |
| Operation of Non-Instructional Services | | | | |
| Food Service | 263,190 | (264,815) | 519,766 | 127,601 |
| Other | 231,566 | (661) | 77,718 | (4,230) |
| Extracurricular Activities | 261,443 | 109,608 | 277,691 | 140,874 |
| Capital Outlay | 50,401 | 50,401 | 361,855 | 361,855 |
| Total | \$11,239,979 | \$8,878,090 | \$11,260,425 | \$9,132,478 |

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011 Unaudited

The dependence upon tax receipts and state subsidies for governmental activities is apparent. For fiscal year 2011, approximately 84% of instructional activities were supported through taxes and other general receipts.

As the table shows, the School District did not receive enough in charges for services and/or operating grants and contributions to support any programs in fiscal year 2011, except the non-instructional services. That is, those programs were not currently self-supporting

The School District Funds

The School District's major funds are accounted for using the cash basis of accounting. All governmental funds had total receipts of \$11,809,869 and disbursements of \$11,484,552. The Permanent Improvement Fund had an increase in fund balance of \$286,030 due to the School District having fewer capital improvement projects for fiscal year 2011.

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

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

During the course of 2011, the School District amended its General Fund budget. The School District uses a modified site-based budgeting technique which is designed to tightly control total site budgets but provide flexibility for site management.

For the General Fund, budget basis receipts were \$9,454,684, above the final estimates of \$9,454,345. Original estimates of \$9,656,566 were decreased \$202,221 due to original conservative estimates primarily in intergovernmental receipts. Original appropriations were decreased \$56,240 to adjust estimates to more closely reflect actual expenditures.

The School District's ending unobligated General Fund balance was \$127,327.

Current Issues

The School District's five year financial forecast was approved in May 2011, with a nearly balanced budget when compared to revenue in the first year, and a gain during fiscal year 2013. Negotiated agreements with both union bodies were extended through June 30, 2014 with the threat of SB5 as the catalyst. Continued monitoring and scrutiny throughout the forecast period will be necessary as the balance between solvency and fiscal emergency can be effected by the current funding mechanism for schools, coupled with costly issues with maintaining aging buildings.

Contacting the School District's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizen's, taxpayers, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the School District's finances and to show the School District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Janine Satterfield, Interim Treasurer at Fort Frye Local School District, PO Box 1149, Beverly, Ohio 45715, or E-Mail at ff_jsatterfi@SEOVEC.ORG.

Statement of Net Assets - Cash Basis June 30, 2011

| | Governmental Activities |
|--|----------------------------|
| Assets | |
| Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$5,015,352 |
| Net Assets Restricted for: Capital Projects Other Purposes | \$3,257,973 197,094 |
| Unrestricted | 1,560,285 |
| Total Net Assets | \$5,015,352 |

Statement of Activities - Cash Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Net Disbursements

| | | | | and |
|--|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| | | | | Changes in |
| | | Program (| Cash Receipts | Net Assets |
| | | | Operating Grants, | |
| | Cash | Charges for | Contributions | Governmental |
| | Disbursements | Services | and Interest | Activities |
| Governmental Activities | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | |
| Regular | \$4,919,326 | \$683,746 | \$125,401 | (\$4,110,179) |
| Special | 1,202,793 | 0 | 342,538 | (860,255) |
| Vocational | 297,300 | 0 | 19,387 | (277,913) |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Pupils | 326,710 | 0 | 3,525 | (323,185) |
| Instructional Staff | 578,546 | 0 | 209,478 | (369,068) |
| Board of Education | 50,689 | 0 | 0 | (50,689) |
| Administration | 941,204 | 0 | 6,338 | (934,866) |
| Fiscal | 390,234 | 0 | 0 | (390,234) |
| Operation and Maintenance of Plant | 954,459 | 6,478 | 0 | (947,981) |
| Pupil Transportation | 698,812 | 0 | 23,007 | (675,805) |
| Central | 73,306 | 0 | 29,924 | (43,382) |
| Operation of Non-Instructional Services: | | | | |
| Food Service Operations | 263,190 | 184,215 | 343,790 | 264,815 |
| Other | 231,566 | 0 | 232,227 | 661 |
| Extracurricular Activities | 261,443 | 151,817 | 18 | (109,608) |
| Capital Outlay | 50,401 | 0 | 0 | (50,401) |
| Totals | \$11,239,979 | \$1,026,256 | \$1,335,633 | (8,878,090) |
| | General Receipts | | | |
| | Property Taxes Levie | d for General Purpo | ses | 4,165,055 |
| | Grants and Entitlement | nts not Restricted to | Specific Programs | 4,818,925 |
| | Payments in Lieu of 7 | Γaxes | | 366,318 |
| | Investment Earnings | | | 36,945 |
| | Receipts from Sale of | Capital Assets | | 7,738 |
| | Miscellaneous | | | 61,989 |
| | Total General Receip | ts | | 9,456,970 |
| | Change in Net Assets | | | 578,880 |
| | Net Assets Beginning | of Year | | 4,436,472 |
| | Net Assets End of Yea | ır | | \$5,015,352 |

Statement of Cash Basis Assets and Fund Balances Governmental Funds June 30, 2011

| | | Permanent | Other Governmental | Total Governmental |
|--|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | General | Improvement | Funds | Funds |
| Assets | | <u> </u> | | |
| Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$155,460 | \$3,257,973 | \$197,094 | \$3,610,527 |
| Total Assets | \$155,460 | \$3,257,973 | \$197,094 | \$3,610,527 |
| Fund Balances | | | | |
| Restricted | \$0 | \$3,257,973 | \$197,094 | \$3,455,067 |
| Assigned | 42,955 | 0 | 0 | 42,955 |
| Unassigned | 112,505 | 0 | 0 | 112,505 |
| Total Fund Balances | \$155,460 | \$3,257,973 | \$197,094 | 3,610,527 |
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in t | the statement of i | net assets are diffe | rent because: | |
| An internal service fund is used by management to insurance to individual funds. The assets of the included in governmental activities in the statem | internal fund are | | | 1,404,825 |
| included in governmental activities in the statem | ient of het assets | • | | 1,404,023 |
| Net Assets of Governmental Activities | | | | \$5,015,352 |

Statement of Cash Receipts, Cash Disbursements and Changes in Cash Basis Fund Balances Governmental Funds

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

| | | Permanent | Other Governmental | Total Governmental |
|--|---------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| | General | Improvement | Funds | Funds |
| Receipts | General | Improvement | Tunus | Tunus |
| Taxes | \$4,165,055 | \$0 | \$0 | \$4,165,055 |
| Payments in Lieu of Taxes | 0 | 366,318 | 0 | 366,318 |
| Intergovernmental | 4,512,830 | 0 | 1,641,573 | 6,154,403 |
| Investment Earnings | 36,945 | 0 | 155 | 37,100 |
| Charges for Services | 0 | 0 | 184,215 | 184,215 |
| Tuition and Fees | 683,746 | 0 | 0 | 683,746 |
| Extracurricular Activities | 45,532 | 0 | 106,285 | 151,817 |
| Rent | 6,478 | 0 | 0 | 6,478 |
| Miscellaneous | 51,253 | 5,000 | 4,484 | 60,737 |
| Total Receipts | 9,501,839 | 371,318 | 1,936,712 | 11,809,869 |
| Disbursements | | | | |
| Current: | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | |
| Regular | 4,540,430 | 32,150 | 454,801 | 5,027,381 |
| Special | 927,926 | 0 | 297,421 | 1,225,347 |
| Vocational | 304,818 | 0 | 0 | 304,818 |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Pupils | 324,091 | 5,000 | 4,021 | 333,112 |
| Instructional Staff | 413,363 | 0 | 182,943 | 596,306 |
| Board of Education | 50,689 | 0 | 0 | 50,689 |
| Administration | 957,374 | 3,567 | 5,503 | 966,444 |
| Fiscal | 396,991 | 0 | 0 | 396,991 |
| Operation and Maintenance of Plant | 960,982 | 12,378 | 0 | 973,360 |
| Pupil Transportation | 716,760 | 0 | 1,305 | 718,065 |
| Central | 40,713 | 0 | 35,339 | 76,052 |
| Operation of Non-Instructional Services | 0 | 4,032 | 500,111 | 504,143 |
| Extracurricular Activities | 154,959 | 0 | 106,484 | 261,443 |
| Capital Outlay | 3,426 | 28,161 | 18,814 | 50,401 |
| Total Disbursements | 9,792,522 | 85,288 | 1,606,742 | 11,484,552 |
| Excess of Receipts Over (Under) Disbursements | (290,683) | 286,030 | 329,970 | 325,317 |
| Other Financing Sources (Uses) | | | | |
| Advances In | 265,653 | 0 | 10,462 | 276,115 |
| Advances Out | (10,462) | 0 | (265,653) | (276,115) |
| Sale of Capital Assets | 7,738 | 0 | 0 | 7,738 |
| Refund of Prior Year Receipts | 0 | 0 | 1,252 | 1,252 |
| Transfers In | 0 | 0 | 25,239 | 25,239 |
| Transfers Out | (25,239) | 0 | 0 | (25,239) |
| Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) | 237,690 | 0 | (228,700) | 8,990 |
| Net Change in Fund Balance | (52,993) | 286,030 | 101,270 | 334,307 |
| Fund Balances Beginning of Year - Restated (See Note 3) | 208,453 | 2,971,943 | 95,824 | 3,276,220 |
| Fund Balances End of Year | \$155,460 | \$3,257,973 | \$197,094 | \$3,610,527 |
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of | | | | |
| The internal service fund used by management to charge the cos | ts of insurance to | individual fund | | |
| is not reported in the district-wide statement of activities. Gove the related internal service fund receipts are eliminated. The ne internal service fund is allocated among the governmental activ | et receipts (disbur | | 1 | 244,573 |
| Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities | | | | \$578,880 |
| | | | | |

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Statement of Cash Receipts, Cash Disbursements and Changes in Cash Basis Fund Balance - Budget and Actual (Budget Basis) General Fund For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

| | | | | Variance with |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| | Budgeted | Amounts | | Final Budget Positive |
| | Original | Final | Actual | (Negative) |
| Receipts | | | | |
| Taxes | \$4,076,003 | \$4,165,055 | \$4,165,055 | \$0 |
| Intergovernmental | 4,661,843 | 4,512,830 | 4,512,830 | 0 |
| Investment Earnings | 55,500 | 36,606 | 36,945 | 339 |
| Tuition and Fees | 793,814 | 683,746 | 683,746 | 0 |
| Extracurricular Activities | 52,137 | 45,532 | 45,532 | 0 |
| Rent | 6,300 | 6,478 | 6,478 | 0 |
| Miscellaneous | 10,969 | 4,098 | 4,098 | 0 |
| Total Receipts | 9,656,566 | 9,454,345 | 9,454,684 | 339 |
| Disbursements | | | | |
| Current: | | | | |
| Instruction: | | | | |
| Regular | 4,227,912 | 4,540,623 | 4,540,623 | 0 |
| Special | 743,216 | 927,926 | 927,926 | 0 |
| Vocational | 290,650 | 315,065 | 315,065 | 0 |
| Support Services: | | | | |
| Pupils | 329,318 | 324,091 | 324,091 | 0 |
| Instructional Staff | 502,004 | 420,309 | 420,309 | 0 |
| Board of Education | 60,422 | 52,639 | 52,639 | 0 |
| Administration | 1,007,283 | 957,556 | 957,374 | 182 |
| Fiscal | 397,489 | 400,469 | 400,439 | 30 |
| Operation and Maintenance of Plant | 1,191,340 | 962,440 | 962,440 | 0 |
| Pupil Transportation | 892,971 | 716,760 | 716,760 | 0 |
| Central | 52,954 | 44,604 | 44,604 | 0 |
| Extracurricular Activities | 180,548 | 154,959 | 154,959 | 0 |
| Capital Outlay | 1,000 | 3,426 | 3,426 | 0 |
| Total Disbursements | 9,877,107 | 9,820,867 | 9,820,655 | 212 |
| Excess of Receipts Under Disbursements | (220,541) | (366,522) | (365,971) | 551 |
| Other Financing Sources (Uses) | | | | |
| Proceeds from Sale of Capital Assets | 5,600 | 7,738 | 7,738 | 0 |
| Refund of Prior Year Expenditures | 8,000 | 47,155 | 47,155 | 0 |
| Advances In | 66,000 | 265,653 | 265,653 | 0 |
| Advances Out | 0 | (10,462) | (10,462) | 0 |
| Transfers Out | 0 | (25,239) | (25,239) | 0 |
| Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) | 79,600 | 284,845 | 284,845 | 0 |
| Net Change in Fund Balance | (140,941) | (81,677) | (81,126) | 551 |
| Fund Balance Beginning of Year | 167,048 | 167,048 | 167,048 | 0 |
| Prior Year Encumbrances Appropriated | 41,405 | 41,405 | 41,405 | 0 |
| Fund Balance End of Year | \$67,512 | \$126,776 | \$127,327 | \$551 |

Statement of Fund Net Assets - Cash Basis Internal Service Fund June 30, 2011

| | Medical Insurance |
|--|----------------------|
| Current Assets | |
| Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$1,404,825 |
| | |
| Net Assets | |
| Unrestricted | \$1,404,825 |
| | |

Statement of Cash Receipts, Cash
Disbursements and Changes in Fund Net Assets - Modified Cash Basis
Internal Service Fund
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

| | Medical Insurance |
|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| Operating Receipts | msurance |
| Charges for Services | \$1,829,100 |
| Operating Disbursements | |
| Purchased Services | 338,117 |
| Claims | 1,246,410 |
| Total Operating Disbursements | 1,584,527 |
| Change in Net Assets | 244,573 |
| Net Assets Beginning of Year | 1,160,252 |
| Net Assets End of Year | \$1,404,825 |

Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets - Cash Basis Agency Fund June 30, 2011

| A | SS | ei | ts |
|---|----|----|----|
| | | | |

Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents \$40,262

Net Assets

Restricted for Students \$40,262

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Note 1 - Description of the School District and Reporting Entity

Fort Frye Local School District is a body politic and corporate established for the purpose of exercising the rights and privileges conveyed to it by the constitution and laws of the State of Ohio.

The School District operates under a locally-elected five-member Board form of government and provides educational services as authorized by State statute and federal guidelines. This Board of Education controls the School District's 5 instructional/support facilities staffed by 87 classified employees and 75 certified personnel, who provide services to 1,073 students and other community members.

Reporting Entity

A reporting entity is composed of the primary government, component units, and other organizations that are included to ensure that the basic financial statements are not misleading. The primary government of the School District consists of all funds, departments, boards, and agencies that are not legally separate from the School District. For Fort Frye Local School District, this includes general operations, food service, and student-related activities. The following activities are also included within the reporting entity.

Parochial School - Within the School District boundaries, St. John Central Elementary School is operated through the Steubenville Catholic Diocese. Current State legislation provides funding to this parochial school. These monies are received and disbursed on behalf of the parochial school by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the School District, as directed by the parochial school. This activity is reflected in a special revenue fund for financial reporting purposes.

The School District participates in three jointly governed organizations and one insurance purchasing pool. These organizations are the Southeastern Ohio Voluntary Education Cooperative, the Washington County Career Center, the Coalition of Rural and Appalachian Schools, and the Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan. These organizations are presented in Notes 16 and 17 to the basic financial statements.

Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

As discussed further in Note 2.C, these financial statements are presented on a cash basis of accounting. This cash basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP). Generally accepted accounting principles include all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements, which have been applied to the extent they are applicable to the cash basis of accounting. In the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements for the proprietary fund, Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) pronouncements and Accounting Principles Board (APB) opinions issued on or before November 30, 1989, have been applied, to the extent they are applicable to the cash basis of accounting, unless those pronouncements conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements, in which case GASB prevails. Following are the more significant of the School District's accounting policies.

A. Basis of Presentation

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

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The statement of net assets and the statement of activities display information about the School District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds. The activity of the internal service fund(s) is eliminated to avoid "doubling up" receipts and disbursements. The statements distinguish between those activities of the School District that are governmental in nature and those that are considered business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental receipts or other nonexchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or services, if any. The School District has no business-type activities.

The statement of net assets presents the cash balance of the governmental activities of the School District at fiscal year end. The statement of activities compares disbursements with program receipts for each function or program of the School District's governmental activities. Disbursements are reported by function. A function is a group of related activities designed to accomplish a major service or regulatory program for which the government is responsible. Program receipts include charges paid by the recipient of the program's goods or services, grants and contributions restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program, and receipts of interest earned on grants that are required to be used to support a particular program. General receipts are all receipts not classified as program receipts, with certain limited exceptions. The comparison of direct disbursements with program receipts identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing on a cash basis or draws from the School District's general receipts.

Fund Financial Statements

During the fiscal year, the School District segregates transactions related to certain School District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the School District at this more detailed level. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. Fiduciary funds are reported by type.

B. Fund Accounting

The School District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the fiscal year. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid management by segregating transactions related to certain functions or activities. A fund is a fiscal and accounting entity with a self balancing set of accounts. The School District classifies each fund as either governmental, proprietary, or fiduciary.

Governmental: The District classifies funds financed primarily from taxes, intergovernmental receipts (e.g. grants) and other nonexchange transactions as governmental funds. The following are the School District's major governmental funds:

General Fund The general fund accounts for all financial resources except for restricted resources requiring a separate accounting. The general fund balance is available for any purpose provided it is disbursed or transferred according to Ohio law.

Permanent Improvement Fund This fund accounts for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of capital facilities of governmental activities.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

The other governmental funds of the School District account for grants and other resources whose use is restricted, committed, or assigned to a particular purpose.

Proprietary Fund Type Proprietary fund reporting focuses on the determination the changes in net assets and financial position. Proprietary funds are classified as enterprise or internal service; the School District has no enterprise funds.

Internal Service Fund The internal service fund accounts for the financing of services provided by one department or agency to other departments or agencies of the School District on a cost reimbursement basis. The School District's only internal service fund accounts for the operation of the School District's self-insurance program for health claims.

Fiduciary Fund Type Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net assets and changes in net assets. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private-purpose trust funds, and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for assets held by the School District under a trust agreement for individuals, private organizations, or other governments and are therefore not available to support the School District's own programs. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. The School District's only fiduciary fund is an agency fund, which account for student activities.

C. Basis of Accounting

The School District's financial statements are prepared using the cash basis of accounting. Except for modifications having substantial support, receipts are recorded in the School District's financial records and reported in the financial statements when cash is received rather than when earned and disbursements are recorded when cash is paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Any such modifications made by the School District are described in the appropriate section in this note.

As a result of the use of this cash basis of accounting, certain assets and their related revenues (such as accounts receivable and revenue for billed or provided services not yet collected) and certain liabilities and their related expenses (such as accounts payable and expenses for goods or services received but not yet paid, and accrued expenses and liabilities) are not recorded in these financial statements.

D. Budgetary Process

All funds, except agency funds, are legally required to be budgeted and appropriated. The major documents prepared are the tax budget, the certificate of estimated resources, and the appropriations resolution, all of which are prepared on the budgetary basis of accounting. The tax budget demonstrates a need for existing or increased tax rates. The certificate of estimated resources establishes a limit on the amount the Board of Education may appropriate. The appropriations resolution is the Board's authorization to spend resources and sets annual limits on cash disbursements plus encumbrances at the level of control selected by the Board. The legal level of control has been established by the Board at the fund level for all funds. Budgetary allocations at the function and object level within all funds are made by the Treasurer.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

The certificate of estimated resources may be amended during the fiscal year if projected increases or decreases in receipts are identified by the Treasurer. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts on the budgetary statements reflect the amounts on the certificate of estimated resources when the original appropriations were adopted. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts on the budgetary statements reflect the amounts on the amended certificate of estimated resources in effect at the time final appropriations were passed by the Board.

The appropriation resolution is subject to amendment throughout the year with the restriction that appropriations cannot exceed estimated resources. The amounts reported as the original budgeted amounts reflect the first appropriation resolution for that fund that covered the entire fiscal year, including amounts automatically carried forward from prior fiscal years. The amounts reported as the final budgeted amounts represent the final appropriation amounts passed by the Board during the fiscal year.

E. Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Investments

To improve cash management, cash received by the School District is pooled and invested. Monies for all funds are maintained in this pool. Individual fund integrity is maintained through the School District's records. Interest in the pool is presented as "Equity in Pooled Cash and Cash Equivalents".

Investments of the School District's cash management pool and investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the time they are purchased by the School District are presented on the financial statements as cash equivalents. Investments with an initial maturity of more than three months that were not purchased from the pool are reported as investments.

Following Ohio statutes, the Board of Education specified the funds to receive an allocation of interest earnings. Interest receipts credited to the General Fund during fiscal year 2011 was \$36,945, including \$33,376 assigned from other School District funds.

F. Restricted Assets

Assets are reported as restricted when limitations on their use change the nature or normal understanding of the availability of the asset. Such constraints are either imposed by creditors, contributors, grantors, laws of other governments, or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. The School District has no restricted assets.

G. Inventory and Prepaid Items

The School District reports disbursements for inventory and prepaid items when paid. These items are not reflected as assets in the accompanying financial statements.

H. Capital Assets

Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment are recorded as disbursements when paid. These items are not reflected as assets in the accompanying financial statements.

I. Interfund Receivables/Payables

The School District reports advances in and advances out for interfund loans. These items are not reflected as assets and liabilities in the accompanying financial statements.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

J. Accumulated Leave

In certain circumstances, such as upon leaving employment or retirement, employees are entitled to cash payments for unused leave. Unpaid leave is not reflected as a liability under the School District's cash basis of accounting.

K. Employer Contributions to Cost-Sharing Pension Plans

The School District recognizes the disbursement for employer contributions to cost-sharing pension plans when they are paid. As described in Notes 10 and 11, the employer contributions include portions for pension benefits and for postretirement health care benefits.

L. Long-term Obligations

The School District's cash basis financial statements do not report liabilities for bonds and other long-term obligations. Proceeds of debt are reported when cash is received and principal and interest payments are reported when paid.

M. Net Assets

Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the School District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. Net assets restricted for other purposes include resources restricted for food service operations, music and athletic programs, and federal and state grants restricted to cash disbursement for specified purposes. The School District's policy is to first apply restricted resources when a cash disbursement is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available

N. Fund Balance

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the School District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in governmental funds. The classifications are as follows:

Nonspendable: The nonspendable fund balance category includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form, or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash. It also includes property acquired for resale, unless the use of the proceeds from the collection of those properties is restricted, committed, or assigned.

Restricted: The restricted fund balance category includes amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation. Fund balance is reported as restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or is imposed by law through constitutional provisions.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

<u>Committed:</u> The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action (resolution) of the Board of Education. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Board of Education removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (resolution) it employed to previously commit those amounts. Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for the use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

<u>Assigned:</u> Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the School District for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the General Fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by the Board of Education.

<u>Unassigned:</u> The unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the General Fund and includes amounts not contained in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is used only to report a deficit balances.

The School District applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which either restricted or unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) amounts are available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first, followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which the amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

O. Internal Transactions

Transfers within governmental activities are eliminated. Internal allocations of overhead expenses from one program to another or within the same program are eliminated on the Statement of Activities. Payments of interfund services provided and used are not eliminated.

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as receipts in the seller funds and as disbursements in the purchaser funds. Subsidies from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds and after nonoperating receipts/cash disbursements in proprietary funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular cash disbursements to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented in the financial statements.

P. Special Items

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of management and are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. During fiscal year 2011, the School District did not have activity that met the definition of a special item.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Note 3 - Change in Accounting Principles and Restatement of Fund Balance

For fiscal year 2011, the School District has implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 54, "Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions", which enhances the usefulness of fund balance information by providing clearer fund balance classifications that can be more consistently applied and by clarifying the existing governmental fund type definitions. This statement establishes fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds. The implementation of this statement resulted in the reclassification of certain funds and restatement of the School District's financial statements.

The implementation of GASB Statement No. 54 had the following effect on fund balances of the major and nonmajor funds as they were previously reported.

| | Other | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | General | Governmental | |
| | Fund | Funds | Total |
| Fund Balance at | | _ | |
| June 30, 2010 | \$185,906 | \$118,371 | \$304,277 |
| Change in Fund Structure | 22,547 | (22,547) | 0 |
| Adjusted Fund Balance at | | | |
| June 30, 2010 | \$208,453 | \$95,824 | \$304,277 |

Note 4 - Fund Balances

Fund balance is classified as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned, and/or unassigned based primarily on the extent to which the School District is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in governmental funds. The constraints placed on fund balance for the major governmental funds and all other governmental funds are presented below:

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

| Fund Balances | General Fund | Permanent Improvement Fund | Other Governmental Funds | Total |
|----------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Restricted for: | | | | |
| State Grant Expenditures | \$0 | \$0 | \$45,350 | \$45,350 |
| Federal Grant Expenditures | 0 | 0 | 88,552 | 88,552 |
| Local Grant Expenditures | 0 | 0 | 4,589 | 4,589 |
| Food Service Operations | 0 | 0 | 45,434 | 45,434 |
| Capital Improvements | 0 | 3,257,973 | 0 | 3,257,973 |
| Athletic Programs | 0 | 0 | 13,169 | 13,169 |
| Total Restricted | 0 | 3,257,973 | 197,094 | 3,455,067 |
| Assigned to: | | | | |
| Other Purposes | 42,955 | 0 | 0 | 42,955 |
| Unassigned: | 112,505 | 0 | 0 | 112,505 |
| Total Fund Balances | \$155,460 | \$3,257,973 | \$197,094 | \$3,610,527 |

Note 5 - Budgetary Basis of Accounting

The budgetary basis as provided by law is based upon accounting for certain transactions on the basis of cash receipts, disbursements, and encumbrances. The Statement of Cash Receipts, Cash Disbursements and Changes in Cash Basis Fund Balance – Budget and Actual (Budget Basis) presented for the General Fund is prepared on the budgetary basis to provide a meaningful comparison of actual results with the budget. The difference between the budgetary basis and the cash basis are outstanding year end encumbrances which are treated as cash disbursements (budget basis) rather than as an assignment or commitment of fund balance (cash basis).

Net Change in Fund Balance

| Cash Basis | (\$52,993) |
|--------------|------------|
| Encumbrances | (28,133) |
| Budget Basis | (\$81,126) |

Note 6 - Deposits and Investments

Monies held by the School District are classified by State statute into three categories.

Active monies are public monies determined to be necessary to meet current demands upon the School District treasury. Active monies must be maintained either as cash in the School District treasury, in commercial accounts payable or withdrawable on demand, including negotiable order of withdrawal (NOW) accounts, or in money market deposit accounts.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Inactive deposits are public deposits that the Board has identified as not required for use within the current five year period of designation of depositories. Inactive deposits must either be evidenced by certificates of deposit maturing not later than the end of the current period of designation of depositories, or by savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts.

Interim deposits are deposits of interim monies. Interim monies are those monies which are not needed for immediate use but which will be needed before the end of the current period of designation of depositories. Interim deposits must be evidenced by time certificates of deposit maturing not more than one year from the date of deposit or by savings or deposit accounts, including passbook accounts.

Interim monies held by the School District can be deposited or invested in the following securities:

- 1. United States Treasury bills, bonds, notes, or any other obligation or security issued by the United States Treasury, or any other obligation guaranteed as to principal and interest by the United States;
- 2. Bonds, notes, debentures, or any other obligation or security issued by any federal government agency or instrumentality including, but not limited to, the Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Government National Mortgage Association, and Student Loan Marketing Association. All federal agency securities shall be direct issuances of federal government agencies or instrumentalities;
- 3. Written repurchase agreements in the securities listed above;
- 4. Bonds and other obligations of the State of Ohio;
- 5. Time certificates of deposit or savings or deposit accounts including, but not limited to, passbook accounts;
- 6. No-load money market mutual funds consisting exclusively of obligations described in division (1) or (2);
- 7. The State Treasurer's investment pool (STAR Ohio); and
- 8. Commercial paper and bank acceptances if training requirements have been met.

Investments in stripped principal or interest obligations, reverse repurchase agreements, and derivatives are prohibited. The issuance of taxable notes for the purpose of arbitrage, the use of leverage, and short selling are also prohibited. Investments may only be made through specified dealers and institutions.

Deposits Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that in the event of bank failure, the School District will not be able to recover deposits or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. At fiscal year end, \$4,665,023 of the School District's bank balance of \$5,175,086 was exposed to custodial credit risk because it was uninsured and collateralized in a collateral pool. Although all statutory requirements for the deposit of money had been followed, non-compliance with federal requirement could potentially subject the School District to a successful claim by the FDIC.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

The School District has no deposit policy for custodial credit risk beyond the requirements of State statute. Ohio law requires that deposits be either insured or be protected by eligible securities pledged to and deposited either with the School District or a qualified trustee by the financial institution as security for repayment, or by a collateral pool of eligible securities deposited with a qualified trustee and pledged to secure the repayment of all public monies deposited in the financial institution whose market value at all times shall be at least one hundred five percent of the deposits being secured.

Note 7 - Property Taxes

Property taxes are levied and assessed on a calendar year basis while the School District's fiscal year runs from July through June. First half tax collections are received by the School District in the second half of the fiscal year. Second half tax distributions occur in the first half of the following fiscal year.

Property taxes include amounts levied against all real, public utility and tangible personal property (used in business) located in the School District. Real property tax revenue received in calendar year 2011 represents collections of calendar year 2010 taxes. Real property taxes received in calendar year 2011 were levied after April 1, 2010, on the assessed value listed as of January 1, 2010, the lien date. Assessed values for real property taxes are established by State law at 35 percent of appraised market value. Real property taxes are payable annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due December 31; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due December 31 with the remainder payable by June 20. Under certain circumstances, State statute permits alternate payment dates to be established.

Public utility property tax revenue received in calendar year 2011 represents collections of calendar year 2010 taxes. Public utility real and tangible personal property taxes received in calendar year 2011 became a lien December 31, 2009, were levied after April 1, 2010, and are collected in calendar year 2011 with real property taxes. Public utility real property is assessed at 35 percent of true value; public utility tangible personal property currently is assessed at varying percentages of true value.

Tangible personal property tax revenue received during calendar year 2011 (other than public utility property tax) represents the collection of 2011 taxes levied against local and inter-exchange telephone companies. Tangible personal property tax on business inventory, manufacturing and equipment, furniture and fixtures is no longer levied and collected. Tangible personal property taxes received from telephone companies in calendar year 2011 were levied after October 1, 2010, on the value as of December 31, 2010. Payments by multi-county taxpayers are due September 20. Single county taxpayers may pay annually or semi-annually. If paid annually, payment is due April 30; if paid semi-annually, the first payment is due April 30, with the remainder payable by September 20. Tangible personal property taxes paid by April 30 are usually received by the School District prior to June 30.

The School District receives property taxes from Washington, Morgan, and Noble Counties. The County Auditor periodically advances to the School District its portion of the taxes collected. Second-half real property tax payments collected by the County by June 30, 2011, are available to finance fiscal year 2011 operations. The amount available to be advanced can vary based on the date the tax bills are sent.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

The assessed values upon which the fiscal year 2011 taxes were collected are:

| | 2010 Second- Half Collections | | 2011 First- Half Collections | |
|---|----------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|---------|
| | | | | |
| | Amount | Percent | Amount | Percent |
| Agricultural/Residential | | | | |
| And Other Real Estate | \$86,676,670 | 63.7% | \$90,358,770 | 65.4% |
| Public Utility Personal | 49,142,910 | 36.1% | 47,723,120 | 34.5% |
| Tangible Personal Property | 241,820 | 0.2% | 127,920 | 0.1% |
| | \$136,061,400 | 100% | \$138,209,810 | 100% |
| Tax Rate per \$1,000 of Assessed Valuation | \$42.82 | | \$42.82 | |

Note 8 - Interfund Balances

Unpaid interfund cash advances at June 30, 2011, were as follows:

| | Receivables | Payables |
|-----------------------------|-------------|----------|
| General Fund | \$56,923 | \$0 |
| Special Revenue Funds: | | |
| Food Service | 0 | 31,460 |
| Other Local Funds | 0 | 1,000 |
| Athletic and Music | 0 | 599 |
| State Grants | 0 | 17,171 |
| Federal Grants | 0 | 6,693 |
| Total Special Revenue Funds | 0 | 56,923 |
| Total All Funds | \$56,923 | \$56,923 |

Note 9 - Risk Management

A. Property and Liability

The School 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. During fiscal year 2011, the School District contracted with Barengo Insurance Agency through Ohio Casualty Insurance for general liability, vehicle, and property insurance.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Coverage provided is as follows:

| Building and Contents-replacement cost | \$29,029,000 |
|---|--------------|
| Boiler and Machinery | 29,029,000 |
| Inland Marine (\$500 deductible each): | |
| Musical Instruments | 50,000 |
| Band Uniforms and Similar Equipment | 50,000 |
| Athletic Equipment and Uniforms | 50,000 |
| Camera, Projection Machines, Films and Similar Equipment | 50,000 |
| Signs | 10,000 |
| Fine Arts | 50,000 |
| Dwellings Under Construction | 100,000 |
| Crime (\$1,000 deductible) - | |
| Employee Dishonesty | 100,000 |
| Forgery or Alteration | 100,000 |
| Money and Securities – | |
| Inside Premises – Per Occurrence | 25,000 |
| Outside Premises – Per Messenger | 25,000 |
| Automobile Liability: | |
| Bodily Injury and Property Damage – combined single limit | 1,000,000 |
| Medical Payments – each person | 5,000 |
| Hired Auto Liability | 1,000,000 |
| Non-owned Auto Liability | 1,000,000 |
| Uninsured Motorist | 1,000,000 |
| Underinsured Motorist | 1,000,000 |
| Deductibles: | |
| Comprehensive | 1,000 |
| Collision | 1,000 |
| General Liability (no deductible): | |
| Each Occurrence | 1,000,000 |
| Aggregate Limit | 2,000,000 |
| Medical Expense Limit – per person/accident | 15,000 |
| | |

Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from coverage in fiscal year 2011.

B. Workers' Compensation

For fiscal year 2011, the School District participated in the Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool (Note 17). The intent of the GRP is to achieve the benefit of a reduced premium for the School District by virtue of its grouping and representation with other participants in the GRP. The workers' compensation experience of the participating school districts is calculated as one experience and a common premium rate is applied to all school districts in the GRP. Each participant pays its workers' compensation premium to the State based on the rate for the GRP rather than its individual rate. Participation in the GRP is limited to school districts that can meet the GRP's selection criteria. The firm of CompManagement, Inc. provides administrative, cost control, and actuarial services to the GRP.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

C. Employee Benefits

Health insurance is offered to employees through a self-insurance internal service fund. Monthly premiums for the cost of claims are remitted to the fiscal agent who in turn pays the claims on the School District's behalf. The claims liability of \$42,732, which is based on an estimate provided by the third party administrator, includes unpaid claim costs and estimates of costs relating to incurred but not reported claims. The estimate was not affected by incremental claim adjustment expenses and does not include other allocated or unallocated claim adjustment expenses. A comparison of self-insurance fund cash and investments to the actuarially-measured liability as of June 30 follows:

| | Balance at | Current | | |
|------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| | Beginning | Year | Claim | Balance at |
| | of Year | Claims | Payments | End of Year |
| 2010 | \$222,488 | 1,180,207 | 1,302,723 | \$99,972 |
| 2011 | 99,972 | 1,246,410 | 1,303,650 | 42,732 |

The School District provides life insurance and accidental death and dismemberment insurance to most employees through Metropolitan Educational Council in the amount of \$25,000 for its employees.

Dental coverage is provided through Coresource. Premiums for this coverage are \$58.72 monthly for family and \$21.75 for single coverage.

Note 10 - Defined Benefit Pension Plans

A. School Employees Retirement System

Plan Description – The School District participates in the School Employees Retirement System (SERS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. SERS provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Authority to establish and amend benefits is provided by Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3309. SERS issues a publicly available, stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report can be obtained by visiting the SERS website at www.ohsers.org under Employers/Audit Resources.

Funding Policy – Plan members are required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salary and the School District is required to contribute 14 percent of annual covered payroll. The contribution requirements of plan members and employers are established and may be amended by the SERS' Retirement Board up to statutory maximum amounts of 10 percent for plan members and 14 percent for employers. The Retirement Board, acting with the advice of the actuary, allocates the employer contribution rate among four of the System's funds (Pension Trust Fund, Death Benefit Fund, Medicare B Fund, and Health Care Fund). For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, the allocation to pension and death benefits was 11.81 percent. The remaining 2.19 percent of the 14 percent employer contribution rate is allocated to the Medicare B and Health Care funds. The School District's required contributions for pension obligations to SERS for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, were \$159,270, \$111,384 and \$115,969, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for all three fiscal years.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

B. State Teachers Retirement System

Plan Description – The School District participates in the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio), a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system. STRS Ohio provides retirement and disability benefits to members and death and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. STRS Ohio issues a stand-alone financial report that can be obtained by writing to STRS Ohio, 275 E. Broad St., Columbus, OH 43215-3771, by calling (888) 227-7877, or by visiting the STRS Ohio Web site at www.strsoh.org.

New members have a choice of three retirement plans; a Defined Benefit (DB) Plan, a Defined Contribution (DC) Plan and a Combined Plan. The DB plan offers an annual retirement allowance based on final average salary multiplied by a percentage that varies based on years of service, or an allowance based on a member's lifetime contributions and earned interest matched by STRS Ohio funds divided by an actuarially determined annuity factor. The DC Plan allows members to place all their member contributions and employer contributions equal to 10.5 percent of earned compensation into an investment account. Investment decisions are made by the member. A member is eligible to receive a retirement benefit at age 50 and termination of employment. The member may elect to receive a lifetime monthly annuity or a lump sum withdrawal. The Combined Plan offers features of both the DB Plan and the DC Plan. In the Combined Plan, member contributions are invested by the member, and employer contributions are used to fund the defined benefit payment at a reduced level from the regular DB Plan. The DB portion of the Combined Plan payment is payable to a member on or after age 60; the DC portion of the account may be taken as a lump sum payment or converted to a lifetime monthly annuity at age 50. Benefits are established by Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3307.

A DB or Combined Plan member with five or more years of credited service who becomes disabled may qualify for a disability benefit. Eligible spouses and dependents of these active members who die before retirement may qualify for survivor benefits. Members in the DC Plan who become disabled are entitled only to their account balance. If a member of the DC Plan dies before retirement benefits begin, the member's designated beneficiary is entitled to receive the member's account balance.

Funding Policy - Chapter 3307 of the Ohio Revised Code provides statutory authority for member and employer contributions. Contribution rates are established by the State Teachers Retirement Board, upon the recommendation of its consulting actuary, not to exceed statutory maximum rates of 10 percent for members and 14 percent for employers. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, plan members were required to contribute 10 percent of their annual covered salary. The School District was required to contribute 14 percent; 13 percent was the portion used to fund pension obligations.

The School District's required contributions to STRS Ohio for the DB Plan and for the defined benefit portion of the Combined Plan were \$578,557 and \$0 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, and \$540,581 and \$20 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010, and \$518,147 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2009. The School District's contribution for the defined benefit portion of the Combined Plan was not available for 2009. For fiscal year 2011, 84.46 percent has been contributed for the DB Plan and 84.46 percent has been contributed for the Combined Plan, with the balance being reported as an intergovernmental payable. The full amount has been contributed for fiscal years 2010 and 2009.

Contributions made to STRS Ohio for the DC Plan for fiscal year 2011 were \$1,416 made by the School District and \$1,012 made by the plan members. Members did not make contributions for fiscal year 2011 for the defined contribution portion of the Combined Plan.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

C. Social Security System

Effective July 1, 1991, all employees not otherwise covered by the School Employees Retirement System or the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio have an option to choose Social Security or the School Employees Retirement System. As of June 30, 2011, there are no employees who have elected Social Security.

Note 11 - Postemployment Benefits

A. School Employees Retirement System

Plan Description – The School District participates in two cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plans administrated by the School Employees Retirement System for non-certificated retirees and their beneficiaries, a Health Care Plan and a Medicare Part B Plan. The Health Care Plan includes hospitalization and physicians' fees through several types of plans including HMO's, PPO's and traditional indemnity plans as well as a prescription drug program. The Medicare Part B Plan reimburses Medicare Part B premiums paid by eligible retirees and beneficiaries up to a statutory limit. Benefit provisions and the obligation to contribute are established by SERS based on authority granted by State statute. The financial reports of both Plans are included in the SERS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report which can be obtained on SERS' website at www.ohsers.org under Employers/Audit Resources

Funding Policy - State statute permits SERS to fund the health care benefits through employer contributions. Each year, after the allocation for statutorily required benefits, the Retirement Board allocates the remainder of the employer contribution of 14 percent of covered payroll to the Health Care Fund. The Health Care Fund was established and is administered in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 105(e). For fiscal year 2011, 1.43 percent of covered payroll was allocated to health care. In addition, employers pay a surcharge for employees earning less than an actuarially determined amount; for fiscal year 2011, this amount was \$35,800. During fiscal year 2011, the School District paid \$20,262 in surcharge.

Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. Retirees and their beneficiaries are required to pay a health care premium that varies depending on the plan selected, the number of qualified years of service, Medicare eligibility and retirement status.

The School District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, were \$39,547, \$24,628and \$72,473, respectively. For fiscal year 2011, 48.76 percent has been contributed, with the balance being reported as an intergovernmental payable. The full amount has been contributed for fiscal years 2010 and 2009.

The Retirement Board, acting with advice of the actuary, allocates a portion of the employer contribution to the Medicare B Fund. For fiscal year 2011, this actuarially required allocation was 0.76 percent of covered payroll. The School District's contributions for Medicare Part B for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, were \$10,249, \$5,334, and \$10,150, respectively; 100 percent has been contributed for all three fiscal years.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

B. State Teachers Retirement System

Plan Description – The School District participates in the cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit Health Plan administered by the State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (STRS Ohio) for eligible retirees who participated in the defined benefit or combined pension plans offered by STRS Ohio. Ohio law authorizes STRS to offer this plan. Benefits include hospitalization, physicians' fees, prescription drugs and reimbursement of monthly Medicare Part B premiums. The Plan is included in the report of STRS Ohio which can be obtained by visiting www.strsoh.org or by calling (888) 227-7877.

Funding Policy – Ohio Revised Code Chapter 3307 authorizes STRS Ohio to offer the Plan and gives the Retirement Board authority over how much, if any, of the health care costs will be absorbed by STRS Ohio. Active employee members do not contribute to the Health Care Plan. All benefit recipients, for the most recent year, pay a monthly premium. Under Ohio law, funding for post-employment health care may be deducted from employer contributions. For fiscal year 2011, STRS Ohio allocated employer contributions equal to 1 percent of covered payroll to post-employment health care. The School District's contributions for health care for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, were \$44,504, \$41,583, and \$39,857, respectively. For fiscal year 2011, 84.46 percent has been contributed, with the balance being reported as an intergovernmental payable. The full amount has been contributed for fiscal years 2010 and 2009.

Note 12 - Long-Term Debt

Currently, the School District has no outstanding debt.

The overall debt margin of the School District as of June 30, 2011, was \$12,438,883, with an unvoted debt margin of \$138,210.

Note 13 - Set-Aside Calculations

The School District is required by State statute to annually set aside in the General Fund an amount based on a statutory formula for the purchase of textbooks and other instructional materials and an equal amount for the acquisition and construction of capital improvements. Amounts not spent by year end or offset by similarly restricted resources received during the year must be held in cash at year end and carried forward to be used for the same purposes in future years.

The following cash basis information describes the change in the fiscal year end set aside amounts for textbooks and capital improvements. Disclosure of this information is required by State statute.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

| | Capital | Textbooks/ Instructional |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|
| | Improvements | Materials |
| | Reserve | Reserve |
| Set-aside Balance as of June 30, 2010 | \$0 | (\$180,190) |
| Current Year Set-aside Requirement | 153,402 | 153,402 |
| Offsetting Credits | (366,318) | 0 |
| Total | (\$212,916) | (\$26,788) |
| Set-aside Balance Carried Forward | | |
| to Future Fiscal Years | \$0 | (\$26,788) |

The School District had prior year negative carryovers that reduced the textbook set-aside requirement for fiscal year 2011 below zero. This extra amount may be used to reduce the set-aside requirement in future fiscal years.

Note 14 - Interfund Transfers

During the fiscal year, the General Fund transferred \$25,239 to the State Grants Special Revenue Fund to reduce deficit cash balances.

Note 15 - Contingencies

A. Grants

The School District received financial assistance from federal and state agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and are 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, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the School District at June 30, 2011.

B. Litigation

The School District is currently not a party to any legal proceedings.

Note 16 - Jointly Governed Organizations

A. Southeastern Ohio Voluntary Education Cooperative (SEOVEC)

SEOVEC was created as a regional council of governments pursuant to State statutes. SEOVEC is a computer consortium formed for the purpose of applying modern technology with the aid of computers and other electronic equipment to administrative and instructional functions among member school districts. SEOVEC has 28 participants consisting of school districts in nine southeastern Ohio counties. SEOVEC is governed by a governing board which is selected by the member districts. SEOVEC possesses its own budgeting and taxing authority. During fiscal year 2011, the School District paid \$44,358 to SEOVEC. To obtain financial information, write to the Southeastern Ohio Voluntary Education Cooperative at 221 North Columbus Road, Athens, Ohio 45701.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

B. Washington County Career Center

The Washington County Career Center, a joint vocational school, is a distinct political subdivision of the State of Ohio operated under the direction of a Board consisting of one representative from each of the six participating school districts' elected boards and one representative from the Ohio Valley Educational Service Center's Board. The Board possesses its own budgeting and taxing authority. To obtain financial information write to the Washington County Career Center, Joe Crone, Treasurer, at 21740 SR 676, Marietta, Ohio 45750.

C. Coalition of Rural and Appalachian Schools

The Coalition of Rural and Appalachian Schools is a jointly governed organization composed of 136 school districts and other educational institutions in the 35-county region of Ohio designated as Appalachia. The Coalition is operated by a Board which is composed of seventeen members. One elected and one appointed from each of the seven regions into which the 35 Appalachian counties are divided; and three from Ohio University College of Education. The Coalition provides various in-service training programs for school district administrative personnel; gathers data regarding the level of education provided to children in the region; cooperates with other professional groups to assess and develop programs designed to meet the needs of member districts; and provides staff development programs for school district personnel. The Coalition is not dependent on the continued participation of the School District and the School District does not maintain an equity interest in or financial responsibility for the Coalition. The School District's membership fee was \$325 for fiscal year 2011. The financial information for the Coalition can be obtained from the Executive Director, at McCraken Hall, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio 45701.

Note 17 - Insurance Purchasing Pool

Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan

The School District participates in the Ohio School Boards Association Workers' Compensation Group Rating Plan (GRP), an insurance purchasing pool. The GRP's business and affairs are conducted by a three member Board of directors consisting of the President, the President-Elect, and the Immediate Past President of the OSBA. The Executive Director of the OSBA, or his designee, serves as coordinator of the program. Each year, the participating school districts pay an enrollment fee to the GRP to cover the costs of administering the plan.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2011

Note 18 - Noncompliance

Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code 117-2-03(B) provides that the District shall prepare its annual financial statement in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. However, the District prepares its financial statements in accordance with standards established by the cash basis of accounting. The accompanying financial statements and notes omit assets, liabilities, fund equities and disclosures that, while material, cannot be determined at this time. Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38, the District can be fined and various other administrative remedies for its failure to file the required financial report

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

Board of Education Fort Frye Local School District Beverly, Ohio 45715

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Fort Frye Local School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 20, 2011. 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 *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Fort Frye Local School District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our audit procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District'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, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purposes 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 to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Required by Government Auditing Standards Page Two

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Fort Frye Local School District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed an instance of noncompliance or other matters that we must report under *Government Auditing Standard*, which is described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings as item 2011-01.

The District's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. We did not audit the District's response and accordingly, we express no opinion on it..

This report is intended for the information of the District's Board of Education, management, Auditor of State, federal award agencies, and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. Zanesville, Ohio December 20, 2011

WOLFE, WILSON, & PHILLIPS, INC. 37 SOUTH SEVENTH STREET ZANESVILLE, OHIO 43701

REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Board of Education Fort Frye Local School District Beverly, Ohio 45715

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Fort Frye Local School District with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Fort Frye Local School District's major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2011. Fort Frye Local School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of Fort Frye Local School District management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Fort Frye Local School District's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Fort Frye Local School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on Fort Frye Local School District's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Fort Frye Local School 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, 2011.

Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of Fort Frye Local School District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Fort Frye Local School District's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine the auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to tests and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Fort Frye Local School District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Fort Frye Local School District's internal control over compliance.

Report on Compliance with Circular A-133 Page 2

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is 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.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance 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 deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses in internal control over compliance. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weakness, as defined above.

This report is intended for the information of the Board of Education, management, the Auditor of State, federal award agencies, and pass-through entities, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. Zanesville, Ohio December 20, 2011

FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WASHINGTON COUNTY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS OMB CIRCULAR A-133 SECTION 505

1. Summary of Auditor's Results

| (d)(1)(I) | Type of Financial Statement Opinion | Unqualified |
|--------------|---|--|
| (d)(1)(ii) | Were there any material control weakness conditions reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)? | NO |
| (d)(1)(ii) | Were there any other significant deficiencies. In internal control reported at the financial statement level (GAGAS)? | es NO |
| (d)(1)(iii) | Was there any reported non-compliance at the financial statement level (GAGAS)? | Yes |
| (d)(1)(iv) | Were there any material internal control weakness conditions reported for major federal programs? | NO |
| (d)(1)(iv) | Were there any other significant deficiencies. In internal control reported for major federal programs? | NO NO |
| (d)(1)(v) | Type of Major Programs' Compliance Opinion | Unqualified |
| (d)(1)(vi) | Are there any reportable findings under section. 510? | NO |
| (d)(1)(vii) | Major Programs: | Nutrition Cluster; CFDA #10.553,10.555 State Fiscal Stabilization; CFDA #84.394 |
| (d)(1)(viii) | Dollar Threshold: Type A\B Programs: | Type A: >\$300,000; Type B: All Others |
| (d)(1)(ix) | Low Risk Auditee? | Yes |

2. Findings Related to the Financial Statements Required to be Reported in Accordance with GAGAS

FINDING NUMBER 2011-01

Noncompliance Citation

Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38 and Ohio Administrative Code 117-2-03(B) provides that the District shall prepare its annual financial statement in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WASHINGTON COUNTY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS OMB CIRCULAR A-133 SECTION 505

2. Findings Related to the Financial Statements Required to be Reported in Accordance with GAGAS FINDING 2011-01 (Continued)

Noncompliance Citation (Continued)

However, the District prepares its financial statements in accordance with standards established by the cash basis of accounting. The accompanying financial statements and notes omit assets, liabilities, fund equities and disclosures that, while material, cannot be determined at this time. Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 117.38, the District can be fined and various other administrative remedies for its failure to file the required financial report.

We recommend the District take the necessary steps to ensure that the annual financial report is prepared and filed pursuant to generally accepted accounting principles.

Client Response: The District does not believe the benefits associated with filing GAAP statements outweigh the costs associated with preparing them.

3. Findings and Questioned Costs for Federal Awards

NONE

FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WASHINGTON COUNTY SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDITURES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

| Federal Grantor/ Sub-Grantor Program Title | Pass Through Entity Number | Federal CFDA Number | I | Receipts | Dish | oursements |
|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------|----|--------------------|------|--------------------|
| U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE: Pass through Ohio Department of Education | | | | | | |
| Nutrition Cluster | | | | | | |
| National School Breakfast Program | n/a | 10.553 | \$ | 121,830 | \$ | 121,830 |
| National School Lunch Program | n/a | 10.555 | | 216,153 | | 216,153 |
| Total Nutrition Cluster | | | | 337,983 | | 337,983 |
| Total U.S. Department of Agriculture | | | | 337,983 | | 337,983 |
| U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION: Pass through Ohio Department of Education | | | | | | |
| Title I Cluster: | | | | | | |
| Title I Educationally Deprived Children | 050484C1S111 | 84.010 | | 236,047 | | 188,635 |
| | 050484C1S110 | | | 25,001 | | 41,438 |
| | 050484C1N110 | | | 5,810 | | 4,639 234,712 |
| | | | | 266,858 | | 234,712 |
| Title I Educationally Deprived Children (ARRA) | 050484C1S111A | 84.389 | | 35,838 | | 32,246 |
| | 050484C1S110A | | | 26,840 | | 6,637 |
| | | | | 62,678 | | 38,883 |
| Title I School Improvement | 050484C1S110 | 84.377 | | 3,600 | | 3,600 |
| Total Title I Cluster | | | | 333,136 | | 277,195 |
| Special Education Cluster: | | | | | | |
| Title VI-B Special Education Assistance | 050484BSF11 | 84.027 | | 249,746 | | 227,085 |
| for handicapped Children | 050484BSF10 | | | 18,281 268,027 | - | 25,345 252,430 |
| | | | | 200,027 | | 202,.00 |
| Title VI-B Special Education Assistance (ARRA) | 050484BSF11A | 84.391 | | 28,073 | | 28,073 |
| | 050484BSF10A | | | 9,598 37,671 | | 12,887 40,960 |
| | | | | , | | |
| Total Special Education Cluster | | | | 305,698 | | 293,390 |
| Drug Free School Program | 050484DRS111 | 84.186 | | 1,170 | | 1,170 |
| | 050484DRS110 | | | (333) | | 311 |
| | | | | 837 | | 1,481 |
| Technology Literacy Challenge | 050484TJS111 | 84.318 | | 1,213 | | 650 |
| <i>.</i> , , , | 050484TJS110 | | | 1,878 | | 412 |
| | | | | 3,091 | | 1,062 |
| Improving Teacher Quality State Grant | 050484TRS111 | 84.367 | | 49,148 | | 52,802 |
| improving reacher Quanty State Grant | 050484TRS111 | 04.507 | | 7,105 | | 7,694 |
| | | | | 56,253 | | 60,496 |
| Carte Final Carlillantian | 5040457444 | 84 204 | | 246.005 | | 246.005 |
| State Fiscal Stabilization | 50484FY11 | 84.394 | | 346,985 346,985 | - | 346,985 346,985 |
| | | | | 2 , | | - 10,500 |
| Education Jobs Program | 50484FY11 | 84.410 | | 144,427 | | 139,336 |
| | | | | 144,427 | | 139,336 |
| Rural Education | 50484FY11 | 84.358 | | 8,588 | | 6,930 |
| | | | | 8,588 | | 6,930 6,930 |
| Total U.S. Department of Education | | | | 1,199,015 | | 1,126,875 |
| | | | | | | |
| Total Federal Awards Expenditures | | | | 1,536,998 | | 1,464,858 |

FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDITURES

NOTES A – SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying schedule of federal awards expenditures is a summary of the activity of the District's federal award programs. The schedule has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting.

NOTES B – CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER

Program regulations do not require the District to maintain separate inventory records for purchased food and food received from the U.S. Department of Agriculture. This nonmonetary assistance (expenditures) is reported in the Schedule at the fair market value of the commodities received.

Cash receipts from the U.S. Department of Agriculture are commingled with State grants. It is assumed federal monies are expended first.

NOTE C – MATCHING REQUIREMENTS

Certain Federal programs require the District contribute non-Federal funds (matching funds) to support the federally-funded programs. The District has complied with the matching requirements. The expenditure of non-Federal matching funds is not included on the Schedule.

FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT WASHINGTON COUNTY

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS June 30, 2011

| Finding Number | Finding Summary | Fully Corrected | Not Corrected, Partially Corrected Significantly Different Corrective Actio Taken; or Finding No Longer Valid; Explain: |
|-------------------|---|--------------------|--|
| 2010-01 | ORC 117.38 and OAC 117-02-03(B) Filed on basis prescribed by AOS, not GAAP | No | Not Corrected: Reported again as finding 2011-01 |

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON APPLYING AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES

Board of Education Fort Frye Local School District Beverly, Ohio 45715

To The Board of Education

Ohio Revised Code Section 117.53 states "the auditor of state shall identify whether the school district or community school has adopted an anti-harassment policy in accordance with Section 3313.666 of the Revised Code. This determination shall be recorded in the audit report. The auditor of state shall not prescribe the content or operation of any anti-harassment policy adopted by a school district or community school.

Accordingly, we have performed the procedure enumerated below, which were agreed to by the Board, solely to assist the Board in evaluating whether Fort Frye Local School District has adopted its anti-harassment policy in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 3313.666. Management is responsible for complying with this requirement. This agree-upon procedures engagement was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of this procedure is solely the responsibility of the Board. Consequently; we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedure described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

1. We noted the Board amended its anti-harassment policy at its meeting on April 19, 2011 to include violence within a dating relationship within its definition of harassment, intimidation or bullying.

Ohio Revised Code Section 3313.666 required the board to amend its definition by September 28, 2010.

We were not engaged to and did not conduct an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on compliance with the anti-harassment policy. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the attention and use of the Board and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Wolfe, Wilson, & Phillips, Inc. Zanesville, Ohio December 20, 2011



FORT FRYE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

WASHINGTON COUNTY

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.

CLERK OF THE BUREAU

Susan Babbitt

CERTIFIED FEBRUARY 16, 2012