NEW ISSUE - Book-Entry-Only

Rating: Moody's: "Aaa"/ "Aa3" PSF Guaranteed (See "OTHER INFORMATION - Rating" and "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM" herein)

In the opinion of Bond Counsel, interest on the Bonds will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions existing on the date thereof, subject to the matters described under "TAX MATTERS" herein, including the alternative minimum tax on certain corporations.

\$7,430,000

SEGUIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (A Political Subdivision of the State of Texas Located in Guadalupe County) UNLIMITED TAX SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS, SERIES 2023A

Dated Date: July 1, 2023 Interest Accrues from the Date of Initial Delivery (defined below)

Due: February 15, as shown on page 2

PAYMENT TERMS... The Seguin Independent School District (the "Issuer" or "District") is issuing \$7,430,000 Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2023A (the "Bonds"). Interest on the Bonds will accrue from the Date of Initial Delivery to the Underwriter (defined below) and will be payable initially on August 15, 2023, and each February 15 and August 15 thereafter until stated maturity or prior redemption. The Bonds will be issued in denominations of \$5,000 of principal amount or any integral multiple thereof within a maturity. Interest on the Bonds will be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The Bonds will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC") pursuant to the book-entry-only system described herein. **No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the owners thereof** (see "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System"). The initial Paying Agent/Registrar is BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas (see "THE BONDS – Paying Agent/Registrar").

AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE... The Bonds are being issued by the District pursuant to the Constitution and general laws of the State of Texas, including Section 45.001 and Section 45.003(b)(1), Texas Education Code, as amended ("Chapter 45"), Chapter 1371, Texas Government Code, as amended ("Chapter 1371"), an election held on May 6, 2023 (the "Election") and an order authorizing the issuance of the Bonds (the "Bond Order") adopted by the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of the District on June 20, 2023. As permitted by Chapter 1371, the Board, in the Bond Order, authorized certain designated officers of the District to execute a pricing certificate (the "Pricing Certificate") establishing the terms of sale of the Bonds and finalizing certain characteristics thereof related to final pricing of the Bonds. The Bond Order and the Pricing Certificate are collectively referred to herein as the "Order." See "THE BONDS – Authority for Issuance" herein. The Pricing Certificate was executed by an authorized District Official on July 6, 2023.

The District has received conditional approval from the Texas Education Agency for the Bonds to be guaranteed by the Permanent School Fund Guarantee Program, which will automatically become effective when the Attorney General of Texas approves the Bonds (see "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM").

PURPOSE... Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purposes of (i) designing, constructing, renovating, improving, upgrading, updating, acquiring, and equipping a baseball and softball complex at the High School, and (ii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds.

| CUSIP PREFIX: 815853 | |
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| MATURITY SCHEDULE | |
| Shown on page 2 | |

LEGALITY . . . The Bonds are offered for delivery when, as and if issued, and accepted by the initial Underwriter thereof named below (the "Underwriter"), subject to the approving opinion of the Attorney General of the State of Texas and the approval of certain legal matters by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Bond Counsel (see "APPENDIX C – Form of Bond Counsel's Opinion"). Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Underwriter by their counsel, Kassahn & Ortiz, P.C., San Antonio, Texas.

DELIVERY . . . It is expected that the Bonds will be available for delivery through DTC on or about August 3, 2023 (the "Date of Initial Delivery").

SAMCO CAPITAL

\$7,430,000 SEGUIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (A Political Subdivision of the State of Texas Located in Guadalupe County) UNLIMITED TAX SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS, SERIES 2023A

MATURITY SCHEDULE

\$1,400,000 Serial Bonds

| Maturity <u>February 15</u> | Principal <u>Amount</u> | Interest <u>Rate</u> | Initial <u>Yield</u> | CUSIP Suffix ⁽¹⁾ |
|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 2024 | \$ 265,000 | 5.000% | 3.220% | VS2 |
| 2025 | 120,000 | 5.000% | 3.180% | VT0 |
| 2026 | 125,000 | 5.000% | 3.060% | VU7 |
| 2027 | 130,000 | 5.000% | 3.000% | VV5 |
| 2028 | 140,000 | 5.000% | 3.000% | VW3 |
| 2029 | 145,000 | 5.000% | 3.000% | VX1 |
| 2030 | 150,000 | 5.000% | 3.000% | VY9 |
| 2031 | 160,000 | 5.000% | 3.000% | VZ6 |
| 2032 | 165,000 | 5.000% | 3.000% | WA0 |

\$6,030,000 Term Bonds

\$360,000 5.000% Term Bonds due February 15, 2034 Priced to Yield 3.040% $^{(2)}$ - WC6 \$400,000 5.000% Term Bonds due February 15, 2036 Priced to Yield 3.280% $^{(2)}$ - WE2 \$440,000 5.000% Term Bonds due February 15, 2038 Priced to Yield 3.540% $^{(2)}$ - WG7 \$480,000 5.000% Term Bonds due February 15, 2040 Priced to Yield 3.620% $^{(2)}$ - WJ1 \$1,100,000 4.000% Term Bonds due February 15, 2044 Priced to Yield 4.210% - WN2 \$1,295,000 4.250% Term Bonds due February 15, 2048 Priced to Yield 4.340% - WS1 \$1,955,000 4.250% Term Bonds due February 15, 2053 Priced to Yield 4.390% - WX0

(Interest Accrues from the Date of Initial Delivery)

REDEMPTION... The District reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after February 15, 2034, in whole or from time to time in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2033, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption (see "THE BONDS – Redemption"). Additionally, the Bonds maturing on February 15 in the years 2034, 2036, 2038, 2040, 2044, 2048, and 2053 (the "Term Bonds") are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption (see "THE BONDS – Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption").

⁽¹⁾ CUSIP data is provided by CUSIP Global Services, managed by FactSet Research Systems, Inc. on behalf of the American Bankers Association. This data is not intended to create a database and does not serve in any way as a substitute for the CUSIP services. None of the District, the Financial Advisor, or the Underwriter take any responsibility for the accuracy of CUSIP numbers.

⁽²⁾ Yield calculated based on the assumption that the Bonds denoted and sold at a premium will be redeemed on February 15, 2033, the first optional call date for such Bonds, at a redemption price of par, plus accrued interest to the redemption date.

DISTRICT OFFICIALS, STAFF AND CONSULTANTS

ELECTED OFFICIALS

| Name | Years Served | Term Expires (November) | Occupation |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Mr. Alejandro Guerra President | 5 | 2026 | Senior Chemist |
| Mr. Carl Jenkins Vice-President | 7 | 2024 | Registered Nurse |
| Ms. Linda Duncan Secretary | 5 | 2026 | Radio Personality |
| Ms. Cinde Thomas-Jimenez Trustee | 7 | 2024 | Environmental Education Administrator |
| Ms. Denise Crettenden Trustee | 5 | 2026 | Producer/Script Supervisor |
| Mr. Benito Amador Trustee | 7 | 2024 | USAF Retiree/Property Manager |
| Mr. Joshua Bright Trustee | 0 | 2026 | US Navy Retiree |

SELECTED ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

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| SELECTED ADMINISTRATIVI | Position | | | Years of Service with the District | Years of Service in Present Position |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| Dr. Matthew Gutierrez | Superintendent of Schools | | | 21 | 6 |
| Mr. Mark Cantu | Deputy Superintendent/Chief | f Innovation Off | icer | 17 | 5 |
| Mr. Anthony Hillberg | Chief Financial Officer | | | 25 | 7 |
| Ms. Nikki Elaine Bittings | Chief Student Services Office | er | | 26 | 2 |
| Ms. Cindy Moreno | Chief Human Resources Offi | icer | | 21 | 4 |
| Mr. Sean Hoffmann | Chief Communications Offic | er | | 24 | 6 |
| Mr. Steve Gonzalez | Chief Technology Officer | | | 11 | 1 |
| Ms. Andrea Jaramillo | Deputy Chief of Innovation a | and Learning | | 18 | 2 |
| Consultants and Adviso | RS | | | | |
| Bond Counsel | | | McCall, | Parkhurst & Horton San Antonic | |
| Financial Advisor | | | Spec | | nce Inc. |
| Auditors | | | B | elt Harris Pechacek Houstor | |
| For additional information re | egarding the District, please con | ntact: | | | |
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| Superintendent of | | | Managing Director | | |
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USE OF INFORMATION IN THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT

No dealer, broker, salesman or other person has been authorized by the District, the Financial Advisor, or the Underwriter to give any information, or to make any representations other than those contained in this Official Statement, and, if given or made, such other information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the District, the Financial Advisor or the Underwriter. This Official Statement does not constitute an offer to sell Bonds in any jurisdiction to any person to whom it is unlawful to make such offer in such jurisdiction.

Certain information set forth herein has been obtained from the District and other sources which are believed to be reliable but is not guaranteed as to accuracy or completeness and is not to be construed as a representation by the Financial Advisor or the Underwriter. Any information and expressions of opinion herein contained are subject to change without notice, and neither the delivery of this Official Statement nor any sale made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the District or other matters described herein since the date hereof.

See "APPENDIX D - PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM – PSF Continuing Disclosure Undertaking" and "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" for a description of the undertakings of the Texas Education Agency ("TEA") and the District, respectively, to provide certain information on a continuing basis.

THE BONDS ARE EXEMPT FROM REGISTRATION WITH THE UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AND CONSEQUENTLY HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED THEREWITH. THE REGISTRATION, QUALIFICATION, OR EXEMPTION OF THE BONDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAW PROVISIONS OF THE JURISDICTION IN WHICH THE BONDS HAVE BEEN REGISTERED, OR EXEMPTED, SHOULD NOT BE REGARDED AS A RECOMMENDATION THEREOF.

NONE OF THE DISTRICT, ITS FINANCIAL ADVISOR OR THE UNDERWRITER MAKE ANY REPRESENTATION OR WARRANTY WITH RESPECT TO THE INFORMATION CONTAINED IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT REGARDING THE DEPOSITORY TRUST COMPANY ("DTC") OR ITS BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM OR THE AFFAIRS OF THE TEA DESCRIBED UNDER "THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM," AS SUCH INFORMATION IS PROVIDED BY DTC AND THE TEA, RESPECTIVELY.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE OFFERING OF THE BONDS, THE UNDERWRITER MAY OVER-ALLOT OR EFFECT TRANSACTIONS WHICH STABILIZE OR MAINTAIN THE MARKET PRICES OF THE BONDS AT A LEVEL ABOVE THAT WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVAIL IN THE OPEN MARKET. SUCH STABILIZING, IF COMMENCED, MAY BE DISCONTINUED AT ANY TIME.

The agreements of the District and others related to the Bonds are contained solely in the contracts described herein. Neither this Official Statement nor any other statement made in connection with the offer or sale of the Bonds is to be construed as constituting an agreement with the Underwriter of the Bonds. INVESTORS SHOULD READ THIS ENTIRE OFFICIAL STATEMENT, INCLUDING ALL APPENDICES ATTACHED HERETO, TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ESSENTIAL TO MAKING AN INFORMED INVESTMENT DECISION.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT SUMMARY

This summary is subject in all respects to the more complete information and definitions contained or incorporated in this Official Statement. The offering of the Bonds to potential investors is made only by means of this entire Official Statement. No person is authorized to detach this summary from this Official Statement or to otherwise use it without the entire Official Statement.

| THE DISTRICT | The Seguin Independent School District (the "District") is a political subdivision located in Guadalupe County, Texas, and includes the City of Seguin, Texas. The District encompasses approximately 370 square miles in area (see "INTRODUCTION – Description of the District"). |
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| THE BONDS | The Bonds are being issued as \$7,430,000 Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2023A and will be dated July 1, 2023. The Bonds will be issued as serial bonds maturing February 15 in the years 2024 through 2032 and as "Term Bonds" maturing on February 15 in the years, 2034, 2036, 2038, 2040, 2044, 2048, and 2053. |
| PAYMENT OF INTEREST | Interest on the Bonds will accrue from the Date of Initial Delivery and will be payable initially on August 15, 2023, and each February 15 and August 15 thereafter until maturity or prior redemption (see "THE BONDS – Description of the Bonds"). |
| AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE | The Bonds are being issued by the District pursuant to the Constitution and the general laws of the State of Texas, including Section 45.001 and Section 45.003(b)(1), Texas Education Code, as amended ("Chapter 45"), Chapter 1371, Texas Government Code, as amended ("Chapter 1371"), an election held on May 6, 2023 (the "Election") and an order authorizing the issuance of the Bonds (the "Bond Order") adopted by the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of the District on June 20, 2023. As permitted by Chapter 1371, the Board, in the Bond Order, authorized certain designated officers of the District to execute a pricing certificate (the "Pricing Certificate") establishing the terms of sale of the Bonds and finalizing certain characteristics thereof related to final pricing of the Bonds (defined below) (the Bond Order and the Pricing Certificate are collectively referred to herein as the "Order"). The Pricing Certificate was executed by an authorized District Official on July 6, 2023. |
| PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR | The initial Paying Agent/Registrar is BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas. |
| SECURITY FOR THE BONDS | The Bonds constitute direct obligations of the District, payable from a continuing direct annual ad valorem tax levied by the District, without legal limit as to rate or amount, on all taxable property located within the District (see "THE BONDS – Security and Source of Payment"). |
| REDEMPTION PROVISIONS | The District reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after February 15, 2034, in whole or from time to time in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2033, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption. Additionally, the Term Bonds maturing on February 15 in the years 2034, 2036, 2038, 2040, 2044, 2048, and 2053 are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption (see "THE BONDS - Mandatory Sinking Fund Redemption"). |
| TAX EXEMPTION | In the opinion of McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Bond Counsel, interest on the Bonds will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions existing on the date thereof, subject to the matters described under "TAX MATTERS" herein, including the alternative minimum tax on certain corporation. (See TAX MATTERS and "APPENDIX C – Form of Bond Counsel's Opinion" herein). |

| PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND | |
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| GUARANTEE | The District has received conditional approval from the Texas Education Agency (the "TEA") for the Bonds to be guaranteed under the State of Texas Permanent School Fund Guarantee Program, which guarantee will automatically become effective when the Attorney General of Texas approves the Bonds (see "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM" herein). |
| USE OF PROCEEDS | Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purposes of (i) designing, constructing, renovating, improving, upgrading, updating, acquiring, and equipping a baseball and softball complex at the High School, and (ii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds. |
| RATING | The Bonds have been rated "Aaa" by Moody's investors Service, Inc, ("Moody's") by virtue of the guarantee of the Permanent School Guarantee Program. The Bonds, together with the District's tax supported indebtedness, is rated "Aa3" by Moody's without regard to credit enhancement (see "OTHER INFORMATION – Ratings"). |
| BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM | The definitive Bonds will be initially registered and delivered only to Cede & Co., the nominee of The Depository Trust Company, Newy York, New York ("DTC") pursuant to the Book-Entry-Only System described herein. Beneficial ownership of the Bonds may be acquired in denominations of \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof in principal amount. No physical delivery of the Bonds will be made to the beneficial owners thereof. Debt service on the Bonds will be payable by the Paying Agent/Registrar to Cede & Co., which will make distribution of the amounts so paid to the participating members of DTC for subsequent payment to the beneficial owners of the BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System"). |
| PAYMENT RECORD | The District has never defaulted in payment of its tax supported debt. |
| DATE OF INITIAL DELIVERY | When issued, anticipated on or about August 3, 2023. |
| LEGALITY | Delivery of the Bonds is subject to the approval by the Attorney General of the State of Texas and the rendering of an opinion as to legality by McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Bond Counsel. |

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT RELATING TO

\$7,430,000 SEGUIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (A Political Subdivision of the State of Texas Located in Guadalupe County) UNLIMITED TAX SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS, SERIES 2023A

INTRODUCTION

This Official Statement provides certain information in connection with the issuance by the Seguin Independent School District (the "District" or "Issuer") of its \$7,430,000 Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2023A (the "Bonds"). The District is a body corporate and a political subdivision of the State of Texas (the "State") duly organized and existing under the laws of the State. The Bonds are issued pursuant to the Constitution and general laws of the State of Texas, including Section 45.001 and Section 45.003(b)(1), Texas Education Code, as amended ("Chapter 45"), Chapter 1371, Texas Government Code, as amended ("Chapter 1371") an election held on May 6, 2023 (the "Election"), and an order authorizing the issuance of the Bonds (the "Bond Order") adopted by the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of the District on June 20, 2023.

There follows in this Official Statement descriptions of the Bonds and certain information regarding the District and its finances. All descriptions of documents contained herein are only summaries and are qualified in their entirety by reference to each such document. Copies of such documents may be obtained upon request from the District's Financial Advisor, Specialized Public Finance Inc., San Antonio, Texas by electronic mail or upon payment of reasonable copying, handling, and delivery charges.

This Official Statement speaks only as of its date, and the information contained herein is subject to change. A copy of the Official Statement will be deposited with the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB"), through its Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system. See "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" for a description of the District's undertaking to provide certain information on a continuing basis.

DESCRIPTION OF THE DISTRICT... The District is a political subdivision of the State located in Guadalupe County, Texas. The District is governed by a seven-member Board, the members of which serve staggered three-year terms with elections being held in November of each year. Policy-making and supervisory functions are the responsibility of, and are vested in, the Board. The Board delegates administrative responsibilities to the Superintendent who is the chief administrative officer of the District. Support services are supplied by consultants and advisors. The District encompasses a total of approximately 370 square miles (see "APPENDIX B – General Information Regarding the District").

COVID-19... The outbreak of COVID-19, a respiratory disease caused by a new strain of coronavirus, has been characterized as a pandemic (the "Pandemic") by the World Health Organization and is currently affecting many parts of the world, including the United States and Texas. On January 31, 2020, the Secretary of the United States Health and Human Services Department declared a public health emergency for the United States and on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared the outbreak of COVID-19 in the United States a national emergency. Subsequently, the President's Coronavirus Guidelines for America and the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention called upon Americans to take actions to slow the spread of COVID-19 in the United States.

On March 13, 2020, the Governor of Texas (the "Governor") declared a state of disaster for all counties in Texas in response to the Pandemic, which disaster declaration he has subsequently extended. In addition, certain local officials also declared a local state of disaster. Pursuant to Chapter 418 of the Texas Government Code, the Governor has broad authority to respond to disasters, including suspending any regulatory statute prescribing the procedures for conducting state business or any order or rule of a state agency that would in any way prevent, hinder, or delay necessary action in coping with the disaster, and issuing executive orders that have the force and effect of law. The Governor has issued a series of executive orders relating to COVID-19 preparedness, mitigation and reopening. These include, for example, the issuance on March 2, 2021, of Executive Order GA-34, which, among other things, removed any COVID-19-related operating limits for any business or other establishment and ended the State-wide mask mandate, effective March 10, 2021. The Governor's order also maintains, in providing or obtaining services, every person (including individuals, businesses, and other legal entities) should use good-faith efforts and available resources to follow the minimum standard health protocols. Public schools are permitted to operate under the minimum standard health protocols found in and guidance issued by TEA. Nursing homes, state supported living centers, assisted living facilities, or long-term care facilities are encouraged to continue to follow guidance from the Texas Health and Human Services Commission. On May 18, 2021, Governor Abbott issued Executive Order GA-36, which supersedes Executive Order GA-34 in part. Executive Order GA-36 prohibits governmental entities in Texas, including counties, cities, school districts, public health authorities, and government officials from requiring or mandating any person to wear a face covering and subjects a governmental entity or official to a fine of up to \$1,000 for noncompliance, subject to certain exceptions. Notwithstanding the above, Executive Order GA-36 provides for public schools to continue to follow policies.

regarding the wearing of face coverings to the extent reflected in current guidance by TEA, until June 4, 2021. However, Executive Order GA-36 required TEA to revise its guidance such that, effective 11:59 PM on June 4, 2021, no student, teacher, parent, or other staff member or visitor may be required to wear a face covering. Such guidance has since been implemented. Executive Order GA-38, issued on July 29, 2021, and Executive Order GA-39, issued on August 25, 2021, further provide governmental entities cannot require mask mandates, vaccine passports, or mandatory vaccinations. On October 11, 2021, the Governor issued Executive Order GA-40, prohibiting any entity from requiring COVID vaccinations. Various lawsuits were filed throughout the State related to the foregoing and further litigation is expected.

Executive orders remain in place until they are amended, rescinded, or superseded by the Governor. Additional information regarding executive orders issued by the Governor is accessible on the website of the Governor at https://gov.texas.gov/. Neither the information on (nor accessed through) such website of the Governor is incorporated by reference, either expressly or by implication, into this Official Statement.

The full extent of the ongoing impact of COVID-19 on the District's longer-term operational and financial performance will depend on future developments, many of which are outside of its control, including the effectiveness of the mitigation strategies discussed above, the duration and spread of COVID-19, and future governmental actions, all of which are highly uncertain and cannot be predicted. The District continues to monitor the spread of COVID-19 and is working with local, state, and national agencies to address the potential impact of the Pandemic upon the District. While the potential impact of the Pandemic on the District cannot be quantified at this time, the continued outbreak of COVID-19 could have an adverse effect on the District's operations and financial condition.

The Pandemic has negatively affected travel, commerce, and financial markets globally, and is widely expected to continue negatively affecting economic growth and financial markets worldwide. These negative impacts may reduce or negatively affect property values within the District. The Bonds are secured by an unlimited ad valorem tax, and a reduction in property values may require an increase in the ad valorem tax rate required to pay the Bonds.

The value of the PSF guarantee could also be adversely impacted by ongoing volatility in the diversified global markets in which the PSF is invested. See "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM – Infectious Disease Outbreak."

THE BONDS

AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE... The Bonds are being issued by the District pursuant to the Constitution and the general laws of the State of Texas, including Chapter 45, Chapter 1371, the Election, and the Bond Order. As permitted by Chapter 1371, the Board, in the Bond Order, authorized certain designated officers of the District to execute a pricing certificate (the "Pricing Certificate") establishing the terms of sale of the Bonds and finalizing certain characteristics thereof related to final pricing of the Bonds. The Pricing Certificate was executed by a designated District Official on July 6, 2023.

DESCRIPTION OF THE BONDS... The Bonds are dated July 1, 2023, and mature on February 15 in each of the years and in the amounts shown on page 2 hereof. Interest on the Bonds will accrue from the Date of Initial Delivery and will be payable on August 15, 2023, and each February 15 and August 15 thereafter until the stated maturity or prior redemption. Interest on the Bonds will be calculated on the basis of a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months. The Bonds will be issued in denominations of \$5,000 of principal amount or any integral multiple thereof within a maturity.

SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT... The Bonds are payable from the proceeds of an annual ad valorem tax levied, without legal limit as to rate or amount, sufficient to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on the Bonds. The District has received conditional approval for the Bonds to be guaranteed by the Permanent School Fund, which guarantee will automatically become effective when the Attorney General of Texas approves the issuance of the Bonds (see "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM").

PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE . . . In connection with the sale of the Bonds, the District has received conditional approval from the Commissioner of Education for guarantee of the Bonds under the Permanent School Fund Guarantee Program (Chapter 45, Subchapter C of the Texas Education Code). Subject to satisfying certain conditions discussed under the heading "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM" the payment of the Bonds will be absolutely and unconditionally guaranteed by the corpus of the Permanent School Fund of the State of Texas. In the event of default by the District in the scheduled payments of the Bonds, registered owners will receive all payments due from the corpus of the Permanent School Fund.

TAX RATE LIMITATION... There is not a tax rate limitation on unlimited tax debt; however, the District must demonstrate to the Attorney General of Texas at the time of issuance that it has the ability to pay all debt service on its outstanding unlimited tax debt with a debt service tax not to exceed \$0.50 per \$100 assessed valuation. After the Bonds are issued, the District is required to establish a tax rate, without limitation, sufficient to pay debt service on all of its outstanding unlimited tax debt (see "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS" herein).

REDEMPTION... The District reserves the right, at its option, to redeem Bonds having stated maturities on and after February 15, 2034, in whole or from time to time in part in principal amounts of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof, on February 15, 2033, or any date thereafter, at the par value thereof plus accrued interest to the date of redemption.

If less than all of the Bonds are to be redeemed, the District may select the maturities of Bonds to be redeemed. If less than all the Bonds of any maturity are to be redeemed, the Paying Agent/Registrar (or DTC while the Bonds are in Book-Entry-Only form) shall determine by lot the Bonds, or portions thereof, within such maturity to be redeemed. If a Bond (or any portion of the principal amount thereof) shall have been called for redemption and notice of such redemption shall have been given, such Bond (or the principal amount thereof to be redeemed) shall become due and payable on such redemption date and interest thereon shall cease to accrue from and after the redemption date, provided funds for the payment of the redemption price and accrued interest thereon are held by the Paying Agent/Registrar on the redemption date.

MANDATORY SINKING FUND REDEMPTION... The Bonds maturing on February 15 in the years 2034, 2036, 2038, 2040, 2044, 2048, and 2053 (the "Term Bonds") are subject to mandatory sinking fund redemption prior to maturity in the following amounts, on the following dates and at the price of par plus accrued interest to the date of redemption:

| Term Bonds D | ue February 15, 2034 | Term Bonds Due Febr | uary 15, 2036 |
|---|--|---|---------------------|
| Redemption Date | Principal Amount | Redemption Date | Principal Amount |
| February 15, 2033 | \$175,000 | February 15, 2035 | \$195,000 |
| February 15, 2034* | 185,000 | February 15, 2036* | 205,000 |
| Term Bonds D | Due February 15, 2038 | Term Bonds Due Febr | uary 15, 2040 |
| Redemption Date | Principal Amount | Redemption Date | Principal Amount |
| February 15, 2037 | \$215,000 | February 15, 2039 | \$235,000 |
| February 15, 2038* | 225,000 | February 15, 2040* | 245,000 |
| Term Bonds D | ue February 15, 2044 | Term Bonds Due Febr | uary 15, 2048 |
| Redemption Date | Principal Amount | Redemption Date | Principal Amount |
| February 15, 2041 | \$260,000 | February 15, 2045 | \$305,000 |
| February 15, 2042 | 270,000 | February 15, 2046 | 315,000 |
| February 15, 2043 February 15, 2044* | 280,000 290,000 | February 15, 2047 February 15, 2048* | 330,000 345,000 |
| | Term Bonds Due Feb | ruary 15, 2053 | |
| | Redemption Date | Principal Amount | |
| | February 15, 2049 | \$360,000 | |
| | February 15, 2050 | 375,000 | |
| | | | |
| | February 15, 2051 | 390,000 | |
| | February 15, 2051 February 15, 2052 February 15, 2053* | 390,000 405,000 425,000 | |

*Stated Maturity.

The principal amount of the Term Bonds required to be redeemed pursuant to the operation of the mandatory sinking fund redemption provisions shall be reduced, at the option of the District, by the principal amount of any Term Bonds of the stated maturity which, at least 50 days prior to a mandatory redemption date. (1) shall have been acquired by the District, at a price not exceeding the principal amount of such Term Bonds plus accrued interest to the date of purchase thereof, and delivered to the Paying Agent for cancellation, (2) shall have been purchased and cancelled by the Paying Agent at the request of the District with monies in the Bond Fund at a price not exceeding the principal amount of the Term Bonds plus accrued interest to the date of purchase thereof, or (3) shall have been redeemed pursuant to the optional redemption provisions and not theretofore credited against a mandatory sinking fund redemption requirement.

NOTICE OF REDEMPTION... Not less than 30 days prior to a redemption date for the Bonds, the District shall cause a notice of redemption to be sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the registered owners of the Bonds to be redeemed, in whole or in part, at the address of the registered owner appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close

of business on the business day next preceding the date of mailing such notice. ANY NOTICE SO MAILED SHALL BE CONCLUSIVELY PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN DULY GIVEN, WHETHER OR NOT THE REGISTERED OWNER RECEIVES SUCH NOTICE. NOTICE HAVING BEEN SO GIVEN, THE BONDS CALLED FOR REDEMPTION SHALL BECOME DUE AND PAYABLE ON THE SPECIFIED REDEMPTION DATE, AND NOTWITHSTANDING THAT ANY BOND OR PORTION THEREOF HAS NOT BEEN SURRENDERED FOR PAYMENT, INTEREST ON SUCH BOND OR PORTION THEREOF SHALL CEASE TO ACCRUE.

DTC REDEMPTION PROVISIONS... The Paying Agent/Registrar and the District, so long as a book-entry-only system is used for the Bonds, will send any notice of redemption, notice of proposed amendment to the Order or other notices with respect to the Bonds only to DTC. Any failure by DTC to advise any DTC Participant, or of any Direct Participant (defined below) or Indirect Participant (defined below) to notify the beneficial owner, shall not affect the validity of the redemption of the Bonds called for redemption or any other action premised on any such notice. Redemption of portions of the Bonds by the District will reduce the outstanding principal amount of such Bonds held by DTC. In such event, DTC may implement, through its book-entry-only system, a redemption of such Bonds held for the account of DTC Participants in accordance with its rules or other agreements with DTC Participants and then Direct Participants and Indirect Participants may implement a redemption of such Bonds and such redemption will not be conducted by the District or the Paying Agent/Registrar. Neither the District nor the Paying Agent/Registrar will have any responsibility to DTC Participants, Indirect Participants or the persons for whom DTC Participants act as nominees with respect to the payments on the Bonds or the providing of notice to Direct Participants, Indirect Participants, or beneficial owners of the selection of portions of the Bonds for redemption. See "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System" herein.

AMENDMENTS... The District may amend the Order without the consent of or notice to any registered owners in any manner not detrimental to the interests of the registered owners, including the curing of any ambiguity, inconsistency, or formal defect or omission therein. In addition, the District may, with the written consent of the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then outstanding, amend, add to, or rescind any of the provisions of the Order; except that, without the consent of the registered owners of all of the Bonds then outstanding, no such amendment, addition, or rescission may (1) extend the time or times of payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds, reduce the principal amount, thereof, the redemption price, or the rate of interest thereon, or in any other way modify the terms of payment of the principal of or interest or redemption premium for the Bonds, if any, on the Bonds, (2) give any preference to any Bond over any other Bond, or (3) reduce the aggregate principal amount of Bonds required to be held by Holders for consent to any such amendment, addition or rescission.

DEFEASANCE... The Order provides for the defeasance of the Bonds when the payment of the principal of and premium, if any, on the Bonds, plus interest thereon to the due date thereof (whether such due date be by reason of maturity, redemption or otherwise), is provided by irrevocably depositing with the Paying Agent/Registrar or other authorized escrow agent, in trust (1) money sufficient to make such payment, (2) Government Obligations (defined below) that mature as to principal and interest in such amounts and at such times to insure the availability, without reinvestment, of sufficient money to make such payment, and all necessary and proper fees, compensation and expenses of the paying agent for the Bonds, or (3) a combination of money and Government Obligations sufficient to make such payment. The sufficiency of deposits hereinbefore described shall be certified by an independent certified accountant, the District's Financial Advisor, the Paying Agent/Registrar, or some other qualified financial institution as specified in the Order. The District has additionally reserved the right in the Order, subject to satisfying the requirements of (1) and (2) above, to substitute other Government Obligations for the Government Obligations originally deposited, to reinvest the uninvested moneys on deposit for such defeasance and to withdraw for the benefit of the District money in excess of the amount required for such defeasance. The Order provides that "Government Obligations" means (a) direct, noncallable obligations of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America, (b) noncallable obligations of an agency or instrumentality of the United States of America, including obligations that are unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the agency or instrumentality and that, on the date of their acquisition or purchase by the District, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, (c) noncallable obligations of a state or an agency or a county, municipality, or other political subdivision of a state that have been refunded and, on the date of their acquisition or purchase by the District, are rated as to investment quality by a nationally recognized investment rating firm not less than "AAA" or its equivalent, or (d) any additional securities and obligations hereafter authorized by Texas law as eligible for use to accomplish the discharge of obligations such as the Bonds. There is no assurance that the ratings for U.S. Treasury securities acquired to defease any Bonds, or those for any other Government Obligations, will be maintained at any particular rating category. Further, there is no assurance that current Texas law will not be amended in a manner that expands or contracts the list of permissible defeasance securities (such list consisting of those securities identified in clauses (a) through (c) above), or any rating requirement thereon, that may be purchased with defeasance proceeds relating to the Bonds ("Defeasance Proceeds"), though the District has reserved the right to utilize any additional securities for such purpose in the event the aforementioned list is expanded. Because the Order does not contractually limit such permissible defeasance securities and expressly recognizes the ability of the District to use lawfully available Defeasance Proceeds to defease all or any portion of the Bonds, registered owners of Bonds are deemed to have consented to the use of Defeasance Proceeds to purchase such other defeasance securities, which defeasance securities may not be of the same investment quality as those currently identified Texas law as permissible defeasance securities. Upon such deposit as described above, such Bonds shall no longer be regarded to be outstanding or unpaid. After firm banking and financial arrangements for the discharge and final payment of the Bonds have been made as described above, all rights of the District to initiate proceedings to call the Bonds for redemption or take any other action amending the terms of the Bonds are extinguished; provided, however, the District has the option, to be exercised at the time of the defeasance of the Bonds, to call for redemption at an earlier date those Bonds which have been

defeased to their maturity date, if the District (i) in the proceedings providing for the firm banking and financial arrangements, expressly reserves the right to call the Bonds for redemption, (ii) gives notice of the reservation of that right to the owners of the Bonds immediately following the making of the firm banking and financial arrangements, and (iii) directs that notice of the reservation be included in any redemption notices that it authorizes.

Defeasance will automatically cancel the Permanent School Fund Guarantee with respect to those defeased Bonds (see "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM" herein).

BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM... This section describes how ownership of the Bonds is to be transferred and how the principal of, premium, if any, interest, and redemption payments on the Bonds are to be paid to and credited by The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, while the Bonds are registered in its nominee's name. The information in this section concerning DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System has been provided by DTC for use in disclosure documents such as this Official Statement. The District, the Financial Advisor, and the Underwriter believe the source of such information reliable but take no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness thereof.

The District, the Financial Advisor, and the Underwriter cannot and do not give any assurance that (1) DTC will distribute payments of debt service on the Bonds, redemption or other notices, to DTC Participants, (2) DTC Participants or others will distribute debt service payments paid to DTC or its nominee (as the registered owner of the Bonds), redemption or other notices, to the Beneficial Owners, or that they will do so on a timely basis, or (3) DTC will serve and act in the manner described in this Official Statement. The current rules applicable to DTC are on file with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission, and the current procedures of DTC to be followed in dealing with DTC Participants are on file with DTC.

DTC will act as securities depository for the Bonds. The Bonds will be issued as fully registered Bonds registered in the name of Cede & Co. (DTC's partnership nominee), or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. One fully registered Bond certificate will be issued for each maturity of the Bonds, each in the aggregate principal amount, of such maturity, and will be deposited with DTC.

DTC, the world's largest securities depository, is a limited-purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity issues, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instruments (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities, through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC is the holding company for DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has a S&P Global Ratings Inc. rating of "AA-." The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at www.dtcc.com.

Purchases of Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual underwriter of each Bond ("Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase. Beneficial Owners are, however, expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transaction, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owner entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interests in the Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Direct and Indirect Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Bonds deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co., or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of Bonds with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co. or such other DTC nominee do not effect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such Bonds are credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Direct and Indirect Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers. Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to take certain steps to augment the transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the Bonds, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults, and proposed amendments to the Bond documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the

Bonds for their benefit has agreed to obtain and transmit notices to Beneficial Owners. In the alternative, Beneficial Owners may wish to provide their names and addresses to the registrar and request that copies of notices be provided directly to them.

Redemption notices shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Bonds within an issue are being redeemed, DTC's practice is to determine by lot the amount of interest of each Direct Participant in such issue to be redeemed.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor any other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to Bonds unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's MMI Procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the District as soon as possible after the record date. The Omnibus Proxy assigns Cede & Co.'s consenting or voting rights to those Direct Participants to whose accounts Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

All payments on the Bonds will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detailed information from the District or the Paying Agent/Registrar, on payable date in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC's records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as is the case with Bonds held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC, the Paying Agent/Registrar, or the District, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. All payments to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) are the responsibility of the District or the Paying Agent/Registrar, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants will be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners will be the responsibility of Direct and Indirect Participants.

DTC may discontinue providing its services as depository with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the District or the Paying Agent/Registrar. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, Bond certificates are required to be printed and delivered in accordance with the Order.

The District may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry-only transfers through DTC (or a successor securities depository). In that event, Bond certificates will be printed and delivered in accordance with the Order.

The information in this section concerning DTC and DTC's book-entry system has been obtained from sources that the District believes to be reliable, but none of the District, the Financial Advisor, or the Underwriter take any responsibility for the accuracy thereof.

USE OF CERTAIN TERMS IN OTHER SECTIONS OF THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT... In reading this Official Statement it should be understood that while the Bonds are in the Book-Entry-Only System, references in other sections of this Official Statement to registered owners should be read to include the person for which the Participant acquires an interest in the Bonds, but (i) all rights of ownership must be exercised through DTC and the Book-Entry-Only System, and (ii) except as described above, notices that are to be given to registered owners under the Order will be given only to DTC.

EFFECT OF TERMINATION OF BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY SYSTEM... In the event that the Book-Entry-Only System is discontinued by DTC or the use of the Book-Entry-Only System is discontinued by the District, printed Bond certificates will be issued to the holders and the Bonds will be subject to transfer, exchange and registration provisions as set forth in the Order and summarized under "THE BONDS - Transfer, Exchange and Registration" below.

PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR... The initial Paying Agent/Registrar is BOKF, NA, Dallas, Texas. In the Order, the District retains the right to replace the Paying Agent/Registrar. The District covenants to maintain and provide a Paying Agent/Registrar at all times until the Bonds are duly paid, and any successor Paying Agent/Registrar shall be a commercial bank or trust company organized under the laws of the State or other entity duly qualified and legally authorized to serve as and perform the duties and services of Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds. Upon any change in the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Bonds, the District agrees to promptly cause a written notice thereof to be sent to each registered owner of the Bonds by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, which notice shall also give the address of the new Paying Agent/Registrar.

TRANSFER, EXCHANGE, AND REGISTRATION... In the event the Book-Entry-Only System should be discontinued, the Bonds will be printed and delivered to the beneficial owners thereof, and thereafter may be transferred and exchanged on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar only upon presentation and surrender thereof to the Paying Agent/Registrar and such transfer or exchange shall be without expense or service charge to the registered owner, except for any tax or other governmental charges required to be paid with respect to such registration, exchange and transfer. A Bond may be assigned by the execution of an assignment form on the Bond or by other instrument of transfer and assignment acceptable to the Paying Agent/Registrar. A new Bond or Bonds will be delivered by the Paying Agent/Registrar, in lieu of the Bond being transferred or exchanged, at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent/Registrar (as defined in the Order), or sent by United States mail, first class, postage prepaid, to the new registered owner or his designee. To the extent possible, new Bonds issued in an exchange or transfer of Bonds will be delivered to the registered owner or assignee of the registered owner in not more than three business days after the receipt of the Bonds to be canceled, and the written instrument of transfer or request for exchange duly executed by the registered owner or his duly authorized agent, in form satisfactory to the Paying Agent/Registrar. New Bonds registered and delivered in an exchange or transfer shall be in any integral

multiple of \$5,000 for any one maturity and for a like aggregate principal amount, as the Bonds surrendered for exchange or transfer. See "THE BONDS – Book-Entry-Only System" herein for a description of the system to be utilized initially in regard to ownership and transferability of the Bonds.

LIMITATION ON TRANSFER OF BONDS... The Paying Agent/Registrar shall not be required to make any transfer or exchange with respect to Bonds during the period commencing with the close of business on any Record Date and ending with the opening of business on the next following principal or interest payment date, or with respect to any Bond or any portion thereof called for redemption prior to maturity, within 30 days prior to its redemption date, provided, however, such limitation of transfer shall not be applicable to an exchange by the registered owner of the uncalled balance of a Bond.

REPLACEMENT BONDS... If any Bond is mutilated, destroyed, stolen or lost, a new Bond of the same principal amount, maturity and interest rate as the Bond so mutilated, destroyed, stolen or lost will be issued. In the case of a mutilated Bond, such new Bond will be delivered only upon surrender and cancellation of such mutilated Bond. In the case of any Bond issued in lieu of and in substitution for a Bond which has been destroyed, stolen or lost, such new Bond will be delivered only (a) upon filing with the Paying Agent/Registrar of satisfactory evidence to the effect that such Bond has been destroyed, stolen or lost and proof of the ownership thereof, and (b) upon furnishing the District and the Paying Agent/Registrar with indemnity satisfactory to them. The person requesting the authentication and delivery of a new Bond must pay such expenses as the Paying Agent/Registrar may incur in connection therewith.

RECORD DATE FOR INTEREST PAYMENT... The record date ("Record Date") for determining the party to whom the interest on a Bond is payable on any interest payment date means the close of business on the last business day of the preceding month; provided, however, that the Record Date for the August 15, 2023 interest payment, August 3, 2023 is the Closing Date.

In the event of a non-payment of interest on a scheduled payment date, and for 30 days thereafter, a new record date for such interest payment (a "Special Record Date") will be established by the Paying Agent/Registrar, if and when funds for the payment of such interest have been received from the District. Notice of the Special Record Date and of the scheduled payment date of the past due interest ("Special Payment Date," which shall be 15 days after the Special Record Date) shall be sent at least five business days prior to the Special Record Date by United States mail, first class postage prepaid, to the address of each holder of a Bond appearing on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar at the close of business on the last business day next preceding the date of mailing of such notice.

BONDHOLDERS' REMEDIES . . . The Order specifies events of default as the failure of the District to make payment of the principal of or interest on any of the Bonds when the same becomes due and payable or if the State fails to honor the Permanent School Fund Guarantee as herein after discussed or default in the performance or observance of any other covenant, agreement or obligation of the District, which failure materially, adversely affects the rights of the registered owners, including, but not limited to, their prospect or ability to be repaid in accordance with the Order, and the continuation thereof for a period of 60 days after notice of such default is given by any registered owner to the District. Upon an event of default, the registered owners may seek a writ of mandamus to compel District officials to carry out their legally imposed duties with respect to the Bonds, if there is no other available remedy at law to compel performance of the Bonds or the Order covenants and the District's obligations are not uncertain or disputed. The issuance of a writ of mandamus is controlled by equitable principles and rests with the discretion of the court but may not be arbitrarily refused. There is no acceleration of maturity of the Bonds in the event of default and, consequently, the remedy of mandamus may have to be relied upon from year to year. The Order does not provide for the appointment of a trustee to represent the interest of the bondholders upon any failure of the District to perform in accordance with the terms of the Order, or upon any other condition and accordingly all legal actions to enforce such remedies would have to be undertaken at the initiative of, and be financed by, the registered owners. The Texas Supreme Court ruled in Tooke v. City of Mexia, 197 S.W.3d 325 (Tex. 2006), that a waiver of sovereign immunity in a contractual dispute must be provided for by statute in "clear and unambiguous" language, Chapter 1371, which pertains to the issuance of public securities by issuers such as the District, permits the District to waive sovereign immunity in the proceedings authorizing its bonds. Notwithstanding its reliance upon the provisions of Chapter 1371 in connection with the issuance of the Bonds, the District has but has not waived the defense of sovereign immunity with respect thereto. Because it is unclear whether the Texas Legislature has effectively waived the District's sovereign immunity from a suit for money damages outside of Chapter 1371, bondholders may not be able to bring such a suit against the District for breach of the Bonds or Order covenants in the absence of District action. Even if a judgment against the District could be obtained, it could not be enforced by direct levy and execution against the District's property. Further, the registered owners cannot themselves foreclose on property within the District or sell property within the District to enforce the tax lien on taxable property to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds. Furthermore, the District is eligible to seek relief from its creditors under Chapter 9 of the United States Bankruptcy Code ("Chapter 9"). Although Chapter 9 provides for the recognition of a security interest represented by a specifically pledged source of revenues, the pledge of ad valorem taxes in support of a general obligation of a bankrupt entity is not specifically recognized as a security interest under Chapter 9. Chapter 9 also includes an automatic stay provision that would prohibit, without Bankruptcy Court approval, the prosecution of any other legal action by creditors or bondholders of an entity which has sought protection under Chapter 9. Therefore, should the District avail itself of Chapter 9 protection from creditors, the ability to enforce would be subject to the approval of the Bankruptcy Court (which could require that the action be heard in Bankruptcy Court instead of other federal or state court); and the Bankruptcy Code provides for broad discretionary powers of a Bankruptcy Court in administering any proceeding brought before it. See "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM" herein for a description of the procedures to be followed for payment of the Bonds by the Permanent School Fund in the event the District fails to make a payment on the Bonds when due. The opinion

of Bond Counsel will note that all opinions relative to the enforceability of the Bonds are qualified with respect to the customary rights of debtors relative to their creditors, principles of governmental immunity and by general principles of equity which permit the exercise of judicial discretion.

PURPOSE... Proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be used for the purposes of (i) designing, constructing, renovating, improving, upgrading, updating, acquiring, and equipping a baseball and softball complex at the High School, and (ii) paying the costs of issuing the Bonds.

SOURCES AND USES OF PROCEEDS . . . The proceeds from the sale of the Bonds will be applied approximately as follows:

| SOURCES OF FUNDS: | |
|---------------------------|----------------|
| Par Amount | \$7,430,000.00 |
| Reoffering Premium | 234,822.55 |
| Total Sources of Funds | \$7,664,822.55 |
| Sources of Funds: | |
| Construction Fund Deposit | \$7,500,000.00 |
| Underwriter's Discount | 54,109.65 |
| Cost of Issuance | 109,275.00 |
| Bond Fund Deposit | 1,437.90 |
| Total Uses of Funds | \$7,664,822.55 |

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TAX RATE LIMITATIONS

M&O TAX RATE LIMITATIONS... The District is authorized to levy an M&O tax rate pursuant to the approval of the voters of the District at an election held on November 15, 1966, in accordance with the provisions of Article 2784e-1, Tex. Rev. Civ. Stats. Ann., as amended.

The maximum M&O tax rate per \$100 of taxable value that may be adopted by a school district is the sum of \$0.17 and the school district's MCR. A school district's MCR is, generally, inversely proportional to the change in taxable property values both within the school district and the State and is subject to recalculation annually. For any year, the highest possible MCR for a school district is \$0.93 (see "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS – Public Hearing and Voter-Approval Tax Rate" and "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM – Local Funding for School Districts" herein).

Furthermore, a school district cannot annually increase its tax rate in excess of the school district's Voter-Approval Tax Rate without submitting such tax rate to an election and a majority of the voters voting at such election approving the adopted rate (see "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS – Public Hearing and Voter-Approval Tax Rate" herein).

I&S TAX RATE LIMITATIONS... A school district is also authorized to issue bonds and levy taxes for payment of bonds subject to voter approval of one or more propositions submitted to the voters under Section 45.003(b)(1), Texas Education Code, as amended, which provides a tax unlimited as to rate or amount for the support of school district bonded indebtedness (see "THE BONDS – Security and Source of Payment").

Section 45.0031 of the Texas Education Code, as amended, requires a school district to demonstrate to the Texas Attorney General that it has the prospective ability to pay its maximum annual debt service on a proposed issue of bonds and all previously issued bonds, other than bonds approved by voters of a school district at an election held on or before April 1, 1991 and issued before September 1, 1992 (or debt issued to refund such bonds, collectively, "exempt bonds"), from a tax levied at a rate of \$0.50 per \$100 of assessed valuation before bonds may be issued (the "50-cent Test"). In demonstrating the ability to pay debt service at a rate of \$0.50, a school district may take into account EDA and IFA allotments to the school district, which effectively reduces the school district's local share of debt service and may also take into account Tier One funds allotted to the school district. If a school district exercises this option, it may not adopt an I&S tax until it has credited to the school district's I&S fund an amount equal to all State allotments provided solely for payment of debt service and any Tier One funds needed to demonstrate compliance with the threshold tax rate test and which is received or to be received in that year. Additionally, a school district may demonstrate its ability to comply with the 50-cent Test by applying the \$0.50 tax rate to an amount equal to 90% of projected future taxable value of property in the school district, as certified by a registered professional appraiser, anticipated for the earlier of the tax year five (5) years after the current tax year or the tax year in which the final payment for the bonds is due. However, if a school district uses projected future taxable values to meet the 50-cent Test and subsequently imposes a tax at a rate greater than \$0.50 per \$100 of valuation to pay for bonds subject to the test, then for subsequent bond issues, the Texas Attorney General must find that the school district has the projected ability to pay principal and interest on the proposed bonds and all previously issued bonds subject to the 50-cent Test from a tax rate of \$0.45 per \$100 of valuation. Once the prospective ability to pay such tax has been shown and the bonds are issued, a school district may levy an unlimited tax to pay debt service. Refunding bonds issued pursuant to Chapter 1207, Texas Government Code, are not subject to the 50-cent Test; however, taxes levied to pay debt service on such bonds (other than bonds issued to refund exempt bonds) are included in maximum annual debt service for calculation of the 50-cent Test when applied to subsequent bond issues that are subject to the 50-cent Test. The Bonds are issued for school building purposes pursuant to Chapter 45, Texas Education Code as new debt and are subject to the 50-cent Test. The District has not used projected property values or State assistance (other than EDA or IFA allotment funding) to satisfy this threshold test.

PUBLIC HEARING AND VOTER-APPROVAL TAX RATE... A school district's total tax rate is the combination of the M&O tax rate and the I&S tax rate. Generally, the highest rate at which a school district may levy taxes for any given year without holding an election to approve the tax rate is the "Voter-Approval Tax Rate", as described below.

A school district is required to adopt its annual tax rate before the later of September 30 or the sixtieth (60th) day after the date the certified appraisal roll is received by the taxing unit, except that a tax rate that exceeds the Voter-Approval Tax Rate must be adopted not later than the seventy-first (71st) day before the next occurring November uniform election date. A school district's failure to adopt a tax rate equal to or less than the Voter-Approval Tax Rate by September 30 or the sixtieth (60th) day after receipt of the certified appraisal roll, will result in the tax rate for such school district for the tax year to be the lower of the "no-new-revenue tax rate" calculated for that tax year or the tax rate adopted by the school district for the preceding tax year. A school district's failure to adopt a tax rate in excess of the Voter-Approval Tax Rate on or prior to the seventy-first (71st) day before the next occurring November uniform election date, will result in the school district adopting a tax rate equal to or less than its Voter-Approval Tax Rate by the later of September 30 or the sixtieth (60th) day after receipt of the certified appraisal roll. "No-new-revenue tax rate" means the rate that will produce the prior year's total tax levy from the current year's total taxable values, adjusted such that lost values are not included in the calculation of the prior year's taxable values and new values are not included in the current year's taxable values.

The Voter-Approval Tax Rate for a school district is the sum of (i) the school district's MCR; (ii) the greater of (a) the school district's Enrichment Tax Rate for the preceding year, less any amount by which the school district is required to reduce its current year Enrichment Tax Rate pursuant to Section 48.202(f), Education Code, as amended, or (b) the rate of \$0.05 per \$100 of taxable value; and (iii) the school district's current I&S tax rate. A school district's M&O tax rate may not exceed the rate equal to the sum of (i) \$0.17 and (ii) the school district's MCR (see "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM" herein, for more information regarding the State Compression Percentage, MCR, and the Enrichment Tax Rate).

The governing body of a school district generally cannot adopt a tax rate exceeding the school district's Voter-Approval Tax Rate without approval by a majority of the voters approving the higher rate at an election to be held on the next uniform election date. Further, subject to certain exceptions for areas declared disaster areas, State law requires the board of trustees of a school district to conduct an efficiency audit before seeking voter approval to adopt a tax rate exceeding the Voter-Approval Tax Rate and sets certain parameters for conducting and disclosing the results of such efficiency audit. An election is not required for a tax increase to address increased expenditures resulting from certain natural disasters in the year following the year in which such disaster occurs; however, the amount by which the increased tax rate exceeds the school district's Voter-Approval Tax Rate for such year may not be considered by the school district in the calculation of its subsequent Voter-Approval Tax Rate.

The calculation of the Voter-Approval Tax Rate does not limit or impact the District's ability to set an I&S tax rate in each year sufficient to pay debt service on all of the District's tax-supported debt obligations, including the Bonds.

Before adopting its annual tax rate, a public meeting must be held for the purpose of adopting a budget for the succeeding year. A notice of public meeting to discuss the school district's budget and proposed tax rate must be published in the time, format and manner prescribed in Section 44.004 of the Texas Education Code. Section 44.004(e) of the Texas Education Code provides that a person who owns taxable property in a school district is entitled to an injunction restraining the collection of taxes by the school district if the school district has not complied with such notice requirements or the language and format requirements of such notice as set forth in Section 44.004(b), (c), (c-1), (c-2), and (d), and, if applicable, subsection (i), and if such failure to comply was not in good faith. Section 44.004(e) further provides the action to enjoin the collection of taxes must be filed before the date the school district delivers substantially all of its tax bills. A school district that elects to adopt a tax rate before the adoption of a budget for the fiscal year that begins in the current tax year may adopt a tax rate for the current tax year before receipt of the certified appraisal roll, so long as the chief appraiser of the appraisal district in which the school district participates has certified to the assessor for the school district an estimate of the taxable value of property in the school district. If a school district adopts its tax rate prior to the adoption of its budget, both the no-new-revenue tax rate and the Voter-Approval Tax Rate of the school district shall be calculated based on the school district's certified estimate of taxable value. A school district that adopts a tax rate before adopting its budget must hold a public hearing on the proposed tax rate followed by another public hearing on the proposed budget rather than holding a single hearing on the two items.

A school district must annually calculate and prominently post on its internet website and submit to the county tax assessor-collector for each county in which all or part of the school district is located, its Voter-Approval Tax Rate in accordance with forms prescribed by the State Comptroller.

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AD VALOREM TAX PROCEDURES

The following is a summary of certain provisions of State law as it relates to ad valorem taxation and is not intended to be complete. Prospective investors are encouraged to review Title I of the Texas Tax Code, as amended (the "Property Tax Code"), for identification of property subject to ad valorem taxation, property exempt or which may be exempted from ad valorem taxation if claimed, the appraisal of property for ad valorem tax purposes, and the procedures and limitations applicable to the levy and collection of ad valorem taxes.

VALUATION OF TAXABLE PROPERTY... The Property Tax Code provides for countywide appraisal and equalization of taxable property values and establishes in each county of the State an appraisal district and an appraisal review board (the "Appraisal Review Board") responsible for appraising property for all taxing units within the county. The appraisal of property within the District is the responsibility of the Guadalupe Appraisal District (the "Appraisal District"). Except as generally described below, the Appraisal District is required to appraise all property within the Appraisal District on the basis of 100% of its market value and is prohibited from applying any assessment ratios. In determining market value of property, the Appraisal District is required to consider the cost method of appraisal, the income method of appraisal and the market data comparison method of appraisal and use the method the chief appraiser of the Appraisal District considers most appropriate. The Property Tax Code requires appraisal districts to reappraise all property in its jurisdiction at least once every three (3) years. A taxing unit may require annual review at its own expense and is entitled to challenge the determination of appraised value of property within the taxing unit by petition filed with the Appraisal Review Board.

State law requires the appraised value of an owner's principal residence ("homestead" or "homesteads") to be based solely on the property's value as a homestead, regardless of whether residential use is considered to be the highest and best use of the property. State law further limits the appraised value of a homestead to the lesser of (1) the market value of the property or (2) 110% of the appraised value of the property for the preceding tax year plus the market value of all new improvements to the property.

State law provides that eligible owner of both agricultural land and open-space land, including open-space land devoted to farm or ranch purposes or open-space land devoted to timber production, may elect to have such property appraised for property taxation on the basis of its productive capacity. The same land may not be qualified as both agricultural and open-space land.

The appraisal values set by the Appraisal District are subject to review and change by the Appraisal Review Board. The appraisal rolls, as approved by the Appraisal Review Board, are used by taxing units, such as the District, in establishing their tax rolls and tax rates (see "AD VALOREM TAX PROCEDURES – District and Taxpayer Remedies").

STATE MANDATED HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS... State law grants, with respect to each school district in the State, (1) a \$40,000 exemption of the appraised value of all homesteads, (2) a \$10,000 exemption of the appraised value of the homesteads of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older and the disabled, and (3) various exemptions for disabled veterans and their families, surviving spouses of members of the armed services killed in action and surviving spouses of first responders killed or fatally wounded in the line of duty. See "APPENDIX A – Financial Information of the Issuer – Assessed Valuation" for the reduction in taxable valuation attributable to statemandated homestead exemptions.

Senate Joint Resolution 2, passed during the Third Special Session of the 87th Texas Legislature and approved by voters on May 7, 2022, authorized a constitutional amendment increasing the mandatory homestead exemption for school districts from \$25,000 to \$40,000 beginning January 1, 2022. Senate Bill 1, which was also passed during the Third Special Session of the 87th Texas Legislature makes provisions for additional state aid to hold school districts harmless for tax revenue losses resulting from the increased homestead exemption.

LOCAL OPTION HOMESTEAD EXEMPTIONS... The governing body of a taxing unit, including a city, county, school district, or special district, at its option may grant: (1) an exemption of up to 20% of the appraised value of all homesteads (but not less than \$5,000) and (2) an additional exemption of at least \$3,000 of the appraised value of the homesteads of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older and the disabled. Each taxing unit decides if it will offer the local option homestead exemptions and at what percentage or dollar amount, as applicable. The exemption described in (2), above, may also be created, increased, decreased or repealed at an election called by the governing body of a taxing unit upon presentment of a petition for such creation, increase, decrease, or repeal of at least 20% of the number of qualified voters who voted in the preceding election of the taxing unit.

STATE MANDATED FREEZE ON SCHOOL DISTRICT TAXES... Except for increases attributable to certain improvements, a school district is prohibited from increasing the total ad valorem tax on the homestead of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older or of disabled persons above the amount of tax imposed in the year such homestead qualified for such exemption. This freeze is transferable to a different homestead if a qualifying taxpayer moves and, under certain circumstances, is also transferable to the surviving spouse of persons sixty-five (65) years of age or older, but not the disabled.

PERSONAL PROPERTY ... Tangible personal property (furniture, machinery, supplies, inventories, etc.) used in the "production of income" is taxed based on the property's market value. Taxable personal property includes income-producing equipment and inventory. Intangibles such as goodwill, accounts receivable, and proprietary processes are not taxable. Tangible personal property not held or used for production of income, such as household goods, automobiles or light trucks, and boats, is exempt from ad valorem taxation unless the governing body of a taxing unit elects to tax such property.

FREEPORT AND GOODS-IN-TRANSIT EXEMPTIONS... Certain goods that are acquired in or imported into the State to be forwarded outside the State, and are detained in the State for 175 days or less for the purpose of assembly, storage, manufacturing, processing or fabrication ("Freeport Property") are exempt from ad valorem taxation unless a taxing unit took official action to tax Freeport Property before April 1, 1990 and has not subsequently taken official action to exempt Freeport Property. Decisions to continue taxing Freeport Property may be reversed in the future; decisions to exempt Freeport Property are not subject to reversal.

Certain goods, that are acquired in or imported into the State to be forwarded to another location within or without the State, stored in a location that is not owned by the owner of the goods and are transported to another location within or without the State within 175 days ("Goods-in-Transit"), are generally exempt from ad valorem taxation; however, the Property Tax Code permits a taxing unit, on a local option basis, to tax Goods-in-Transit if the taxing unit takes official action, after conducting a public hearing, before January 1 of the first tax year in which the taxing unit proposes to tax Goods-in-Transit. Goods-in-Transit and Freeport Property do not include oil, natural gas or petroleum products, and Goods-in-Transit does not include aircraft or special inventories such as manufactured housing inventory, or a dealer's motor vehicle, boat, or heavy equipment inventory.

A taxpayer may receive only one of the Goods-in-Transit or Freeport Property exemptions for items of personal property. See "APPENDIX A – Financial Information of the Issuer – Assessed Valuation" for the reduction in taxable valuation, if any, attributable to Goods-in-Transit or Freeport Property exemptions.

OTHER EXEMPT PROPERTY . . . Other major categories of exempt property include property owned by the State or its political subdivisions if used for public purposes, property exempt by federal law, property used for pollution control, farm products owned by producers, property of nonprofit corporations used for scientific research or educational activities benefitting a college or university, designated historic sites, solar and wind-powered energy devices, and certain classes of intangible personal property.

TEMPORARY EXEMPTION FOR QUALIFIED PROPERTY DAMAGED BY A DISASTER... The Property Tax Code entitles the owner of certain qualified (i) tangible personal property used for the production of income, (ii) improvements to real property, and (iii) manufactured homes located in an area declared by the governor to be a disaster area following a disaster and is at least 15 percent damaged by the disaster, as determined by the chief appraiser, to an exemption from taxation of a portion of the appraised value of the property. The amount of the exemption ranges from 15 percent to 100 percent based upon the damage assessment rating assigned by the chief appraiser. Except in situations where the territory is declared a disaster on or after the date the taxing unit adopts a tax rate for the year in which the disaster declaration is issued, the governing body of the taxing unit is not required to take any action in order for the taxpayer to be eligible for the exemption. If a taxpayer qualifies for the exemption after the beginning of the tax year, the amount of the exemption is prorated based on the number of days left in the tax year following the day on which the governor declares the area to be a disaster area. For more information on the exemption, reference is made to Section 11.35 of the Tax Code as amended.

TAX INCREMENT REINVESTMENT ZONES ... A city or county, by petition of the landowners or by action of its governing body, may create one or more tax increment reinvestment zones ("TIRZ") within its boundaries. At the time of the creation of the TIRZ, a "base value" for the real property in the TIRZ is established and the difference between any increase in the assessed valuation of taxable real property in the TIRZ in excess of the base value is known as the "tax increment." During the existence of the TIRZ, all or a portion of the taxes levied against the tax increment by a city or county, and all other overlapping taxing units that elected to participate, are restricted to paying only planned project and financing costs within the TIRZ and are not available for the payment of other obligations of such taxing units.

Until September 1, 1999, school districts were able to reduce the value of taxable property reported to the State to reflect any taxable value lost due to TIRZ participation by the school district. The ability of the school district to deduct the taxable value of the tax increment that it contributed prevented the school district from being negatively affected in terms of state school funding. However, due to a change in law, local M&O tax rate revenue contributed to a TIRZ created on or after May 31, 1999, will count toward a school district's Tier One entitlement (reducing Tier One State funds for eligible school districts) and will not be considered in calculating any school district's Tier Two entitlement (see "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM – State Funding for School Districts").

TAX LIMITATION AGREEMENTS... The Texas Economic Development Act (Chapter 313, Texas Tax Code, as amended), allowed school districts to grant limitations on appraised property values to certain corporations and limited liability companies to encourage economic development within the school district. Generally, during the last eight (8) years of the ten-year term of a tax limitation agreement, a school district could only levy and collect M&O taxes on the agreed-to limited appraised property value. For the purpose of calculating its Tier One and Tier Two entitlements, the portion of a school district's property that is not fully taxable is excluded from the school district's taxable property values. Therefore, a school district will not be subject to a reduction in Tier One or Tier Two State funds as a result of lost M&O tax revenues due to entering into a tax limitation agreement (see "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM – State Funding for School Districts").

The 87th Texas Legislature did not vote to extend this program, which expired by its terms, effective December 31, 2022. For a discussion of how the various exemptions described above are applied by the District, see "AD VALOREM TAX PROCEDURES – District Application of Property Tax Code" herein.

DISTRICT AND TAXPAYER REMEDIES... Under certain circumstances, taxpayers and taxing units, including the District, may appeal to the determinations of the Appraisal District by timely initiating a protest with the Appraisal Review Board. Additionally, taxing units such as the District may bring suit against the Appraisal District to compel compliance with the Property Tax Code.

TAX ABATEMENT AGREEMENTS... Taxing units may also enter into tax abatement agreements to encourage economic development. Under the agreements, a property owner agrees to construct certain improvements on its property. The taxing unit, in turn, agrees not to levy a tax on all or part of the increased value attributable to the improvements until the expiration of the agreement. The abatement agreement could last for a period of up to 10 years.

For a discussion of how the various exemptions described above are applied by the District, see "AD VALOREM TAX PROCEDURES – District Application of Property Tax Code" herein.

Owners of certain property with a taxable value in excess of the current year "minimum eligibility amount", as determined by the State Comptroller, and situated in a county with a population of one million or more, may protest the determinations of an appraisal district directly to a three-member special panel of the appraisal review board, appointed by the chairman of the appraisal review board, consisting of highly qualified professionals in the field of property tax appraisal. The minimum eligibility amount was set at \$50 million for the 2020 tax year and is adjusted annually by the State Comptroller to reflect the inflation rate.

The Property Tax Code sets forth notice and hearing procedures for certain tax rate increases by the District and provides for taxpayer referenda that could result in the repeal of certain tax increases (see "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS – Public Hearing and Voter-Approval Tax Rate"). The Property Tax Code also establishes a procedure for providing notice to property owners of reappraisals reflecting increased property value, appraisals which are higher than renditions, and appraisals of property not previously on an appraisal roll.

LEVY AND COLLECTION OF TAXES ... The District is responsible for the collection of its taxes, unless it elects to transfer such functions to another governmental entity. Taxes are due October 1, or when billed, whichever comes later, and become delinquent after January 31 of the following year. A delinquent tax incurs a penalty of six percent (6%) of the amount of the tax for the first calendar month it is delinquent, plus one percent (1%) for each additional month or portion of a month the tax remains unpaid prior to July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent. If the tax is not paid by July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent, the tax incurs a total penalty of twelve percent (12%) regardless of the number of months the tax has been delinquent and incurs an additional penalty of up to twenty percent (20%) if imposed by the District. The delinquent tax also accrues interest at a rate of one percent (1%) for each month or portion of a month it remains unpaid. The Property Tax Code also makes provision for the split payment of taxes, discounts for early payment and the postponement of the delinquency date of taxes for certain taxpayers. Furthermore, the District may provide, on a local option basis, split payment, partial payment, and discounts for early payment of taxes under certain circumstances. The Property Tax Code permits taxpayers owning homes or certain businesses located in a disaster area and damaged as a direct result of the declared disaster to pay taxes imposed in the year following the disaster in four equal installments without penalty or interest, commencing on February 1 and ending on August 1. See "AD VALOREM TAX PROCEDURES – Temporary Exemption for Qualified Property Damaged by a Disaster" for further information related to a discussion of the applicability of this section of the Property Tax Code.

DISTRICT'S RIGHTS IN THE EVENT OF TAX DELINQUENCIES... Taxes levied by the District are a personal obligation of the owner of the property. On January 1 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all state and local taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed for the year on the property. The lien exists in favor of each taxing unit, including the District, having power to tax the property. The District's tax lien is on a parity with tax liens of such other taxing units. A tax lien on real property takes priority over the claim of most creditors and other holders of liens on the property encumbered by the tax lien, whether or not the debt or lien existed before the attachment of the tax lien; however, whether a lien of the United States is on a parity with or takes priority over a tax lien of the District is determined by applicable federal law. Personal property, under certain circumstances, is subject to seizure and sale for the payment of delinquent taxes, penalties, and interest.

At any time after taxes on property become delinquent, the District may file suit to foreclose the lien securing payment of the tax, to enforce personal liability for the tax, or both. In filing a suit to foreclose a tax lien on real property, the District must join other taxing units that have claims for delinquent taxes against all or part of the same property.

Collection of delinquent taxes may be adversely affected by the amount of taxes owed to other taxing units, adverse market conditions, taxpayer redemption rights, or bankruptcy proceedings which restrain the collection of a taxpayer's debt.

Federal bankruptcy law provides that an automatic stay of action by creditors and other entities, including governmental units, goes into effect with the filing of any petition in bankruptcy. The automatic stay prevents governmental units from foreclosing on property and prevents liens for post-petition taxes from attaching to property and obtaining secured creditor status unless, in either case, an order lifting the stay is obtained from the bankruptcy court. In many cases, post-petition taxes are paid as an administrative expense of the estate in bankruptcy or by order of the bankruptcy court.

DISTRICT APPLICATION OF PROPERTY TAX CODE... The District does grant a State mandated \$40,000 general residence homestead exemption.

The District does grant a State mandated homestead exemption of \$10,000 for taxpayers who are at least 65 years of age or disabled. A taxpayer who qualifies for both the age 65 or older exemption and the disabled exemption must choose only one of the options to claim.

The District does grant a State mandated residence homestead exemption for disabled veterans ranging from \$5,000 to \$12,000.

The District does not grant the additional local option exemption of up to 20% of the appraised value of residence homesteads.

The District does not tax personal property not used in the production of income, such as personal automobiles.

The Guadalupe County Tax Assessor-Collector's Office (the "Tax Assessor-Collector") collects taxes for the District.

The Tax Assessor-Collector does not allow split payments; however, installment payments of taxes are allowed.

The Tax Assessor-Collector does not allow discounts for the early payment of taxes.

The District approved a resolution on July 15, 2008, exempting Freeport Property from taxation.

The District does not participate in a tax increment-financing zone.

The District does not grant tax abatements and does not have any a tax limitation agreement under Chapter 313, Texas Tax Code, as amended.

The District adopted a resolution authorizing the continuation of taxation of Goods-in-Transit.

Ad valorem taxes are not levied by the District against the exempt value of residence homesteads for the payment of debt.

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THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM

Subject to satisfying certain conditions, the payment of the Bonds will be guaranteed by the corpus of the Permanent School Fund of the State of Texas. In the event of default, registered owners will receive all payments due on the Bonds from the Permanent School Fund, and the Charter District Bond Guarantee Reserve would be the first source to pay debt service if a charter school was unable to make such payment. See "APPENDIX D – THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM" for pertinent information regarding the Permanent School Fund Guarantee Program. The disclosure regarding the Permanent School Fund Guarantee Program in APPENDIX D is incorporated herein and made a part hereof for all purposes.

STATE AND LOCAL FUNDING OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN TEXAS

LITIGATION RELATING TO THE TEXAS PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM...On seven occasions in the last thirty years, the Texas Supreme Court (the "Court") has issued decisions assessing the constitutionality of the Texas public school finance system (the "Finance System"). The litigation has primarily focused on whether the Finance System, as amended by the Texas Legislature (the "Legislature") from time to time (i) met the requirements of article VII, section 1 of the Texas Constitution, which requires the Legislature to "establish and make suitable provision for the support and maintenance of an efficient system of public free schools," or (ii) imposed a statewide ad valorem tax in violation of article VIII, section 1-e of the Texas Constitution because the statutory limit on property taxes levied by school districts for maintenance and operation purposes had allegedly denied school districts meaningful discretion in setting their tax rates. In response to the Court's previous decisions, the Legislature enacted multiple laws that made substantive changes in the way the Finance System is funded in efforts to address the prior decisions declaring the Finance System unconstitutional.

On May 13, 2016, the Court issued its opinion in the most recent school finance litigation, Morath v. The Texas Taxpayer & Student Fairness Coal., 490 S.W.3d 826 (Tex. 2016) ("Morath"). The plaintiffs and intervenors in the case had alleged that the Finance System, as modified by the Legislature in part in response to prior decisions of the Court, violated article VII, section 1 and article VII, section 1-e of the Texas Constitution. In its opinion, the Court held that "[d]espite the imperfections of the current school funding regime, it meets minimum constitutional requirements." The Court also noted that:

Lawmakers decide if laws pass, and judges decide if those laws pass muster. But our lenient standard of review in this policy-laden area counsels' modesty. The judicial role is not to second-guess whether our system is optimal, but whether it is constitutional. Our Byzantine school funding "system" is undeniably imperfect, with immense room for improvement. But it satisfies minimum constitutional requirements.

POSSIBLE EFFECTS OF CHANGES IN LAW ON DISTRICT BONDS...The Court's decision in Morath upheld the constitutionality of the Finance System but noted that the Finance System was "undeniably imperfect." While not compelled by the Morath decision to reform the Finance System, the Legislature could enact future changes to the Finance System. Any such changes could benefit or be a detriment to the District. If the Legislature enacts future changes to, or fails adequately to fund the Finance System, or if changes in circumstances otherwise provide grounds for a challenge, the Finance System could be challenged again in the future. In its 1995 opinion in Edgewood Independent School District v. Meno, 917 S.W.2d 717 (Tex. 1995), the Court stated that any future determination of unconstitutionality "would not, however, affect the district's authority to levy the taxes necessary to retire previously issued bonds, but would instead require the Legislature to cure the system's unconstitutionality in a way that is consistent with the Contract Clauses of the U.S. and Texas Constitutions" (collectively, the "Contract Clauses"), which prohibit the enactment of laws that impair prior obligations of contracts.

Although, as a matter of law, the Bonds, upon issuance and delivery, will be entitled to the protections afforded previously existing contractual obligations under the Contract Clauses, the District can make no representations or predictions concerning the effect of future legislation, or any litigation that may be associated with such legislation, on the District's financial condition, revenues or operations. While the enactment of future legislation to address school funding in Texas could adversely affect the financial condition, revenues or operations of the District, the District does not anticipate that the security for payment of the Bonds, specifically, the District's obligation to levy an unlimited debt service tax and any Permanent School Fund Guarantee of the Bonds would be adversely affected by any such legislation. See "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM"

CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM

OVERVIEW... The following language constitutes only a summary of the public school finance system as it is currently structured. For a more complete description of school finance and fiscal management in the State, reference is made to Chapters 43 through 49 of the Texas Education Code, as amended.

Local funding is derived from collections of ad valorem taxes levied on property located within each school district's boundaries. School districts are authorized to levy two types of property taxes: a maintenance and operations ("M&O") tax to pay current expenses and an interest and sinking fund ("I&S") tax to pay debt service on bonds. School districts may not increase their M&O tax rate for

the purpose of creating a surplus to pay debt service on bonds. Prior to 2006, school districts were authorized to levy their M&O tax at a voter-approved rate, generally up to \$1.50 per \$100 of taxable value. Since 2006, the State Legislature has enacted various legislation that has compressed the voter-approved M&O tax rate, as described below. Current law also requires school districts to demonstrate their ability to pay debt service on outstanding bonded indebtedness through the levy of an I&S tax at a rate not to exceed \$0.50 per \$100 of taxable value at the time bonds are issued. Once bonds are issued, however, school districts generally may levy an I&S tax sufficient to pay debt service on such bonds unlimited as to rate or amount (see "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS – I&S Tax Rate Limitations" herein). Because property values vary widely among school districts, the amount of local funding generated by school districts with the same I&S tax rate and M&O tax rate is also subject to wide variation; however, the public school finance funding formulas are designed to generally equalize local funding generated by a school district's M&O tax rate.

Prior to the 2019 Legislative Session, a school district's maximum M&O tax rate for a given tax year was determined by multiplying that school district's 2005 M&O tax rate levy by an amount equal to a compression percentage set by legislative appropriation or, in the absence of legislative appropriation, by the Commissioner of Education (the "Commissioner"). This compression percentage was historically set at 66.67%, effectively setting the maximum compressed M&O tax rate for most school districts at \$1.00 per \$100 of taxable value, since most school districts in the State had a voted maximum M&O tax rate of \$1.50 per \$100 of taxable value (though certain school districts located in Harris County had special M&O tax rate authorizations allowing a higher M&O tax rate). School districts were permitted, however, to generate additional local funds by raising their M&O tax rate up to \$0.04 above the compressed tax rate or, with voter-approval at a valid election in the school district, up to \$0.17 above the compressed tax rate (for most school districts, this equated to an M&O tax rate between \$1.04 and \$1.17 per \$100 of taxable value). School districts received additional State funds in proportion to such taxing effort.

2023 LEGISLATIVE SESSION...The Regular Session of the 88th Texas Legislature convened on January 10, 2023, and concluded on May 29, 2023. The Texas Governor called the first special session of the 88th Texas Legislature that began on May 19, 2023, and ended on June 27, 2023, with no resolution to its charge. Immediately thereafter, the Texas Governor called a second special session that commenced on June 27, 2023, with an agenda seeking to put Texas on a pathway to eliminate school district maintenance and operations property taxes and to cut property tax rates solely by reducing the school district maximum compressed tax rate in order to provide lasting property-tax relief for Texas taxpayers. During this time, the Texas Legislature may enact laws that materially change current law as it relates to funding public schools, including the District and its finances, which (in fact) is the charge of the special legislature currently in session. The Texas Governor has evidenced his willingness to call additional special sessions in pursuit of his property tax relief agenda. The District makes no representations or predictions regarding the scope of legislation that may be considered during any special legislative session or the potential impact of such legislation to the District, its operations, or its future funding if adopted into law.

2021 REGULAR AND SPECIAL LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS... The Texas Legislature meets in regular session in odd-numbered years, for 140 days. The 87th Texas Legislature convened on January 12, 2021, and concluded on May 31, 2021 ("87th Regular Session"). During the 87th Regular Session, the Legislature did not make significant changes to the school finance system, State funding of school districts, nor ad valorem taxation procedures affecting school districts.

When the regular Legislature is not in session, the Governor of Texas may call one or more special sessions, at the Governor's direction, each lasting no more than 30 days, and for which the Governor sets the agenda. Following the conclusion of the 87th Regular Session, the Texas Governor called three special sessions of the Legislature. No significant changes were made to the Texas school finance system or property tax systems during the First and Second Special Sessions. Senate Joint Resolution 2, passed during the Third Special Session, proposed a constitutional amendment increasing the mandatory homestead exemption for school districts from \$25,000 to \$40,000, which was approved by voters at an election held on May 7, 2022. The amendment to the Constitution is effective beginning January 1, 2022. As a result of the increased exemption, additional changes to the education finance system will be implemented, including "hold harmless" allotments, to provide funding to school districts who have less revenue (including revenues specifically for debt service and maintenance and operations) due to the implementation of the increased homestead exemption. At this time, the District cannot ascertain the financial impact, if any, the change in homestead exemption will have on the District's finances.

The District can make no representations or predictions regarding any actions the Legislature may take during future legislative sessions concerning the substance or the effect of any legislation that previously passed or may be passed.

LOCAL FUNDING FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS...A school district's M&O tax rate is composed of two distinct parts: the "Tier One Tax Rate", which is the local M&O tax rate required for a school district to receive any part of the basic level of State funding (referred to herein as "Tier One") under the Foundation School Program, as further described below, and the "Enrichment Tax Rate", which is any local M&O tax effort in excess of its Tier One Tax Rate. Formulas for the State Compression Percentage and Maximum Compressed Tax Rate (each as described below) are designed to compress M&O tax rates in response to year-over-year increases in property values across the State and within a school district, respectively. The discussion in this subcaption "Local Funding For School Districts" is generally intended to describe funding provisions applicable to all school districts; however, there are distinctions in the funding formulas for school districts that generate local M&O tax revenues in excess of the school districts' funding entitlements, as further discussed under the subcaption "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM – Local Revenue Level In Excess of Entitlement" herein.

STATE COMPRESSION PERCENTAGE...The State Compression Percentage is a statutorily-defined percentage of the rate of \$1.00 per \$100 that is used to determine a school district's Maximum Compressed Tax Rate (described below). The State Compression Percentage is the lesser of three alternative calculations: (1) 93% or a lower percentage set by appropriation for a school year; (2) a percentage determined by formula if the estimated total taxable property value of the State (as submitted annually to the State Legislature by the State Comptroller) has increased by at least 2.5% over the prior year; and (3) the prior year State Compression Percentage. For any year, the maximum State Compression Percentage is 93%. For the State fiscal year ending in 2022, the State Compression Percentage is set at 91.34%.

MAXIMUM COMPRESSED TAX RATE...The Maximum Compressed Tax Rate (the "MCR") is the tax rate per \$100 of valuation of taxable property at which a school district must levy its Tier One Tax Rate to receive the full amount of the Tier One funding to which the school district is entitled. The MCR is equal to the lesser of three alternative calculations: (1) the school district's prior year MCR; (2) a percentage determined by formula if the school district experienced a year-over-year increase in property value of at least 2.5%; or (3) the product of the State Compression Percentage for the current year multiplied by \$1.00. However, each year the TEA shall evaluate the MCR for each school district in the State, and for any given year, if a school district's MCR is calculated to be less than 90% of any other school district's MCR for the current year, then the school district's MCR is instead equal to the school district's MCR is not more than 10%. These compression formulas are intended to more closely equalize local generation of Tier One funding among districts with disparate tax bases and generally reduce the Tier One Tax Rates of school districts as property values increase. During the 2021 Legislative Session, a provision of the general appropriations act reduced the maximum MCR for the 2021-2022 school year. It established \$0.9134 as the maximum rate and \$0.8220 as the floor.

TIER ONE TAX RATE...A school district's Tier One Tax Rate is defined as a school district's M&O tax rate levied that does not exceed the school district's MCR.

ENRICHMENT TAX RATE...The Enrichment Tax Rate is the number of cents a school district levies for M&O in excess of the Tier One Tax Rate, up to an additional \$0.17. The Enrichment Tax Rate is divided into two components: (i) "Golden Pennies" which are the first \$0.08 of tax effort in excess of a school district's Tier One Tax Rate; and (ii) "Copper Pennies" which are the next \$0.09 in excess of a school district's Tier One Tax Rate plus Golden Pennies.

School districts may levy an Enrichment Tax Rate at a level of their choice, subject to the limitations described under "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS – Public Hearing and Voter-Approval Tax Rate"; however, to levy any of the Enrichment Tax Rate in a given year, a school district must levy a Tier One Tax Rate equal to the school district's MCR. Additionally, a school district's levy of Copper Pennies is subject to compression if the guaranteed yield (i.e., the guaranteed level of local tax revenue and State aid generated for each cent of tax effort) of Copper Pennies is increased from one year to the next (see "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM – State Funding for School Districts – Tier Two").

STATE FUNDING FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS... State funding for school districts is provided through the two-tiered Foundation School Program, which guarantees certain levels of funding for school districts in the State. School districts are entitled to a legislatively appropriated guaranteed yield on their Tier One Tax Rate and Enrichment Tax Rate. When a school district's Tier One Tax Rate and Enrichment Tax Rate generate tax revenues at a level below the respective entitlement, the State will provide "Tier One" funding or "Tier Two" funding, respectively, to fund the difference between the school district's entitlements and the actual M&O revenues generated by the school district's respective M&O tax rates.

The first level of funding, Tier One, is the basic level of funding guaranteed to all school districts based on a school district's Tier One Tax Rate. Tier One funding may then be "enriched" with Tier Two funding. Tier Two provides a guaranteed entitlement for each cent of a school district's Enrichment Tax Rate, allowing a school district to increase or decrease its Enrichment Tax Rate to supplement Tier One funding at a level of the school district's own choice. While Tier One funding may be used for the payment of debt service (except for school districts subject to the recapture provisions of Chapter 49 of the Texas Education Code, as discussed herein), and in some instances is required to be used for that purpose (see "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS – I&S Tax Rate Limitations"), Tier Two funding may not be used for the payment of debt service or capital outlay.

The current public school finance system also provides an Existing Debt Allotment ("EDA") to subsidize debt service on eligible outstanding school district bonds, an Instructional Facilities Allotment ("IFA") to subsidize debt service on newly issued bonds, and a New Instructional Facilities Allotment ("NIFA") to subsidize operational expenses associated with the opening of a new instructional facility. IFA primarily addresses the debt service needs of property-poor school districts. For the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium, the State Legislature appropriated funds in the amount of \$1,007,300,000 for the EDA, IFA, and NIFA.

Tier One and Tier Two allotments represent the State's share of the cost of M&O expenses of school districts, with local M&O taxes representing the school district's local share. EDA and IFA allotments supplement a school district's local I&S taxes levied for debt service on eligible bonds issued to construct, acquire, and improve facilities, provided that a school district qualifies for such funding and that the State Legislature makes sufficient appropriations to fund the allotments for a State fiscal biennium. Tier One and Tier Two allotments and existing EDA and IFA allotments are generally required to be funded each year by the State Legislature.

TIER ONE...Tier One funding is the basic level of funding guaranteed to a school district, consisting of a State-appropriated baseline level of funding (the "Basic Allotment") for each student in "Average Daily Attendance" (being generally calculated as the sum of student attendance for each State-mandated day of instruction divided by the number of State-mandated days of instruction, defined herein as "ADA"). The Basic Allotment is revised downward if a school district's Tier One Tax Rate is less than the State-determined threshold. The Basic Allotment is supplemented by additional State funds, allotted based upon the unique school district characteristics and demographics of students in ADA, to make up most of a school district's Tier One entitlement under the Foundation School Program.

The Basic Allotment for a school district with a Tier One Tax Rate equal to the school district's MCR, is \$6,160 (or a greater amount as may be provided by appropriation) for each student in ADA and is revised downward for a school district with a Tier One Tax Rate lower than the school district's MCR. The Basic Allotment is then supplemented for all school districts by various weights to account for differences among school districts and their student populations. Such additional allotments include, but are not limited to, increased funds for students in ADA who: (i) attend a qualified special education program, (ii) are diagnosed with dyslexia or a related disorder, (iii) are economically disadvantaged, or (iv) have limited English language proficiency. Additional allotments to mitigate differences among school districts include, but are not limited to: (i) a transportation allotment for mileage associated with transporting students who reside two miles or more from their home campus, (ii) a fast growth allotment (for school districts in the top 25% of enrollment growth relative to other school districts), (iii) a college, career and military readiness allotment to further Texas' goal of increasing the number of students who attain a post-secondary education or workforce credential, and (iv) a teacher incentive allotment to increase teacher compensation retention in disadvantaged or rural school districts. A school district's total Tier One funding, divided by \$6,160, is a school district's measure of students in "Weighted Average Daily Attendance" ("WADA"), which serves to calculate Tier Two funding.

For the 2022-2023 school year, the fast growth allotment weights change to 0.48 for districts in the top 40% of school districts for growth, 0.33 for districts in the middle 30% of school districts for growth and 0.18 for districts in the bottom 30% of school districts for growth. The fast growth allotment is limited to \$310 million for the 2022-2023 school year and \$315 million for the 2023-2024 school year.

TIER Two...Tier Two supplements Tier One funding and provides two levels of enrichment with different guaranteed yields (i.e., Golden Pennies and Copper Pennies) depending on the school district's Enrichment Tax Rate. Golden Pennies generate a guaranteed yield equal to the greater of (i) the local revenue per student in WADA per cent of tax effort available to a school district at the ninety-sixth (96th) percentile of wealth per student in WADA, or (ii) the Basic Allotment (or a greater amount as may be provided by appropriation) multiplied by 0.016. For the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium, school districts are guaranteed a yield of \$98.56 per student in WADA for each Golden Penny levied. Copper Pennies generate a guaranteed yield per student in WADA equal to the school district's Basic Allotment (or a greater amount as may be provided by appropriation) multiplied by 0.008. For the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium, school district's Basic Allotment (or a greater amount as may be provided by appropriation) multiplied by 0.008. For the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium, school districts are guaranteed a yield of \$49.28 per student in WADA for each Copper Penny levied. For any school year in which the guaranteed yield of Copper Pennies per student in WADA exceeds the guaranteed yield of Copper Pennies per student in WADA for the preceding school year, a school district is required to reduce its Copper Pennies levied so as to generate no more revenue per student in WADA than was available to the school district for the preceding year.

EXISTING DEBT ALLOTMENT, INSTRUCTION FACILITIES ALLOTMENT, AND NEW INSTRUCTIONAL FACILITIES ALLOTMENT...The Foundation School Program also includes facilities funding components consisting of the IFA and the EDA, subject to legislative appropriation each State fiscal biennium. To the extent funded for a biennium, these programs assist school districts in funding facilities by, generally, equalizing a school district's I&S tax effort. The IFA guarantees each awarded school district a specified amount per student (the "IFA Yield") in State and local funds for each cent of I&S tax levied to pay the principal of and interest on eligible bonds issued to construct, acquire, renovate or improve instructional facilities. The IFA Yield has been \$35 since this program first began in 1997. New awards of IFA are only available if appropriated funds are allocated for such purpose by the State Legislature. To receive an IFA award, in years where new IFA awards are available, a school district must apply to the Commissioner in accordance with rules adopted by the TEA before issuing the bonds to be paid with IFA State assistance. The total amount of debt service assistance over a biennium for which a school district may be awarded is limited to the lesser of (1) the actual debt service payments made by the school district in the biennium in which the bonds are issued; or (2) the greater of (a) \$100,000 or (b) \$250 multiplied by the number of students in ADA. The IFA is also available for lease-purchase agreements and refunding bonds meeting certain prescribed conditions. Once a school district receives an IFA award for bonds, it is entitled to continue receiving State assistance for such bonds without reapplying to the Commissioner. The guaranteed level of State and local funds per student per cent of local tax effort applicable to the bonds may not be reduced below the level provided for the year in which the bonds were issued. For the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium, the State Legislature did not appropriate any funds for new IFA awards; however, awards previously granted in years the State Legislature did appropriate funds for new IFA awards will continue to be funded.

State financial assistance is provided for certain existing eligible debt issued by school districts through the EDA program. The EDA guaranteed yield (the "EDA Yield") is the lesser of (i) \$40 per student in ADA or a greater amount for any year provided by appropriation; or (ii) the amount that would result in a total additional EDA of \$60 million more than the EDA to which school districts would have been entitled to if the EDA Yield were \$35. The portion of a school district's local debt service rate that qualifies for EDA assistance is limited to the first \$0.29 of its I&S tax rate (or a greater amount for any year provided by appropriation by the State Legislature). In general, a school district's bonds are eligible for EDA assistance if (i) the school district made payments on the

bonds during the final fiscal year of the preceding State fiscal biennium, or (ii) the school district levied taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the bonds for that fiscal year. Each biennium, access to EDA funding is determined by the debt service taxes collected in the final year of the preceding biennium. A school district may not receive EDA funding for the principal and interest on a series of otherwise eligible bonds for which the school district receives IFA funding.

Since future-year IFA awards were not funded by the State Legislature for the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium and debt service assistance on school district bonds that are not yet eligible for EDA is not available, debt service payments during the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium on new bonds issued by school districts in the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium to construct, acquire and improve facilities must be funded solely from local I&S taxes.

A school district may also qualify for a NIFA allotment, which provides assistance to school districts for operational expenses associated with opening new instructional facilities. In the 2021 Legislative Session, the State Legislature appropriated funds in the amount of \$70,000,000 for each fiscal year of the 2022-2023 State fiscal biennium for NIFA allotments.

TAX RATE AND FUNDING EQUITY...The Commissioner may proportionally reduce the amount of funding a school district receives under the Foundation School Program and the ADA calculation if the school district operates on a calendar that provides less than the State-mandated minimum instruction time in a school year. The Commissioner may also adjust a school district's ADA as it relates to State funding where disaster, flood, extreme weather or other calamity has a significant effect on a school district's attendance.

Furthermore, "property-wealthy" school districts that received additional State funds under the public school finance system prior to the enactment of the 2019 Legislation are entitled to an equalized wealth transition grant on an annual basis through the 2023-2024 school year in an amount equal to the amount of additional revenue such school district would have received under former Texas Education Code Sections 41.002(e) through (g), as those sections existed on January 1, 2019. This grant is phased out through the 2023-2024 school year as follows: (1) 20% reduction for the 2020-2021 school year, (2) 40% reduction for the 2021-2022 school year, (3) 60% reduction for the 2022-2023 school year, and (4) 80% reduction for the 2023-2024 school year. Additionally, school districts (through the fiscal year ending in 2025) and open-enrollment charter schools (through the fiscal year ending in 2024) are entitled to receive an allotment in the form of a formula transition grant meant to ensure a smooth transition into the funding formulas enacted by the 86th State Legislature. Beginning with the 2021-2022 school year exceeds \$400 million, the Commissioner shall proportionately reduce each districts or school's allotment. The reduction in the amount to which a district or school is entitled may not result in an amount that is less than zero.

LOCAL REVENUE LEVEL IN EXCESS OF ENTITLEMENT...A school district that has sufficient property wealth per student in ADA to generate local revenues on the school district's Tier One Tax Rate and Copper Pennies in excess of the school district's respective funding entitlements (a "Chapter 49 school district"), is subject to the local revenue reduction provisions contained in Chapter 49 of Texas Education Code, as amended ("Chapter 49"). Additionally, in years in which the amount of State funds appropriated specifically excludes the amount necessary to provide the guaranteed yield for Golden Pennies, local revenues generated on a school district's Golden Pennies in excess of the school district's respective funding entitlement are subject to the local revenue reduction provisions of Chapter 49. To reduce local revenue, Chapter 49 school districts are generally subject to a process known as "recapture", which requires a Chapter 49 school district to exercise certain options to remit local M&O tax revenues collected in excess of the State (for redistribution to other school districts) or otherwise expending the respective M&O tax revenues for the benefit of students in school districts that are not Chapter 49 school districts, as described in the subcaption "Options for Local Revenue Levels in Excess of Entitlement." Chapter 49 school districts receive their allocable share of funds distributed from the constitutionally prescribed Available School Fund but are generally not eligible to receive State aid under the Foundation School Program, although they may continue to receive State funds for certain competitive grants and certain programs that remain outside the Foundation School Program.

Recapture is measured by the "local revenue level" (being the M&O tax revenues generated in a school district) in excess of the entitlements appropriated by the State Legislature each fiscal biennium. Therefore, school districts are now guaranteed that recapture will not reduce revenue below their statutory entitlement.

OPTIONS FOR LOCAL REVENUE LEVELS IN EXCESS OF ENTITLEMENT... Under Chapter 49, a school district has six options to reduce local revenues to a level that does not exceed the school district's respective entitlements: (1) a school district may consolidate by agreement with one or more school districts to form a consolidated school district; all property and debt of the consolidating school districts vest in the consolidated school district; (2) a school district may detach property from its territory for annexation by a property-poor school district; (3) a school district may purchase attendance credits from the State; (4) a school district may contract to educate nonresident students from a property-poor school district by sending money directly to one or more property-poor school district; (5) a school district may execute an agreement to provide students of one or more other school districts with career and technology education through a program designated as an area program for career and technology education; or (6) a school district may consolidate by agreement with one or more school districts to form a consolidated taxing school district solely to levy and distribute either M&O taxes or both M&O taxes and I&S taxes. A Chapter 49 school district may also exercise any combination of these remedies. Options (3), (4) and (6) require prior approval by the Chapter 49 school district's voters.

Furthermore, a school district may not adopt a tax rate until its effective local revenue level is at or below the level that would produce its guaranteed entitlement under the Foundation School Program. If a school district fails to exercise a permitted option, the Commissioner must reduce the school district's local revenue level to the level that would produce the school district's guaranteed entitlement, by detaching certain types of property from the school district and annexing the property to a property-poor school district or, if necessary, consolidate the school district with a property-poor school district. Provisions governing detachment and annexation of taxable property by the Commissioner do not provide for assumption of any of the transferring school district's existing debt.

CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM AS APPLIED TO THE DISTRICT

For the 2022-2023 school year, the District was not designated as an "excess local revenue" Chapter 49 school district by TEA. Accordingly, the District has not been required to exercise one of the wealth equalization options permitted under applicable State law. As a district with local revenue less than the maximum permitted level, the District may benefit in the future by agreeing to accept taxable property or funding assistance from or agreeing to consolidate with, a property-rich district to enable such district to reduce its wealth per student to the permitted level.

A district's "excess local revenues" must be tested for each future school year and, if it exceeds the maximum permitted level, the District must reduce its wealth per student by the exercise of one of the permitted wealth equalization options. Accordingly, if the District's wealth per student should exceed the maximum permitted value in future school years, it will be required to exercise one or more of the permitted wealth equalization options. If the District were to consolidate (or consolidate its tax base for all purposes) with a property-poor district, the outstanding debt of each district could become payable from the consolidated district's combined property tax base, and the District's ration of taxable property to debt could become diluted. If the District were to detach property voluntarily, a portion of its outstanding debt (including the Bonds) could be assumed by the district to which the property is annexed, in which case timely payment of the Bonds could become dependent in part on the financial performance of an annexing district.

For a detailed discussion of State funding for school district see "CURRENT PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM – State Funding for School Districts."

EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLAN AND OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

The District's employees participate in a retirement plan (the "Plan") with the State of Texas. The Plan is administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas ("TRS"). State contributions are made to cover costs of the TRS retirement plan up to certain statutory limits. The District is obligated for a portion of TRS costs relating to employee salaries that exceed the statutory limit. For fiscal year ended June 30, 2022, the District made a contribution to TRS on a portion of their employee's salaries that exceeded the statutory minimum. For a discussion of the TRS retirement plan, see "Note D" in the audited financial statements of the District that are attached hereto as APPENDIX E (the "Financial Statements").

In addition to its participation in TRS, the District contributes to the Texas Public School Retired Employees Group Insurance Program (the "TRS-Care Retired Plan"), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit post-employment health care plan. The TRS-Care Retired Plan provides health care coverage for certain persons (and their dependents) who retired under the Teacher Retirement System of Texas. Contribution requirements are not actuarially determined but are legally established each biennium by the Texas Legislature. For more detailed information concerning the District's funding policy and contributions in connection with the TRS-Care Retired Plan, see "Note E" in the Financial Statements.

During the year ended June 30, 2022, employees of the District were covered by a fully-insured health insurance plan (the "Health Care Plan"). The District contributed \$535 per month per employee to the Health Care Plan. Employees, at their option, authorize payroll withholdings to pay premiums for dependents.

Formal collective bargaining agreements relating directly to wages and other conditions of employment are prohibited by State law, as are strikes by teachers. There are various local, state and national organized employee groups who engage in efforts to better terms and conditions of employment of school employees. Some districts have adopted a policy to consult with employer groups with respect to certain terms and conditions of employment. Some examples of these groups are the Texas State Teachers Association, the Texas Classroom Teachers Association, the Association of Texas Professional Educators and the National Education Association.

INVESTMENTS

INVESTMENTS . . . The District invests its funds in investments authorized by State law in accordance with investment policies approved by the Board of the District. Both State law and the District's investment policies are subject to change.

LEGAL INVESTMENTS... Under State law and subject to certain limitations, the District is authorized to invest in (1) obligations of the United States or its agencies and instrumentalities; (2) direct obligations of the State of Texas or its agencies and instrumentalities; (3) collateralized mortgage obligations issued and secured by a federal agency or instrumentality of the United States; (4) other obligations unconditionally guaranteed or insured by the State of Texas or the United States or their respective agencies and instrumentalities; (5) "A" or better rated obligations of states, agencies, counties, cities, and other political subdivisions of any state; (6) bonds issued, assumed, or guaranteed by the State of Israel; (7) federally insured interest-bearing bank deposits, brokered pools of such deposits, and collateralized certificates of deposit and share certificates; (8) fully collateralized United States government securities repurchase agreements; (9) one-year or shorter securities lending agreements secured by obligations described in clauses (1) through (7) above or (11) through (14) below or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by an "A" or better rated state or national bank; (10) 270-day or shorter bankers' acceptances, if the short-term obligations of the accepting bank or its holding company are rated at least "A-1" or "P-1"; (11) commercial paper rated at least "A-1" or "P-1"; (12) SEC-registered no-load money market mutual funds that are subject to SEC Rule 2a-7; (13) SEC-registered no-load mutual funds that have an average weighted maturity of less than two years; (14) "AAA" or "AAA-m"-rated investment pools that invest solely in investments described above; and (15) in the case of bond proceeds, guaranteed investment contracts that are secured by obligations described in clauses (1) through (7) above and, except for debt service funds and reserves, have a term of 5 years or less.

The District may not, however, invest in (1) interest only obligations, or non-interest bearing principal obligations, stripped from mortgage-backed securities; (2) collateralized mortgage obligations that have a remaining term that exceeds 10 years; and (3) collateralized mortgage obligations that bear interest at an index rate that adjusts opposite to the changes in a market index. In addition, the District may not invest more than 15% of its monthly average fund balance (excluding bond proceeds and debt service funds and reserves) in mutual funds described in clause (13) above or make an investment in any mutual fund that exceeds 10% of the fund's total assets.

Except as stated above or inconsistent with its investment policy, the District may invest in obligations of any duration without regard to their credit rating, if any. If an obligation ceases to qualify as an eligible investment after it has been purchased, the District is not required to liquidate the investment unless it no longer carries a required rating, in which case the District is required to take prudent measures to liquidate the investment that are consistent with its investment policy.

As a school district that qualifies as an "issuer" under Chapter 1371, the District may also invest up to 15% of its monthly average fund balance (excluding bond proceeds and debt service funds and reserves) in "AA-" or better rated corporate bonds with a remaining term of three years or less. Not more than 25% of its funds invested in corporate bonds may be invested in any single issuer and its affiliates. Corporate bonds must be sold if downgraded below the required rating or placed on negative credit watch.

INVESTMENT POLICIES...Under State law, the District is required to adopt and annually review written investment policies and must invest its funds in accordance with its policies. The policies must identify eligible investments and address investment diversification, yield, maturity, and the quality and capability of investment management. For investments whose eligibility is rating dependent, the policies must adopt procedures to monitor ratings and liquidate investments if and when required. The policies must require that all investment transactions settle on a delivery versus payment basis. The District is required to adopt a written investment strategy for each fund group to achieve investment objectives in the following order of priority: (1) suitability, (2) preservation and safety of principal, (3) liquidity, (4) marketability, (5) diversification, and (6) yield.

State law requires the District's investments be made "with judgment and care, under prevailing circumstances, that a person of prudence, discretion, and intelligence would exercise in the management of the person's own affairs, not for speculation, but for investment considering the probable safety of capital and the probable income to be derived." The District is required to perform an annual audit of the management controls on investments and compliance with its investment policies and provide regular training for its investment officers.

CURRENT INVESTMENTS UNAUDITED

TABLE 1

As of April 30, 2023, the District's investable funds in the amount of \$116,973,573.12 were invested in the following:

TAX MATTERS

OPINION... On the date of initial delivery of the Bonds, McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Bond Counsel, will render its opinion that, in accordance with statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions existing on the date thereof ("Existing Law"), (i) interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes will be excludable from the "gross income" of the holders thereof and (ii) the Bonds will not be treated as "specified private activity bonds" the interest on which would be included as an alternative minimum tax preference item under section 57(a)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"). Except as stated above, Bond Counsel will express no opinion as to any other federal, state or local tax consequences of the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Bonds. See "APPENDIX C – Form of Bond Counsel's Opinion."

In rendering its opinion, Bond Counsel will rely upon (a) certain information and representations of the District, including the information and representations contained in the District's federal tax certificate and (b) covenants of the District contained in the Bond documents relating to certain matters, including arbitrage and the use of the proceeds of the Bonds and the property financed or refinanced therewith. Failure by the District to observe the aforementioned representations or covenants could cause the interest on the Bonds to become taxable retroactively to the date of issuance.

The Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder contain a number of requirements that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in order for interest on the Bonds to be, and to remain, excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Failure to comply with such requirements may cause interest on the Bonds to be included in gross income retroactively to the date of issuance of the Bonds. The opinion of Bond Counsel is conditioned on compliance by the District with such requirements, and Bond Counsel has not been retained to monitor compliance with these requirements subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds.

Bond Counsel's opinion represents its legal judgment based upon its review of Existing Law and the reliance on the aforementioned information, representations and covenants. Bond Counsel's opinion is not a guarantee of a result. Existing Law is subject to change by Congress and to subsequent judicial and administrative interpretation by the courts and the Department of the Treasury. There can be no assurance that such Existing Law or the interpretation thereof will not be changed in a manner which would adversely affect the tax treatment of the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Bonds.

A ruling was not sought from the Internal Revenue Service by the District with respect to the Bonds or the property financed or refinanced with proceeds of the Bonds. No assurances can be given as to whether the Internal Revenue Service will commence an audit of the Bonds, or as to whether the Internal Revenue Service would agree with the opinion of Bond Counsel. If an Internal Revenue Service audit is commenced, under current procedures the Internal Revenue Service is likely to treat the District as the taxpayer and the Bondholders may have no right to participate in such procedure. No additional interest will be paid upon any determination of taxability.

FEDERAL INCOME TAX ACCOUNTING TREATMENT OF ORIGINAL ISSUE DISCOUNT... The initial public offering price to be paid for one or more maturities of the Bonds may be less than the principal amount thereof or one or more periods for the payment of interest on the Bonds may not be equal to the accrual period or be in excess of one year (the "Original Issue Discount Bonds"). In such an event, the difference between (i) the "stated redemption price at maturity" of each Original Issue Discount Bond, and (ii) the initial offering price to the public of such Original Issue Discount Bond would constitute original issue discount. The "stated redemption price at maturity" means the sum of all payments to be made on the Bonds less the amount of all periodic interest payments. Periodic interest payments are payments which are made during equal accrual periods (or during any unequal period if it is the initial or final period) and which are made during accrual periods which do not exceed one year.

Under Existing Law, any owner who has purchased such Original Issue Discount Bond in the initial public offering is entitled to exclude from gross income (as defined in section 61 of the Code) an amount of income with respect to such Original Issue Discount Bond equal to that portion of the amount of such original issue discount allocable to the accrual period. For a discussion of certain collateral federal tax consequences, see discussion set forth below.

In the event of the redemption, sale or other taxable disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bond prior to stated maturity, however, the amount realized by such owner in excess of the basis of such Original Issue Discount Bond in the hands of such owner (adjusted upward by the portion of the original issue discount allocable to the period for which such Original Issue Discount Bond was held by such initial owner) is includable in gross income.

Under Existing Law, the original issue discount on each Original Issue Discount Bond is accrued daily to the stated maturity thereof (in amounts calculated as described below for each six-month period ending on the date before the semiannual anniversary dates of the date of the Bonds and ratably within each such six-month period) and the accrued amount is added to an initial owner's basis for such Original Issue Discount Bond for purposes of determining the amount of gain or loss recognized by such owner upon the redemption, sale or other disposition thereof. The amount to be added to basis for each accrual period is equal to (a) the sum of the issue price and the amount of original issue discount accrued in prior periods multiplied by the yield to stated maturity (determined on the basis of compounding at the close of each accrual period and properly adjusted for the length of the accrual period) less (b) the amounts payable as current interest during such accrual period on such Original Issue Discount Bond.

The federal income tax consequences of the purchase, ownership, redemption, sale or other disposition of Original Issue Discount Bonds which are not purchased in the initial offering at the initial offering price may be determined according to rules which differ from those described above. All owners of Original Issue Discount Bonds should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the determination for federal, state and local income tax purposes of the treatment of interest accrued upon redemption, sale or other disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bonds and with respect to the federal, state, local and foreign tax consequences of the purchase, ownership, redemption, sale or other disposition of such Original Issue Discount Bonds.

COLLATERAL FEDERAL INCOME TAX CONSEQUENCES... The following discussion is a summary of certain collateral federal income tax consequences resulting from the purchase, ownership or disposition of the Bonds. This discussion is based on Existing Law, which is subject to change or modification, retroactively.

The following discussion is applicable to investors, other than those who are subject to special provisions of the Code, such as financial institutions, property and casualty insurance companies, life insurance companies, individual recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, individuals allowed an earned income credit, certain S corporations with accumulated earnings and profits, and excess passive interest incurred, foreign corporations subject to the branch profits tax, taxpayers qualifying for the health insurance premium assistance credit, and taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase tax-exempt obligations.

THE DISCUSSION CONTAINED HEREIN MAY NOT BE EXHAUSTIVE. INVESTORS, INCLUDING THOSE WHO ARE SUBJECT TO SPECIAL PROVISIONS OF THE CODE, SHOULD CONSULT THEIR OWN TAX ADVISORS AS TO THE TAX TREATMENT WHICH MAY BE ANTICIPATED TO RESULT FROM THE PURCHASE, OWNERSHIP AND DISPOSITION OF TAX-EXEMPT OBLIGATIONS BEFORE DETERMINING WHETHER TO PURCHASE THE BONDS.

Interest on the Bonds may be includable in certain corporations' "adjusted financial statement income" determined under section 56A of the Code to calculate the alternative minimum tax imposed by section 55 of the Code.

Under section 6012 of the Code, holders of tax-exempt obligations, such as the Bonds, may be required to disclose interest received or accrued during each taxable year on their returns of federal income taxation.

Section 1276 of the Code provides for ordinary income tax treatment of gain recognized upon the disposition of a tax-exempt obligation, such as the Bonds, if such obligation was acquired at a "market discount" and if the fixed maturity of such obligation is equal to, or exceeds, one year from the date of issue. Such treatment applies to "market discount bonds" to the extent such gain does not exceed the accrued market discount of such bonds; although for this purpose, a de minimis amount of market discount is ignored. A "market discount bond" is one which is acquired by the holder at a purchase price which is less than the stated redemption price at maturity or, in the case of a bond issued at an original issue discount, the "revised issue price" (i.e., the issue price plus accrued original issue discount). The "accrued market discount" is the amount which bears the same ratio to the market discount as the number of days during which the holder holds the obligation bears to the number of days between the acquisition date and the final maturity date.

STATE, LOCAL AND FOREIGN TAXES . . . Investors should consult their own tax advisors concerning the tax implications of the purchase, ownership, or disposition of the Bonds under applicable state or local laws. Foreign investors should also consult their own tax advisors regarding the tax consequences unique to investors who are not United States persons.

INFORMATION REPORTING AND BACKUP WITHHOLDING...Subject to certain exceptions, information reports describing interest income, including original issue discount, with respect to the Bonds will be sent to each registered holder and to the Internal Revenue Service. Payments of interest and principal may be subject to withholding under sections 1471 through 1474 or backup withholding under section 3406 of the Code if a recipient of the payments fails to furnish to the payor such owner's social security number or other taxpayer identification number ("TIN"), furnishes an incorrect TIN, or otherwise fails to establish an exemption from the backup withholding tax. Any amounts so withheld would be allowed as a credit against the recipient's federal income tax. Special rules apply to partnerships, estates and trusts, and in certain circumstances, and in respect of foreign investors, certifications as to foreign status and other matters may be required to be provided by partners and beneficiaries thereof.

FUTURE AND PROPOSED LEGISLATION... Tax legislation, administrative actions taken by tax authorities, or court decisions, whether at the Federal or state level, may adversely affect the tax-exempt status of interest on the Bonds under Federal or state law and could affect the market price or marketability of the Bonds. Any such proposal could limit the value of certain deductions and exclusions, including the exclusion for tax-exempt interest. The likelihood of any such proposal being enacted cannot be predicted. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should consult their own tax advisors regarding the foregoing matters.

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION

In the Order, the District has made the following agreement for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds. The District is required to observe the agreement for so long as it remains obligated to advance funds to pay the Bonds. Under the agreement, the District will be obligated to provide certain updated financial information and operating data annually, and timely notice of specified events, to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB"). For a description of the continuing disclosure obligations of the TEA, see "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM."

ANNUAL REPORTS ... The District will provide this updated financial information and operating data to the MSRB annually in an electronic format as prescribed by the MSRB. The information to be updated includes all quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to the District of the general type included in Table 1 of this Official Statement and in Tables 1 through 8 in APPENDIX A. The District will update and provide this information within twelve months after the end of each fiscal year, commencing in 2023. The financial information and operating data to be provided may be set forth in full in one or more documents or may be included by specific reference to any document available to the public on the MSRB's Internet Web site or filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), as permitted by SEC Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule"). The District will provide audited financial statements within twelve months after the end of each fiscal year, commencing in 2023, if the District commissions an audit and it is completed by the required time. If audited financial statements are not available by the required time, the District will provide unaudited financial statements of the type described above by the required time and will provide audited financial statements when and if such audited financial statements become available. Any financial statements will be prepared in accordance with the accounting principles described in APPENDIX D or such other accounting principles as the District may be required to employ from time to time pursuant to Texas law or regulation. The District's current fiscal year end is June 30. Accordingly, it must make available updated financial and operating data and financial statements June 30 in each year, unless the District changes its fiscal year. If the District changes its fiscal year, it will notify the MSRB of the change. The District will provide the updated information to the MSRB in an electronic format, which will be available to the general public without charge via the MSRB's Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system at www.emma.msrb.org.

NOTICE OF CERTAIN EVENTS ... The District also will provide timely notices of certain events to the MSRB. The District will provide notice of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds to the MSRB in a timely manner (but not in excess of ten (10) business days after the occurrence of the event): (1) principal and interest payment delinquencies; (2) non-payment related defaults, if material; (3) unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties; (4) unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties; (5) substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform; (6) adverse tax opinions or the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Bonds, or other material events affecting the tax status of the Bonds; (7) modifications to rights of holders of the Bonds, if material; (8) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers; (9) defeasances; (10) release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material; (11) rating changes; (12) bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership, or similar event of the District; (13) the consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the District or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the District, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such action, or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material; (14) the appointment of a successor or additional paying agent/registrar or change of name of the paying agent/registrar, if material; (15) incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the District, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of any such Financial Obligation of the District, any of which affect security holders, if material; and (16) default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of any such Financial Obligation of the District, any of which reflect financial difficulties. In the Order, the District adopted policies and procedures to ensure timely compliance of its continuing disclosure undertakings. In addition, the District will provide timely notice of any failure by the District to provide annual financial information in accordance with their agreement described above under "Annual Reports." Neither the Bonds nor the Order make any provision for liquidity enhancement, credit enhancement (except for the Permanent School Fund Guarantee) or debt service reserves.

For these purposes, (a) any event described in clause (12) of the immediately preceding paragraph is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the District in a proceeding under the United States Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under the state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the District, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the District, and (b) the District intends the words used in the immediately preceding clauses (15) and (16) and in the definition of Financial Obligation above to have the meanings ascribed to them in SEC Release No. 34-83885 dated August 20, 2018.

AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION... Effective July 1, 2009 (the "EMMA Effective Date"), the SEC implemented amendments to the Rule which approved the establishment by the MSRB of EMMA, which is now the sole successor to the national municipal securities information repositories with respect to filings made in connection with undertakings made under the Rule after the EMMA Effective Date. Commencing with the EMMA Effective Date, all information and documentation filing required to be made by the District in

accordance with its undertaking made for the Bonds will be made with the MSRB in electronic format in accordance with MSRB guidelines. Access to such filings will be provided, without charge to the general public, by the MSRB.

With respect to debt of the District issued prior to the EMMA Effective Date, the District remains obligated to make annual required filings, as well as notices of material events, under its continuing disclosure obligations relating to those debt obligations (which includes a continuing obligation to make such filings with the Texas state information depository (the "SID"). Prior to the EMMA Effective Date, the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas (the "MAC") had been designated by the State and approved by the SEC staff as a qualified SID. Subsequent to the EMMA Effective Date, the MAC entered into a Subscription Agreement with the MSRB pursuant to which the MSRB makes available to the MAC, in electronic format, all Texas-issuer continuing disclosure documents and related information posted to EMMA's website simultaneously with such posting. Until the District receives notice of a change in this contractual agreement between the MAC and EMMA or of a failure of either party to perform as specified thereunder, the District has determined, in reliance on guidance from the MAC, that making its continuing disclosure filings solely with the MSRB will satisfy its obligations to make filings with the SID pursuant to its continuing disclosure agreements entered into prior to the EMMA Effective Date.

LIMITATIONS AND AMENDMENTS... The District has agreed to update information and to provide notices of events only as described above. The District has not agreed to provide other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of its financial results of operations, condition, or prospects or agreed to update any information that has been provided except as described above. The District makes no representation or warranty concerning such information or concerning its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date. The District disclaims any contractual or tort liability for damages resulting in whole or in part from any breach of its continuing disclosure agreement or from any statement made pursuant to its agreement, although holders of Bonds may seek a writ of mandamus to compel the District to comply with its agreement.

The District may amend its continuing disclosure agreement from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the District, if (i) the agreement, as amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell Bonds in the offering described herein in compliance with the Rule, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule to the date of such amendment, as well as such changed circumstances, and (ii) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding Bonds consent to the amendment or (b) any person unaffiliated with the District (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that the amendment will not materially impair the interests of the registered owners of the Bonds. The District may also amend or repeal the provisions of its continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provisions of the SEC Rule 15c2-12 or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of the SEC Rule 15c2-12 are invalid, but only if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling Bonds in the primary offering of the Bonds. If the District so amends the agreement, it has agreed to include with the next financial information and operating data provided in accordance with its agreement described above under "Annual Reports" an explanation, in narrative form, of the reasons for the amendment and of the impact of any change in the type of financial information and operating data so provided.

COMPLIANCE WITH PRIOR UNDERTAKINGS... For the past five years, the District has complied with its continuing disclosure agreement. In FY 2020 the District timely filed unaudited financial statements due to the unavailability of the final audit. The District followed the same by filing the final audit (as and when available), in compliance with its continuing disclosure obligations. As a result, the unavailability of a final audit by the annual continuing disclosure deadline has not impacted the District's ability to timely satisfy its continuing disclosure obligations. In respect to the District's 2020 annual disclosure report, the District filed all the information that was available at the time of filing, but some tables were not able to be updated to the most current year by the required December 31st date. When the information became available, the District updated those tables and filed amended disclosure tables.

OTHER INFORMATION

RATINGS... The Bonds have been rated "Aaa" by Moody's Investor's Service, Inc, ("Moody's") by virtue of the guarantee of the Permanent School Fund Guarantee. The Bonds and the other outstanding debt of the District are rated "Aa3" without regard to credit enhancement. See "APPENDIX D - THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM." The rating reflects only the respective views of such organization at the time the ratings are given, and the District makes no representation as to the appropriateness of the rating. There is no assurance that such rating will continue for any given period of time or that it will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by such rating company if in the judgment of the company, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward revision or withdrawal of such rating may have an adverse effect on the market price of the Bonds. A securities rating is not a recommendation to buy, sell or hold securities and may be subject to revision or withdrawal at any time.

LITIGATION . . . The District is not a party to any litigation or other proceeding pending or to its knowledge, threatened, in any court, agency or other administrative body (either state or federal) which, if decided adversely to the District, would have a material adverse effect on the financial condition or operations of the District.

At the time of the initial delivery of the Bonds, the District will provide the Underwriter with a certificate to the effect that no litigation of any nature has been filed or is then pending challenging the issuance of the Bonds they are purchasing or that affects the payment and security of said Bonds or in any other manner questioning the issuance, sale or delivery of the Bonds.

REGISTRATION AND QUALIFICATION OF BONDS FOR SALE... The sale of the Bonds has not been registered under the Federal Securities Act of 1933, as amended, in reliance upon the exemption provided thereunder by Section 3(a)(2); and the Bonds have not been qualified under the Securities Act of Texas in reliance upon various exemptions contained therein; nor have the Bonds been qualified under the securities acts of any other jurisdiction. The District assumes no responsibility for qualification of the Bonds under the securities laws of any jurisdiction in which the Bonds may be sold, assigned, pledged, hypothecated or otherwise transferred. This disclaimer of responsibility for qualification for sale or other disposition of the Bonds shall not be construed as an interpretation of any kind with regard to the availability of any exemption from securities registration provisions.

It is the obligation of the Underwriter to register or qualify the sale of the Bonds under the securities laws of any jurisdiction which so requires. The District agrees to cooperate, at the Underwriter's written request and sole expense, in registering or qualifying the Bonds or in obtaining an exemption from registration or qualification in any state where such action is necessary; provided, however, that the District shall not be required to qualify as a foreign corporation or to execute a general or special consent to service of process in any jurisdiction.

LEGAL INVESTMENTS AND ELIGIBILITY TO SECURE PUBLIC FUNDS IN TEXAS ... Section 1201.041 of the Public Security Procedures Act (Chapter 1201, Texas Government Code) provides that the Bonds are negotiable instruments, investment securities governed by Chapter 8, Texas Business and Commerce Code, and are legal and authorized investments for insurance companies, fiduciaries, and trustees, and for the sinking funds of municipalities or other political subdivisions or public agencies of the State. With respect to investment in the Bonds by municipalities or other political subdivisions or public agencies of the State, the Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256, Texas Government Code, requires that the Bonds be assigned a rating of at least "A" or its equivalent as to investment quality by a national rating agency. See "OTHER INFORMATION – Ratings" herein. In addition, various provisions of the Texas Finance Code provide that, subject to a prudent investor standard, the Bonds are legal investments for state banks, savings banks, trust companies with capital of one million dollars or more, and savings and loan associations. The Bonds are eligible to secure deposits of any public funds of the State, its agencies, and its political subdivisions, and are legal security for those deposits to the extent of their market value. No review by the District has been made of the laws in other states to determine whether the Bonds are legal investments for various institutions in those states.

LEGAL MATTERS ... The District will furnish the Underwriter with a complete transcript of proceedings incident to the authorization and issuance of the Bonds being purchased, including the unqualified approving legal opinion of the Attorney General of Texas to the effect that such Bonds are valid and legally binding obligations of the District, and based upon examination of such transcript of proceedings, the approving legal opinion of McCall, Parkhurst & Horton L.L.P., San Antonio, Texas, Bond Counsel, to like effect and to the effect that the interest on the Bonds will be excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103(a) of the Code, subject to the matters described under "TAX MATTERS" herein. Though it represents investment banking firms such as the Underwriter from time to time in matters unrelated to the issuance of the Bonds, Bond Counsel has been engaged by and only represents the District in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. Bond Counsel was not requested to participate, and did not take part, in the preparation of the Official Statement, and such firm has not assumed any responsibility with respect thereto or undertaken independently to verify any of the information contained therein, except that, in its capacity as Bond Counsel, such firm has reviewed the information (other than any financial, technical, or statistical data therein) in this Official Statement appearing under the captions and subcaptions "THE BONDS" (excluding the information under the subcaption, "DTC Redemption Provisions", "Book-Entry-Only-System", "Bondholders' Remedies", "Permanent School Fund Guarantee" and "Sources and Uses of Proceeds," as to which no opinion is expressed), "THE SCHOOL FINANCE SYSTEM AS APPLIED TO THE DISTRICT," "TAX RATE LIMITATIONS - M&O Tax Rate Limitations" (first paragraph only), "TAX MATTERS," "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION" (except under the subcaption "Compliance with Prior Undertakings," as to which no opinion is expressed), "OTHER INFORMATION - Registration and Qualification of Bonds for Sale," "OTHER INFORMATION - Legal Investments and Eligibility to Secure Public Funds in Texas," and "OTHER INFORMATION - Legal Matters" (excluding the last sentence of the first paragraph, as to which no opinion is expressed) and such firm is of the opinion that the information contained under such captions and subcaptions is an accurate and fair description of the laws and legal issues addressed therein and, with respect to the Bonds, such information conforms to the Order. The legal fee to be paid Bond Counsel for services rendered in connection with the issuance of the Bonds is contingent on the sale and delivery of the Bonds. The legal opinion will accompany the Bonds deposited with DTC or will be printed on the Bonds in the event of the discontinuance of the Book-Entry-Only System. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the Underwriter by its counsel, Kassahn & Ortiz, P.C., San Antonio, Texas, whose legal fees are contingent upon the delivery of the Bonds.

The various legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds express the professional judgment of the attorneys rendering the opinions as to the legal issues explicitly addressed therein. In rendering a legal opinion, the attorney does not become an insurer or guarantor of the expression of professional judgment, of the transaction opined upon, or of the future performance of the parties to the transaction. Nor does the rendering of an opinion guarantee the outcome of any legal dispute that may arise out of the transaction.

AUTHENTICITY OF FINANCIAL DATA AND OTHER INFORMATION . . . The financial data and other information contained herein have been obtained from the District's records, audited financial statements and other sources which are believed to be reliable. There is no guarantee that any of the assumptions or estimates contained herein will be realized. All of the summaries of the statutes, documents and resolutions contained in this Official Statement are made subject to all of the provisions of such statutes, documents and resolutions. These summaries do not purport to be complete statements of such provisions and reference is made to such documents for further information. Reference is made to original documents in all respects.

FINANCIAL ADVISOR... Specialized Public Finance Inc. is employed as Financial Advisor to the District in connection with the issuance of the Bonds. The Financial Advisor's fee for services rendered with respect to the sale of the Bonds is contingent upon the issuance and delivery of the Bonds. Specialized Public Finance Inc., in its capacity as Financial Advisor, has not verified and does not assume any responsibility for the information, covenants and representations contained in any of the legal documents with respect to the federal income tax status of the Bonds, or the possible impact of any present, pending or future actions taken by any legislative or judicial bodies.

The Financial Advisor to the District has provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement. The Financial Advisor has reviewed the information in this Official Statement in accordance with, and as part of, its responsibilities to the District and, as applicable, to investors under the federal securities laws as applied to the facts and circumstances of this transaction, but the Financial Advisor does not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information.

INFORMATION FROM EXTERNAL SOURCES... References to web site addresses presented herein are for informational purposes only and may be in the form of a hyperlink solely for the reader's convenience. Unless specified otherwise, such web sites and the information or links contained therein are not incorporated into, and are not part of, this Official Statement for purposes of, and as that term is defined in the Rule.

UNDERWRITING... The Underwriter has agreed, subject to certain conditions, to purchase the Bonds from the District, at a price equal to the initial offering prices to the public, as shown on page 2 of this Official Statement, less an underwriting discount of \$54,109.65 and no accrued interest. The Underwriter will be obligated to purchase all of the Bonds if any Bonds are purchased. The Bonds to be offered to the public may be offered and sold to certain dealers (including the Underwriter and other dealers depositing Bonds into investment trusts) at prices lower than the public offering prices of such Bonds, and such public offering prices may be changed, from time to time, by the Underwriter.

The Underwriter has provided the following sentence for inclusion in this Official Statement. The Underwriter has reviewed the information in this Official Statement pursuant to its responsibilities to investors under the federal securities laws, but the Underwriter does not guarantee the accuracy or completeness of such information.

FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS DISCLAIMER... The statements contained in this Official Statement, and in any other information provided by the District, which are not purely historical, are forward-looking statements, including statements regarding the District's expectations, hopes, intentions, or strategies regarding the future. Readers should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements included in this Official Statement are based on information available to the District on the date hereof, and the District assumes no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements. The District's actual results could differ materially from those discussed in such forward-looking statements.

The forward-looking statements included herein are necessarily based on various assumptions and estimates and are inherently subject to various risks and uncertainties, including risks and uncertainties relating to the possible invalidity of the underlying assumptions and estimates and possible changes or developments in social, economic, business, industry, market, legal, and regulatory circumstances and conditions and actions taken or omitted to be taken by third parties, including customers, suppliers, business partners and competitors, and legislative, judicial, and other governmental authorities and officials. Assumptions related to the foregoing involve judgments with respect to, among other things, future economic, competitive, and market conditions and future business decisions, all of which are difficult or impossible to predict accurately and many of which are beyond the control of the District. Any of such assumptions could be inaccurate and, therefore, there can be no assurance that the forward-looking statements included in this Official Statement will prove to be accurate.

MISCELLANEOUS . . . The financial data and other information contained herein have been obtained from the District's records, audited financial statements and other sources which are believed to be reliable. There is no guarantee that any of the assumptions or estimates contained herein will be realized. All of the summaries of the statutes, documents and resolutions contained in this Official Statement are made subject to all of the provisions of such statutes, documents and resolutions. These summaries do not purport to be complete statements of such provisions and reference is made to such documents for further information. Reference is made to original documents in all respects.

In the Bond Order, the Board authorized (i) the District representative in the Pricing Certificate to approve, for and on behalf of the District, the form and content of this Official Statement, and any addenda, supplement or amendment thereto, and (ii) its further use in the public offering and sale of the Bonds by the Underwriter.

/s/ Mr. Anthony Hillberg Chief Financial Officer Seguin Independent School District APPENDIX A

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| 2022 Total Appraised Value | \$ 8,821,069,388 |
|---|---------------------|
| Less: | |
| Homestead Exemption Loss | \$ 380,716,718 |
| Over-65/Surviving Spouse Homestead Exemption | 44,117,378 |
| Disability/Disabled Surviving Spouse Exemption | 5,518,863 |
| Disabled Veteran/Surviving Spouse Exemption | 6,854,120 |
| Disabled Veteran/Surviving Spouse Homestead Exemption | 75,896,958 |
| Freeport Exemption Loss | 291,334,496 |
| Pollution Control Exemption | 133,616,990 |
| Member Armed Services Surviving Spouse | 221,699 |
| Low-Income Housing Exemption | 1,512,700 |
| Value Lost to Texas Economic Development | 1,132,500 |
| Solar/Wind Exemption Loss | 712,149 |
| Prorations and Other Required Exemptions | 764,019,509 |
| Productivity Loss | 1,739,129,151 |
| Homestead Cap | 488,498,814 |
| 2022 Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$ 4,887,787,340 |
| Transfer Adjustment | 4,543,596 |
| Freeze Taxable | 700,864,765 |
| 2022 Freeze Adjusted Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$ 4,182,378,979 |

TABLE 1

Note: The above figures were taken from the Guadalupe County Appraisal District which are compiled during the initial phase of the tax year and are subject to change.

GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDED DEBT

| (As of April 30, 2023) | |
|---|-----------------|
| General Obligation Debt Outstanding: | |
| Unlimited Tax Debt ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ : | |
| Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2006 | \$ 9,858 |
| Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2015 | 26,585,000 |
| Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2016 | 20,235,000 |
| Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2016A | 6,330,000 |
| Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds, Series 2019 | 28,780,000 |
| Unlimited Tax Ref Bonds, Taxable Series 2020 | 42,719,951 |
| Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2021 | 27,135,000 |
| Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2023 (Non-PSF) | 39,860,000 |
| The Bonds | 7,430,000 |
| Total Unlimited Tax Debt | \$ 199,084,809 |
| Limited Tax Debt: | |
| Maintenance Tax Notes, Taxable Series 2016 (QZAB) | \$ 6,010,000 |
| Total Limited Tax Debt | \$ 6,010,000 |
| Total General Obligation Debt ⁽¹⁾ | \$ 205,094,809 |
| Audited, General Obligation Interest and Sinking Fund Balance as of June 30, 2022 | \$ 12,761,789 |
| 2022 Freeze Adjusted Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$4,182,378,979 |
| Ratio of Total General Obligation Debt to 2022 Net Taxable Assessed Valuation ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾ | 4.90% |

⁽¹⁾ See "AD VALOREM TAX PROCEDURES" in the body of the Official Statement for a description of the Issuer's taxation procedures.

⁽²⁾ Includes original principal amount, but not accreted value, of capital appreciation bonds.

| Area of District: | 370 Square Miles |
|--|---------------------|
| Estimated Population: | 58,369 in Year 2023 |
| Per Capita Net Taxable Assessed Valuation: | \$ 71,654 |
| Per Capita General Obligation Debt: | \$ 3,514 |

GENERAL OBLIGATION DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

[Includes the Bonds but excludes the Limited Tax Debt]

| Fiscal Year | Current | | The Bonds | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|
| Ending 6/30 | Total Debt Service | Principal | Interest | Total | Debt Service | | | | |
| 2023 | \$ 12,907,682 | \$ - | \$ - | \$ - | \$ 12,907,682 | | | | |
| 2024 | 15,416,045 | 265,000 | 179,267 | 444,267 | 15,860,311 | | | | |
| 2025 | 13,818,163 | 120,000 | 322,875 | 442,875 | 14,261,038 | | | | |
| 2026 | 13,815,838 | 125,000 | 316,875 | 441,875 | 14,257,713 | | | | |
| 2027 | 13,822,838 | 130,000 | 310,625 | 440,625 | 14,263,463 | | | | |
| 2028 | 13,837,088 | 140,000 | 304,125 | 444,125 | 14,281,213 | | | | |
| 2029 | 13,551,063 | 145,000 | 297,125 | 442,125 | 13,993,188 | | | | |
| 2030 | 11,975,763 | 150,000 | 289,875 | 439,875 | 12,415,638 | | | | |
| 2031 | 11,965,876 | 160,000 | 282,375 | 442,375 | 12,408,251 | | | | |
| 2032 | 11,968,018 | 165,000 | 274,375 | 439,375 | 12,407,393 | | | | |
| 2033 | 11,961,451 | 175,000 | 266,125 | 441,125 | 12,402,576 | | | | |
| 2034 | 11,952,529 | 185,000 | 257,375 | 442,375 | 12,394,904 | | | | |
| 2035 | 11,240,261 | 195,000 | 248,125 | 443,125 | 11,683,386 | | | | |
| 2036 | 11,239,020 | 205,000 | 238,375 | 443,375 | 11,682,395 | | | | |
| 2037 | 10,292,141 | 215,000 | 228,125 | 443,125 | 10,735,266 | | | | |
| 2038 | 10,287,829 | 225,000 | 217,375 | 442,375 | 10,730,204 | | | | |
| 2039 | 10,283,058 | 235,000 | 206,125 | 441,125 | 10,724,183 | | | | |
| 2040 | 10,296,411 | 245,000 | 194,375 | 439,375 | 10,735,786 | | | | |
| 2041 | 10,299,604 | 260,000 | 182,125 | 442,125 | 10,741,729 | | | | |
| 2042 | 10,289,117 | 270,000 | 171,725 | 441,725 | 10,730,842 | | | | |
| 2043 | 10,282,932 | 280,000 | 160,925 | 440,925 | 10,723,857 | | | | |
| 2044 | 9,212,223 | 290,000 | 149,725 | 439,725 | 9,651,948 | | | | |
| 2045 | 8,390,689 | 305,000 | 138,125 | 443,125 | 8,833,814 | | | | |
| 2046 | 5,588,406 | 315,000 | 125,163 | 440,163 | 6,028,569 | | | | |
| 2047 | 5,587,875 | 330,000 | 111,775 | 441,775 | 6,029,650 | | | | |
| 2048 | 5,586,063 | 345,000 | 97,750 | 442,750 | 6,028,813 | | | | |
| 2049 | 5,587,850 | 360,000 | 83,088 | 443,088 | 6,030,938 | | | | |
| 2050 | 3,795,400 | 375,000 | 67,788 | 442,788 | 4,238,188 | | | | |
| 2051 | 3,797,400 | 390,000 | 51,850 | 441,850 | 4,239,250 | | | | |
| 2052 | 2,429,750 | 405,000 | 35,275 | 440,275 | 2,870,025 | | | | |
| 2053 | 2,429,625 | 425,000 | 18,063 | 443,063 | 2,872,688 | | | | |
| | \$ 303,908,008 | \$ 7,430,000 | \$ 5,826,892 | \$ 13,256,892 | \$ 317,164,900 | | | | |

The table above excludes any previously authorized defeasance of outstanding obligations.

TAX ADEQUACY

| 2022 Freeze Adjusted Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | | \$ 4,182,378,979 |
|--|-----------|---------------------|
| Maximum Annual Debt Service Requirements for Fiscal Year Ending: | 6/30/2024 | \$ 15,860,311 |
| Less: Existing Debt Allotment | | 0 |
| Less: Instructional Facilities Allotment | | 0 |
| Net Debt Service Requirement | | \$ 15,860,311 |
| Indicated Interest and Sinking Fund Tax Rate | | \$ 0.395610 |
| Indicated Interest and Sinking Fund Tax Levy at the following Collections: | 98% | \$ 16,214,991 |
| | | |

Note: See "Tax Data" herein.

INTEREST AND SINKING FUND MANAGEMENT INDEX

| Audited, General Obligation Interest and Sinking Fund Balance as of June 30, 2022 | \$ 12,761,789 |
|---|------------------|
| 2022 Interest and Sinking Fund Tax Levy at 98% Collections Produce | \$ 15,780,116 |
| Plus: Existing Debt Allotment | 0 |
| Plus: Instructional Facilities Allotment | 0 |
| Total Available for Debt Service | \$ 28,541,905 |
| Less: General Obligation Debt Service Requirements, Fiscal Year Ending: June 30, 2023 | 12,907,682 |
| Balance at Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2023 | \$ 15,634,223 |

DEBT OBLIGATIONS - CAPITAL LEASE AND NOTES PAYABLE

| | Series | Date of Issue | Amounts of Original Issue | Matures Through | Interest Rate | Outstanding at 6-30-21 | Amount Outstanding 6/30/2022 |
|---|--------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Maintenance Tax Notes Taxable (QZAB) | 2016Z | 10/18/2016 | \$10,000,000 | 2032 | 0.00% | \$7,340,000 | \$6,675,000 |

Note: The above information was taken from the Issuer's 2022 Annual Financial Report.

During the current fiscal year, the District implemented GASB statement No. 87 - Leases, and captured the lease receivable and deferred inflow related to the lease of certain areas of the Oak Park Mall property for private use. The leases span from 20 to 30 years, and the District will receive monthly payments of \$5,328 for the leases. The District recognized \$63,000 in lease revenue during the current fiscal year related to these leases. As of June 30, 2022, the District's receivable for lease payments was \$1,195,970. Also, the District has a deferred inflow of resources associated with these leases that will be recognized as revenue over the lease term. As of June 30, 2022, the balance of the deferred inflow of resources was \$1,195,970.

TAXABLE ASSESSED VALUATION FOR TAX YEARS 2018-2022

Tax **Change from Preceding Year** Net Taxable Percent Year **Assessed Valuation** Amount (\$) 2018 \$ 3,127,358,064 \$ 331,879,484 11.87% 2019 3,740,558,924 613,200,860 19.61% 2020 3,730,264,623 (10,294,301) -0.28% 2021 4,146,194,255 415,929,632 11.15% 2022 4,887,787,340 741,593,085 17.89%

Note: The above figures were taken from the Guadalupe County Appraisal District.

PRINCIPAL TAXPAYERS

| Name | Type of Property | 2 Net Taxable essed Valuation | % of Total 2022 Assessed Valuation |
|--|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--|
| Structural Metals Inc. | Steel Processor | \$ 166,277,042 | 3.40% |
| Caterpillar Inc. | Machinery Production | 139,820,792 | 2.86% |
| Niagara Bottling LLC | Bottled Water Production | 75,135,874 | 1.54% |
| Teijin Automotive Tech Texas LLC | Multi-material technologies | 44,856,546 | 0.92% |
| Texas Petroleum Investment Corporation | Oil and Natural Gas Company | 32,968,712 | 0.67% |
| 3th Street Properties | Water Bottling Plant Distribution | 32,891,800 | 0.67% |
| Ameritex Pipe & Products LLC | Reinforced Concrete Pipe | 21,274,283 | 0.44% |
| United Alloy Texas LLC | Metal Fabrication/Powder Coating | 20,015,319 | 0.41% |
| Cargill Inc. | Animal Nutrition Manufacturer | 19,455,601 | 0.40% |
| Union Pacific Railroad Co. | Railroad | 19,344,313 | 0.40% |
| Total (11.70% of 2022 Net Taxable Assessed Value | uation) | \$ 572,040,282 | 11.70% |

Note: The above information was taken from the Guadalupe Appraisal District.

As shown in the table above, the top ten taxpayers in the District currently account for in excess of 16% of the District's tax base. Adverse developments in economic conditions could adversely impact the businesses of these taxpayers and the tax values in the District, resulting in less local tax revenue. If any of these taxpayers were to default in the payment of their taxes, the ability of the District to make timely payment of debt service on the Bonds will be dependent on its ability to enforce and liquidate its tax liens, which is a time-consuming process, or, perhaps, to sell tax anticipation notes until such amounts could be collected, if ever.

TABLE 3

TABLE 2

CLASSIFICATION OF ASSESSED VALUATION

| CLASSIFICATION OF ASSESSED VALUATION | | | | | | | TABLE |
|---|-----------------|---------|-----------------|---------|---|-----------------|--------|
| | | % of | | % of | | | % of |
| | 2022 | Total | 2021 | Total | | 2020 | Total |
| Real, Residential, Single-Family | \$3,378,082,604 | 38.30% | \$2,551,226,196 | 38.04% | Real, Residential, Single-Family | \$2,282,842,422 | 38.17 |
| Real, Residential, Multi-Family | 136,871,528 | 1.55% | 113,295,100 | 1.69% | Real, Residential, Multi-Family | 83,121,185 | 1.39 |
| Real, Vacant Lots/Tracts & Colonia Lots/Tracts | 89,476,275 | 1.01% | 78,286,885 | | Real, Vacant Lots/Tracts & Colonia Lots/Tracts | 69,077,814 | 1.15 |
| Real, Qualified Open-Space Land | 1,759,224,594 | 19.94% | 1,327,894,725 | 19.80% | Real, Qualified Open-Space Land | 1,179,149,220 | 19.71 |
| Real, Farm and Ranch Improvements | 20,303,546 | 0.23% | 20,343,185 | 0.30% | Real, Farm and Ranch Improvements | 19,250,279 | 0.32 |
| Real, Rural Land (Non Qualified)/Residential Improvements | 626,281,551 | 7.10% | 468,716,361 | 6.99% | Real, Rural Land (Non Qualified)/Residential Improvements | 415,846,507 | 6.95 |
| Real, Commercial | 490,222,375 | 5.56% | 362,145,467 | 5.40% | Real, Commercial | 324,784,619 | 5.439 |
| Real, Industrial | 348,594,793 | 3.95% | 313,918,679 | 4.68% | Real, Industrial | 240,683,949 | 4.029 |
| Real, Minerals Oil and Gas | 46,066,716 | 0.52% | 19,878,681 | 0.30% | Real, Minerals Oil and Gas | 39,724,010 | 0.669 |
| Real & Tangible, Personal Utilities | 89,194,454 | 1.01% | 82,158,605 | 1.22% | Real & Tangible, Personal Utilities | 75,108,150 | 1.269 |
| Tangible Personal, Commercial | 183,114,137 | 2.08% | 143,177,487 | | Tangible Personal, Commercial | 151,743,046 | 2.549 |
| Tangible Personal, Industrial/Manufacturing | 759,501,796 | 8.61% | 576,169,774 | 8.59% | Tangible Personal, Industrial/Manufacturing | 581,067,455 | 9.72 |
| Tangible Personal, Mobile Homes | 55,455,486 | 0.63% | 42,272,467 | 0.63% | Tangible Personal, Mobile Homes | 41,617,691 | 0.70 |
| Residential Inventory | 37,374,670 | 0.42% | 21,146,302 | 0.32% | Residential Inventory | 7,526,761 | 0.13 |
| Special Inventory | 34,639,376 | 0.39% | 26,726,125 | 0.40% | Special Inventory | 18,846,819 | 0.32 |
| Totally Exempt Property | 766,665,487 | 8.69% | 559,650,418 | 8.34% | Totally Exempt Property | 450,681,538 | 7.54 |
| Total Appraised Value | \$8,821,069,388 | 100.00% | \$6,707,006,457 | 100.00% | Total Appraised Value | \$5,981,071,465 | 100.00 |
| Less: | | | | | Less: | | |
| Homestead Exemption Loss | \$380,716,718 | | \$237,853,917 | | Homestead Exemption Loss | \$234,762,693 | |
| Over-65/Surviving Spouse Homestead Exemption | 44,117,378 | | 44,072,187 | | Over-65/Surviving Spouse Homestead Exemption | 43,007,980 | |
| Disability/Disabled Surviving Spouse Exemption | 5,518,863 | | 5,546,031 | | Disability/Disabled Surviving Spouse Exemption | 5,501,235 | |
| Disabled Veteran/Surviving Spouse Exemption | 6,854,120 | | 6,995,005 | | Disabled Veteran/Surviving Spouse Exemption | 7,001,867 | |
| Disabled Veteran/Surviving Spouse Homestead Exemption | 75,896,958 | | 61,935,366 | | Disabled Veteran/Surviving Spouse Homestead Exemption | 50,610,139 | |
| Freeport Exemption Loss | 291,334,496 | | 145,966,602 | | Freeport Exemption Loss | 177,380,834 | |
| Pollution Control Exemption | 133,616,990 | | 98,821,453 | | Pollution Control Exemption | 86,191,829 | |
| Member Armed Services Surviving Spouse | 221,699 | | 212,908 | | Member Armed Services Surviving Spouse | 127,191 | |
| Low-Income Housing Exemption | 1,512,700 | | 1,192,700 | | Low-Income Housing Exemption | 1,432,620 | |
| Solar/Wind Exemption Loss | 712,149 | | 523,562 | | Solar/Wind Exemption Loss | 514,978 | |
| Value Lost to Texas Economic Development | 0 | | 0 | | Value Lost to Texas Economic Development | 0 | |
| Value Lost to Exempt Property | 0 | | 0 | | Value Lost to Exempt Property | 0 | |
| Prorations and Other Required Exemptions | 765,152,009 | | 558,456,652 | | Prorations and Other Required Exemptions | 449,247,684 | |
| Productivity Loss | 1,739,129,151 | | 1,307,038,773 | | Productivity Loss | 1,158,467,474 | |
| Homestead Cap | 488,498,817 | | 92,197,046 | | Homestead Cap | 36,560,318 | |
| Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$4,887,787,340 | - | \$4,146,194,255 | | M&O Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$3,730,264,623 | (1) |
| Transfer Adjustment | 4,543,596 | | 2,445,996 | | Value Lost to Texas Economic Development | 0 | |
| Freeze Taxable | 700,864,765 | | 718,503,731 | | I&S Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$3,730,264,623 | |
| Freeze Adjusted Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$4,182,378,979 | - | \$3,425,244,528 | | Transfer Adjustment | 2,143,385 | |
| · | / | | | | Freeze Taxable | 631,217,683 | |
| | | | | | Freeze Adjusted M&O Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | \$3,096,903,555 | |
| | | | | | | ****** | |

Note: The above figures were taken from the Guadalupe Appraisal District which are compiled during the initial phase of the tax year and is subject to change.

⁽¹⁾ Pursuant to the Chapter 313 Agreement between the District and Caterpillar, the District's M&O taxable value was decreased in tax years 2020 through 2022 to the lesser of (i) the market value of the property or (ii) \$80,000,000. Such limitation of M&O taxable value is no longer in effect for tax year 2020 and beyond.

Freeze Adjusted I&S Net Taxable Assessed Valuation

\$3,096,903,555

TABLE 5

TAX DATA

Taxes are due October 1 and become delinquent after January 31. No split payments or discounts are allowed. Penalties and Interest: (a) a delinquent tax incurs a penalty of six percent of the amount of the tax for the first calendar month it is delinquent plus one percent for each additional month or portion of a month the tax remains unpaid prior to July 1 of the year in which it becomes delinquent. However, a tax delinquent on July 1 incurs a total penalty of twelve percent of the amount of the delinquent tax without regard to the number of months the tax has been delinquent; (b) a delinquent tax accrues interest at a rate of one percent for each month or portion of a month the tax remains unpaid; and an additional penalty up to a maximum of 20% of taxes, penalties and interest may be imposed to defray costs of collection for taxes delinquent after July 1. The percentage of current collections set forth below exclude penalties and interest.

| Tax | | Net Taxable | | Tax | Tax % Collections | | Year |
|------|-----|------------------|----------|---------------|-------------------|--------|-----------------|
| Year | Ass | sessed Valuation | Tax Rate | Levy | Current | Total | Ended |
| 2018 | \$ | 3,127,358,064 | 1.4200 | \$ 46,067,255 | 96.84% | 99.45% | 6/30/2019 |
| 2019 | | 3,740,558,924 | 1.3750 | 46,963,517 | 96.82% | 99.15% | 6/30/2020 |
| 2020 | | 3,730,264,623 | 1.3614 | 45,685,321 | 97.12% | 97.12% | 6/30/2021 |
| 2021 | | 4,146,194,255 | 1.2846 | 52,263,221 | 97.65% | 99.87% | 6/30/2022 |
| 2022 | | 4,887,787,340 | 1.2496 | 61,077,791 | 93.96% | 95.68% | As of 4/30/2023 |

Note: The above figures were taken from the Issuer's 2022 Annual Financial Report, Guadalupe County Appraisal District and Guadalupe County Tax Assessor's Office.

| TAX RATE DISTRIBUTION | | | | | TABLE 7 |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Tax Year | 2022 | 2021 | 2020 | 2019 | 2018 |
| General Fund | \$0.8646 | \$0.8996 | \$0.9764 | \$0.9900 | \$1.0600 |
| I & S Fund | 0.3850 | 0.3850 | 0.3850 | 0.3850 | 0.3600 |
| Total Tax Rate | \$1.2496 | \$1.2846 | \$1.3614 | \$1.3750 | \$1.4200 |

Note: The above information was taken from the Issuer's Annual Financial Report and the Guadalupe County Tax Assessor's Office.

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GENERAL FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES AND ANALYSIS OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

| Fiscal Year Ended | | 6/30/2022 | | 6/30/2021 | | 6/30/2020 | | 6/30/2019 | | 6/30/2018 |
|--|----|------------|----|------------|----|------------|----|----------------|----|----------------|
| Revenues: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Local and Intermediate Sources | \$ | 37,426,707 | \$ | 36,307,801 | \$ | 36,504,492 | \$ | 37,006,836 | \$ | 34,611,970 |
| State Program Revenues | | 26,697,899 | | 27,374,675 | | 27,939,231 | | 23,009,400 | | 24,716,261 |
| Federal Program Revenues | | 2,294,633 | | 2,287,980 | | 1,001,357 | | 2,518,145 | | 1,881,886 |
| Total Revenues | \$ | 66,419,239 | \$ | 65,970,456 | \$ | 65,445,080 | \$ | 62,534,381 | \$ | 61,210,117 |
| Expenditures: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Instruction | \$ | 35,016,590 | \$ | 37,220,919 | \$ | 35,390,133 | \$ | 32,637,103 | \$ | 34,998,283 |
| Instruction Resources and Media Services | | 931,209 | | 1,070,355 | | 1,036,426 | | 878,809 | | 854,432 |
| Curriculum and Staff Development | | 403,302 | | 663,932 | | 679,429 | | 797,107 | | 1,028,094 |
| Instructional Leadership | | 2,112,130 | | 1,718,400 | | 1,915,949 | | 1,475,805 | | 1,585,126 |
| School Leadership | | 3,688,494 | | 4,766,098 | | 4,893,212 | | 4,252,945 | | 4,109,498 |
| Guidance, Counseling and Evaluation Services | | 1,926,584 | | 2,631,456 | | 2,454,317 | | 2,133,113 | | 1,941,161 |
| Social Work Services | | 547,838 | | 589,378 | | 551,092 | | 500,826 | | 486,732 |
| Health Services | | 751,780 | | 723,498 | | 627,308 | | 550,862 | | 523,110 |
| Student Transportation | | 3,145,094 | | 2,757,952 | | 2,937,754 | | 2,829,565 | | 2,778,722 |
| Food Services | | - | | - | | - | | - | | - |
| Extracurricular Activities | | 2,010,176 | | 1,763,224 | | 1,833,603 | | 1,907,957 | | 2,052,541 |
| General Administration | | 2,497,416 | | 2,071,836 | | 2,112,056 | | 2,236,097 | | 1,969,606 |
| Facilities Maintenance and Operations | | 5,470,177 | | 6,683,899 | | 7,167,479 | | 7,097,369 | | 6,236,953 |
| Security and Monitoring Services | | 411,962 | | 710,525 | | 500,854 | | 456,872 | | 390,935 |
| Data Processing Services | | 2,043,129 | | 1,582,186 | | 1,655,876 | | 1,569,572 | | 1,439,749 |
| Community Services | | 24,634 | | 41,734 | | 14,523 | | 21,093 | | 61,687 |
| Principal on long-term debt | | 665,000 | | 665,000 | | 665,000 | | 665,000 | | 665,000 |
| Other Debt Service Expenditures | | - | | - | | - | | - | | - |
| Facilities Acquisition and Construction | | 158,840 | | 29,000 | | 167,500 | | 827,187 | | 2,459,933 |
| Other Intergovernmental Charges | | 634,239 | | 610,684 | | 611,853 | | 571,553 | | 535,178 |
| Total Expenditures | \$ | 62,438,594 | \$ | 66,300,076 | \$ | 65,214,364 | \$ | 61,408,835 | \$ | 64,116,740 |
| Excess (Deficiency) Revenues Over (Under) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Expenditures | \$ | 3,980,645 | \$ | (329,620) | \$ | 230,716 | \$ | 1,125,546 | \$ | (2,906,623) |
| Other Financing Sources (Uses): | | | | | | | | | | , |
| Sale of Real or Personal Property | \$ | | \$ | | \$ | | \$ | | \$ | |
| Issuance of Bonds | φ | - | φ | - | φ | - | φ | - | φ | - |
| Proceeds from Sale of Property | | 900,239 | | 281,968 | | 126,000 | | - | | - |
| Transfer in | | 900,239 | | 201,900 | | 120,000 | | - 1,187,275 | | - 4,443,686 |
| Transfers out | | - | | - | | - | | 1,107,275 | | (2,850) |
| Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses): | \$ | 900,239 | \$ | 281,968 | \$ | 126,000 | \$ | 1,187,275 | \$ | 4,440,836 |
| Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses). | φ | 200,239 | φ | 201,700 | φ | 120,000 | φ | 1,107,273 | Φ | т,то,030 |
| Net Change in Fund Balance | \$ | 4,880,884 | \$ | (47,652) | \$ | 356,716 | \$ | 2,312,821 | \$ | 1,534,213 |
| Fund Balance - Beginning | | 31,689,946 | | 31,737,598 | | 31,380,882 | | 29,068,061 | | 27,533,848 |
| Fund Balance - Ending ⁽¹⁾ | \$ | 36,570,830 | \$ | 31,689,946 | \$ | 31,737,598 | \$ | 31,380,882 | \$ | 29,068,061 |

Note: The above information was taken from the Issuer's Annual Financial Reports dated June 30, 2018-2022.

OVERLAPPING DEBT DATA AND INFORMATION

(As of May 31, 2023)

The following table indicates the indebtedness, defined as outstanding bonds payable from ad valorem taxes, of governmental entities overlapping the District and the estimated percentages and amounts of such indebtedness attributable to property within the District. Expenditures of the various taxing bodies overlapping the territory of the Issuer are paid out of ad valorem taxes levied by these taxing bodies on properties overlapping the Issuer. These political taxing bodies are independent of the Issuer and may incur borrowings to finance their expenditures.

The following statements of direct and estimated overlapping ad valorem bonds were developed from information contained in the "Texas Municipal Reports" published by the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas. Except for the amounts relating to the Issuer, the Issuer has not independently verified the accuracy or completeness of such information, and no person should rely upon such information as being accurate or complete.

Furthermore, certain of the entities below may have authorized or issued additional bonds since the date stated below, and such entities may have programs requiring the authorization and/or issuance of substantial amounts of additional bonds, the amount of which cannot be determined.

| Taxing Body | Gross Debt | % Overlapping | Amount Overlapping | | | |
|---|---------------|------------------|-----------------------|--|--|--|
| Guadalupe County | \$10,610,000 | 27.48% | \$ 2,915,628 | | | |
| Lake McQueeney WC&ID | 40,000,000 | 80.23% | 32,092,000 | | | |
| Lake Placid WC&ID | 32,495,000 | 100.00% | 32,495,000 | | | |
| Seguin, City of | 214,570,000 | 79.28% | 170,111,090 | | | |
| Total Gross Overlapping Debt | | | \$ 237,613,724 | | | |
| Seguin ISD | \$199,084,809 | 100.00% | \$ 199,084,809 | | | |
| Total Direct and Overlapping Debt | | | \$ 436,698,533 | | | |
| Ratio of Direct and Overlapping Debt to the 2022 Freeze Adjusted Net Taxable Assessed Valuation | | | | | | |
| Per Capita Direct and Overlapping Debt | | | \$ 7,482 | | | |
| | | | | | | |

Source: Texas Municipal Reports published by the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas.

*Includes the Bonds. Excludes the District's maintenance tax debt.

AUTHORIZED BUT UNISSUED GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS OF DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL SUBDIVISIONS

| | Date of | | Amount | | Amount Being | |
|------------|---------------|-----------------------|---------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------|
| Issuer | Authorization | Purpose | Authorized | Issued To-Date | Issued | Unissued |
| Seguin ISD | 11/8/2022 | School Building | \$131,000,000 | \$40,000,000 | \$ 7,430,000 | \$83,570,000 |
| Seguin ISD | 5/6/2023 | Athletic Improvements | 7,500,000 | - | 7,500,000 | - |

Source: Texas Municipal Reports published by the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas. Includes the Bonds and the [net] premium allocated against voted authorization. THIS PAGE LEFT INTENTIONALLY BLANK

APPENDIX B

GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE DISTRICT

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GENERAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE DISTRICT, THE CITY OF SEGUIN AND GUADALUPE COUNTY, TEXAS

The District:

The Seguin Independent School District (the "District") is an agricultural and manufacturing area located in southeast Guadalupe County, Texas. The District remains semi-rural in nature with growing emphasis on residential, commercial, and industrial development. Approximately 85% of the District's total land area is acreage qualified for agricultural productivity. The District includes the City of Seguin, the county seat and principal commercial center of Guadalupe County and is located approximately 35 miles east of San Antonio on Interstate Highway 10. The District's 2023 estimated population is 58,369.

The Schools:

Historical Enrollment for the District

| School Year | Enrollment |
|-------------|------------|
| 2016-17 | 7,359 |
| 2017-18 | 7,447 |
| 2018-19 | 7,341 |
| 2019-20 | 7,226 |
| 2020-21 | 6,947 |
| 2021-22 | 7,064 |
| 2022-23 | 7,209 |
| | |

Enrollment and School Facilities

| School | Grades | Number of Schools |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Pre-Kindergarten | Pre – K | 1 |
| Elementary | K - 5 | 7 |
| Middle School | $6^{th}-8^{th}$ | 2 |
| High School | $9^{th}-12^{th}$ | 1 |
| Non-Traditional HS Learning Center | $9^{th}-12^{th}$ | 1 |
| Alternative School | All Grades | 1 |

Educational status of the teachers is as follows:

| Doctorate's degree | 0 |
|---|-----|
| Master's degree | 126 |
| Bachelor's degree | 356 |
| Average years of classroom experience per teacher | 10 |

Personnel distribution is as follows:

| District Level Administrators | 12 |
|--|------------|
| Building Level Administrators | 36 |
| Instructional Staff | 486 |
| Professional Support Staff (Counselors, Librarians, Nurses, Social Workers, Etc.) | 150 |
| General Personnel (Secretaries, Aides, Clerks, Bus Drivers, Food Service, Maintenance, Etc.) | <u>416</u> |
| TOTAL | 1,100 |

Teacher salaries are competitive with surrounding districts. Teacher salaries range from \$51,000 for beginning teachers to a maximum of \$66,236.

THE CITY OF SEGUIN AND GUADALUPE COUNTY, TEXAS

Seguin, Texas. The City of Seguin, Texas (the "City") is located on Interstate Highway 10, about 35 miles east of San Antonio, 160 miles west of Houston, and 50 miles south of Austin, the State capital. The City has been economically stable for many years because of the industries located there, including manufacturing and agribusiness. Seguin is the home of Texas Lutheran University and Guadalupe Regional Medical Center. The 2022 estimated population was 30,285.

Guadalupe County, Texas. Guadalupe County, Texas (the "County") was created and organized in 1846 from Bexar and Gonzales Counties and named after the Guadalupe River, which runs through the middle. The County is located in south central Texas and traversed by Interstate Highways 10 and 35. The County Seat is the City of Seguin.

Economic Base: Mineral: Oil, gravel, gas and clay. Industry: Varied manufacturing and agribusiness. Agricultural: Wheat, pecans, nursery crops, milo, hay, cotton, corn, and cattle.

| Employment Data: | 2022 | | 2021 | | | 2020 | | | |
|---------------------|----------------|------------|------------|---------------|-------|-----------------------|--------------------|----------|-----------------------|
| | | Employed | Earnings | Employed | Earni | ings | Employed | Earnings | |
| | 1st Quarter: | 43,036 | \$558.8M | 41,515 | \$481 | .6M | 41,575 | \$479.4M | |
| | 2nd Quarter: | 44,183 | \$595.5M | 42,502 | \$526 | .7M | 39,092 | \$462.4M | |
| | 3rd Quarter: | 45,345 | \$626.7M | 43,326 | \$543 | .7M | 41,373 | \$477.9M | |
| | 4th Quarter: | 46,213 | \$668.5M | 45,237 | \$619 | .1M | 41,619 | \$539.5M | |
| Major Colleges/Univ | ersities: Texa | s Lutheran | University | Fall Enrollmo | ent: | <u>2021</u> 39,299 | <u>202</u> 39,3 | | <u>2019</u> 39,661 |

Source: Texas Municipal Reports published by the Municipal Advisory Council of Texas and Demographics USA County Edition. Any data on population, value added by manufacturing or production of minerals or agricultural products is from the US Census or other official sources.

Labor Force Statistics:

| Labor Force Statistics | County | | Тех | tas | United States | | |
|------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| | April 2023 | April 2022 | April 2023 | April 2022 | April 2023 | April 2022 | |
| Civilian Labor Force | 88,079 | 85,149 | 15,019,711 | 14,592,934 | 166,221,000 | 163,449,000 | |
| Employment | 85,316 | 82,574 | 14,468,512 | 14,076,764 | 161,075,000 | 157,991,000 | |
| Unemployment | 2,763 | 2,575 | 551,199 | 516,170 | 5,146,000 | 5,458,000 | |
| Unemployment Rate % | 3.1 | 3.0 | 3.7 | 3.5 | 3.1 | 3.3 | |

Source: Texas Labor Market Review.

APPENDIX C

FORM OF BOND COUNSEL'S OPINION

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August 3, 2023

SEGUIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT UNLIMITED TAX SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS, SERIES 2023A DATED AS OF JULY 1, 2023 IN THE AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT OF \$7,430,000

AS BOND COUNSEL FOR THE SEGUIN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT (the *District*) in connection with the issuance of the bonds described above (the *Bonds*), we have examined into the legality and validity of the Bonds, which bear interest from the dates specified in the text of the Bonds until maturity or prior redemption at the rates and are payable on the dates as stated in the text of the Bonds, all in accordance with the terms and conditions stated in the text of the Bonds.

WE HAVE EXAMINED the applicable and pertinent provisions of the Constitution and general laws of the State of Texas and a transcript of certified proceedings of the District, and other pertinent instruments authorizing and relating to the issuance of the Bonds including (i) the order authorizing the issuance of the Bonds (the *Order*), (ii) one of the executed Bonds (*Bond No. T-1*), and (iii) the District's Federal Tax Certificate of even date herewith.

BASED ON SAID EXAMINATION, IT IS OUR OPINION that the Bonds have been authorized, issued and delivered in accordance with law; that the Bonds constitute valid and legally binding general obligations of the District in accordance with their terms except as the enforceability thereof may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, liquidation and other similar laws now or hereafter enacted relating to creditors' rights generally; that the District has the legal authority to issue the Bonds and to repay the Bonds; and that ad valorem taxes sufficient to provide for the payment of the interest on and principal of the Bonds, as such interest comes due, and as such principal matures, have been levied and ordered to be levied against all taxable property in the District, and have been pledged for such payment, without limit as to rate or amount.

IT IS FURTHER OUR OPINION, except as discussed below, that the interest on the Bonds is excludable from the gross income of the owners for federal income tax purposes under the statutes, regulations, published rulings and court decisions existing on the date of this opinion. We are further of the opinion that the Bonds are not "specified private activity bonds" and that, accordingly, interest on the Bonds will not be included as an individual alternative minimum tax preference item under section 57(a)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the *Code*). In expressing the aforementioned opinions, we have relied on and assume continuing compliance with, certain representations contained in the Federal Tax Certificate of the District and covenants set forth in the order adopted by the District to authorize the issuance of the Bonds, relating to, among other matters, the use of the project and the investment and expenditure of the proceeds and certain other amounts used to pay or to secure the payment of debt service

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on the Bonds. We call your attention to the fact that if such representations are determined to be inaccurate or if the District fails to comply with such covenants, interest on the Bonds may become includable in gross income retroactively to the date of issuance of the Bonds.

EXCEPT AS STATED ABOVE, we express no opinion as to any other federal, state or local tax consequences of acquiring, carrying, owning or disposing of the Bonds, including the amount, accrual or receipt of interest on, the Bonds. Owners of the Bonds should consult their tax advisors regarding the applicability of any collateral tax consequences of owning the Bonds.

WE CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO THE FACT that the interest on tax-exempt obligations, such as the Bonds, may be includable in a corporation's adjusted financial statement income for purposes of determining the alternative minimum tax imposed on certain corporations by section 55 of the Code.

OUR OPINIONS ARE BASED ON EXISTING LAW, which is subject to change. Such opinions are further based on our knowledge of facts as of the date hereof. We assume no duty to update or supplement our opinions to reflect any facts or circumstances that may thereafter come to our attention or to reflect any changes in any law that may thereafter occur or become effective. Moreover, our opinions are not a guarantee of result and are not binding on the Internal Revenue Service (the *Service*); rather, such opinions represent our legal judgment based upon our review of existing law and in reliance upon the representations and covenants referenced above that we deem relevant to such opinions. The Service has an ongoing audit program to determine compliance with rules that relate to whether interest on state or local obligations is includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes. No assurance can be given whether or not the Service will commence an audit of the Bonds. If an audit is commenced, in accordance with its current published procedures the Service is likely to treat the District as the taxpayer. We observe that the District has covenanted not to take any action, or omit to take any action within its control, that if taken or omitted, respectively, may result in the treatment of interest on the Bonds as includable in gross income for federal income tax purposes.

WE EXPRESS NO OPINION as to any insurance policies issued with respect to the payments due for the principal of and interest on the Bonds, nor as to any such insurance policies issued in the future.

OUR SOLE ENGAGEMENT in connection with the issuance of the Bonds is as Bond Counsel for the District, and, in that capacity, we have been engaged by the District for the sole purpose of rendering an opinion with respect to the legality and validity of the Bonds under the Constitution and general laws of the State of Texas, and with respect to the exclusion from gross income of the interest on the Bonds for federal income tax purposes, and for no other reason or purpose. The foregoing opinions represent our legal judgment based upon a review of existing legal authorities that we deem relevant to render such opinions and are not a guarantee of a result. We have not been requested to investigate or verify, and have not independently investigated or verified any records, data, or other material relating to the financial condition or capabilities of the District, or the disclosure thereof in connection with the sale of the Bonds, and have not assumed any responsibility with respect thereto. We express no opinion and make no comment with respect to the marketability of the Bonds and have relied solely on certificates executed by officials of the District as to the current outstanding indebtedness of, and assessed valuation

of taxable property within, the District. Our role in connection with the District's Official Statement prepared for use in connection with the sale of the Bonds has been limited as described therein.

Respectfully,

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APPENDIX D

THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM

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The following is incorporated into the offering document to which it is attached.

THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM

This disclosure statement provides information relating to the program (the "Guarantee Program") administered by the Texas Education Agency (the "TEA") with respect to the Texas Permanent School Fund guarantee of tax-supported bonds issued by Texas school districts and the guarantee of revenue bonds issued by or for the benefit of Texas charter districts. The Guarantee Program was authorized by an amendment to the Texas Constitution in 1983 and is governed by Subchapter C of Chapter 45 of the Texas Education Code, as amended (the "Act"). While the Guarantee Program applies to bonds issued by or for both school districts and charter districts, as described below, the Act and the program rules for the two types of districts have some distinctions. For convenience of description and reference, those aspects of the Guarantee Program that are applicable to school district bonds and to charter district bonds are referred to herein as the "School District Bond Guarantee Program" and the "Charter District Bond Guarantee Program," respectively.

Some of the information contained in this Section may include projections or other forward-looking statements regarding future events or the future financial performance of the Texas Permanent School Fund (the "PSF" or the "Fund"). Actual results may differ materially from those contained in any such projections or forward-looking statements.

During the 87th Regular Session of the Texas Legislature (the "87th Regular Session"), which concluded on May 31, 2021, Senate Bill 1232 ("SB 1232" or "the bill") was enacted, and the bill became effective on September 1, 2021. SB 1232 provides for a variety of changes to the operations and management of the Fund, including the creation of the Permanent School Fund Corporation (the "PSF Corporation"), and the delegation of responsibility to manage the portion of the Fund previously under the management supervision of the State Board of Education (the "SBOE") to the PSF Corporation. SB 1232 also requires changes with respect to the management of certain investments previously made at the discretion of the Texas School Land Board (the "SLB"), including limiting the types of investments that may be made by the SLB and mandating the transfer of cash and certain other investment properties from the SLB to the PSF Corporation once the PSF Corporation is created. Certain of the authorizations of SB 1232, including the creation of the PSF Corporation, have occurred, and other authorized changes are expected to be implemented in phases through the end of calendar year 2023. See "Management Transition to the PSF Corporation" for a summary of SB 1232 and its expected impact on the management and operations of the Fund.

The regular session of the 88th Texas Legislature (the "Legislature") is scheduled from January 10, 2023, to May 29, 2023. Thereafter, the Texas Governor may call one or more additional special sessions. During this time, the Legislature may enact laws that materially change current law as it relates to the Guarantee Program, the TEA, the SBOE, the Act, the PSF Corporation, and Texas school finance generally. No representation is made regarding any actions the Legislature may take, but the TEA, SBOE, and PSF Corporation intend to monitor proposed legislation for any developments applicable thereto.

History and Purpose

The PSF supports the State's public school system in two major ways: distributions to the constitutionally established Available School Fund (the "ASF"), as described below, and the guarantee of school district and charter district issued bonds through the Guarantee Program. The PSF was created in 1845 and received its first significant funding with a \$2,000,000 appropriation by the Legislature in 1854 expressly for the benefit of the public schools of Texas, with the sole purpose of assisting in the funding of public education for present and future generations. The Constitution of 1876 described that the PSF would be "permanent," and stipulated that certain lands and all proceeds from the sale of these lands should also constitute the PSF. Additional acts later gave more public domain land and rights to the PSF. In 1953, the U.S. Congress passed the Submerged Lands Act that relinquished to coastal states all rights of the U.S. navigable waters within state boundaries. If the State, by law, had set a larger boundary prior to or at the time of admission to the Union, or if the boundary had been approved by Congress, then the larger boundary applied. After three years of litigation (1957-1960), the U.S. Supreme Court on May 31, 1960, affirmed Texas' historic three marine leagues (10.35 miles) seaward boundary. Texas proved its submerged lands property rights to three leagues into the Gulf of Mexico by citing historic laws and treaties dating back to 1836. All lands lying within that limit belong to the PSF. The proceeds from the sale and the mineral-related rental of these lands, including bonuses, delay rentals and royalty payments, become the corpus of the Fund. Prior to the approval by the voters of the State of an amendment to the constitutional provision under which the Fund is established and administered, which occurred on September 13, 2003 (the "Total Return Constitutional Amendment"), and which is further described below, only the income produced by the PSF could be used to complement taxes in financing public education, which primarily consisted of income from securities, capital gains from securities transactions and royalties from the sale of oil and natural gas. The Total Return Constitutional Amendment provides that interest and dividends produced by Fund investments will be additional revenue to the PSF.

On November 8, 1983, the voters of the State approved a constitutional amendment that provides for the guarantee by the PSF of bonds issued by school districts. On approval by the State Commissioner of Education (the "Education Commissioner"), bonds properly issued by a school district are fully guaranteed by the PSF. See "The School District Bond Guarantee Program."

In 2011, legislation was enacted that established the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program as a new component of the Guarantee Program. That legislation authorized the use of the PSF to guarantee revenue bonds issued by or for the benefit of certain open-enrollment charter schools that are designated as "charter districts" by the Education Commissioner. On approval by the Education Commissioner, bonds properly issued by a charter district participating in the Guarantee Program are fully guaranteed by the PSF. The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program became effective on March 3, 2014. See "The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program."

State law also permits charter schools to be chartered and operated by school districts and other political subdivisions, but bond financing of facilities for school district-operated charter schools is subject to the School District Bond Guarantee Program, not the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program.

While the School District Bond Guarantee Program and the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program relate to different types of bonds issued for different types of Texas public schools, and have different program regulations and requirements, a bond guaranteed under either part of the Guarantee Program has the same effect with respect to the guarantee obligation of the Fund thereto, and all guaranteed bonds are aggregated for purposes of determining the capacity of the Guarantee Program (see "Capacity Limits for the Guarantee Program"). The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program as enacted by State law has not been reviewed by any court, nor has the Texas Attorney General (the "Attorney General") been requested to issue an opinion, with respect to its constitutional validity.

Audited financial information for the PSF is provided annually through the PSF Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (the "Annual Report"), which is filed with the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board ("MSRB"). The SLB's land and real assets investment operations, which are part of the PSF as described below, are also included in the annual financial report of the Texas General Land Office (the "GLO") that is included in the comprehensive annual report of the State of Texas. The Annual Report includes the Message of the Executive Administrator of the Fund (the "Message") and the Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A"). The Annual Report for the year ended August 31, 2022, as filed with the MSRB in accordance with the PSF undertaking and agreement made in accordance with Rule 15c2-12 ("Rule 15c2-12") of the federal Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), as described below, is hereby incorporated by reference into this disclosure. Information included herein for the year ended August 31, 2022, is derived from the audited financial statements of the PSF, which are included in the Annual Report as it is filed and posted. Reference is made to the Annual Report for the complete Message and MD&A for the year ended August 31, 2022, and for a description of the financial results of the PSF for the year ended August 31, 2022, the most recent year for which audited financial information regarding the Fund is available. The 2022 Annual Report speaks only as of its date and the TEA has not obligated itself to update the 2022 Annual Report or any other Annual Report. The TEA posts (i) each Annual Report, which includes statistical data regarding the Fund as of the close of each fiscal year, (ii) the most recent disclosure for the Guarantee Program, (iii) the PSF Corporation's Investment Policy Statement (the "IPS"), and (iv) monthly updates with respect to the capacity of the Guarantee Program (collectively, the "Web Site Materials") on TEA web the site at http://tea.texas.gov/Finance and Grants/Permanent School Fund/ and with the MSRB at www.emma.msrb.org. Such monthly updates regarding the Guarantee Program are also incorporated herein and made a part hereof for all purposes. In addition to the Web Site Materials, the Fund is required to make quarterly filings with the SEC under Section 13(f) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Such filings, which consist of a list of the Fund's holdings of securities specified in Section 13(f), including exchange-traded (e.g., NYSE) or NASDAQ-quoted stocks, equity options and warrants, shares of closedend investment companies and certain convertible debt securities, is available from the SEC at www.sec.gov/edgar. A list of the Fund's equity and fixed income holdings as of August 31 of each year is posted to the TEA web site and filed with the MSRB. Such list excludes holdings in the Fund's securities lending program. Such list, as filed, is incorporated herein and made a part hereof for all purposes. See "Management Transition to the PSF Corporation" for a discussion of the PSF Corporation audit. At its November 2022 quarterly board meeting, the SBOE considered new regulations for the administration of the Bond Guarantee Program. Two readings and a publication period are required for modifications to the Texas Administrative Code, and such process (the "Regulatory Recodification") was completed in February 2023, with the new regulations becoming effective March 1, 2023. The Regulatory Recodification was taken as an acknowledgment of the new role and powers that are delegated to the PSF Corporation. Among other regulations affecting the Fund that were

restructured include the Statement of Investment Objectives, Policies and Guidelines of the Texas Permanent School Fund, which is codified at 19 Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 33 (recodified in part and replaced in part by the IPS).

Management and Administration of the Fund

The following discussion describes some legal and management aspects of the structure of the Fund prior to full implementation of SB 1232. SB 1232 is being implemented in phases. See "Management Transition to the PSF Corporation" for summaries of certain laws applicable to the Fund pursuant to the Texas Constitution and SB 1232 as well as certain prior actions and the ongoing changes in the management structure of the Fund.

The Texas Constitution and applicable statutes delegate to the SBOE the authority and responsibility for investment of the PSF's financial assets, but SB 1232 authorized the SBOE to delegate management of the Fund to the Corporation, which, as noted above, has been done. The SBOE consists of 15 members who are elected by territorial districts in the State to fouryear terms of office.

The Texas Constitution provides that the Fund shall be managed though the exercise of the judgment and care under the circumstances then prevailing which persons of ordinary prudence, discretion and intelligence exercise in the management of their own affairs, not in regard to speculation, but in regard to the permanent disposition of their funds, considering the probable income therefrom as well as the probable safety of their capital (the "Prudent Person Standard").

In accordance with the Texas Constitution, the SBOE views the PSF as a perpetual endowment, and the Fund is managed as an endowment fund with a long-term investment horizon. Under the total-return investment objective, the IPS provides that the PSF shall be managed consistently with respect to the following: support for public free schools in Texas, real growth in Fund asset values, protection of Fund capital, and the provision of sustained income distributions to current and future generations of Texas school children. As described below, the Total Return Constitutional Amendment restricts the annual pay-out from the Fund to both (i) 6% of the average of the market value of the Fund, excluding real property, on the last day of each of the sixteen State fiscal quarters preceding the Regular Session of the Legislature that begins before that State fiscal biennium, and (ii) the total-return on all investment assets of the Fund over a rolling ten-year period.

By law, the Education Commissioner is appointed by the Governor, with Senate confirmation, and assists the SBOE, but the Education Commissioner can neither be hired nor dismissed by the SBOE. The PSF Corporation has also engaged outside counsel to advise it as to its duties with respect to the Fund, including specific actions regarding the investment of the PSF to ensure compliance with fiduciary standards, and to provide transactional advice in connection with the investment of Fund assets in non-traditional investments. TEA's General Counsel provides legal advice to the SBOE but will not provide legal advice directly to the PSF Corporation.

The Total Return Constitutional Amendment shifted administrative costs of the Fund from the ASF to the PSF, providing that expenses of managing the PSF are to be paid "by appropriation" from the PSF. In January 2005, the Attorney General issued a legal opinion, Op. Tex. Att'y Gen. No. GA-0293 (2005), stating that the Total Return Constitutional Amendment does not require the SBOE to pay from such appropriated PSF funds the indirect management costs deducted from the assets of a mutual fund or other investment company in which PSF funds have been invested.

The Act requires that the Education Commissioner prepare, and the SBOE approve, an annual status report on the Guarantee Program (which is included in the Annual Report). The State Auditor audits the financial statements of the PSF, which are separate from other financial statements of the State.

Prior to the enactment of SB 1232, Texas law assigned to the SLB control of the Fund's land and mineral rights and authority to invest in certain real assets. Administrative duties related to these assets have in the past resided with the GLO, which is under the guidance of the elected commissioner of the GLO (the "Land Commissioner").

In 2019, the Texas Legislature enacted legislation that created a "permanent school fund liquid account" (the "Liquid Account") in the PSF for the purpose of the SBOE receiving, administering, and investing funds transferred from the SLB on a quarterly basis that are not then invested by the SLB or needed within the forthcoming quarter. On January 1, 2023, management of the Liquid Account transferred from the SBOE to the PSF Corporation. The bill grants the PSF Corporation authority and discretion to abolish the Liquid Account when its purpose has been resolved and transfer any remaining balance to the Fund.

Management Transition to the PSF Corporation

In accordance with SB 1232, at its November 2021 board meeting, the SBOE approved the articles of formation of the PSF Corporation. The articles were filed on December 1, 2021, thus effecting the creation of the PSF Corporation. SB 1232 authorizes the SBOE to delegate investment authority over the PSF and the Charter District Reserve Fund to the PSF Corporation. The bill also provides that the PSF Corporation, the SBOE and TEA must coordinate to determine the PSF Corporation's role in the operation and management of the Guarantee Program to ensure the proper and efficient operation of the program.

The description of SB 1232 that follows summarizes some key provisions of the bill. The full text of the bill can be found at https://capitol.texas.gov/BillLookup/Text.aspx?LegSess=87R&Bill=SB1232. SB 1232 provides for various transition dates relating to implementation of the bill, with the latest dates generally occurring in calendar year 2023. As noted above, on January 1, 2023, the investment management responsibilities for the Fund transferred to the PSF Corporation and the merger of Fund assets previously managed by the SLB with those previously managed by the SBOE.

As allowed by SB 1232, the PSF Corporation has been created as a special-purpose governmental corporation and instrumentality of the State which is entitled to sovereign immunity. The PSF Corporation is governed by a nine-member board of directors (the "PSFC Board"), which consists of five members of the SBOE, the Land Commissioner, and three appointed members who have substantial background and expertise in investments and asset management; with one of the appointees being appointed by the Land Commissioner and the other two appointed by the Governor (one of which is currently vacant) with confirmation by the Senate.

At the inaugural meeting of the PSFC Board in January 2022, the PSFC Board appointed the Executive Administrator of the Fund as the interim chief executive officer of the PSF Corporation and in April 2022 the Executive Administrator of the Fund was confirmed as the chief executive officer of the PSF Corporation. The PSFC Board adopted bylaws governing how it will manage its affairs and conduct business. The chief executive officer reports to the PSFC Board. Any amendments to the PSF Corporation's articles of formation and bylaws will be adopted by the PSFC Board but are subject to approval by the SBOE. At its March 2023 meeting, the PSFC Board approved its securities lending policy.

Notwithstanding the management transition for the Fund from the SBOE to the PSF Corporation, the provisions of the Texas Constitution that formerly applied to the SBOE's management will continue to provide a framework for the management of the Fund. In particular, the Prudent Person Standard is applicable to the PSF Corporation, and the Total Return Constitutional Amendment will govern distributions from the PSF to the ASF by the SBOE. A separate constitutional provision allowing distributions from the PSF to the ASF that is currently used by the SLB was also granted to the PSF Corporation. When determining any amount to distribute, the PSF Corporation may consider distributions made by the SBOE. In addition, the Fund will continue to be managed as a perpetual endowment for the benefit of citizens of the State.

The SLB's investments in real estate investment funds and real asset investment funds will transfer to the PSF Corporation. Beginning December 31, 2022, the SLB is no longer authorized to make investments into funds; however, the SLB will still be able to invest in land, mineral and royalty interests, and individual real estate holdings; the SLB will also be required to send PSF mineral revenue to the PSF Corporation for investment, subject to designation via the appropriations process to cover GLO expenses of managing the minerals.

Not less than once each year, the PSFC Board must submit an audit report to the Legislative Budget Board ("LBB") regarding the operations of the PSF Corporation. The PSF Corporation may contract with a certified public accountant or the State Auditor to conduct an independent audit of the operations of the PSF Corporation, but such authorization does not affect the State Auditor's authority to conduct an audit of the PSF Corporation in accordance with other State laws. The first audit of the PSF Corporation will be conducted following the close of the 2022-2023 fiscal year on August 31, 2023.

As required by State law, during the 87th Regular Session the LBB issued a fiscal note on SB 1232. The fiscal note stated that uncertainty exists regarding the nature of future returns and the effect of the bill on distributions from all components of the PSF to the ASF, such that the financial impact of the bill could not be determined during the legislative session. However, the fiscal note stated that TEA and the GLO projected that the changes effected by the bill will have a positive fiscal impact in terms of growth of the Fund and future Fund distributions. No assurances can be given as to future investment results for the Fund.

With respect to the 2024-2025 State biennium, and for subsequent biennia, the PSF Corporation is required to submit a legislative appropriations request ("LAR") to the LBB and the Office of the Governor that details a request for appropriation of funds to enable the PSF Corporation to carry out its responsibilities for the investment management of the Fund. The requested funding, budget structure, and riders are sufficient to fully support all operations of the PSF Corporation in state fiscal years 2024 and 2025. As described therein, the LAR is designed to provide the PSF Corporation with the ability to operate as a stand-alone state entity in the State budget while retaining the flexibility to fulfill its fiduciary duty and provide oversight and transparency to the Legislature and Governor.

The Total Return Constitutional Amendment

The Total Return Constitutional Amendment approved a fundamental change in the way that distributions are made to the ASF from the PSF. Prior to the adoption of the Total Return Constitutional Amendment, all interest and dividend income produced by Fund investments flowed into the ASF, where they were distributed to local school districts and openenrollment charter schools based on average daily attendance, any net gains from investments of the Fund were reflected in the value of the PSF, and costs of administering the PSF were allocated to the ASF. The Total Return Constitutional Amendment requires that PSF distributions to the ASF be determined using a "total-return-based" formula instead of the "current-income-based" formula, which was used from 1964 to the end of the 2003 fiscal year. The Total Return Constitutional Amendment provides that the total amount distributed from the Fund to the ASF: (1) in each year of a State fiscal biennium must be an amount that is not more than 6% of the average of the market value of the Fund, excluding real property (the "Distribution Rate"), on the last day of each of the sixteen State fiscal quarters preceding the Regular Session of the Legislature that begins before that State fiscal biennium, in accordance with the rate adopted by: (a) a vote of twothirds of the total membership of the SBOE, taken before the Regular Session of the Legislature convenes or (b) the Legislature by general law or appropriation, if the SBOE does not adopt a rate as provided by clause (a); and (2) over the ten-year period consisting of the current State fiscal year and the nine preceding State fiscal years may not exceed the total return on all investment assets of the Fund over the same ten-year period (the "Ten Year Total Return"). In April 2009, the Attorney General issued a legal opinion, Op. Tex. Att'y Gen. No. GA-0707 (2009) ("GA-0707"), with regard to certain matters pertaining to the Distribution Rate and the determination of the Ten-Year Total Return. In GA-0707 the Attorney General opined, among other advice, that (i) the Ten Year Total Return should be calculated on an annual basis, (ii) a contingency plan adopted by the SBOE, to permit monthly transfers equal in aggregate to the annual Distribution Rate to be halted and subsequently made up if such transfers temporarily exceed the Ten Year Total Return, is not prohibited by State law, provided that such contingency plan applies only within a fiscal year time basis, not on a biennium basis, and (iii) that the amount distributed from the Fund in a fiscal year may not exceed 6% of the average of the market value of the Fund or the Ten Year Total Return. In accordance with GA-0707, in the event that the Ten-Year Total Return is exceeded during a fiscal year, transfers to the ASF will be halted. However, if the Ten-Year Total Return subsequently increases during that biennium, transfers may be resumed, if the SBOE has provided for that contingency, and made in full during the remaining period of the biennium, subject to the limit of 6% in any one fiscal year. Any shortfall in the transfer that results from such events from one biennium may not be paid over to the ASF in a subsequent biennium as the SBOE would make a separate payout determination for that subsequent biennium.

In determining the Distribution Rate, the SBOE has adopted the goal of maximizing the amount distributed from the Fund in a manner designed to preserve "intergenerational equity." The definition of intergenerational equity that the SBOE has generally followed is the maintenance of purchasing power to ensure that endowment spending keeps pace with inflation, with the ultimate goal being to ensure that current and future generations are given equal levels of purchasing power in real terms. In making this determination, the SBOE takes into account various considerations, and relies upon PSF Corporation and TEA staff and external investment consultants, which undertake analysis for long-term projection periods that includes certain assumptions. Among the assumptions used in the analysis are a projected rate of growth of student enrollment Statewide, the projected contributions and expenses of the Fund, projected returns in the capital markets and a projected inflation rate.

On November 8, 2011, a referendum was held in the State at which voters of the State approved amendments that effected an increase to the base amount used in calculating the Distribution Rate from the Fund to the ASF and authorized the SLB to make direct transfers to the ASF, as described below.

The November 8, 2011, referendum included an increase to the base used to calculate the Distribution Rate by adding to the calculation base certain discretionary real assets and cash in the Fund that is managed by entities other than the SBOE (at present, by the SLB). The value of those assets was already included in the value of the Fund for purposes of the Guarantee Program, but prior to the amendment had not been included in the calculation base for purposes of making transfers from the Fund to the ASF. While the amendment provided for an increase in the base for the calculation of approximately \$2

billion, no new resources were provided for deposit to the Fund. As described under "The Total Return Constitutional Amendment" the SBOE is prevented from approving a Distribution Rate or making a pay out from the Fund if the amount distributed would exceed 6% of the average of the market value of the Fund, excluding real property in the Fund, but including discretionary real asset investments on the last day of each of the sixteen State fiscal quarters preceding the Regular Session of the Legislature that begins before that State fiscal biennium or if such pay out would exceed the Ten Year Total Return.

The constitutional amendments approved on November 8, 2011, also provided authority to the GLO or another entity (described in statute as the SLB) that has responsibility for the management of revenues derived from land or other properties of the PSF to determine whether to transfer an amount each year to the ASF from the revenue derived during the current year from such land or properties. Prior to November 2019, the amount authorized to be transferred to the ASF from the GLO or SLB was limited to \$300 million per year. On November 5, 2019, a constitutional amendment was approved by State voters that increased the maximum transfer to the ASF to \$600 million each year from the revenue derived during that year from the PSF from the GLO, the SBOE or another entity to the extent such entity has the responsibility for the management of revenues derived from such land or other properties. Any amount transferred to the ASF pursuant to this constitutional provision is excluded from the 6% Distribution Rate limitation applicable to SBOE transfers.

The following table shows amounts distributed to the ASF from the portions of the Fund administered by the SBOE (the "PSF(SBOE)") and the SLB (the "PSF(SLB)").

Annual Distributions to the Available School Fund¹

| <u>Fiscal Year</u> Ending | <u>2013</u> | <u>2014</u> | <u>2015</u> | <u>2016</u> | <u>2017</u> | <u>2018</u> | <u>2019</u> | <u>2020</u> | <u>2021</u> | <u>2022</u> |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------------|-------------|
| PSF(SBOE) Distribution | \$1,021 | \$839 | \$839 | \$1,056 | \$1,056 | \$1,236 | \$1,236 | \$1,102 | \$1,102 | \$1,731 |
| PSF(SLB) Distribution | \$300 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$0 | \$300 | \$600 | \$600 ² | \$415 |
| Per Student Distribution | \$281 | \$175 | \$173 | \$215 | \$212 | \$247 | \$306 | \$347 | \$341 | \$432 |

¹ In millions of dollars. Source: PSF Annual Report for year ended August 31, 2022.

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² In September 2020, the SBOE approved a special, one-time transfer of \$300 million from the portion of the PSF managed by the SBOE to the portion of the PSF managed by the SLB, which amount is to be transferred to the ASF by the SLB in fiscal year 2021. In approving the special transfer, the SBOE determined that the transfer was in the best interest of the PSF due to the historic nature of the public health and economic circumstances resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic and its impact on the school children of Texas.

In November 2022, the SBOE approved a \$3.1 billion distribution to the ASF for State fiscal biennium 2024-2025. In making its determination of the 2024-2025 Distribution Rate, the SBOE took into account the announced planned distribution to the ASF by the SLB of \$1.2 billion for the biennium.

Efforts to achieve the intergenerational equity objective, as described above, result in changes in the Distribution Rate for each biennial period. The following table sets forth the Distribution Rates announced by the SBOE in the fall of each evennumbered year to be applicable for the following biennium.

| State Fiscal Biennium | 2008-09 | 2010-11 | 2012-13 | 2014-15 | 2016-17 | 2018-19 | 2020-21 | 2022-23 | 2024-25 |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|--------------------|
| SBOE Distribution Rate ¹ | 3.5% | 2.5% | 4.2% | 3.3% | 3.5% | 3.7% | 2.974% | 4.18% | 3.32% ² |

¹ Includes only distributions made to the ASF by the SBOE; see the immediately preceding table for amounts of direct SLB distributions to the ASF. In addition, the SLB approved transfers of \$600 million per year directly to the ASF for fiscal biennium 2024-25.

 2 The distribution rate approved by the SBOE for fiscal biennium 2024-25 was based on a number of assumptions, including a mid- to long-term expected return rate for the Fund of 6.35% and a rate of inflation measured by the consumer price index of 2.70% according to the policy adopted by the SBOE in June 2022.

Asset Allocation of Fund Portfolios

With respect to the management of the Fund's financial assets portfolio, the single most significant change made to date as a result of the Total Return Constitutional Amendment has been new asset allocation policies adopted from time to time by the SBOE. The SBOE historically reviewed the asset allocations during its summer meeting in even-numbered years. The first asset allocation policy adopted by the SBOE following the Total Return Constitutional Amendment was in February 2004, and the policy was reviewed and modified or reaffirmed in the summers of each even-numbered year, most recently in June 2022. The IPS (effective January 1, 2023) provides for minimum and maximum ranges among the components of each of the asset classifications: equities, fixed income, and alternatives. The alternatives category includes absolute return, private equity, real estate, emerging manager program, real return, natural resources, and infrastructure components. Alternative asset classes diversify the managed assets of the PSF and are not as correlated to traditional asset classes, which is intended to increase investment returns over the long run while reducing risk and return volatility of the portfolio. Given the greater weighting in the overall portfolio of traditional investments, it is expected that the Fund will reflect the general performance returns of the markets in which the Fund is invested.

Prior to the effective date of the IPS, the most recent asset allocation of the PSF (SBOE), was approved by the SBOE in June 2022, and is set forth below, along with the asset allocations of the PSF(SLB) and Liquid Account that were effective June 2022.

PSF 2022 Strategic Asset Allocations

| | PSF(SBOE) | PSF(SLB) | Liquid Account |
|---|-----------|----------|-------------------|
| Equity Total | 55% | 0% | 77% |
| | | | |
| Public Equity Total | 37% | 0% | 77% |
| Large Cap US Equity | 14% | 0% | 38% |
| Small/Mid Cap US Equity | 6% | 0% | 10% |
| International Equities | 14% | 0% | 29% |
| Emerging Markets Equity | 3% | 0% | 0% |
| Private Equity | 18% | 0% | 0% |
| Fixed Income Total | 22% | 0% | 21% |
| Core Bonds | 12% | 0% | 16% |
| Non-Core Bonds (High Yield & Bank Loans) | 4% | 0% | 0% |
| Emerging Markets Debt | 3% | 0% | 0% |
| Treasuries | 3% | 0% | 0% |
| TIPS | 0% | 0% | 5% |
| Short Duration | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| Alternative Investments Total | 22% | 100% | 0% |
| Absolute Return | 7% | 0% | 0% |
| Real Estate | 11% | 33% | 0% |
| Real Return | 4% | 0% | 0% |
| Energy | 0% | 31% | 0% |
| Infrastructure | 0% | 36% | 0% |
| Emerging Manager Program | 1% | 0% | 0% |
| Cash | 0% | 0% | 2% |

PSF Corporation 2023 Strategic Asset Allocation

Effective January 1, 2023, the IPS includes a combined asset allocation for all Fund assets (consisting of assets transferred for management to the PSF Corporation from the SBOE, the SLB and the Liquid Account). The IPS provides that the Fund's investment objectives are as follows:

- Generate distributions for the benefit of public schools in Texas.
- Maintain the purchasing power of the Fund, after spending and inflation, in order to maintain intergenerational equity with respect to distributions from the Fund.
- Provide a maximum level of return consistent with prudent risk levels, while maintaining sufficient liquidity needed to support Fund obligations; and
- Maintain an AAA credit rating, as assigned by a nationally recognized securities rating organization.

The table below sets forth the asset allocation of the Fund beginning January 1, 2023.

| | Strategic Asset | |
|---|-----------------|----------|
| Asset Class | Allocation | Range |
| Equities | | |
| Large Cap US Equity | 15% | +/- 3.0% |
| Small/Mid-Cap US Equity | 6% | +/- 1.0% |
| Non-US Developed Equity | 10% | +/- 3.0% |
| Emerging Market Equity | 6% | +/- 1.0% |
| Total Equity | 37% | |
| Fixed Income | | |
| Core Bonds | 11% | +/- 2.0% |
| Non-Core Bonds (High Yield & Bank Loans) | 3% | +/- 3.0% |
| Emerging Market Debt (Local Currency) | 2% | +/- 2.0% |
| U.S. Treasuries | 2% | +/- 2.0% |
| Total Fixed Income | 18% | |
| Cash Equivalents | 0% | |
| Alternatives | | |
| Absolute Return | 6% | +/- 1.0% |
| Private Equity | 15% | +/- 4.0% |
| Real Estate | 12% | +/- 4.0% |
| Emerging Manager Program (Private Equity/Real Estate) | 1% | +/- 1.0% |
| Real Return (Commodities & U.S. Treasury Inflation Protected Securities (TIPS)) | 4% | +/- 1.5% |
| Private Real Assets – Natural Resources | 3% | +/- 2.0% |
| Private Real Assets - Infrastructure | 4% | +/- 2.0% |
| Total Alternatives | 45% | |

For a variety of reasons, each change in asset allocation for the Fund has been implemented in phases, and that approach is likely to be carried forward when and if the asset allocation policy is again modified.

The table below sets forth the comparative investments of the PSF(SBOE) for the years ending August 31, 2021, and 2022, as set forth in the PSF Annual Reports for those years. As of January 1, 2023, the assets of the PSF(SBOE) and the PSF (SLB) were generally combined for investment management and accounting purposes.

Comparative Investment Schedule - PSF(SBOE)¹

| Fair Value (in millions) August 31, 2022, and 2021 | | | | | |
|--|---|-------------|--------------|---------------|--|
| | | | Amount of | | |
| | August 31, | August 31, | Increase | Percent | |
| ASSET CLASS | 2022 | 2021 | (Decrease) | Change | |
| EQUITY | | | | | |
| Domestic Small Cap | \$ 2,358.4 | \$ 2,597.3 | \$ (238.9) | -9.2% | |
| Domestic Large Cap | 4,730.4 | 6,218.7 | (1,488.3) | -23.9% | |
| Total Domestic Equity | 7,088.8 | 8,816.0 | (1,727.2) | -19.6% | |
| International Equity | 5,972.5 | 8,062.1 | (2,089.6) | -25.9% | |
| TOTAL EQUITY | 13,061.3 | 16,878.1 | (3,816.8) | -22.6% | |
| FIXED INCOME | | | | | |
| Domestic Fixed Income | 4,563.3 | 4,853.1 | (289.8) | -6.0% | |
| U.S. Treasuries | 1,140.2 | 1,243.3 | (103.1) | -8.3% | |
| High Yield Bonds | 1,142.5 | -, | 1,142.5 | N/A | |
| Emerging Market Debt | 1,142.5 | 2,683.7 | (1,492.8) | -55.6% | |
| TOTAL FIXED INCOME | 8,036.9 | 8,780.1 | (743.2) | -8.5% | |
| ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENTS | | | | | |
| Absolute Return | 2,932.3 | 3,546.0 | (613.7) | -17.3% | |
| Real Estate | 4,365.7 | 3,706.0 | 659.7 | 17.8% | |
| Private Equity | 7,933.1 | 7,724.6 | 208.5 | 2.7% | |
| Emerging Manager | ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | ,,, | | , | |
| Program | 29.9 | - | 29.9 | N/A | |
| Real Return | 1,412.0 | 1,675.5 | (263.5) | <u>-15.7%</u> | |
| TOT ALT INVESTMENTS | 16,673.0 | 16,652.1 | 20.9 | 0.1% | |
| UNALLOCATED CASH | 196.5 | 262.9 | (66.4) | -25.3% | |
| TOTAL PSF(SBOE) | | | | | |
| INVESTMENTS | \$ 37,967.7 | \$ 42,573.2 | \$ (4,605.5) | -10.8% | |
| | | | | | |

Fair Value (in millions) August 31 2022 and 2021

Source: PSF Annual Report for year ended August 31, 2022. ¹ The investments shown in the table above on August 31, 2022, do not fully reflect the changes made to the PSF Strategic Asset Allocation in June 2022, as those changes were still being phased in at the end of the fiscal year.

The table below sets forth the investments of the Liquid Account for the year ended August 31, 2022.

Liquid Account Fair Value at August 31, 2022¹

Fair Value (in millions) August 31, 2022, and 2021

| ASSET CLASS | August 31, <u>2022</u> | August 31, <u>2021</u> | Amount of Increase (Decrease) | Percent <u>Change</u> |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Equity | \$ 500.0 | ¢220.2 | ¢2717 | 119.0% |
| Domestic Small/Mid Cap | \$ 500.0 | \$228.3 | \$271.7 | |
| Domestic Large Cap | <u>1,671.7</u> | <u>578.6</u> | <u>1,093.1</u> | 188.9% |
| Total Domestic Equity | 2,171.7 | 806.9 | 1,364.8 | 169.1% |
| International Equity | 1,225.5 | <u>392.6</u> | 832.9 | 212.1% |
| TOTAL EQUITY | 3,397.2 | 1,199.5 | 2,197.7 | 183.2% |
| Fixed Income | | | | |
| Short-Term Fixed Income | 797.4 | 1,074.8 | (277.4) | -25.8% |
| Core Bonds | 506.8 | 413.1 | 93.7 | 22.7% |
| TIPS | 208.2 | 213.9 | (5.7) | -2.7% |
| TOTAL FIXED INCOME | 1,512.4 | 1,701.8 | (189.4) | -11.1% |
| Unallocated Cash | <u>35.2</u> | <u>1,420.5</u> | (1,385.3) | -97.5% |
| Total Liquid Account | | | | |
| Investments | \$4,944.8 | \$4,321.8 | \$623.0 | 14.4% |

 $\overline{^{1}}$ In millions of dollars.

Source: PSF Annual Report for year ended August 31, 2022.

The table below sets forth the comparative investments of the PSF(SLB) for the years ending August 31, 2022, and 2021.

Comparative Investment Schedule - PSF(SLB)

Fair Value (in millions) August 31, 2022, and 2021

| | As of 8-31-22 | As of <u>8-31-21</u> | Increase (Decrease) | Percent Change |
|---|----------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------|
| Asset Class | | | | |
| Discretionary Real Assets Investr | nents | | | |
| Externally Managed | | | | |
| Real Assets Investment Funds ¹ | | | | |
| Energy/Minerals | \$2,718.6 | \$1,707.5 | \$1,011.1 | 59.2% |
| Infrastructure | 1,622.7 | 1,652.3 | (29.6) | -1.8% |
| Real Estate | <u>1,921.2</u> | 1,276.8 | <u>644.4</u> | 50.5% |
| Internally Managed Direct | | | | |
| Real Estate Investments | 271.5 | 223.9 | 47.6 | 21.3% |
| Total Discretionary | | | | |
| Real Assets Investments | 6,534.0 | 4,860.5 | 1,673.5 | 34.4% |
| Dom. Equity Rec'd as In-Kind Distribution | - | 1.7 | (1.7) | -100.0% |
| Sovereign and Other Lands | 428.3 | 405.4 | 22.9 | 5.6% |
| Mineral Interests | 5,622.2 | 2,720.4 | 2,901.8 | 106.7% |
| Cash at State Treasury ² | <u>1,257.5</u> | <u>699.2</u> | <u>558.3</u> | 79.8% |
| Total PSF(SLB) Investments | \$13,842.0 | \$8,687.2 | \$5,154.8 | 59.3% |

¹ The fair values of externally managed real assets investment funds, separate accounts, and co-investment vehicles are estimated using the most recent valuations available, adjusted for subsequent contributions and withdrawals.

² Cash at State Treasury represents amounts that have been deposited in the State Treasury and temporarily invested in shortterm investments until called for investment by the external real assets investment funds, separate accounts, and coinvestment vehicles to which PSF(SLB) has made capital commitments. Prior to September 1, 2019, PSF(SLB) was required by statute to deposit cash designated by the SLB for investment in real assets in the State Treasury until it is drawn for investment. After September 1, 2019, that cash was moved to the Liquid Account to be invested by the SBOE.

The asset allocation of the Fund's financial assets portfolio is subject to change by the PSF Corporation from time to time based upon a number of factors, including recommendations to the PSF Corporation made by internal investment staff and external consultants. Fund performance may also be affected by factors other than asset allocation, including, without limitation, the general performance of the securities markets and other capital markets in the United States and abroad, which may be affected by different levels of economic activity; decisions of political officeholders; significant adverse weather events; development of hostilities in and among nations; cybersecurity threats and events; changes in international trade policies or practices; application of the Prudent Person Standard, which may eliminate certain investment opportunities for the Fund; management fees paid to external managers and embedded management fees for some fund investments; and, PSF operational limitations impacted by Texas law or legislative appropriation. The Guarantee Program could also be impacted by changes in State or federal law or regulations or the implementation of new accounting standards.

The School District Bond Guarantee Program

The School District Bond Guarantee Program requires an application be made by a school district to the Education Commissioner for a guarantee of its bonds. If the conditions for the School District Bond Guarantee Program are satisfied, the guarantee becomes effective upon approval of the bonds by the Attorney General and remains in effect until the guaranteed bonds are paid or defeased, by a refunding or otherwise.

In the event of default, holders of guaranteed school district bonds will receive all payments due from the corpus of the PSF. Following a determination that a school district will be or is unable to pay maturing or matured principal or interest on any guaranteed bond, the Act requires the school district to notify the Education Commissioner not later than the fifth day before the stated maturity date of such bond or interest payment. Immediately following receipt of such notice, the Education Commissioner must cause to be transferred from the appropriate account in the PSF to the Paying Agent/Registrar an amount necessary to pay the maturing or matured principal and interest. Upon receipt of funds for payment of such principal or interest, the Paying Agent/Registrar must pay the amount due and forward the canceled bond or evidence of payment of the interest to the State Comptroller of Public Accounts (the "Comptroller"). The Education Commissioner will instruct the Comptroller to withhold the amount paid, plus interest, from the first State money payable to the school district. The amount withheld pursuant to this funding "intercept" feature will be deposited to the credit of the PSF. The Comptroller must hold such canceled bond or evidence of payment of the interest on behalf of the PSF. Following full reimbursement of such payment by the school district to the PSF with interest, the Comptroller will cancel the bond or evidence of payment of the interest and forward it to the school district. The Act permits the Education Commissioner to order a school district to set a tax rate sufficient to reimburse the PSF for any payments made with respect to guaranteed bonds, and also sufficient to pay future payments on guaranteed bonds, and provides certain enforcement mechanisms to the Education Commissioner, including the appointment of a board of managers or annexation of a defaulting school district to another school district.

If a school district fails to pay principal or interest on a bond as it is stated to mature, other amounts not due and payable are not accelerated and do not become due and payable by virtue of the district's default. The School District Bond Guarantee Program does not apply to the payment of principal and interest upon redemption of bonds, except upon mandatory sinking fund redemption, and does not apply to the obligation, if any, of a school district to pay a redemption premium on its guaranteed bonds. The guarantee applies to all matured interest on guaranteed school district bonds, whether the bonds were issued with a fixed or variable interest rate and whether the interest rate changes as a result of an interest reset provision or other bond order provision requiring an interest rate change. The guarantee does not extend to any obligation of a school district under any agreement with a third party relating to guaranteed bonds that is defined or described in State law as a "bond enhancement agreement" or a "credit agreement," unless the right to payment of such third party is directly as a result of such third party being a bondholder.

In the event that two or more payments are made from the PSF on behalf of a district, the Education Commissioner shall request the Attorney General to institute legal action to compel the district and its officers, agents and employees to comply with the duties required of them by law in respect to the payment of guaranteed bonds.

Generally, the regulations that govern the School District Bond Guarantee Program (the "SDBGP Rules") limit guarantees to certain types of notes and bonds, including, with respect to refunding bonds issued by school districts, a requirement that the bonds produce debt service savings, and that bonds issued for capital facilities of school districts must have been voted as unlimited tax debt of the issuing district. The Guarantee Program Rules include certain accreditation criteria for districts applying for a guarantee of their bonds, and limit guarantees to districts that have less than the amount of annual debt service per average daily attendance that represents the 90th percentile of annual debt service per average daily attendance for all school districts, but such limitation will not apply to school districts that have enrollment growth of at least 25% over the previous five school years. As noted, above, in connection with the Regulatory Recodification, the SDBGP Rules are now codified in the Texas Administrative Code at 19 TAC section 33.6 and are available at https://tea.texas.gov/sites/default/files/ch033a.pdf.

The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program

The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program became effective March 3, 2014. The SBOE published final regulations in the Texas Register that provide for the administration of the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program (the "CDBGP Rules"). As noted, above, in connection with the Regulatory Recodification, the CDBGP Rules are now codified at 19 TAC section 33.7 and are available at https://tea.texas.gov/sites/default/files/ch033a.pdf.

The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program has been authorized through the enactment of amendments to the Act, which provide that a charter holder may make application to the Education Commissioner for designation as a "charter district" and for a guarantee by the PSF under the Act of bonds issued on behalf of a charter district by a non-profit corporation. If the conditions for the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program are satisfied, the guarantee becomes effective upon approval of the bonds by the Attorney General and remains in effect until the guaranteed bonds are paid or defeased, by a refunding or otherwise.

As of March 2023 (the most recent date for which data is available), the percentage of students enrolled in open-enrollment charter schools (excluding charter schools authorized by school districts) to the total State scholastic census was approximately 7.36%. On March 20, 2023, there were 188 active open-enrollment charter schools in the State and there were 1,095 charter school campuses authorized under such charters, though as of such date, 190 of such campuses are not currently serving students for various reasons; therefore, there are 905 charter school campuses actively serving students in Texas. Section 12.101, Texas Education Code, limits the number of charters that the Education Commissioner may grant to a total number of 305 charters. While legislation limits the number of charters that may be granted, it does not limit the number of campuses that may operate under a particular charter. For information regarding the capacity of the Guarantee Program, see "Capacity Limits for the Guarantee Program." The Act provides that the Education Commissioner may not approve the guarantee of refunding or refinanced bonds under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program in a total amount available for the guarantee of charter district bonds under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program.

In accordance with the Act, the Education Commissioner may not approve charter district bonds for guarantee if such guarantees will result in lower bond ratings for public school district bonds that are guaranteed under the School District Bond Guarantee Program. To be eligible for a guarantee, the Act provides that a charter district's bonds must be approved by the Attorney General, have an unenhanced investment grade rating from a nationally recognized investment rating firm, and satisfy a limited investigation conducted by the TEA.

The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program does not apply to the payment of principal and interest upon redemption of bonds, except upon mandatory sinking fund redemption, and does not apply to the obligation, if any, of a charter district to pay a redemption premium on its guaranteed bonds. The guarantee applies to all matured interest on guaranteed charter district bonds, whether the bonds were issued with a fixed or variable interest rate and whether the interest rate changes as a result of an interest reset provision or other bond resolution provision requiring an interest rate change. The guarantee does not extend to any obligation of a charter district under any agreement with a third party relating to guaranteed bonds that is defined or described in State law as a "bond enhancement agreement" or a "credit agreement," unless the right to payment of such third party is directly as a result of such third party being a bondholder.

In the event of default, holders of guaranteed charter district bonds will receive all payments due from the corpus of the PSF. Following a determination that a charter district will be or is unable to pay maturing or matured principal or interest on any guaranteed bond, the Act requires a charter district to notify the Education Commissioner not later than the fifth day before the stated maturity date of such bond or interest payment and provides that immediately following receipt of notice that a charter district will be or is unable to pay maturing or matured principal or interest on a guaranteed bond, the Education Commissioner is required to instruct the Comptroller to transfer from the Charter District Reserve Fund to the district's paying agent an amount necessary to pay the maturing or matured principal or interest. If money in the Charter District Reserve Fund is insufficient to pay the amount due on a bond for which a notice of default has been received, the Education Commissioner is required to instruct the Comptroller to transfer from the PSF to the district's paying agent the amount necessary to pay the balance of the unpaid maturing or matured principal or interest. If a total of two or more payments are made under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program on charter district bonds and the Education Commissioner determines that the charter district is acting in bad faith under the program, the Education Commissioner may request the Attorney General to institute appropriate legal action to compel the charter district and its officers, agents, and employees to comply with the duties required of them by law in regard to the guaranteed bonds. As is the case with the School District Bond Guarantee Program, the Act provides a funding "intercept" feature that obligates the Education Commissioner to instruct the Comptroller to withhold the amount paid with respect to the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, plus interest, from the first State money payable to a charter district that fails to make a guaranteed payment on its bonds. The amount withheld will be deposited, first, to the credit of the PSF, and then to restore any amount drawn from the Charter District Reserve Fund as a result of the non-payment.

The CDBGP Rules provide that the PSF may be used to guarantee bonds issued for the acquisition, construction, repair, or renovation of an educational facility for an open-enrollment charter holder and equipping real property of an open-enrollment charter school and/or to refinance promissory notes executed by an open-enrollment charter school, each in an amount in excess of \$500,000 the proceeds of which loans were used for a purpose described above (so-called new money bonds) or for refinancing bonds previously issued for the charter school that were approved by the attorney general (so-called refunding bonds). Refunding bonds may not be guaranteed under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program if they do not result in a present value savings to the charter holder.

The CDBGP Rules provide that an open-enrollment charter holder applying for charter district designation and a guarantee of its bonds under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program satisfy various provisions of the regulations, including the following: It must (i) have operated at least one open-enrollment charter school with enrolled students in the State for at least three years; (ii) agree that the bonded indebtedness for which the guarantee is sought will be undertaken as an obligation of all entities under common control of the open-enrollment charter holder, and that all such entities will be liable for the obligation if the open-enrollment charter holder defaults on the bonded indebtedness, provided, however, that an entity that does not operate a charter school in Texas is subject to this provision only to the extent it has received state funds from the open-enrollment charter holder; (iii) have had completed for the past three years an audit for each such year that included unqualified or unmodified audit opinions; and (iv) have received an investment grade credit rating within the last year. Upon receipt of an application for guarantee under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, the Education Commissioner is required to conduct an investigation into the financial status of the applicant charter district and of the accreditation status of all open-enrollment charter schools operated under the charter, within the scope set forth in the CDBGP Rules. Such financial investigation must establish that an applying charter district has a historical debt service coverage ratio, based on annual debt service, of at least 1.1 for the most recently completed fiscal year, and a projected debt service coverage ratio, based on projected revenues and expenses and maximum annual debt service, of at least 1.2. The failure of an openenrollment charter holder to comply with the Act or the applicable regulations, including by making any material misrepresentations in the charter holder's application for charter district designation or guarantee under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, constitutes a material violation of the open-enrollment charter holder's charter.

From time to time, TEA has limited new guarantees under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program to conform to capacity limits specified by the Act. Legislation enacted during the Legislature's 2017 regular session modified the manner of calculating the capacity of the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program (the "CDBGP Capacity"), which further increased the amount of the CDBGP Capacity. The CDBGP Capacity is made available from the capacity of the Guarantee Program but is not reserved exclusively for the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program. See "Capacity Limits for the Guarantee Program" and "2017 Legislative Changes to the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program." Other factors that could increase the CDBGP Capacity include Fund investment performance, future increases in the Guarantee Program multiplier, changes in State law that govern the calculation of the CDBGP Capacity, as described below, changes in State or federal law or regulations related to the Guarantee Program limit, growth in the relative percentage of students enrolled in open-enrollment charter schools to the total State scholastic census, legislative and administrative changes in funding for charter districts, changes in level of school district or charter district participation in the Guarantee Program, or a combination of such circumstances.

Capacity Limits for the Guarantee Program

The capacity of the Fund to guarantee bonds under the Guarantee Program is limited to the lesser of that imposed by State law (the "State Capacity Limit") and that imposed by regulations and a notice issued by the IRS (the "IRS Limit", with the limit in effect at any given time being the "Capacity Limit"). From 2005 through 2009, the Guarantee Program twice reached capacity under the IRS Limit, and in each instance the Guarantee Program was closed to new bond guarantee applications until relief was obtained from the IRS. The most recent closure of the Guarantee Program commenced in March 2009 and the Guarantee Program reopened in February 2010 on the basis of receipt of the IRS Notice.

Prior to 2007, various legislation was enacted modifying the calculation of the State Capacity limit; however, in 2007, Senate Bill 389 ("SB 389") was enacted, providing for increases in the capacity of the Guarantee Program, and specifically providing that the SBOE may by rule increase the capacity of the Guarantee Program from two and one-half times the cost value of the PSF to an amount not to exceed five times the cost value of the PSF, provided that the increased limit does not violate federal law and regulations and does not prevent bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program from receiving the highest available credit rating, as determined by the SBOE. SB 389 further provided that the SBOE shall at least annually consider whether to change the capacity of the Guarantee Program. Additionally, on May 21, 2010, the SBOE modified the SDBGP Rules, and increased the State Capacity rule, became effective on July 1, 2010. The SDBGP Rules provide that the Education Commissioner may reduce the multiplier to maintain the AAA credit rating of the Guarantee Program but also provide that any changes to the multiplier made by the Education Commissioner are to be ratified or rejected by the SBOE at the next meeting following the change. See "Valuation of the PSF and Guaranteed Bonds" below.

Since September 2015, the SBOE has periodically voted to change the capacity multiplier as shown in the following table.

| Changes in SBOE-determined multiplier for State Capacity Limit | | | |
|--|------------|--|--|
| Date | Multiplier | | |
| Prior to May 2010 | 2.50 | | |
| May 2010 | 3.00 | | |
| September 2015 | 3.25 | | |
| February 2017 | 3.50 | | |
| September 2017 | 3.75 | | |
| February 2018 (current) | 3.50 | | |

Prior to the issuance of the IRS Notice (defined below), the capacity of the program under the IRS Limit was limited to two and one-half times the lower of cost or fair market value of the Fund's assets adjusted by a factor that excluded additions to the Fund made since May 14, 1989. That limitation was a dynamic number that depended in large part on the market value of the Fund from time to time. On December 16, 2009, the IRS published Notice 2010-5 (the "IRS Notice") stating that the IRS would issue proposed regulations amending the existing regulations to raise the IRS limit to 500% of the total cost of the assets held by the PSF as of December 16, 2009 (a static number). In accordance with the IRS Notice, the amount of any new bonds to be guaranteed by the PSF, together with the then outstanding amount of bonds previously guaranteed by the PSF, must not exceed the IRS limit on the sale date of the new bonds to be guaranteed. The IRS Notice further provided that the IRS Notice may be relied upon for bonds sold on or after December 16, 2009, and before the effective date of future regulations or other public administrative guidance affecting funds like the PSF.

On September 16, 2013, the IRS published proposed regulations (the "Proposed IRS Regulations") that, among other things, would enact the IRS Notice. The preamble to the Proposed IRS Regulations provides that issuers may elect to apply the Proposed IRS Regulations, in whole or in part, to bonds sold on or after September 16, 2013, and before the date that final regulations became effective.

On July 18, 2016, the IRS issued final regulations enacting the IRS Notice (the "Final IRS Regulations"). The Final IRS Regulations are effective for bonds sold on or after October 17, 2016. The IRS Notice, the Proposed IRS Regulations and the Final IRS Regulations establish a static capacity for the Guarantee Program based upon the cost value of Fund assets on December 16, 2009, multiplied by five. On December 16, 2009, the cost value of the Guarantee Program was \$23,463,730,608 (estimated and unaudited), thereby producing an IRS Limit of approximately \$117.3 billion in principal amount of guaranteed bonds outstanding.

The State Capacity Limit increased from \$135,449,634,408 on August 31, 2021, to \$148,789,725,175 on August 31, 2022 (but at such date the IRS Limit (\$117,318,653,038) remained the lower of the two, so it is the current Capacity Limit for the Fund).

Since July 1991, when the SBOE amended the Guarantee Program Rules to broaden the range of bonds that are eligible for guarantee under the Guarantee Program to encompass most Texas school district bonds, the principal amount of bonds guaranteed under the Guarantee Program has increased sharply. In addition, in recent years a number of factors have caused an increase in the amount of bonds issued by school districts in the State. See the table "Permanent School Fund Guaranteed Bonds" below. Effective March 1, 2023, the Act, as amended through the Regulatory Recodification, provides that the SBOE may establish a percentage of the Capacity Limit to be reserved from use in guaranteeing bonds (the "Capacity Reserve"). The SDBGP Rules provide for a maximum Capacity Reserve for the overall Guarantee Program of 5% and provide that the amount of the Capacity Reserve may be increased or decreased by a majority vote of the SBOE based on changes in the cost value, asset allocation, and risk in the portfolio, or may be increased or decreased by the Education Commissioner as necessary to prudently manage fund capacity and preserve the AAA credit rating of the Guarantee Program (subject to ratification or rejection by the SBOE at the next meeting for which an item can be posted). The CDBGP Rules provide for an additional reserve of CDBGP Capacity determined by calculating an equal percentage as established by the SBOE for the Capacity Reserve is noted in the monthly updates with respect to the capacity of the Guarantee Program on the TEA web site at http://tea.texas.gov/Finance and Grants/Permanent School Fund/, which are also filed with the MSRB.

Based upon historical performance of the Fund, the legal restrictions relating to the amount of bonds that may be guaranteed has generally resulted in a lower ratio of guaranteed bonds to available assets as compared to many other types of credit enhancements that may be available for Texas school district bonds and charter district bonds. However, the ratio of Fund assets to guaranteed bonds and the growth of the Fund in general could be adversely affected by a number of factors,

including Fund investment performance, investment objectives of the Fund, an increase in bond issues by school districts in the State or legal restrictions on the Fund, changes in State laws that implement funding decisions for school districts and charter districts, which could adversely affect the credit quality of those districts, the implementation of the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, or significant changes in distributions to the ASF. The issuance of the IRS Notice and the Final IRS Regulations resulted in a substantial increase in the amount of bonds guaranteed under the Guarantee Program.

As of January 2023, the monthly updates with respect to the capacity of the Guarantee Program on the TEA web site projected a remaining capacity under the IRS Limit of \$194.1 million out of the approximately \$117.3 billion of authorized capacity. Effective March 1, 2023, the change in the Capacity Reserve from 5% to 0.25%, as discussed above, freed up approximately \$5.9 billion in Guarantee Program capacity. No representation is made as to how quickly the additional capacity from changing the Capacity Reserve will remain available, and the capacity of the Guarantee Program is subject to change due to a number of factors, including changes in bond issuance volume throughout the State and some bonds receiving guarantee approvals may not close. Additional capacity could become available for new applicants from time to time, through, among other measures, the principal retirement of outstanding guaranteed bonds. As the amount of guaranteed bonds approaches the IRS Limit, the SBOE continues to seek changes to the existing federal tax law requirements regarding the Guarantee Program with the objective of obtaining an increase in the IRS Limit. Such changes include regulatory modifications and implementation of federal legislation, and no assurances can be given as to the timing of the foregoing or the SBOE's success in that undertaking.

2017 Legislative Changes to the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program

The CDBGP Capacity is established by the Act. During the 85th Texas Legislature, which concluded on May 29, 2017, Senate Bill 1480 ("SB 1480") was enacted. SB 1480 amended the Act to modify how the CDBGP Capacity is established effective as of September 1, 2017, and made other substantive changes to the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program. Prior to the enactment of SB 1480, the CDBGP Capacity was calculated as the Capacity Limit <u>less</u> the amount of outstanding bond guarantees under the Guarantee Program multiplied by the percentage of charter district scholastic population relative to the total public school scholastic population. SB 1480 amended the CDBGP Capacity calculation so that the Capacity Limit is multiplied by the percentage of charter district scholastic population school scholastic population for the outstanding bond guarantees, thereby increasing the CDBGP Capacity.

The percentage of the charter district scholastic population to the overall public school scholastic population has grown from 3.53% in September 2012 to 7.36% in March 2023. TEA is unable to predict how the ratio of charter district students to the total State scholastic population will change over time.

In addition to modifying the manner of determining the CDBGP Capacity, SB 1480 provided that the Education Commissioner's investigation of a charter district application for guarantee may include an evaluation of whether the charter district bond security documents provide a security interest in real property pledged as collateral for the bond and the repayment obligation under the proposed guarantee. The Education Commissioner may decline to approve the application if the Education Commissioner determines that sufficient security is not provided. The Act and the CDBGP Rules also require the Education Commissioner to make an investigation of the accreditation status and financial status for a charter district applying for a bond guarantee.

Since the initial authorization of the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, the Act has established a bond guarantee reserve fund in the State treasury (the "Charter District Reserve Fund"). Formerly, the Act provided that each charter district that has a bond guaranteed must annually remit to the Education Commissioner, for deposit in the Charter District Reserve Fund, an amount equal to 10% of the savings to the charter district that is a result of the lower interest rate on its bonds due to the guarantee by the PSF. SB 1480 modified the Act insofar as it pertains to the Charter District Reserve Fund. Effective September 1, 2017, the Act provides that a charter district that has a bond guaranteed must remit to the Education Commissioner, for deposit in the Charter District Reserve Fund, an amount equal to 20% of the savings to the charter district that is a result of the lower interest rate on the bond due to the guarantee by the PSF. The amount due shall be paid on receipt by the charter district of the bond proceeds. However, the deposit requirement will not apply if the balance of the Charter District Reserve Fund is at least equal to 3.00% of the total amount of outstanding guaranteed bonds issued by charter districts. On March 17, 2023, the Charter District Reserve Fund contained \$85,259,403, which represented approximately 2.18% of the guaranteed charter district bonds. The Reserve Fund is held and invested as a non-commingled fund under the administration of the PSF Corporation staff.

Charter District Risk Factors

Open-enrollment charter schools in the State may not charge tuition and, unlike school districts, charter districts have no taxing power. Funding for charter district operations is largely from amounts appropriated by the Legislature. Additionally, the amount of State payments a charter district receives is based on a variety of factors, including the enrollment at the schools operated by a charter district, and may be affected by the State's economic performance and other budgetary considerations and various political considerations.

Other than credit support for charter district bonds that is provided to qualifying charter districts by the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, State funding for charter district facilities construction is limited to a program established by the Legislature in 2017, which provides \$60 million per year for eligible charter districts with an acceptable performance rating for a variety of funding purposes, including for lease or purchase payments for instructional facilities. Since State funding for charter facilities is limited, charter schools generally issue revenue bonds to fund facility construction and acquisition, or fund facilities from cash flows of the school. Some charter districts have issued non-guaranteed debt in addition to debt guaranteed under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, and such non-guaranteed debt is likely to be secured by a deed of trust covering all or part of the charter district's facilities. In March 2017, the TEA began requiring charter districts to provide the TEA with a lien against charter district property as a condition to receiving a guarantee under the Charter District Bond Guarantee district bonds issued and guaranteed under the Charter District Bond Guarantee requirement did not have the benefit of a security interest in real property, although other existing debts of such charter districts that are not guaranteed under the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program may be secured by real property that could be foreclosed on in the event of a bond default.

As a general rule, the operation of a charter school involves fewer State requirements and regulations for charter holders as compared to other public schools, but the maintenance of a State-granted charter is dependent upon on-going compliance with State law and regulations, which are monitored by TEA. TEA has a broad range of enforcement and remedial actions that it can take as corrective measures, and such actions may include the loss of the State charter, the appointment of a new board of directors to govern a charter district, the assignment of operations to another charter operator, or, as a last resort, the dissolution of an open-enrollment charter school. Charter holders are governed by a private board of directors, as compared to the elected boards of trustees that govern school districts.

As described above, the Act includes a funding "intercept" function that applies to both the School District Bond Guarantee Program and the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program. However, school districts are viewed as the "educator of last resort" for students residing in the geographical territory of the district, which makes it unlikely that State funding for those school districts would be discontinued, although the TEA can require the dissolution and merger into another school district if necessary to ensure sound education and financial management of a school district. That is not the case with a charter district, however, and open-enrollment charter schools in the State have been dissolved by TEA from time to time. If a charter district that has bonds outstanding that are guaranteed by the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program should be dissolved, debt service on guaranteed bonds of the district would continue to be paid to bondholders in accordance with the Charter District Bond Guarantee Program, but there would be no funding available for reimbursement of the PSF by the Comptroller for such payments. As described under "The Charter District Bond Guarantee Program," the Act established the Charter District Reserve Fund, to serve as a reimbursement resource for the PSF.

Infectious Disease Outbreak

Since the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic in March 2020, TEA and TEA investment management for the PSF have continued to operate and function pursuant to the TEA continuity of operations plan developed as mandated in accordance with Texas Labor Code Section 412.054. That plan was designed to ensure performance of the Agency's essential missions and functions under such threats and conditions in the event of, among other emergencies, a pandemic event.

Circumstances regarding the COVID-19 pandemic continue to evolve; for additional information on these events in the State, reference is made to the website of the Governor, https://gov.texas.gov/, and, with respect to public school events, the website of TEA, https://tea.texas.gov/texas-schools/safe-and-healthy-schools/coronavirus-covid-19-support-and-guidance.

TEA cannot predict whether any school or charter district may experience short- or longer-term cash flow emergencies as a direct or indirect effect of COVID-19 that would require a payment from the PSF to be made to a paying agent for a guaranteed bond. However, through the end of February 2023, no school district or charter district had failed to perform with respect to making required payments on their guaranteed bonds. Information regarding the respective financial operations of the issuer of bonds guaranteed, or to be guaranteed, by the PSF is provided by such issuers in their respective

bond offering documents and the TEA takes no responsibility for the respective information, as it is provided by the respective issuers.

Ratings of Bonds Guaranteed Under the Guarantee Program

Moody's Investors Service, Inc., S&P Global Ratings and Fitch Ratings, Inc. rate bonds guaranteed by the PSF "Aaa," "AAA" and "AAA," respectively. Not all districts apply for multiple ratings on their bonds, however. See "OTHER INFORMATION - Rating" herein.

Valuation of the PSF and Guaranteed Bonds

| Permanent School Fund Valuations | | | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|--|
| Fiscal Year Ended 8/31 | Book Value ⁽¹⁾ | Market Value ⁽¹⁾ | | | |
| 2018 | \$ 33,860,358,647 | \$ 44,074,197,940 | | | |
| 2019 | 35,288,344,219 | 46,464,447,981 | | | |
| 2020 | 36,642,000,738 | 46,764,059,745 | | | |
| 2021 | 38,699,895,545 | 55,582,252,097 | | | |
| 2022 ⁽²⁾ | 42,511,350,050 | 56,754,515,757 | | | |

⁽¹⁾ SLB managed assets are included in the market value and book value of the Fund. In determining the market value of the PSF from time to time during a fiscal year, the current, unaudited values for PSF investment portfolios and cash held by the SLB are used. With respect to SLB managed assets shown in the table above, market values of land and mineral interests, internally managed real estate, investments in externally managed real estate funds and cash are based upon information reported to the PSF Corporation by the SLB. The SLB reports that information to the PSF Corporation on a quarterly basis. The valuation of such assets at any point in time is dependent upon a variety of factors, including economic conditions in the State and nation in general, and the values of these assets, and, in particular, the valuation of mineral holdings administered by the SLB, can be volatile and subject to material changes from period to period.

⁽²⁾ At August 31, 2022, mineral assets, sovereign and other lands and discretionary internal investments, investments with external managers, and cash managed by the SLB had book values of approximately \$13.4 million, \$180.6 million, \$5,433.0 million, and \$1,257.5 million, respectively, and market values of approximately \$5,622.2 million, \$699.8 million, \$6,262.5 million, and \$1,257.52 million, respectively.

⁽¹⁾ Represents original principal amount; does not reflect any subsequent accretions in value for compound interest bonds (zero coupon securities). The amount shown excludes bonds that have been refunded and released from the Guarantee Program. The TEA does not maintain records of the accreted value of capital appreciation bonds that are guaranteed under the Guarantee Program.

⁽²⁾ On August 31, 2022 (the most recent date for which such data is available), the TEA expected that the principal and interest to be paid by school districts and charter districts over the remaining life of the bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program was \$156,825,227,335, of which \$53,585,731,406 represents interest to be paid. As shown in the table above, at August 31, 2022, there were \$103,239,495,929 in principal amount of bonds guaranteed under the Guarantee Program. Using the IRS Limit of \$117,318,653,038 (the IRS Limit is currently the Capacity Limit), net of the Capacity Reserve, as of March 17, 2023, 7.36% of the Guarantee Program's capacity was available to the Charter District

Bond Guarantee Program. As of March 17, 2023, the amount of outstanding bond guarantees represented 89.46% of the Capacity Limit (which is currently the IRS Limit). March 17, 2023, values are based on unaudited data, which is subject to adjustment.

| | School District Bonds | | Charter Di | strict Bonds | Totals | |
|---------------------|-----------------------|----------------|------------|------------------|--------|-----------------|
| Fiscal | | | | | | |
| Year Ended | No. of | Principal | No. of | Principal Amount | No. of | Principal |
| 8/31 | Issues | Amount (\$) | Issues | <u>(\$)</u> | Issues | Amount (\$) |
| 2018 | 3,249 | 77,647,966,069 | 44 | 1,432,935,000 | 3,293 | 79,080,901,069 |
| 2019 | 3,297 | 82,537,755,203 | 49 | 1,860,145,000 | 3,346 | 84,397,900,203 |
| 2020 | 3,296 | 87,800,478,245 | 64 | 2,536,202,000 | 3,360 | 90,336,680,245 |
| 2021 | 3,346 | 91,951,175,922 | 83 | 3,307,986,000 | 3,429 | 95,259,161,922 |
| 2022 ⁽²⁾ | 3,348 | 99,528,099,929 | 94 | 3,711,396,000 | 3,442 | 103,239,495,929 |

Permanent School Fund Guaranteed Bonds by Category⁽¹⁾

⁽¹⁾ Represents original principal amount; does not reflect any subsequent accretions in value for compound interest bonds (zero coupon securities). The amount shown excludes bonds that have been refunded and released from the Guarantee Program.

⁽²⁾ On March 17, 2023 (based on unaudited data, which is subject to adjustment), there were \$104,953,879,666 in principal amount of bonds guaranteed under the Guarantee Program, representing 3,296 school district issues, aggregating \$101,038,728,666 in principal amount and 99 charter district issues, aggregating \$3,915,151,000 in principal amount. On March 17, 2023, the projected guarantee capacity available was \$5,413,975,055 (based on unaudited data, which is subject to adjustment).

Discussion and Analysis Pertaining to Fiscal Year Ended August 31, 2022

The following discussion is derived from the Annual Report for the year ended August 31, 2022, including the Message of the Executive Administrator of the Fund and the Management's Discussion and Analysis contained therein. Reference is made to the Annual Report, as filed with the MSRB, for the complete Message and MD&A. Investment assets managed by the fifteen member SBOE are referred to throughout this MD&A as the PSF(SBOE) and, with respect to the Liquid Account, Liquid (SBOE) assets. As of August 31, 2022, the Fund's land, mineral rights and certain real assets are managed by the five-member SLB and these assets are referred to throughout as the PSF(SLB) assets. The current PSF(SBOE) asset allocation policy includes an allocation for real estate investments, and as such investments are made, and become a part of the PSF(SBOE) investment portfolio, those investments will be managed by the SBOE and not the SLB.

At the end of fiscal 2022, the Fund balance was \$56.8 billion, an increase of \$1.2 billion from the prior year. This increase is primarily due to overall net increases in value of the various asset classes in which the Fund is invested. During the year, the SBOE continued implementing the long-term strategic asset allocation, diversifying the PSF(SBOE) to strengthen the Fund. The asset allocation is projected to increase returns over the long run while reducing risk and portfolio return volatility. The PSF(SBOE) annual rates of return for the one-year, five-year, and ten-year periods ending August 31, 2022, net of fees, were -6.80%, 6.54% and 7.33%, respectively, and the Liquid(SBOE) annual rate of return for the one-year and three-year periods ending August 31, 2022, net of fees, was -10.24% and -1.23% (total return takes into consideration the change in the market value of the Fund during the year as well as the interest and dividend income generated by the Fund's investments). In addition, the SLB continued its shift into externally managed real asset investment funds, and the one-year, five-year, and ten-year annualized total returns for the PSF(SLB) externally managed real assets, net of fees and including cash, were 32.29%, 8.42%, and 7.40%, respectively.

The Fund is invested in global markets and experiences volatility commensurate with the related indices. The Fund is broadly diversified and benefits from the cost structure of its investment program. Changes continue to be researched, crafted and implemented to make the cost structure more effective and efficient. See "Comparative Investment Schedule - PSF(SBOE)" for the PSF(SBOE) holdings as of August 31, 2022.

As of August 31, 2022, the SBOE has approved, and the Fund made capital commitments to, externally managed real estate investment funds in a total amount of \$7.3 billion and capital commitments to private equity limited partnerships for a total of \$10.1 billion. Unfunded commitments on August 31, 2022, totaled \$2.4 billion in real estate investments and \$2.9 billion in private equity investments.

| PSF Returns Fiscal Year Ended 8-31 |
|------------------------------------|
|------------------------------------|

| | | Benchmark |
|--|----------|---------------------|
| Portfolio | Return | Return ² |
| Total PSF(SBOE) Portfolio | (6.80) % | (6.37) % |
| Domestic Large Cap Equities (SBOE) | (11.08) | (11.23) |
| Domestic Small/Mid Cap Equities (SBOE) | (10.96) | (10.90) |
| International Equities (SBOE) | (19.72) | (19.52) |
| Emerging Market Equity (SBOE) | (22.85) | (21.80) |
| Fixed Income (SBOE) | (12.16) | (11.52) |
| Treasuries | (22.82) | (22.64) |
| Absolute Return (SBOE) | (0.55) | (5.66) |
| Real Estate (SBOE) | 23.31 | 20.56 |
| Private Equity (SBOE) | 3.17 | 8.43 |
| Real Return (SBOE) | 2.98 | 3.09 |
| Emerging Market Debt (SBOE) | (17.95) | (19.43) |
| Liquid Large Cap Equity (SBOE) | (10.39) | (11.23) |
| Liquid Small Cap Equity (SBOE) | (10.63) | (10.90) |
| Liquid International Equity (SBOE) | (19.34) | (19.52) |
| Liquid Short-Term Fixed Income (SBOE) | (4.27) | (4.01) |
| Liquid Core Bonds (SBOE) | (11.30) | (11.52) |
| Liquid TIPS(SBOE) | (5.78) | (5.98) |
| Liquid Transition Cash Reserves (SBOE) | 1.65 | 0.38 |
| Liquid Combined (SBOE) | (10.24) | (10.88) |
| PSF(SLB) | (32.29) | N/A |

¹ Time weighted rates of return adjusted for cash flows for the PSF(SBOE) investment assets. Does not include GLO managed real estate or real assets. Returns are net of fees. Source: PSF Annual Report for year ended August 31, 2022.

²Benchmarks are as set forth in the PSF Annual Report for year ended August 31, 2022.

The PSF(SLB) portfolio is generally characterized by three broad categories: (1) discretionary real assets investments, (2) sovereign and other lands, and (3) mineral interests. Discretionary real assets investments consist of externally managed real estate, infrastructure, and energy/minerals investment funds; internally managed direct real estate investments, and cash. Sovereign and other lands consist primarily of the lands set aside to the PSF when it was created. Mineral interests consist of all of the minerals that are associated with PSF lands. The investment focus of PSF(SLB) discretionary real assets investments has shifted from internally managed direct real estate investments to externally managed real assets investment funds. The PSF(SLB) makes investments in certain limited partnerships that legally commit it to possible future capital contributions. On August 31, 2022, the remaining commitments totaled approximately \$1.94 billion.

For fiscal year 2022, total revenues, inclusive of unrealized gains and losses and net of security lending rebates and fees, totaled \$3.5 billion, a decrease of \$7.3 billion from fiscal year 2021 earnings of \$10.8 billion. The total change in the fair value of the Fund investments is consistent with the change in value of the markets in which those investments were made. In fiscal year 2022, revenues earned by the Fund included gains realized on the sale of land and real estate owned by the Fund; lease payments, bonuses and royalty income received from oil, gas and mineral leases; lease payments from commercial real estate; surface lease and easement revenues; revenues from the resale of natural and liquid gas supplies; dividends, interest, and securities lending revenues; the net change in the fair value of the investment portfolio and externally managed real assets investment funds; and other miscellaneous fees and income.

Expenditures are paid from the Fund before distributions are made under the total return formula. Such expenditures include the costs incurred by SLB to manage the land endowment, as well as operational costs of the Fund, including external management fees paid from appropriated funds. Total operating expenditures, net of security lending rebates and fees, increased 3.0% for the fiscal year ending August 31, 2022. This increase is primarily attributable to an increase in PSF(SLB) quantities of purchased gas for resale in the State Energy Management Program, which is administered by the SLB as part of the Fund, as well as increases in operational costs.

The Fund directly supports the public school system in the State by distributing a predetermined percentage of its asset value to the ASF. For fiscal years 2021 and 2022, the distribution from the SBOE to the ASF totaled \$1.1 billion and \$1.7 billion, respectively. Distributions from the SLB to the ASF for fiscal years 2021 and 2022 totaled \$600 and \$415 million, respectively.

At the end of the 2022 fiscal year, PSF assets guaranteed \$103.2 billion in bonds issued by 898 local school districts and charter districts, the latter of which entered into the Guarantee Program during the 2014 fiscal year. Since its inception in 1983, the Fund has guaranteed 8,554 school district and charter district bond issues totaling \$239.7 billion in principal amount. During the 2022 fiscal year, the number of outstanding issues guaranteed under the Guarantee Program totaled 3,442. The dollar amount of guaranteed school and charter bond issues outstanding increased by \$7.98 billion or 8.4%. The State Capacity Limit increased by \$13.3 billion, or 9.8%, during fiscal year 2022 due to continued growth in the cost basis of the Fund used to calculate that Program capacity limit. The effective capacity of the Guarantee Program did not increase during fiscal year 2022 as the IRS Limit was reached in a prior fiscal year, and it is the lower of the two capacity limits for the Guarantee Program.

Other Events and Disclosures

The State Investment Ethics Code governs the ethics and disclosure requirements for financial advisors and other service providers who advise certain State governmental entities, including the PSF. The SBOE code of ethics provides ethical standards for SBOE members, the Education Commissioner, TEA staff, and persons who provide services to the SBOE relating to the Fund. As part of the Regulatory Recodification, the PSF Corporation developed its own ethics policy as required by SB 1232, which provides basic ethical principles, guidelines, and standards of conduct relating to the management and investment of the Fund in accordance with the requirements of §43.058 of the Texas Education Code, as amended. The SBOE code of ethics is codified in the Texas Administrative Code at 19 TAC sections 33.4 et seq. and is available on the TEA web site at https://tea.texas.gov/sites/default/files/ch033a.pdf. The PSF Corporation's ethics policy is posted to the PSF Corporation's website at texaspsf.org.

In addition, the SLB and GLO have established processes and controls over the administration of real estate transactions and are subject to provisions of the Texas Natural Resources Code and internal procedures in administering real estate transactions for Fund assets it manages.

As of August 31, 2022, certain lawsuits were pending against the State and/or the GLO, which challenge the Fund's title to certain real property and/or past or future mineral income from that property, and other litigation arising in the normal course of the investment activities of the PSF. Reference is made to the Annual Report, when filed, for a description of such lawsuits that are pending, which may represent contingent liabilities of the Fund.

PSF Continuing Disclosure Undertaking

The Regulatory Recodification included the codification of the TEA's undertaking pursuant to Rule 15c2-12 (the "TEA Undertaking") pertaining to the PSF and the Guarantee Program. As of March 1, 2023, the TEA Undertaking is codified at 19 TAC 33.8, which relates to the Guarantee Program and is available at https://tea.texas.gov/sites/default/files/ch033a.pdf.

Through the codification of the TEA Undertaking and its commitment to guarantee bonds, the TEA has made the following agreement for the benefit of the issuers, holders and beneficial owners of guaranteed bonds. The TEA (or its successor with respect to the management of the Guarantee Program) is required to observe the agreement for so long as it remains an "obligated person," within the meaning of Rule 15c2-12, with respect to guaranteed bonds. Nothing in the TEA Undertaking obligates the TEA to make any filings or disclosures with respect to guaranteed bonds, as the obligations of the TEA under the TEA Undertaking pertain solely to the Guarantee Program. The issuer or an "obligated person" of the guaranteed bonds has assumed the applicable obligation under Rule 15c2-12 to make all disclosures and filings relating directly to guaranteed bonds, and the TEA takes no responsibility with respect to such undertakings. Under the TEA Undertaking, the TEA will be obligated to provide annually certain updated financial information and operating data, and timely notice of specified material events, to the MSRB.

The MSRB has established the Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system, and the TEA is required to file its continuing disclosure information using the EMMA system. Investors may access continuing disclosure information filed with the MSRB at www.emma.msrb.org, and the continuing disclosure filings of the TEA with respect to the PSF can be found at https://emma.msrb.org/IssueView/Details/ER355077 or by searching for "Texas Permanent School Fund Bond Guarantee Program" on EMMA.

Annual Reports

The TEA will annually provide certain updated financial information and operating data to the MSRB. The information to be updated includes all quantitative financial information and operating data with respect to the Guarantee Program and the PSF of the general type included in this offering document under the heading "THE PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND GUARANTEE PROGRAM." The information also includes the Annual Report. The TEA will update and provide this information within six months after the end of each fiscal year.

The TEA may provide updated information in full text or may incorporate by reference certain other publicly-available documents, as permitted by Rule 15c2-12. The updated information includes audited financial statements of, or relating to, the State or the PSF, when and if such audits are commissioned and available. Financial statements of the State will be prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles as applied to state governments, as such principles may be changed from time to time, or such other accounting principles as the State Auditor is required to employ from time to time pursuant to State law or regulation. The financial statements of the Fund are required to be prepared to conform to U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles as established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

The Fund is reported by the State of Texas as a permanent fund and accounted for on a current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Measurement focus refers to the definition of the resource flows measured. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, all revenues reported are recognized based on the criteria of availability and measurability. Assets are defined as available if they are in the form of cash or can be converted into cash within 60 days to be usable for payment of current liabilities. Amounts are defined as measurable if they can be estimated or otherwise determined. Expenditures are recognized when the related fund liability is incurred.

The State's current fiscal year end is August 31. Accordingly, the TEA must provide updated information by the last day of February in each year, unless the State changes its fiscal year. If the State changes its fiscal year, the TEA will notify the MSRB of the change.

Event Notices

The TEA will also provide timely notices of certain events to the MSRB. Such notices will be provided not more than ten business days after the occurrence of the event. The TEA will provide notice of any of the following events with respect to the Guarantee Program: (1) principal and interest payment delinquencies; (2) non-payment related defaults, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws; (3) unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties; (4) unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties; (5) substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform; (6) adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the IRS of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB), or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the Guarantee Program, or other material events affecting the tax status of the Guarantee Program; (7) modifications to rights of holders of bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws; (8) bond calls, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws, and tender offers; (9) defeasances; (10) release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws; (11) rating changes of the Guarantee Program; (12) bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership, or similar event of the Guarantee Program (which is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent, or similar officer for the Guarantee Program in a proceeding under the United States Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Guarantee Program, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement, or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the Guarantee Program); (13) the consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Guarantee Program or the sale of all or substantially all of its assets, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws; (14) the appointment of a successor or additional trustee with respect to the Guarantee Program or the change of name of a trustee, if such event is material within the meaning of the federal securities laws; (15) the incurrence of a financial obligation of the Guarantee Program, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a financial obligation of the Guarantee Program, any of which affect security holders, if material; and (16) default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a financial obligation of the Guarantee Program, any of which reflect financial difficulties. (Neither the Act nor any other law, regulation or instrument pertaining to the Guarantee Program make any provision with respect to the Guarantee Program for bond calls, debt service reserves, credit enhancement, liquidity enhancement, early redemption or the appointment of a trustee with respect to the Guarantee Program.) In addition, the TEA will provide timely notice of any failure by the TEA to provide information, data, or financial statements in accordance with its agreement described above under "Annual Reports."

Availability of Information

The TEA has agreed to provide the foregoing information only to the MSRB and to transmit such information electronically to the MSRB in such format and accompanied by such identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB. The information is available from the MSRB to the public without charge at www.emma.msrb.org.

Limitations and Amendments

The TEA has agreed to update information and to provide notices of material events only as described above. The TEA has not agreed to provide other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of its financial results of operations, condition, or prospects or agreed to update any information that is provided, except as described above. The TEA makes no representation or warranty concerning such information or concerning its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell Bonds at any future date. The TEA disclaims any contractual or tort liability for damages resulting in whole or in part from any breach of its continuing disclosure agreement or from any statement made pursuant to its agreement, although holders of Bonds may seek a writ of mandamus to compel the TEA to comply with its agreement.

The continuing disclosure agreement of the TEA is made only with respect to the PSF and the Guarantee Program. The issuer of guaranteed bonds or an obligated person with respect to guaranteed bonds may make a continuing disclosure undertaking in accordance with Rule 15c2-12 with respect to its obligations arising under Rule 15c2-12 pertaining to financial information and operating data concerning such entity and events notices relating to such guaranteed bonds. A description of such undertaking, if any, is included elsewhere in this offering document.

This continuing disclosure agreement may be amended by the TEA from time to time to adapt to changed circumstances that arise from a change in legal requirements, a change in law, or a change in the identity, nature, status, or type of operations of the TEA, but only if (1) the provisions, as so amended, would have permitted an underwriter to purchase or sell guaranteed bonds in the primary offering of such bonds in compliance with Rule 15c2-12, taking into account any amendments or interpretations of Rule 15c2-12 since such offering as well as such changed circumstances and (2) either (a) the holders of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the outstanding bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program consent to such amendment or (b) a person that is unaffiliated with the TEA (such as nationally recognized bond counsel) determines that such amendment will not materially impair the interest of the holders and beneficial owners of the bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program. The TEA may also amend or repeal the provisions of its continuing disclosure agreement if the SEC amends or repeals the applicable provision of Rule 15c2-12 or a court of final jurisdiction enters judgment that such provisions of Rule 15c2-12 are invalid, but only

if and to the extent that the provisions of this sentence would not prevent an underwriter from lawfully purchasing or selling bonds guaranteed by the Guarantee Program in the primary offering of such bonds.

Compliance with Prior Undertakings

Except as stated below, during the last five years, the TEA has not failed to substantially comply with its previous continuing disclosure agreements in accordance with Rule 15c2-12. On April 28, 2022, TEA became aware that it had not timely filed its 2021 Annual Report with EMMA due to an administrative oversight. TEA took corrective action and filed the 2021 Annual Report with EMMA on April 28, 2022, followed by a notice of late filing made with EMMA on April 29, 2022. TEA notes that the 2021 Annual Report was timely filed on the TEA website by the required filing date and that website posting has been incorporated by reference into TEA's Bond Guarantee Program disclosures that are included in school district and charter district offering documents.

SEC Exemptive Relief

On February 9, 1996, the TEA received a letter from the Chief Counsel of the SEC that pertains to the availability of the "small issuer exemption" set forth in paragraph (d)(2) of Rule 15c2-12. The letter provides that Texas school districts which offer municipal securities that are guaranteed under the Guarantee Program may undertake to comply with the provisions of paragraph (d)(2) of Rule 15c2-12 if their offerings otherwise qualify for such exemption, notwithstanding the guarantee of the school district securities under the Guarantee Program. Among other requirements established by Rule 15c2-12, a school district offering may qualify for the small issuer exemption if, upon issuance of the proposed series of securities, the school district will have no more than 10 million of outstanding municipal securities.

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APPENDIX E

EXCERPTS FROM THE SEGUIN ISD, TEXAS ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

The information contained in this APPENDIX consists of excerpts from the Seguin Independent School District, Texas Annual Financial Report for the Year Ended June 30, 2022, and is not intended to be a complete statement of the District's financial condition. Reference is made to the complete Report for further information.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Trustees of Seguin Independent School District:

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Seguin Independent School District (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District as of June 30, 2022, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

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

Change in Accounting Principle

As described in the notes the financial statements, the District adopted new accounting guidance, Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 87, *Leases*, in fiscal year 2022. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibility of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Auditors' Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and Government Auditing Standards, we:

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

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

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis, budgetary comparison information, schedules of the District's proportionate share of the net pension and other postemployment liability, and schedules of contributions, identified as Required Supplementary Information on the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the Required Supplementary Information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The accompanying combining statements and schedules and schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not required parts of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining statements and schedules and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The other information comprises the introductory and statistical sections, and the schedule of required response to selected school first indicators, but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditors' report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated November 14, 2022 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Belt Harris Pechacek, 111p

Belt Harris Pechacek, LLLP *Certified Public Accountants* Houston, Texas November 14, 2022

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

As the management of Seguin Independent School District (the "District"), we offer readers of the District's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with the notes to the basic financial statements and the financial statements themselves to enhance their understanding of the District's financial condition.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The District's total combined net position at June 30, 2022 was a deficit of \$2,535,928.
- For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022, the District's general fund reported a total fund balance of \$36,570,830, of which \$262,840 is nonspendable for inventories and prepaid items, and \$35,839,125 is unassigned.
- At the end of the fiscal year, the District's governmental funds (the general fund plus all state and federal grant funds, the debt service fund, and the capital projects fund) reported combined ending fund balances of \$70,249,018.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The annual report consists of three parts – Management's Discussion and Analysis (this section), the Basic Financial Statements, and Required Supplementary Information. The basic statements include two kinds of statements that present different views of the District.

- The first two statements are *government-wide financial statements* that provide both *long-term* and *short-term* information about the District's overall financial status.
- The remaining statements are *fund financial statements* that focus on *individual parts* of the government, reporting the District's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements.
- The *governmental funds* statements tell how *general government* services were financed in the *short-term*, as well as what remains for future spending.
- The *proprietary fund* statements provide information related to the District's business-type activities and internal service funds.
- *Fiduciary fund* statements provide information about the financial relationships in which the District acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others, to whom the fiduciary resources belong. This fund is related to student activity.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the financial statements and provide more detailed data. The notes to the financial statements are followed by a section entitled *Required Supplementary Information* that further explains and supports the information in the financial statements.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The government-wide statements report information about the District as a whole. These statements include transactions and balances relating to all assets, including infrastructure capital assets. These statements are designed to provide information about cost of services, operating results, and financial position of the District as an economic entity. The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities, which appear first in the District's financial statements, report information on the District's activities that enable the reader to understand the financial condition of the District. These statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account even if cash has not yet changed hands.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the District's assets, liabilities, and deferred outflows/inflows of resources, with the difference reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District is improving or deteriorating. Other nonfinancial factors, such as changes in the District's tax base, staffing patterns, enrollment, and attendance, need to be considered in order to assess the overall health of the District.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the District's net position changed during the most recent year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows – the accrual method rather than modified accrual that is used in the fund level statements.

The government-wide financial statements include governmental activities and business-type activities. Governmental activities distinguish functions of the District that are principally supported by taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and user fees and charges. The governmental activities of the District include the education of District students and the programs necessary to support such education. Business-type activities include the rental of a portion of the central administration building and the related costs of maintaining the building.

The government-wide financial statements can be found after the MD&A.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the District's most significant funds – not the District as a whole. Funds are simply accounting devices that are used to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending for particular purposes.

- Some funds are required by State law and other funds are mandated by bond agreements or bond covenants.
- The Board of Trustees (the "Board") establishes other funds to control and manage money set aside for particular purposes or to show that the District is properly using certain taxes and grants.
- Other funds are used to account for assets held by the District in a custodial capacity these assets do not belong to the District, but the District is responsible to properly account for them.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

The District has the following kinds of funds:

- Governmental Funds Most of the District's basic services are included in governmental funds, which focus on (1) how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and (2) the balances left at year end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed *short-term* view that helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the District's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, we provide additional information at the bottom of the governmental funds statement, or on the subsequent page, that explain the relationship (or differences) between them.
- *Proprietary funds* The District maintains two proprietary fund types: Enterprise funds and internal service funds. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. Internal service funds are an accounting device used to accumulate and allocate costs internally among the District's various functions. The District uses internal service funds to account for workers' compensation self-insurance claims and fees, and the District's parenting center. The internal service funds are included within *governmental activities* in the government-wide financial statements.
- Fiduciary funds The District serves as the trustee, or fiduciary, for certain funds such as student activity funds. The District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in a separate statement of fiduciary net position and statement of changes in fiduciary net position. We exclude these activities from the District's government-wide financial statements because the District cannot use these assets to finance its governmental operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

The District's combined net position was a deficit of \$2,535,928 at June 30, 2022. Table 1 focuses on net position while Table 2 shows the revenues and expenses that changed the net position balance during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022. Current assets and liabilities both experienced decreases in the current year. The decrease in current assets was primarily attributed to the use of funds for District capital projects. The decrease in current liabilities was primarily related to decreases in unearned revenues due to timing of various items. The decrease in long-term liabilities was primarily related to the District paying down debt, as well as decreases in the net pension and OPEB liabilities. The District reported an increase of \$9,647,480 in net position from the prior year. "This increase is primarily related to increases in state aid that is not restricted for specific programs, as well as an increase in property tax revenue due to increases in property valuations across the District.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

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| Net Position | | nmental vities | | Business-Type Total Activities Activities | | | Total Change | |
|------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------|--|----------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Description | 2022 | 2021 | 2022 | 2021 | 2022 | 2021 | 2022-2021 | |
| Current assets | \$ 87,938,648 | \$ 102,339,623 | \$ 1,475,226 | \$ 307,231 | \$ 89,413,874 | \$ 102,646,854 | \$ (13,232,980) | |
| Capital assets | 156,601,179 | 146,571,671 | - | - | 156,601,179 | 146,571,671 | 10,029,508 | |
| Total Assets | 244,539,827 | 248,911,294 | 1,475,226 | 307,231 | 246,015,053 | 249,218,525 | (3,203,472) | |
| Deferred charge on refunding | 7,846,662 | 8,415,732 | - | - | 7,846,662 | 8,415,732 | (569,070) | |
| Deferred outlows - pensions | 5,397,607 | 7,111,195 | - | - | 5,397,607 | 7,111,195 | (1,713,588) | |
| Deferred outflows - OPEB | 4,762,917 | 3,968,939 | - | _ | 4,762,917 | 3,968,939 | 793,978 | |
| Total Deferred Outflows | | ····· | | | | | 175,776 | |
| of Resources | 18,007,186 | 19,495,866 | - | · | 18,007,186 | 19,495,866 | (1,488,680) | |
| Current liabilities | 14,519,649 | 24,326,023 | 237 | 200 | 14,519,886 | 24,326,223 | (9,806,337) | |
| Long-term liabilities | 221,661,850 | 234,252,860 | | | 221,661,850 | 234,252,860 | (12,591,010) | |
| Total Liabilities | 236,181,499 | 258,578,883 | 237 | 200 | 236,181,736 | 258,579,083 | (22,397,347) | |
| Deferred inflows - pensions | 17 572 770 | 6 700 101 | | | | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | |
| Deferred inflows - OPEB | 12,573,770 | 5,700,101 | - | - | 12,573,770 | 5,700,101 | 6,873,669 | |
| Deferred inflows - leases | 16,606,691 | 16,618,615 | - | - | 16,606,691 | 16,618,615 | (11,924) | |
| Total Deferred Inflows | | - | 1,195,970 | - | 1,195,970 | | 1,195,970 | |
| of Resources | 29,180,461 | 22,318,716 | 1,195,970 | - | 30,376,431 | 22,318,716 | 8,057,715 | |
| Net Position: | | | | | | | | |
| Net investment in | | | | | | | | |
| capital assets | (7,358,260) | (14,219) | - | - | (7,358,260) | (14,219) | (7,344,041) | |
| Restricted | 13,744,332 | 12,251,287 | - | - | 13,744,332 | 12,251,287 | 1,493,045 | |
| Unrestricted | (9,201,019) | (24,727,507) | 279,019 | 307,031 | (8,922,000) | (24,420,476) | 15,498,476 | |
| Total Net Position | \$ (2,814,947) | \$ (12,490,439) | \$ 279,019 | \$ 307,031 | \$ (2,535,928) | \$ (12,183,408) | \$ 9,647,480 | |

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

Table 2

| Changes in Net Position | Governmental Activities | | | Business-Type Activities | | | otal | Total Change | |
|---|----------------------------|-----------------|----------|-----------------------------|----------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--|
| | 2022 | 2021 | 2022 | | 2021 | 2014 | 2013 | 2022-2021 | |
| Revenues: | • | | | | | | · | | |
| Program revenues: | | | | | | | | | |
| Charges for services | \$ 765,626 | \$ 593,216 | \$ 111,2 | 61 \$ | 81,900 | \$ 876,887 | \$ 675,116 | \$ 172,410 | |
| Operating grants and contributions | 19,151,180 | 19,754,988 | | - | - | 19,151,180 | 19,754,988 | (603,808) | |
| General revenues: | | | | | | | | (;) | |
| Property taxes | 52,850,735 | 49,915,055 | | - | - | 52,850,735 | 49,915,055 | 2,935,680 | |
| Grants and contributions not restricted | 1 | | | | | . , | , , | _,, | |
| for specific programs | 28,992,532 | 24,312,952 | | - | - | 28,992,532 | 24,312,952 | 4,679,580 | |
| Investment earnings | 207,840 | 113,934 | (| 26 | 333 | 208,466 | 114,267 | 93,906 | |
| Other revenue | 1,120,045 | 346,147 | | - | - | 1,120,045 | 346,147 | 773,898 | |
| Gain on sale of capital asset | 395,722 | - | | - | | 395,722 | - | 395,722 | |
| Total Revenue | 103,483,680 | 95,036,292 | 111,8 | 87 | 82,233 | 103,595,567 | 95,118,525 | 8,447,388 | |
| Expenses: | | | | | <u> </u> | | | | |
| Instruction | 44,425,652 | 48,542,174 | | - | - | 44,425,652 | 48,542,174 | (4,116,522) | |
| Instructional resources | | | | | | · · , ··· , ··· _ | | (1,110,000) | |
| and media services | 1,089,460 | 1,293,176 | | - | - | 1,089,460 | 1,293,176 | (203,716) | |
| Curriculun/instructional | | | | | | -,, | -,, | (,) | |
| staff development | 1,375,359 | 1,459,999 | | - | - | 1,375,359 | 1,459,999 | (84,640) | |
| Instructional leadership | 3,012,039 | 2,125,871 | | - | - | 3,012,039 | 2,125,871 | 886,168 | |
| School leadership | 5,753,037 | 5,619,070 | | - | - | 5,753,037 | 5,619,070 | 133,967 | |
| Guidance, counseling, and | | | | | | -,, | | , | |
| evaluation services | 3,361,732 | 3,622,541 | | - | - | 3,361,732 | 3,622,541 | (260,809) | |
| Social work services | 1,561,147 | 1,411,331 | | - | - | 1,561,147 | 1,411,331 | 149,816 | |
| Health services | 764,480 | 849,189 | | - | - | 764,480 | 849,189 | (84,709) | |
| Student (pupil) transportation | 3,869,195 | 3,206,406 | | - | - | 3,869,195 | 3,206,406 | 662,789 | |
| Food services | 5,083,061 | 4,340,584 | | - | - | 5,083,061 | 4,340,584 | 742,477 | |
| Extracurricular activities | 2,620,049 | 2,291,447 | | - | - | 2,620,049 | 2,291,447 | 328,602 | |
| General administration | 2,706,062 | 2,198,534 | | - | - | 2,706,062 | 2,198,534 | 507,528 | |
| Plant maintenance and operations | 8,167,918 | 8,400,481 | | - | - | 8,167,918 | 8,400,481 | (232,563) | |
| Security and monitoring services | 664,403 | 1,327,427 | | - | | 664,403 | 1,327,427 | (663,024) | |
| Data processing services | 2,564,948 | 1,843,929 | | - | - | 2,564,948 | 1,843,929 | 721,019 | |
| Community services | 142,938 | 100,672 | | - | - | 142,938 | 100,672 | 42,266 | |
| Debt service - interest | 5,769,693 | 3,429,283 | | - | - | 5,769,693 | 3,429,283 | 2,340,410 | |
| Bond issuance costs and fees | 11,500 | 827,528 | | - | - | 11,500 | 827,528 | (816,028) | |
| Payments to fiscal agent/member | | | | | | | , | | |
| districts of SSA | 231,277 | 248,054 | | - | - | 231,277 | 248,054 | (16,777) | |
| Other intergovernmental charges | 634,239 | 610,683 | 139,8 | 99 | 168,164 | 774,138 | 778,847 | 23,556 | |
| Total Expenses | 93,808,188 | 93,748,379 | 139,8 | 99 | 168,164 | 93,948,087 | 93,916,543 | 59,809 | |
| Change in Net Position | 9,675,492 | 1,287,913 | (28,0 | 12) | (85,931) | 9,647,480 | 1,201,982 | 8,387,579 | |
| Beginning net position | (12,490,439) | (13,778,352) | 307,0 | 31 | 392,962 | (12,183,408) | (13,385,390) | 1,287,913 | |
| Ending Net Position | \$ (2,814,947) | \$ (12,490,439) | \$ 279,0 | 19 \$ | 307,031 | \$ (2,535,928) | \$ (12,183,408) | \$ 9,675,492 | |

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT'S FUNDS

At the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the District's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$70,249,018. This compares to a combined fund balance of \$83,599,321 at June 30, 2021.

The general fund fund balance at the end of the fiscal year was \$36,570,830, which represented an increase of \$4,880,884 from the prior year. This increase was primarily due to an increase in property tax revenue received by the District due to higher property valuations in the current year.

The debt service fund fund balance at the end of the fiscal year was \$12,761,789, which represented an increase of \$771,807 from the prior year. This increase was primarily due to property tax revenue exceeding the required debt service payments for the current year.

The capital projects fund fund balance at the end of the fiscal year was \$18,265,183, which represented a decrease of \$20,230,432 from the prior year. This decrease was primarily due to the continuing use of bond proceeds for ongoing projects throughout the District.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

The Educational Stabilization Fund – ESSER II and III funds ended the year with no fund balance. These funds are used to account for the District's grant activity related to these federal programs, which function on a reimbursement basis. The total revenue and corresponding expenditures in fiscal year 2022 was 11,127,899.

GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

In accordance with State law and generally accepted accounting standards, the District prepares an annual budget for the general fund, the food service special revenue fund, and the debt service fund. Special revenue funds have budgets approved by the funding agency and are amended throughout the year as required.

During the period ended June 30, 2022, the District amended its budget as required by State law and to reflect current levels of revenue and anticipated expenses. The general fund's budgeted revenues exceeded actual revenues by \$822,638 primarily due to less property tax revenue and less state aid revenue received than anticipated. Budgeted expenditures exceeded actual expenditures by \$7,198,484 primarily due to positive variances in function 11 as a result of less personnel expenses than anticipated.

CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets are generally defined as those items that have useful lives of two years or more and have an initial cost or value (if donated) of an amount determined by the Board. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022, the District used a capitalization threshold of \$5,000, which means that all capital type assets, including library books, with a cost or initial value of less than \$5,000 were not included in the capital assets inventory.

At June 30, 2022, the District had a total of \$156,601,179 invested in capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation) such as land, land improvements, buildings and building improvements, furniture and equipment, and construction in progress. This total includes \$19,457,441 invested during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022. The majority of additions in the current year were related to continuing construction in progress on Briesemeister Middle School.

More detailed information about the District's capital assets can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

LONG-TERM DEBT

At year end, the District had \$170,964,809 in general obligation bonds outstanding versus \$181,034,809 last year. There was a net reduction in general obligation bonds for the year as the District paid \$1,445,000 to fully defease the Series 2013 bonds.

More detailed information about the District's long-term liabilities is presented in the notes to the financial statements.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET AND RATES

The District's budgeted expenditures for the 2022-2023 school year total \$87,928,559 and the District's Board of Trustees adopted an M & O tax rate of \$.8646 and an I & S rate of \$.3850 for a combined rate of \$1.2496.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the District's business office at 1221 E. Kingsbury Street, Seguin, Texas 78155.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - EXHIBIT A-1

June 30, 2022

| Data Control Codes | | 1 Governmental | 2 Business-Type | 3 |
|--------------------------|--|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| | Assets | Activities | Activities | Total |
| 1110 | Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 71,412,539 | ¢ 270.256 | ₽ <i>□</i> 1 (01 □0 c |
| 1220 | Property taxes receivable | \$ 71,412,539 2,349,678 | \$ 279,256 | \$ 71,691,795 |
| 1240 | Due from other governments | | - | 2,349,678 |
| 1267 | Due from custodial funds | 13,788,541 132 | - | 13,788,541 |
| 1290 | Other receivables | 63,779 | - | 132 |
| 1300 | Inventories | | 1,195,970 | 1,259,749 |
| 1410 | Prepaids | 315,105 | - | 315,105 |
| 1110 | 1 ropundo | 8,874 | 1 475 006 | 8,874 |
| | Capital assets: | 87,938,648 | 1,475,226 | 89,413,874 |
| 1510 | Land | 2 712 412 | | |
| 1510 | Buildings and improvements, net | 3,713,413 | - | 3,713,413 |
| 1520 | Equipment and vehicles, net | 124,041,822 | - | 124,041,822 |
| 1580 | Construction in progress | 4,325,164 | - | 4,325,164 |
| 1560 | Construction in progress | 24,520,780 | - | 24,520,780 |
| 1000 | | 156,601,179 | | 156,601,179 |
| 1000 | Total Assets | 244,539,827 | 1,475,226 | 246,015,053 |
| 1700 | Deferred Outflows of Resources Deferred charge on refunding | | | |
| 1705 | Deferred outlows - pensions | 7,846,662 | - | 7,846,662 |
| 1703 | Deferred outflows - OPEB | 5,397,607 | - | 5,397,607 |
| 1710 | | 4,762,917 | - | 4,762,917 |
| 1700 | Total Deferred Outflows of Resources | 18,007,186 | | 18,007,186 |
| 2110 | Liabilities | | | |
| 2110 | Accounts payable | 3,768,887 | 237 | 3,769,124 |
| 2140 | Interest payable Accrued liabilities | 2,137,538 | - | 2,137,538 |
| 2105 | | 7,801,975 | - | 7,801,975 |
| 2177 | Due to custodial funds | 13,906 | - | 13,906 |
| 2180 | Due to other governments | 13,771 | - | 13,771 |
| | Due to student groups | 412,817 | - | 412,817 |
| 2300 | Unearned revenue | 370,755 | | 370,755 |
| | Manual and the truth | 14,519,649 | 237 | 14,519,886 |
| 2501 | Noncurrent liabilities: | | | |
| 2501 | Long-term liabilities due within one year | 8,050,000 | - | 8,050,000 |
| 2502 | Long-term liabilities due in more than one year | 213,611,850 | - | 213,611,850 |
| 2000 | Total Liabilities | 236,181,499 | 237 | 236,181,736 |
| 2/05 | Deferred Inflows of Resources | | | |
| 2605 | Deferred inflows - pensions | 12,573,770 | - | 12,573,770 |
| 2610 | Deferred inflows - OPEB | 16,606,691 | - | 16,606,691 |
| 2615 | Deferred inflows - leases | - | 1,195,970 | 1,195,970 |
| 2600 | Total Deferred Inflows of Resources | 29,180,461 | 1,195,970 | 30,376,431 |
| | Net Position | | | |
| 3200 | Net investment in capital assets | (7,358,260) | - | (7,358,260) |
| . | Restricted for: | | | |
| 3850 | Debt service | 10,624,251 | - | 10,624,251 |
| 3890 | Grant funds | 3,120,081 | - | 3,120,081 |
| 3900 | Unrestricted | (9,201,019) | 279,019 | (8,922,000) |
| 3000 | Total Net Position | \$ (2,814,947) | \$ 279,019 | \$ (2,535,928) |
| See Notes | to Financial Statements | | | |

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - EXHIBIT B-1

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

| | | | Program Revenues | | | Net (Expense) | | |
|--------------------------|---|-------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|--|---------------|---|---------------------------|
| Data Control Codes | Eurotions/Dupperson | 1 | | 3 harges for | 4 Operating Grants and <u>Contributions</u> | | 6 Primary Gov. Governmental Activities | |
| Coues | Functions/Programs Governmental Activities | Expenses | • <u> </u> | Services | | | | |
| 11 | Instruction | \$ 44,425,652 | ¢ | 0.05 | • | | | |
| 12 | Instructional resources | \$ 44,425,652 | \$ | 285 | \$ | 6,548,810 | \$ | (37,876,557) |
| 12 | and media services | 1 090 460 | | (0 707 | | - | | |
| 12 | Curriculum/instructional | 1,089,460 | | 62,707 | | 7,200 | | (1,019,553) |
| 13 | staff development | 1 075 050 | | | | | | |
| 21 | Instructional leadership | 1,375,359 | | - | | 860,723 | | (514,636) |
| 23 | 1 | 3,012,039 | | - | | 646,304 | | (2,365,735) |
| 23 31 | School leadership | 5,753,037 | | - | | 1,632,236 | | (4,120,801) |
| 31 | Guidance, counseling, and | | | | | | | |
| | evaluation services | 3,361,732 | | - | | 1,261,691 | | (2,100,041) |
| 32 | Social work services | 1,561,147 | | 3,071 | | 858,965 | | (699,111) |
| 33 | Health services | 764,480 | | 350 | | 29,817 | | (734,313) |
| 34 | Student (pupil) transportation | 3,869,195 | | - | | (23,613) | | (3,892,808) |
| 35 | Food services | 5,083,061 | | 309,299 | | 4,674,918 | | (98,844) |
| 36 | Extracurricular activities | 2,620,049 | | 389,914 | | (302) | | (2,230,437) |
| 41 | General administration | 2,706,062 | | - | | (20,446) | | (2,726,508) |
| 51 | Plant maintenance and operations | 8,167,918 | | - | | 1,732,279 | | (6,435,639) |
| 52 | Security and monitoring services | 664,403 | | - | | 202,302 | | (462,101) |
| 53 | Data processing services | 2,564,948 | | | | 152,004 | | (2,412,944) |
| 61 | Community services | 142,938 | | - | | 104,317 | | (38,621) |
| 72 | Debt service - interest | 5,769,693 | | - | | 252,698 | | (5,516,995) |
| 73 | Bond issuance costs and fees | 11,500 | | - | | | | (11,500) |
| 93 | Payments to fiscal agent/member | , . | | | | | | (11,500) |
| 93 | districts of SSA | 231,277 | | _ | | 231,277 | | |
| 99 | Other intergovernmental charges | 634,239 | | _ | | 201,277 | | - |
| | Total Governmental Activities | \$ 93,808,188 | \$ | 765,626 | \$ | 19,151,180 | (| (634,239) (73,891,382) |
| | Business-type Activities | | | | | | | |
| | Oak Park Mall | \$ 139,899 | | 111,261 | | | | |
| | Total Business-Type Activities | \$ 139,899 | \$ | 111,261 | \$ | | | |
| | | <u> </u> | Ψ | 111,201 | φ | | | |
| MT | | General Revenu | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | | | 00.000 |
| DT | | Property taxes, | | | | es | | 37,052,374 |
| GC | | Property taxes, I | | | | | | 15,798,361 |
| GC | | Grants and cont | | is not restrict | ed | | | |
| | | for specific pro | ~ | | | | | 28,992,532 |
| IE MI | | Investment earn | | | | | | 207,840 |
| MI | | Miscellaneous le | | | e rev | enue | | 1,120,045 |
| GA | | Gain on sale of | capital | | | | | 395,722 |
| TR | | | | | | al Revenues | | 83,566,874 |
| CN | | | | Chang | ge in | Net Position | | 9,675,492 |
| NID | | | | | | | | |
| NB NE | | Beginning net po | sition | | | Net Position | <u>(</u> | 12,490,439) |

| · | | Revenue and Changes in Net Position |
|---------------|------------|---|
| 7 | | 8 |
| Primary Gov. | | Primary Gov. |
| Business-Type | | |
| Activities | | Total |
| \$- | \$ | (37,876,557) |
| - | | (1,019,553) |
| - | | (514,636) |
| - | | (2,365,735) |
| - | | (4,120,801) |
| - | | (2,100,041) |
| - | | (699,111) |
| - | | (734,313) |
| - | | (3,892,808) |
| - | | (98,844) |
| - | | (2,230,437) |
| - | | (2,726,508) |
| - | | (6,435,639) |
| - | | (462,101) |
| - | | (2,412,944) |
| - | | (38,621) |
| - | | (5,516,995) |
| - | | (11,500) |
| - | | - |
| | | (634,239) |
| | | (73,891,382) |
| (28,638) |) | (28,638) |
| (28,638) | - <u> </u> | (28,638) |
| | | |
| I | | 37,052,374 |
| - | | 15,798,361 |
| - | | 28,992,532 |
| 626 | | 208,466 |
| - | | 1,120,045 |
| - | - | 395,722 |
| 626 | | 83,567,500 |
| (28,012) | | 9,647,480 |
| 307,031 | | (12,183,408) |
| \$ 279,019 | \$ | (2,535,928) |
| | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS - EXHIBIT C-1 June 30, 2022

199 599 699 281 Data Education Control Debt Capital **Stabilization Fund** Codes General Service Projects ESSER II Assets: 1110 Cash and cash equivalents \$ 31,091,158 \$ 12,747,542 \$ 21,282,661 1220 Property taxes receivable 1,750,378 599,300 1240 Due from other governments 5,608,927 14,247 2,566,062 1260 Due from other funds 7,613,741 1290 Other receivables 63,779 1300 Inventories 253,966 1410 Prepaid items 8,874 1000 **Total Assets** \$ 46,390,823 \$ 13,361,089 \$ 21,282,661 2,566,062 Liabilities: 2110 Accounts payable \$ 461,182 \$ \$ 2,970,525 32,814 2150 Payroll deductions 912,874 2160 Accrued wages payable 5,583,824 2170 Due to other funds 899,755 46,953 2,533,248 2180 Due to other governments 13,771 2190 Due to student groups 2300 Unearned revenue 198,208 2000 **Total Liabilities** 8,069,614 3.017.478 2.566.062 _ **Deferred Inflows of Resources:** 2600 Unavailable revenue - property taxes 1,750,379 599,300 2600 **Total Deferred Inflows of Resources** 1,750,379 599.300 Fund Balances: 3410 Nonspendable - inventories 253,966 3430 Nonspendable - prepaid items 8,874 3450 Restricted - grants 468,865 3470 Restricted - capital acquisitions 3470 and contractual obligations 18,265,183 Restricted - debt service 3480 12,761,789 3600 Unassigned 35,839,125 3000 **Total Fund Balances** 36,570,830 12,761,789 18,265,183 Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of 4000 **Resources, and Fund Balances** \$ 46,390,823 \$ 13,361,089 \$ 21,282,661 2,566,062

| Stab | 282 Education ilization Fund ESSER III | | Nonmajor Funds | G | 98 Total overnmental Funds |
|-------------|---|----|-------------------|----|-------------------------------------|
| \$ | - | \$ | 2,780,208 | \$ | 67,901,569 |
| | - | | - | • | 2,349,678 |
| | 3,972,438 | | 1,626,867 | | 13,788,541 |
| | - | | 885,848 | | 8,499,589 |
| | _ | | - | | 63,779 |
| | - | | 61,139 | | 315,105 |
| | | | - | | 8,874 |
| \$ | 3,972,438 | \$ | 5,354,062 | \$ | 92,927,135 |
| \$ | 223,219 | \$ | 81,147 | \$ | 2 769 997 |
| Ψ | | φ | 01,14/ | Φ | 3,768,887 |
| | _ | | 765,136 | | 912,874 6,348,960 |
| | 3,749,219 | | 1,271,199 | | 8,500,374 |
| | | | 1,271,199 | | 8,500,574 13,771 |
| | _ | | 412,817 | | 412,817 |
| | - | | 172,547 | | 370,755 |
| ····· | 3,972,438 | | 2,702,846 | | 20,328,438 |
| | <u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u> | | | | |
| | | | | · | 2,349,679 |
| | - | | | | 2,349,679 |
| | - | | - | | 253,966 |
| | - | | - | | 8,874 |
| | - | | 2,651,216 | | 3,120,081 |
| | - | | - | | 18,265,183 |
| | - | | - | | 12,761,789 |
| | - | | | | 35,839,125 |
| | | | 2,651,216 | | 70,249,018 |
| \$ | 3,972,438 | \$ | 5,354,062 | \$ | 92,927,135 |

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RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET

TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION - EXHIBIT C-1R

June 30, 2022

| Total fund balances for governmental funds | | \$ 70,249,018 |
|---|--|------------------------------------|
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because: | | |
| Capital assets used in governmental activities are not current financial resources and, therefore, not reported in the governmental funds. Capital assets - nondepreciable Capital assets - depreciable, net | 28,234,193 128,366,986 | 156,601,179 |
| Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore, are deferred in the governmental funds. | | 2,349,678 |
| The assets and liabilities of the internal service funds are included in the governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position | | 2,957,841 |
| Some liabilities, including bonds payable and the net pension and net other postemployment liability (OPEB) are not reported as liabilities in the governmental funds. | | |
| Accrued interest Deferred outflows - pensions Deferred inflows - pensions Deferred outflows - OPEB Deferred inflows - OPEB Deferred charges on refunding Noncurrent liabilities due in one year Noncurrent liabilities due in more than one year | (2,137,538) 5,397,607 (12,573,770) 4,762,917 (16,606,691) 7,846,662 (8,050,000) (213,611,850) | (024.070.000) |
| Net Position of Governmental Activities | | \$ (234,972,663) (2,814,947) |
| See Notes to Financial Statements | | |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS - EXHIBIT C-2

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

| | | 199 | 599 | 699 | 281 |
|---------|--|--|---------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| Data | | | | | Education |
| Control | | | Debt | Capital | Stabilization Fund |
| Code | - | General | Service | Projects | ESSER II |
| | Revenues | ······································ | | | |
| 5700 | | \$ 37,426,707 | \$ 15,832,660 | \$ 75,463 | \$- |
| 5800 | I - Branner en ander | 26,697,899 | 252,698 | | Ψ |
| 5900 | F - 8 | 2,294,633 | - | - | 3,939,973 |
| 5020 | · otal iter charge | 66,419,239 | 16,085,358 | 75,463 | 3,939,973 |
| 0011 | <u>Expenditures</u> | | | - | |
| 0011 | Instruction | 35,016,590 | - | 140,060 | 3,466,316 |
| 0012 | Instructional resources & media services | 931,209 | - | - | 4,925 |
| 0013 | Curriculum and instructional | | | | , |
| 0013 | staff development | 403,302 | - | - | 104,243 |
| 0021 | Instructional leadership | 2,112,130 | - | - | 43,676 |
| 0023 | School leadership | 3,688,494 | - | - | 58,440 |
| 0031 | Guidance, counseling, | | | | , |
| 0031 | and evaluation services | 1,926,584 | - | - | 18,900 |
| 0032 | Social work services | 547,838 | - | - | 7,920 |
| 0033 | Health services | 751,780 | - | - | 6,627 |
| 0034 | Student transportation | 3,145,094 | - | - | 32,370 |
| 0035 | Food service | - | - | - | 28,631 |
| 0036 | Extracurricular activities | 2,010,176 | - | - | 2,355 |
| 0041 | General administration | 2,497,416 | - | - | 91,232 |
| 0051 | Plant maintenance and operations | 5,470,177 | - | 110,810 | 40,141 |
| 0052 | Security and monitoring services | 411,962 | - | - | 4,418 |
| 0053 | Data processing services | 2,043,129 | - | 136,056 | 29,448 |
| 0061 | Community services | 24,634 | - | - | 331 |
| | Debt service: | | | | |
| 0071 | Principal on long-term debt | 665,000 | 9,405,000 | - | - |
| 0072 | Interest on long-term debt | - | 5,897,051 | - | - |
| 0073 | Issuance costs and fees | - | 11,500 | | - |
| | Capital outlay: | | | | |
| 0081 | Facilities acquisition and construction | 158,840 | - | 19,918,969 | - |
| | Intergovernmental: | | | | |
| 0093 | Payment related to | | | | |
| 0093 | shared service arrangements | - | - | - | - |
| 0099 | Other intergovernmental charges | 634,239 | | | - |
| 6030 | Total Expenditures | 62,438,594 | 15,313,551 | 20,305,895 | 3,939,973 |
| 1100 | Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues | | | ,,, <u>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u> | |
| | Over (Under) Expenditures | 3,980,645 | 771,807 | (20,230,432) | - |
| 7010 | Other Financing Sources (Uses) | | | | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · |
| 7912 | Sale of capital assets | 900,239 | | <u>.</u> | |
| 7080 | Total Other Financing Sources | 900,239 | | - | |
| 1200 | Net Change in Fund Balances | 4,880,884 | 771,807 | (20,230,432) | |
| 0100 | Beginning fund balances | 31,689,946 | 11,989,982 | 38,495,615 | |
| 3000 | Ending Fund Balances | \$ 36,570,830 | \$ 12,761,789 | \$ 18,265,183 | <u>\$</u> |

| 282 Education Stabilization Fund ESSER III | | Nonmajor Funds | | G | 98 Total Governmental Funds | | |
|---|---|-------------------|---------|----|--------------------------------------|--|--|
| \$ | _ | \$ | 850,965 | \$ | 54 195 705 | | |
| * | _ | | 825,520 | Φ | 54,185,795 | | |
| | 7,187,926 | | 428,446 | | 27,776,117 | | |
| | 7,187,926 | | 104,931 | | 25,850,978 | | |
| | .,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,, | <u> </u> | 104,951 | | 107,812,890 | | |
| | 2,266,801 | 3, | 860,946 | | 44,750,713 | | |
| | 2,245 | - | 62,737 | | 1,001,116 | | |
| | | | , | | -,, | | |
| | 141,008 | (| 669,042 | | 1,317,595 | | |
| | 311,634 | | 385,850 | | 2,853,290 | | |
| | 1,195,511 | | 579,022 | | 5,621,467 | | |
| | | | - | | ,, <u>.</u> _, | | |
| | 858,351 | • | 741,880 | | 3,545,715 | | |
| | 106,509 | • | 751,251 | | 1,413,518 | | |
| | 21,165 | | 2,375 | | 781,947 | | |
| | 10,890 | | 29,103 | | 3,217,457 | | |
| | - | 4.8 | 351,897 | | 4,880,528 | | |
| | 87,633 | | 394,365 | | 2,494,529 | | |
| | - | | 4,000 | | 2,592,648 | | |
| | 1,859,063 | | 20,951 | | 7,501,142 | | |
| | 143,331 | | 88,793 | | 648,504 | | |
| | 183,785 | | - | | 2,392,418 | | |
| | - | 1 | 04,004 | | 128,969 | | |
| | | - | | | 120,909 | | |
| | - | | - | | 10,070,000 | | |
| | - | | _ | | 5,897,051 | | |
| | - | | - | | 11,500 | | |
| | | | | | - ,, 000 | | |
| | - | | - | | 20,077,809 | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | - | 2 | 31,277 | | 231,277 | | |
| | | | - | | 634,239 | | |
| | 7,187,926 | 12,8 | 77,493 | | 122,063,432 | | |
| | | | | | ······· | | |
| | - | 1,2 | 27,438 | | (14,250,542) | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | 900,239 | | |
| | - | | - | | 900,239 | | |
| | - | - | 27,438 | | (13,350,303) | | |
| | - | | 23,778 | | 83,599,321 | | |
| \$ | - | \$ 2,6 | 51,216 | \$ | 70,249,018 | | |
| | | | | | | | |

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RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,

AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE

| STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES - EXHIBIT C-3 For the Year Ended June 30, 2022 | | | |
|---|----|--------------|--|
| Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds | \$ | (13,350,303) | |
| Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are | | | |

different because: Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. Depreciation (9,241,640)Capital outlay 19,457,441 Disposal of assets, net (186, 293)Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds. (2,761)The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds, leases, certificates of obligation) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when it is first issued; whereas, these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities. Principal repayments 10,070,000 Accrued interest 127,976 Accreted interest (101,835)Amortization of loss on refunding (569,070)Amortization of premiums 670,287 Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Change in net pension liability 10,100,048 Deferred outflows - pensions (1,319,373)Deferred inflows - pensions (7, 267, 884)Change in net OPEB liability 477,510 Deferred outflows - OPEB 793,978 Deferred inflows - OPEB 11,924 Net on-behalf contributions adjustment - revenues 1,628,212 Net on-behalf contributions adjustment - expenses (1,628,212)Internal service funds are used by management to charge the costs of certain activities to individual funds. The net revenue (expense) of the internal service funds is reported with governmental activities. 5,487 Some revenues/expenditures reported in the governmental funds are not recognized as revenues/expenditures in the Statement of Activities Fund level on-behalf adjustment - revenues (4,727,658)Fund level on-behalf adjustment - expenditures 4,727,658 **Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities** \$ 9,675,492

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STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

PROPRIETARY FUNDS - EXHIBIT D-1

June 30, 2022

| | | Business-Type | | tal Activities rvice Funds | |
|--------------|--|-------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| Data | | Activities | | Nonmajor | Total |
| Control | | | Workers' | Parenting | Internal |
| Codes | • | Enterprise | Compensation | Center | Service Funds |
| | Assets | | | | |
| 1110 | Current assets: | ^ | | | |
| 1290 | Cash and cash equivalents Other receivable | \$ 279,256 | \$ 3,510,970 | \$ - | \$ 3,510,970 |
| 1290 | | 1,195,970 | | _ | - |
| | Total Current Assets | 1,475,226 | 3,510,970 | | 3,510,970 |
| | Noncurrent assets: | | | | |
| | Capital assets: | | | | |
| 1520 | Buildings and equipment, net | | | 25,549 | 25,549 |
| | Total Noncurrent Assets | - | - | 25,549 | 25,549 |
| 1000 | Total Assets | 1,475,226 | 3,510,970 | 25,549 | 3,536,519 |
| | <u>Liabilities</u> Current liabilities: | | | | |
| 2110 | Accounts payable | 237 | - | - | - |
| 2170 | Due to other funds | - | 50 | 12,938 | 12,988 |
| 2200 | Accrued expenses | - | 540,141 | | 540,141 |
| 2000 | Total Liabilities | 237 | 540,191 | 12,938 | 553,129 |
| 2615 | Deferred Inflows of Resources Deferred Inflows - Leases | 1 105 070 | | | |
| 2010 | Total Deferred Inflows of Resources | <u>1,195,970</u> 1,195,970 | | - | |
| | x otal Deterred Antows of Resources | 1,195,970 | | ····· | - |
| | Net Position | | | | |
| 3200 3900 | Net investment in capital assets | - | - | 25,549 | 25,549 |
| 3900 | Unrestricted | 279,019 | 2,970,779 | (12,938) | 2,957,841 |
| 2000 | Total Net Position | \$ 279,019 | \$ 2,970,779 | \$ 12,611 | \$ 2,983,390 |

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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION

PROPRIETARY FUNDS - EXHIBIT D-2

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

| | | | | | Governmen | | | | |
|---------|--------------------------------------|----|------------|-----|-------------|----------|---------|---------------|--|
| Data | | | iness-Type | | Internal Se | | | | |
| | | A | ctivities | | | Noi | nmajor | Total | |
| Control | | _ | | - | Vorkers' | | enting | Internal | |
| Codes | | E | nterprise | Cor | npensation | C | enter | Service Funds | |
| 5700 | Operating Revenues | | | | | | | | |
| 5700 | Charges for services | \$ | 111,261 | \$ | 554,558 | \$ | 164 | 554,722 | |
| 5020 | Total Operating Revenues | | 111,261 | | 554,558 | | 164 | 554,722 | |
| | One wetter - Toma | | | | | | | | |
| 6100 | Operating Expenses | | | | | | | | |
| 6100 | Payroll costs | | 55,051 | | 357,336 | | - | 357,336 | |
| 6200 | Professional and contracted services | | 76,610 | | 130,199 | | - | 130,199 | |
| 6300 | Supplies and materials | | 5,673 | | - | | - | - | |
| 6400 | Other operating costs | | 2,565 | | 71,385 | | - | 71,385 | |
| 6440 | Depreciation | _ | - | | - | | 2,850 | 2,850 | |
| 6030 | Total Operating Expenses | | 139,899 | | 558,920 | | 2,850 | 561,770 | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | Operating (Loss) | | (28,638) | | (4,362) | | (2,686) | (7,048) | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| | Nonoperating Revenues | | | | | | | | |
| 7020 | Earnings on investments | | 626 | | 9,685 | | - | 9,685 | |
| 8030 | Total Nonoperating Revenues | | 626 | · | 9,685 | | - | 9,685 | |
| | | | | h | | <u>+</u> | | ······ | |
| 1300 | Change in Net Position | | (28,012) | | 5,323 | | (2,686) | 2,637 | |
| | | | | | - | | | | |
| 0100 | Beginning net position | | 307,031 | | 2,965,456 | | 15,297 | 2,980,753 | |
| 3300 | Ending Net Position | \$ | 279,019 | | 2,970,779 | | 12,611 | 2,983,390 | |
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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

PROPRIETARY FUNDS - EXHIBIT D-3

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

| | Bus | siness-Type | | Governmen Internal Se | | | |
|--|----------|-------------------|-----------|--------------------------|---------|----------|---------------|
| | | Activities | · | Internal Se | | onmajor | Total |
| | 17. | | | Workers' | P | arenting | Internal |
| Cash Flows from Operating Activities | <u>.</u> | nterprise | <u>C0</u> | mpensation | | Center | Service Funds |
| Cash received from user charges | \$ | 111,261 | \$ | 554,558 | \$ | | 554 559 |
| Cash payments for insurance claims | Ψ | - | Ψ | (558,915) | Φ | - | 554,558 |
| Cash payments for other operating expenses | | (139,899) | | (556,915) | | - | (558,915) |
| Net Cash (Used) by Operating Activities | | (28,638) | | (4,357) | <u></u> | | (4,357) |
| Cash Flows from Investing Activities | | | | | | | <u> </u> |
| Proceeds from earnings on investments | | 626 | | 0 6 9 5 | | | 0.607 |
| Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities | | <u>626</u> 626 | | 9,685 | | | 9,685 |
| The cush i forface by investing Activities | | 020 | <u> </u> | 9,685 | · | | 9,685 |
| (Decrease)Increase in Cash & Cash Equivalents | | (28,012) | | 5,328 | | - | 5,328 |
| Beginning cash and cash equivalents | | 307,268 | | 3,505,642 | | | 3,505,642 |
| Ending Cash and Cash Equivalents | \$ | 279,256 | \$ | 3,510,970 | \$ | - | 3,510,970 |
| Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net Ca | sh | | | | | | |
| Provided (Used) by Operating Activities: | | | | | | | |
| Operating loss | \$ | (28,638) | \$ | (4,362) | \$ | (2,686) | (7,048) |
| Effect of increases and (decreases) in current assets and liabilities: | | (,,) | ÷ | (1,502) | Ψ | (2,000) | (7,040) |
| Depreciation | | - | | - | | 2,850 | 2,850 |
| (Decrease) in accounts payable | | - | | - | | (164) | (164) |
| Increase in due to other funds | | - | | 5 | | (104) | (104) |
| Net Cash (Used) by Operating Activities | \$ | (28,638) | \$ | (4,357) | \$ | - | (4,357) |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

FIDUCIARY FUND - EXHIBIT E-1

June 30, 2022

| Assets | | C | ustodial Fund |
|---|-------------------|----|--------------------|
| Cash and cash equivalents Due from other funds | | \$ | 183,426 |
| | Total Assets | | 13,906 197,332 |
| Liabilities | | | |
| Account payable | | | 14,026 |
| Due to other funds | | | 132 |
| Due to student groups | Total Liabilities | | 183,174 197,332 |

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

FIDUCLARY FUND - EXHIBIT E-2

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

| Additions | , | ustodial Fund |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------------|
| Contributions | | \$ 323,623 |
| Total A | dditions | 323,623 |
| Deductions | | |
| Professional and contracted services | | 43,634 |
| Supplies and materials | | 191,553 |
| Other expenses | _ | 88,436 |
| Total De | ductions | 323,623 |
| Change in Net | Position | - |
| Beginning net position | | - |
| Ending Net | Position : | \$ - |

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

Seguin Independent School District (the "District") is a public educational agency operating under the applicable laws and regulations of the State of Texas (the "State"). It is governed by a sevenmember Board of Trustees (the "Board") elected by registered voters of the District. The District prepares its basic financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and it complies with the requirements of the appropriate version of Texas Education Agency's (TEA) *Financial Accountability System Resource Guide* (the "Resource Guide") and the requirements of contracts and grants of agencies from which it receives funds.

The District is an independent political subdivision of the State governed by a board elected by the public and it has the authority to make decisions, appoint administrators and managers, and significantly influence operations, and is considered a primary government. As required by generally accepted accounting principles, these basic financial statements have been prepared based on considerations regarding the potential for inclusion of other entities, organizations, or functions as part of the District's financial reporting entity. No other entities have been included in the District's reporting entity. Additionally, as the District is considered a primary government for financial reporting purposes, its activities are not considered a part of any other governmental or other type of reporting entity.

B. Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government. All fiduciary activities are reported only in the fund financial statements. *Governmental activities*, which normally are supported by taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange transactions, are reported separately.

C. Basis of Presentation – Government-Wide Financial Statements

While separate government-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. The governmental activities column incorporates data from governmental funds and internal service funds. Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are payments in lieu of taxes where the amounts are reasonable equivalent in value to the interfund services provided.

D. Basis of Presentation – Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds, including its fiduciary funds. Separate statements for each fund category – governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary – are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental and proprietary funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

The District reports the following governmental funds:

General Fund

The general fund is the District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The general fund is always considered a major fund for reporting purposes.

Debt Service Fund

The debt service fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for principal and interest on all long-term debt of the District. The primary source of revenue for debt service is local property taxes. The debt service fund is considered a major fund for reporting purposes.

Capital Projects Fund

The capital projects fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditures for capital outlay, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. The capital projects fund is considered a major fund for reporting purposes.

Special Revenue Funds

The special revenue funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted to expenditures for specific purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The restricted proceeds of specific revenue sources comprise a substantial portion of the inflows of these special revenue funds. Most federal and some state financial assistance is accounted for in a special revenue fund. The Education Stabilization Funds, ESSER II and ESSER III are considered major funds for reporting purposes.

Proprietary Funds

Proprietary funds are used to account for activities that are similar to those often found in the private sector. The measurement focus is on determination of net income, financial position, and cash flows. Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues include charges for services. Operating expenses include administrative, facilities maintenance and operations, and community service expenses. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

The proprietary fund types used by the District includes the following:

Internal Service Funds

These funds are used to account for and report revenue and expenses related to services provided to parties inside the District on a cost-reimbursement basis. These funds account for the District's parenting center and workers' compensation risk management. Because the principal users of the internal service funds are the District's governmental activities, this fund type is included in the governmental activities column of the governmental-wide financial statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

Enterprise Funds

This fund type is used to account for the operations of the District's Oak Park Mall property. The principal operating revenues of the District's enterprise fund are charges for use of the Oak Park Mall.

Fiduciary Funds

The fiduciary funds account for assets held by the District in a trustee capacity or resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the District's own programs.

The District has the following type of fiduciary funds:

Custodial Fund

The custodial fund reports resources, not in a trust, that are held by the District for other parties outside of the District. Custodial funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. This fund is used to account for activities of students groups.

During the course of operations, the District has activity between funds for various purposes. Any residual balances outstanding at year end are reported as due from/to other funds and advances to/from other funds. While these balances are reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Balances between the funds included in governmental activities (i.e., the governmental and internal service funds) are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as internal balances in the governmental activities column.

Further, certain activity occurs during the year involving transfers of resources between funds. In fund financial statements, these amounts are reported at gross amounts as transfers in/out. While reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Transfers between the funds included in governmental activities are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as transfers in the governmental activities column.

E. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as *current financial resources* or *economic resources*. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

The government-wide, proprietary fund, and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt services expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

State and federal program revenues and interest income are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. No accrual for property taxes collected within 60 days of year end has been made as such amounts are deemed immaterial. Entitlements are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year end). Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for the revenue source (within 60 days of year end). All other revenue items are considered measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

F. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance

1. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

2. Investments

Investments, except for certain investment pools, commercial paper, money market funds, and investment contracts, are reported at fair value. The investment pools operate in accordance with appropriate state laws and regulations and are reported at amortized cost. Money market funds, which are short-term highly liquid debt instruments that may include U.S. Treasury and agency obligations and commercial paper that have a remaining maturity of one year or less upon acquisition, are reported at amortized cost. Investments in nonparticipating interest earning contracts, such as certificates of deposit, are reported at cost.

The District has adopted a written investment policy regarding the investment of its funds as defined in the Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256, Texas Governmental Code. In summary, the District is authorized to invest in the following:

Direct obligations of the U.S. Government Fully collateralized certificates of deposit and money market accounts Government investment pools and commercial paper

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, Continued

For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

3. Inventories and Prepaid Items

The costs of governmental fund type inventories are recorded as expenditures when the related liability is incurred (i.e., the purchase method). Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to the future accounting period (prepaid expenditures) are recognized as expenditures when utilized. Federal food commodities inventory is stated at fair value and at year end is recorded as unearned revenue. Revenue is recognized at fair value when commodities are distributed to the schools.

4. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include land and land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture and equipment, and construction in progress are reported in the applicable governmental activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation. Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets' lives are not capitalized.

Property, plant, and equipment of the primary government are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

| Asset Description | Estimated Useful Life |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Buildings and improvements | 30 years |
| Furniture and equipment | 3-10 years |

5. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred outflows of resources*, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will *not* be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred inflows of resources*, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will *not* be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

Deferred outflows/inflows of resources are amortized as follows:

• Deferred outflows/inflows from pension/other postemployment benefits (OPEB) activities are amortized over the average of the expected service lives of pension/OPEB plan members, except for the net differences between the projected and actual investment earnings on the pension/OPEB plan assets, which are amortized over a period of five years.

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- For employer pension/OPEB plan contributions that were made subsequent to the measurement date through the end of the District's fiscal year, the amount is deferred and recognized as a reduction to the net pension/OPEB liability during the measurement period in which the contributions were made.
- A deferred charge on refunding results from the difference in the carrying value of refunded debt and its reacquisition price. This amount is deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt.

At the fund level, the District has only one type of item, which arises only under a modified accrual basis of accounting, that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, *unavailable revenue*, is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. The governmental funds report unavailable revenues from property taxes. This amount is deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amount becomes available.

6. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities Statement of Net Position. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method, if material. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

Long-term debt for governmental funds is not reported as a liability in the fund financial statements until due. The debt proceeds are reported as other financing sources, net of the applicable premium or discount and payment of principal and interest reported as expenditures. In the governmental fund types, issuance costs, even if withheld from the actual net proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures. However, claims and judgments paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only for the portion expected to be financed from expendable, available financial resources.

The property tax rate is allocated each year between the general and debt service funds. The full amount estimated to be required for debt service on general obligation debt is provided by the tax along with the interest earned in the debt service fund.

7. Compensated Absences

Twelve-month employees with less than ten years of service accrue 0.834 days of vacation each month between July 1 and June 30. Twelve-month employees with great than 10 years of service accrue 1.25 vacation days each month between July 1 and June 30. Employees may accrue up to a maximum of 35 vacation days. Earned vacation time shall be paid to an employee who voluntarily separates from employment.

A permanent employee who was employed by the District prior to September 1, 1994, who contributes to the Teacher Retirement System (TRS) through payroll deductions, who was employed by the District for the past ten consecutive years, and who retires from the District under the provisions of TRS shall be paid for all unused state and local sick leave accrued while employed by the District. The total paid days cannot exceed 90 and will be based on the employee; then current rate during the 2003-2004 year.

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In lieu of benefits provided in the preceding paragraph, an employee eligible for such benefits may opt to receive a lump sum equivalent to 70 percent of the eligible benefits made available by this policy in exchange for waiving all other benefits owed under this policy. The accrual for accumulated unpaid sick leave and vacation leave benefits has been recorded in the government-wide financial statements.

8. Leases

The District is a lessor for several noncancellable leases of building and land space. The District recognizes a lease receivable and a deferred inflow of resources in the government-wide financial statements.

At the commencement of a lease, the District initially measures the lease receivable at the present value of payments expected to be received during the lease term. Subsequently, the lease receivable is reduced by the principal portion of lease payments received. The deferred inflow of resources is initially measured as the initial amount of the lease receivable, adjusted for lease payments received at or before the lease commencement date. Subsequently, the deferred inflow of resources is recognized as revenue over the life of the lease term.

Key estimates and judgments include how the District determines (1) the discount rate it uses to discount the expected lease receipts to present value, (2) lease term, and (3) lease receipts.

The District uses its estimated incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate for leases. The lease term includes the noncancellable period of the lease. Lease receipts included in the measurement of the lease receivable are composed of fixed payments from the lessee.

The District monitors changes in circumstances that would require a remeasurement of its leases and will remeasure the lease receivable and deferred inflow of resources if certain changes occur that are expected to significantly affect the amount of the lease receivable.

9. Net Position Flow Assumption

Sometimes the District will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted (e.g., restricted bond or grant proceeds) and unrestricted resources. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted net position and unrestricted net position in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the District's policy to consider restricted net position to have been depleted before unrestricted net position is applied.

10. Fund Balance Flow Assumptions

Sometimes the District will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources (the total of committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance). In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance in the governmental fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the District's policy to consider restricted fund balance to have been depleted before using any of the components of unrestricted fund balance. Further, when the components of unrestricted fund balance can be used for the same purpose, committed fund balance is depleted first, followed by assigned fund balance. Unassigned fund balance is applied last.

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11. Fund Balance Policies

Fund balances of governmental funds are reported in various categories based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. The District itself can establish limitations on the use of resources through either a commitment (committed fund balance) or an assignment (assigned fund balance).

Amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact are classified as nonspendable fund balance. Amounts that are externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions are classified as restricted fund balance.

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the District's highest level of decision-making authority. The District's Board is the highest level of decision-making authority for the District that can, by adoption of an ordinance prior to the end of the fiscal year, commit fund balance. Once adopted, the limitation imposed by the ordinance remains in place until a similar action is taken (the adoption of another ordinance) to remove or revise the limitation.

Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the District for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as committed. The District's Board may also assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover a gap between estimated revenue and appropriations in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Unlike commitments, assignments generally only exist temporarily. In other words, an additional action does not normally have to be taken for the removal of an assignment. Conversely, as discussed above, an additional action is essential to either remove or revise a commitment.

12. Estimates

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

13. Data Control Codes

The data control codes refer to the account code structure prescribed by TEA in the Resource Guide. The TEA requires school districts to display these codes in the financial statements filed with the TEA in order to insure accuracy in building a statewide database for policy development and funding plans.

14. Pensions

The fiduciary net position of TRS has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, pension expense, and information about assets, liabilities, and additions to/deductions from TRS's fiduciary net position. Benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are

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recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

15. Other Postemployment Benefits

The fiduciary net position of the TRS Texas Public School Retired Employees Group Insurance Program ("TRS-Care") has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB, OPEB expense, and information about assets, liabilities, and additions to/deductions from TRS-Care's fiduciary net position. Benefit payments are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. There are no investments as this is a pay-as-you-go plan and all cash is held in a cash account.

G. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

1. Program Revenues

Amounts reported as *program revenues* include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions (including special assessments) that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. All taxes, including those dedicated for specific purposes, and other internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

2. Property Taxes

All taxes due to the District on real or personal property are payable at the Office of the Tax Assessor-Collector and may be paid at any time after the tax rolls for the year have been completed and approved, which is no later than October 1. Taxes are due by January 31, and all taxes not paid prior to this date are deemed delinquent and are subject to such penalty and interest.

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1 each year. Taxes are levied on October 1 and are payable prior to the next February 1. District property tax revenues are recognized when collected.

II. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

The District adopts annual appropriations type budgets for the general fund, national school breakfast and lunch program special revenue fund, and the debt service fund using the same method of accounting as for financial reporting, as required by law. The special revenue funds (primarily federal grant programs) utilize a managerial type budget. These grants are subject to Federal, State, and locally imposed project length budgets and monitoring through submission of reimbursement reports.

Expenditures may not legally exceed budgeted appropriations at the function or activity level. Expenditure requests which require an increase in total budgeted appropriations must be approved by the Board through a formal budget amendment. State law prohibits trustees from making budget appropriations in excess of funds available and estimated revenues. State law also prohibits amendment of the budget after fiscal year end.

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The administrative level at which responsibility for control of budgeted appropriations begins at the organization level within each function of operations. The finance department reviews closely the expenditures requests submitted by the various organizational heads (principal and department heads) throughout the year to ensure proper spending compliance. No public funds of the District shall be expended in any manner other than as provided for in the budget adopted by the Board.

The official school budget was prepared for adoption for budgeted governmental fund types by July 1, 2021. The budget was formally adopted by the Board at a duly advertised public meeting prior to the expenditure of funds. The final amended budget is filed with the TEA through inclusion in the annual financial and compliance report.

III. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

A. Deposits and Investments

As of June 30, 2022, the District had the following investments:

| | | Weighted Average | |
|-----------------------------|------------------|---------------------|--------|
| <u>Investments</u> | Amount | Maturity (Years) | Rating |
| Texpool Investment Pool | \$ 3,192,343 | 0.24 | AAAm |
| Lone Star Investment Pool | 58,797,023 | 0.22 | AAA |
| Texas CLASS Investment Pool | 8,921,785 | 0.19 | AAAm |
| LOGIC Investment Pool | 424,779 | 0.09 | AAAm |
| Total Investments | \$ 71,335,930 | 0.19 | |

Interest rate risk. In accordance with its investment policy, the District manages its exposure to declines in fair values by structuring the investment portfolio so that securities mature to meet cash requirements for ongoing operations and invest operating funds primarily in short-term securities.

Credit risk. The District's policy requires that investment pools must be rated no lower than 'AAA' or 'AAA-m'. Bankers' acceptances must be issued in the United States and carry a rating of 'A1'/'P1' as provided by two of the top nationally recognized rating agencies. As of June 30, 2022, the District's investments in investment pools were rated 'AAAm' or 'AAA' by Standard & Poor's.

Custodial credit risk – deposits. In the case of deposits, this is the risk that the District's deposits may not be returned in the event of a bank failure. The District's investment policy requires funds on deposit at the depository bank to be collateralized by securities. As of June 30, 2022, fair market values of pledged securities and FDIC coverage exceeded bank balances.

Custodial credit risk – investments. For an investment, this is the risk that the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party in the event of the failure of the counterparty. The District's investment policy requires that it will seek to safekeep securities at financial institutions, avoiding physical possession. Further, all trades, where applicable, shall be conducted on a delivery versus payment basis or commercial book entry system as utilized by the Federal Reserve and shall be protected through the use of a third-party custody/safekeeping agent.

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<u>TexPool</u>

TexPool was established as a trust company with the Treasurer of the State as trustee, segregated from all other trustees, investments, and activities of the trust company. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts exercises oversight responsibility over TexPool. Oversight includes the ability to significantly influence operations, designation of management, and accountability for fiscal matters. Additionally, the State Comptroller has established an advisory board composed of both participants in TexPool and other persons who do not have a business relationship with TexPool. The advisory board members review the investment policy and management fee structure. Finally, Standard & Poor's rates TexPool 'AAAm'. As a requirement to maintain the rating, weekly portfolio information must be submitted to Standard & Poor's, as well as to the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts for review.

TexPool is an external investment pool measured at amortized cost. In order to meet the criteria to be recorded at amortized cost, TexPool must transact at a stable net asset value per share and maintain certain maturity, quality, liquidity, and diversification requirements within TexPool. TexPool transacts at a net asset value of \$1.00 per share, has weighted average maturities of 60 days or less, and weighted average lives of 120 days or less. Investments held are highly rated by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations, have no more than five percent of portfolio with one issuer (excluding U.S. government securities), and can meet reasonably foreseeable redemptions. TexPool has a redemption notice period of one day and may redeem daily. TexPool's authority may only impose restrictions on redemptions in the event of a general suspension of trading on major securities markets, general banking moratorium, or national state of emergency that affects TexPool's liquidity.

Texas CLASS

The Texas Cooperative Liquid Assets Securities System Trust – Texas (CLASS) is a public funds investment pool under Section 2256.016 of the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code, as amended. CLASS is created under an amended and restated trust agreement, dated as of December 14, 2011 (the "Agreement"), among certain Texas governmental entities investing in CLASS (the "Participants"), with Cutwater Investor Services Corporation as program administrator and Wells Fargo Bank Texas, NA as custodian. CLASS is not SEC registered and is not subject to regulation by the State. Under the Agreement, however, CLASS is administered and supervised by a seven-member board of trustees (the "Board"), whose members are investment officers of the Participants, elected by the Participants for overlapping two-year terms. In the Agreement and by resolution of the Board, CLASS has contracted with Cutwater Investors Service Corporation to provide for the investment and management of the public funds of CLASS. Separate financial statements for CLASS may be obtained from CLASS' website at www.texasclass.com.

Lone Star

The Lone Star Investment Pool ("Lone Star") is a public funds investment pool created pursuant to the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 791, and the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 2256. Lone Star is administered by First Public, a subsidiary of the Texas Association of School Boards, with Standish and American Beacon Advisors managing the investment and reinvestment of Lone Star's assets. State Street Bank provides custody and valuation services to Lone Star. All of the Board's eleven members are Lone Star participants by either being employees or elected officials of a participant. Lone Star has established an advisory board composed of both pool members and nonmembers. Lone Star is rated 'AAA' by Standard and

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Poor's and operated in a manner consistent with the SEC's Rule 2a7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. The District is invested in the Government Overnight Fund of Lone Star which seeks to maintain a net asset value of one dollar. Lone Star has 3 different funds: Government Overnight, Corporate Overnight, and Corporate Overnight Plus. Government Overnight, Corporate Overnight Plus maintain a net asset value of one dollar.

LOGIC

The Local Government Investments Cooperative (LOGIC) is an investment program for local governments within the State. LOGIC is governed by a board of trustees consisting of individuals from participating government entities. JP Morgan Investment Management, Inc. and First Southwest provide investment management services. Investments are subject to the strict requirements of the Public Funds Investment Act and LOGIC may invest in any of the securities authorized by statute. LOGIC must demonstrate compliance with Chapter 2256, Sections .016, .017, .018, and .019.

In accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 79, the external local government investment pools do not have any limitations and restrictions on withdrawals such as notice periods or maximum transaction amounts. These pools do not impose any liquidity fees or redemption gates.

B. Capital Assets

A summary of changes in capital assets for governmental activities at year end is as follows:

| Governmental Activities: | | Beginning Balances | | Increases | | Decreases | | Ending Balances |
|--|----|-----------------------|-----|----------------|----------|--------------|--------|--------------------|
| Capital assets not being depreciated: | | | | | | Deereases | w | Darances |
| Land and land improvements | \$ | 4,023,768 | \$ | - | \$ | (310,355) | \$ | 3,713,413 |
| Construction in progress | | 8,939,244 | • | 18,993,089 | Ŷ | (3,411,553) | Ψ | 24,520,780 |
| Total capital assets not being depreciated | | 12,963,012 | | 18,993,089 | <u> </u> | (3,721,908) | | 28,234,193 |
| Capital assets being depreciated: | | | | | | | | |
| Buildings and improvements | | 215,006,335 | | 3,540,273 | | (2,260,104) | | 216,286,504 |
| Furniture and equipment | | 16,976,624 | | 645,987 | | (445,775) | | 17,176,836 |
| Total other capital assets | _ | 231,982,959 | | 4,186,260 | | (2,705,879) | | 233,463,340 |
| Less accumulated depreciation for: | | | | | | | | |
| Buildings and improvements | | (85,884,795) | | (8,433,698) | | 2,073,811 | | (92,244,682) |
| Furniture and equipment | | (12,489,505) | | (807,942) | | 445,775 | | (12,851,672) |
| Total accumulated depreciation | | (98,374,300) | | (9,241,640) | | 2,519,586 | | (105,096,354) |
| Other capital assets, net | | 133,608,659 | • | (5,055,380) | | (186,293) | | 128,366,986 |
| Governmental Activities Capital | | | | | | | 6***** | |
| Assets, Net | \$ | 146,571,671 | \$ | 13,937,709 | \$ | (3,908,201) | | 156,601,179 |
| | | | | Les | s ass | ociated debt | | (190,071,284) |
| | | | | Plus unsper | it bo | nd proceeds | | 18,265,183 |
| | | | Plu | s deferred cha | urge (| on refunding | | 7,846,662 |

Net Investment in Capital Assets \$ (7,358,260)

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Depreciation was charged to governmental functions as follows:

| | | wernmental Activities |
|----|---|--------------------------|
| 11 | Instruction | \$ 4,858,430 |
| 12 | Instructional resources/media services | 108,688 |
| 13 | Curriculum and staff development | 143,047 |
| 21 | Instructional leadership | 309,772 |
| 23 | School leadership | 610,303 |
| 31 | Guidance, counseling, and evaluation services | 384,946 |
| 32 | Social work services | 153,461 |
| 33 | Health services | 84,893 |
| 34 | Student (pupil) transportation | 349,308 |
| 35 | Food services | 529,862 |
| 36 | Extracurricular activities | 270,822 |
| 41 | General administration | 281,475 |
| 51 | Facilities maintenance and operations | 814,373 |
| 52 | Security and monitoring services | 68,523 |
| 53 | Data processing services | 259,737 |
| 61 | Community services | 14,002 |
| | Total Depreciation Expense | \$ 9,241,640 |

C. Lease Receivable

During the current fiscal year, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 87, – *Leases* (GASB 87), and captured the lease receivable and deferred inflow related to the lease of certain areas of the Oak Park Mall property for private use. The leases span from 20 to 30 years, and the District will receive monthly payments of \$5,328 for the leases. The District recognized \$63,000 in lease revenue during the current fiscal year related to these leases. As of June 30, 2022, the District's receivable for lease payments was \$1,195,970. Also, the District has a deferred inflow of resources associated with these leases that will be recognized as revenue over the lease term. As of June 30, 2022, the balance of the deferred inflow of resources was \$1,195,970.

D. Long-Term Debt

The following is a summary of changes in the District's total governmental long-term liabilities for the year. In general, the District uses the debt service fund to liquidate governmental long-term liabilities. The liability the net pension and the net OPEB liability are liquidated by the general fund.

| Governmental Activities: | Beginning Balance | | Additions | | Reductions | | Ending Balance | J | Due Within One Year |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|------|----------------|-------|--------------|----|-------------------|----|------------------------|
| Bonds payable: | | | | | | | | | |
| General obligation bonds | \$ 181,034,809 | \$ | - | \$ | (10,070,000) | \$ | 170,964,809 | \$ | 8,050,000 |
| Bond premiums | 12,462,428 | _ | - | _ | (670,287) | | 11,792,141 | | - |
| | 193,497,237 | _ | | | (10,740,287) | - | 182,756,950 * | _ | 8,050,000 |
| Other liabilities: | | | | | | | | | |
| Net pension liability | 19,473,044 | | - | | (10,100,048) | | 9,372,996 | | - |
| Net OPEB liability | 22,695,080 | | - | | (477,510) | | 22,217,570 | | - |
| Accreted interest | 7,212,499 | | 101,835 | | - | | 7,314,334 * | | - |
| Total Governmental Activities | \$ 242,877,860 | \$ | 101,835 | Ş. | (21,317,845) | \$ | 221,661,850 | \$ | 8,050,000 |
| | Long-term lia | bili | ties due in mo | ore (| han one year | \$ | 213,611,850 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | |

*Debt associated with capital assets <u>\$ 190,071,284</u>

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Long-term liabilities applicable to the District's governmental activities are not due and payable in the current period and, accordingly, are not reported as fund liabilities in the governmental funds. Interest on long-term debt is not accrued in governmental funds, but rather is recognized as an expenditure when due.

Bonded debt payable as of June 30, 2022 is as follows:

| Date of Issue | Des cription | Interest Rate Payable | Original Amounts Issued | Amounts Outstanding 06/30/21 | Retired Current Year | | Amounts Outstanding 06/30/22 |
|------------------|--|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|
| 2/10/2021 | Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds Series 2021 | 2.00-5.00% | \$ 27,665,000 | \$ 27,665,000 | \$ | * | \$ 27,665,000 |
| 10/28/2020 | Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds Taxable Series 2020 | 1.40-4.00% | \$ 44,769,951 | 44,029,951 | | 640,000 | 43,389,951 |
| 8/14/2019 | Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds Series 2019 | 2.00-5,00% | \$ 31,656,000 | 29,790,000 | | 470,000 | 29,320,000 |
| 6/8/2016 | Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds Series 2016A | 2.00-5.00% | \$ 7,045,000 | 6,960,000 | | - | 6,960,000 |
| 3/30/2016 | Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds Series 2016 | 2.00-5.00% | \$ 33,375,000 | 27,030,000 | | 3,320,000 | 23,710,000 |
| 9/29/2015 | Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds Series 2015 | 2.00-5.00% | \$ 37,065,000 | 33,310,000 | | 800,000 | 32,510,000 |
| 4/9/2013 | Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds Taxable Series 2013 | 0.35-2.55% | \$ 10,135,000 | 2,855,000 | | 2,855,000 | - |
| 7/22/2010 | Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds Series 2010 | 2.00-4.00% | \$ 9,725,000 | 2,045,000 | | 1,320,000 | 725,000 |
| 10/12/2006 | Unlimited Tax Refunding Bonds Series 2006 | 4.00% | \$ 8,894,858 | 9,858 | | - | 9,858 |
| Maintinance | Tax Notes | | | | | | |
| 10/18/2016 | Maintenance Tax Notes Taxable Series 2016Z (QZAB) | 0.00% | \$ 10,000,000 Totals | \$ 7,340,000 181,034,809 | \$ | 665,000 10,070,000 | \$ 6,675,000 170,964,809 |

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| Year Ended | | | | Total | |
|------------|-------------------|------------------|----|-------------|--|
| June 30 | Principal | Interest | R | equirements | |
| 2023 | \$ 8,050,000 | \$ 5,559,529 | \$ | 13,609,529 | |
| 2024 | 7,069,858 | 6,782,648 | | 13,852,506 | |
| 2025 | 7,335,000 | 4,919,982 | | 12,254,982 | |
| 2026 | 7,655,000 | 4,600,407 | | 12,255,407 | |
| 2027 | 6,473,425 | 5,788,231 | | 12,261,656 | |
| 2028-2032 | 32,266,526 | 23,243,875 | | 55,510,401 | |
| 2033-2037 | 32,515,000 | 13,033,498 | | 45,548,498 | |
| 2038-2042 | 31,850,000 | 8,473,838 | | 40,323,838 | |
| 2043-2047 | 29,175,000 | 3,389,644 | | 32,564,644 | |
| 2048-2051 | 8,575,000 | 466,600 | | 9,041,600 | |
| | \$ 170,964,809 | \$ 76,258,252 | \$ | 247,223,061 | |

The annual requirements to amortize debt issues outstanding at year end were as follows:

E. Interfund Transactions

Amounts recorded as due to/from are considered to be temporary loans and will be repaid during the following year.

| Due From Due To | | Amount | | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------|-----------|--|
| General | Nonmajor governmental | \$ | 885,849 | |
| General | Custodial | | 13,906 | |
| Nonmajor governmental | General | | 7,553,667 | |
| Capital projects | General | | 46,953 | |
| Internal service | General | | 12,988 | |
| Custodial | General | | 132 | |
| | Total | \$ | 8.513.495 | |

IV. OTHER INFORMATION

A. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the District purchases commercial insurance. The District has not significantly reduced insurance coverage or had settlements which exceeded coverage amounts for the past three years.

Effective in fiscal year 1990, the District established a self-insurance plan for workers' compensation benefits for employees (the "Plan"). The District's retention of risk is \$1,000,000 per occurrence with an aggregate stop-loss limit of \$5,000,000. Claims incurred by the employees of the District are handled by a third-party administrator who is responsible for estimating losses to be incurred by the District and ultimately paid to the claimant.

Settled claims have not exceeded the aggregate coverage in any year the Plan has been in effect. Insurance coverage has not been reduced for the year from the prior year. Accrued claims payable of \$540,141 as of June 30, 2022 includes provisions for reported claims and claims incurred but not year reported is determined by estimating the amount that will ultimately be paid each claimant and is calculated and provided by the District's third-party administrator. Accrued claims payable have

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not been discounted to their present value as the District expects such claims to be paid within the following fiscal year. The District believes that any discount of the claims payable would not be material to the overall financial statements.

Changes in the Plan claims liability amount for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2022 are as follows:

| | 2022 | | 2021 |
|---|------|-----------|---------------|
| Liability, beginning of year | \$ | 540,141 | \$ 544,859 |
| Current year claims charges and estimates | | 146,047 | 167,255 |
| Claimpayments | | (146,047) | (171,973) |
| Liability, End of Year | \$ | 540,141 | \$ 540,141 |

B. Contingent Liabilities

Amounts received or receivable from granting agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the District expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

Liabilities are reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated. Liabilities include an amount for claims that have been incurred but not reported. Claim liabilities are calculated considering the effects of inflation, recent claim settlement trends including frequency and amount of payouts, and other economic and social factors. No claim liabilities are reported at year end.

The Tax Reform Act of 1986 instituted certain arbitrage restrictions consisting of complex regulations with respect to issuance of tax-exempt bonds after August 31, 1986. Arbitrage regulations deal with the investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds at an interest yield greater than the interest yield paid to bondholders. Generally, all interest paid to bondholders can be retroactively rendered taxable if applicable rebates are not reported and paid to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) at least every five years for applicable bond issues. Accordingly, there is the risk that if such calculations are not performed, or not performed correctly, it could result in a substantial liability to the District. The District has engaged an arbitrage consultant to perform the calculations in accordance with IRS rules and regulations.

C. Litigation

The District is a party to various legal actions, none of which is believed by the administration or its legal counsel to have a material effect on the financial condition of the District. Accordingly, no provision for losses has been recorded in the accompanying basic financial statements for such contingencies.

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D. Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Teacher Retirement System

Plan Description

The District participates in a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension that has a special funding situation. The plan is administered by TRS. It is a defined benefit pension plan established and administered in accordance with the Texas Constitution, Article XVI, Section 67 and Texas Government Code, Title 8, Subtitle C. The pension trust fund is a qualified pension trust under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Texas Legislature establishes benefits and contribution rates within the guidelines of the Texas Constitution. TRS's Board of Trustees does not have the authority to establish or amend benefit terms.

All employees of public, state-supported educational institutions in the State who are employed for one-half or more of the standard workload and who are not exempted from membership under Texas Government Code, Title 8, Section 822.002 are covered by TRS.

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the TRS's fiduciary net position is available in a separately-issued Annual Comprehensive Financial Report that includes financial statements and Required Supplementary Information. That report may be obtained on the Internet at https://www.trs.texas.gov/Pages/aboutpublications.aspx, or by writing to TRS at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, TX, 78701-2698.

Benefits Provided

TRS provides service and disability retirement, as well as death and survivor benefits, to eligible employees (and their beneficiaries) of public and higher education in the State. The pension formula is calculated using 2.3% (multiplier) times the average of the five highest annual creditable salaries times years of credited service to arrive at the annual standard annuity except for members who are grandfathered, the three highest annual salaries are used. The normal service retirement is at age 65 with 5 years of credited service or when the sum of the member's age and years of credited service equals 80 or more years. Early retirement is at age 55 with 5 years of service credit. There are additional provisions for early retirement if the sum of the member's age and years of service credit total at least 80, but the member is less than age 60 or 62 depending on date of employment, or if the member was grandfathered in under a previous rule. There are no automatic postemployment benefit changes; including automatic cost-of-living adjustments (COLAs). Ad hoc postemployment benefit changes, including ad hoc COLAs, can be granted by the Texas Legislature as noted in the Plan Description above.

Texas Government Code section 821.006 prohibits benefit improvements, if, as a result of the particular action, the time required to amortize TRS unfunded actuarial liabilities would be increased to a period that exceeds 31 years, or, if the amortization period already exceeds 31 years, the period would be increased by such action. Actuarial implications of the funding provided in the manner are determined by TRS's actuary.

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Contributions

Contribution requirements are established or amended pursuant to Article 16, section 67 of the Texas Constitution which requires the Texas Legislature to establish a member contribution rate of not less than 6% of the member's annual compensation and a state contribution rate of not less than 6% and not more than 10% of the aggregate annual compensation paid to members of TRS during the fiscal year.

Employee contribution rates are set in state statute, Texas Government Code 825.402. Senate Bill 12 of the 86th Texas Legislature amended Texas Government Code 825.402 for member contributions and increased employee and employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2020 through 2025.

| | ····· | Cont | ribut | ion Rates | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|----------|-------|----------------------------|----|----------------------|----------------------|
| | Fiscal Year | State |] | Public Educati Employer | on | Active Employee | |
| | 2021 | 7.50% | | 1.60% | | 7.70% | |
| | 2022 | 7.75% | | 1.70% | | 8.00% | |
| | 2023 | 8.00% | | 1.80% | | 8.00% | |
| | 2024 | 8.25% | | 1.90% | | 8.25% | |
| | 2025 | 8.25% | | 2.00% | | 8.25% | |
| Contribution Member | Rates | | | | | <u>2021</u> 7.70% | <u>2022</u> 8.009 |
| NECE (State) | | | | | | 7.50% | 7.75% |
| Employers | | | | | | 7.50% | 7.50% |
| | | | Me | easurement | | Fiscal | |
| | | | Y | ear (2021) | Y | ear (2022) | |
| | Employer contribution | | \$ | 1,570,655 | \$ | 1,992,160 | |
| | Member contributions | | \$ | 3,819,721 | \$ | 4,305,236 | |
| Ì | NECE on-behalf contri | ibutions | \$ | 2,907,959 | \$ | 2,931,835 | |

Contributors to TRS include members, employers, and the State as the only nonemployer contributing entity (NECE). The State is the employer for senior colleges, medical schools, and state agencies, including TRS. In each respective role, the State contributes to TRS in accordance with state statutes and the General Appropriations Act (GAA).

As the NECE for public education and junior colleges, the State contributes to TRS an amount equal to the current employer contribution rate times the aggregate annual compensation of all participating members of TRS during that fiscal year reduced by the amounts described below, which are paid by the employers.

Employers (public schools, junior colleges, other entities, or the State as the employer for senior universities and medical schools) are required to pay the employer contribution rate in the following instances:

- On the portion of the member's salary that exceeds the statutory minimum for members ٠ entitled to the statutory minimum under Section 21.402 of the Texas Education Code.
- During a new member's first 90 days of employment. •

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- When any part or all of an employee's salary is paid by federal funding sources, a privately sponsored source, from non-educational, and general or local funds.
- When the employing district is a public junior college or junior college district, the employer shall contribute to TRS an amount equal to 50% of the state contribution rate for certain instructional or administrative employees and 100% of the state contribution rate for all other employees.

In addition to the employer contributions listed above, there are two additional surcharges to which an employer is subject;

- All public schools, charter schools, and regional educational service centers must contribute 1.6% of the member's salary beginning in fiscal year 2021, gradually increasing to 2.0% in fiscal year 2025.
- When employing a retiree of the TRS, the employer shall pay both the member contribution and the state contribution as an employment after retirement surcharge.

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability (TPL) in the August 31, 2021 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

| Valuation date | August 31, 2020 rolled forward to August 31, 2021 |
|--|--|
| Actuarial cost method | Individual entry age normal |
| Asset valuation method | Fair value |
| Single discount rate | 7.25% |
| Long-term expected investment rate of return | 7.25% |
| Municipal bond rate | 1.95% - The source for the rate is the Fixed Income Market Data/Yield Curve/ Data Municipal bonds with 20 years to maturity that include only federally tax exempt municipal bonds as reported in Fidelity Index's "20-Year Municipal GO AA Index" |
| Inflation | 2.30% |
| Salary increases including inflation | 3.05% to 9.05%, including inflation |
| Benefit changes during the year | None |
| Ad hoc postemployment benefit changes | None |

The actuarial methods and assumptions used in the determination of the TPL are the same assumptions used in the actuarial valuation as of ending August 31, 2020. For a full description of these assumptions, please see the TRS actuarial valuation report dated November 9, 2020.

Discount Rate

A single discount rate of 7.25% was used to measure the TPL. The single discount rate was based on the expected rate of return on plan investments of 7.25%. The projection of cash flows used to determine this single discount rate assumed that contributions from active members, employers, and the NECE will be made at the rates set by the Legislature during the 2019 session. It is assumed that future employer and state contributions will be 8.50% of payroll in fiscal year 2020 gradually

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increasing to 9.55% of payroll over the next several years. This includes all employer and state contributions for active and rehired retirees.

Based on those assumptions, the TRS's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on TRS investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the TPL.

The long-term rate of return on pension plan investments is 7.25%. The long-term expected rate of return on TRS investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimates ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation.

Best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class included in TRS's target asset allocation as of August 31, 2021 are summarized below:

Tcacher Retirement System of Texas Asset Allocation and Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return As of August 31, 2021

| Asset Class | Target Allocation (1) | Long-Term Expected Arithmetic Real Rate of Return (2) | Expected Contributions to Long-Term Portfolio Returns |
|---|-----------------------------|---|---|
| Global Equity | | | |
| U.S. | 18.00% | 3.60% | 0.94% |
| Non-U.S. Developed | 13.00% | 4.40% | 0.83% |
| Emerging Markets | 9.00% | 4.60% | 0.74% |
| Private Equity | 14.00% | 6.30% | 1.36% |
| Stable Value | | | |
| Government Bonds | 16.00% | -0.20% | 0.01% |
| Absolute Return | 0.00% | 1.10% | 0.00% |
| Stable Value Hedge Funds | 5.00% | 2.20% | 0.12% |
| Real Return | | | |
| Real Estate | 15.00% | 4.50% | 1.00% |
| Energy, Natural Resources, and Infrastructure | 6.00% | 4.70% | 0.35% |
| Commodities | 0.00% | 1.70% | 0.00% |
| Risk Parity | | | |
| Risk Parity | 8.00% | 2.80% | 0.28% |
| Leverage | | | |
| Cash | 2.00% | -0.70% | -0.01% |
| Asset Allocation Leverage | -6.00% | -0.50% | 0.03% |
| Inflation Expectation | | | 2.20% |
| Volatility Drag(3) | | | -0.95% |
| Total | 100.00% | 34.50% | 6.90% |

(1) Target allocations are based on the FY2021 policy model.

(2) Capital Market Assumptions come from Aon Hewitt (as of 08/31/2021).

(3) The volatility drag results from the conversion between arithmetic and geometric mean returns.

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Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis

The following table presents the net pension liability (NPL) of TRS using the discount rate of 7.25%, and what the NPL would be if it was calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.25%) or one percentage point higher (8.25%) than the current rate:

| | 1% Decrease Current in Discount Discount Rate | | 1% Increase in Discount | |
|---|--|---------------------|----------------------------|--|
| | Rate (6.25%) | (7.25%) | Rate (8.25%) | |
| District's proportionate share of the net pension liability | \$ 20,481,483 | \$ 9,372,996 | \$ 360,640 | |

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

At June 30, 2022, the District reported a liability of \$9,372,996 for its proportionate share of the TRS's NPL. This liability reflects a reduction for State pension support provided to the District.

The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the NPL, the related State support, and the total portion of the NPL that was associated with the District were as follows:

| District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability | \$ 9,372,996 |
|--|------------------|
| State's proportionate share that is associated with the District | 17,353,449 |
| Total | \$ 26,726,445 |

The NPL was measured as of August 31, 2020 and rolled forward to August 31, 2021 and the TPL used to calculate the NPL was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the NPL was based on the District's contributions to TRS relative to the contributions of all employers to TRS for the period September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021.

At June 30, 2022, the District's proportion of the collective NPL was 0.036805%, which was an increase of 0.000445% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2021.

Changes Since the Prior Actuarial Valuation

There were no changes in assumptions since the prior measurement date.

For the year ended June 30, 2022, the District recognized pension expense of \$1,443,414 and revenue of \$1,443,414 for support provided by the State.

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At June 30, 2022 the District reported its proportionate share of the TRS's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

| | | Deferred | | Deferred | |
|--|-------------|-----------|------------|--------------|--|
| | Outflows of | | Inflows of | | |
| | F | Resources | | Resources | |
| Difference between expected and actual economic experience | \$ | 15,685 | \$ | (659,866) | |
| Changes in actuarial assumptions | | 3,313,171 | | (1,444,258) | |
| Difference between projected and actual investment earnings | | - | | (7,859,135) | |
| Changes in proportion and difference between the employer's | | | | | |
| contributions and the proportionate share of contributions | | 335,375 | | (2,610,511) | |
| Contributions paid to TRS subsequent to the measurement date | | 1,733,376 | | - | |
| Total | \$ | 5,397,607 | \$ | (12,573,770) | |

The net amounts of the District's balances of deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

| Pension |
|-------------------|
| Expense |
| \$ (1,641,771) |
| (1,730,270) |
| (2,422,665) |
| (2,904,833) |
| (202,178) |
| (7,822) |
| \$ (8,909,539) |
| \$ |

E. Defined Other Postemployment Benefits Plan

Plan Description

The District participates in TRS-Care. It is a multiple-employer, cost-sharing defined OPEB plan with a special funding situation. TRS-Care was established in 1986 by the Texas Legislature.

The TRS Board of Trustees (the "Board") administers the TRS-Care program and the related fund in accordance with Texas Insurance Code Chapter 1575. The Board is granted the authority to establish basic and optional group insurance coverage for participants, as well as to amend benefit terms as needed under Chapter 1575.052. The Board may adopt rules, plans, procedures, and orders reasonably necessary to administer the program, including minimum benefits and financing standards.

OPEB Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about TRS-Care's fiduciary net position is available in a separately issued TRS Annual Comprehensive Financial Report that includes financial statements and Required Supplementary Information. That report may be obtained on the Internet at https://www.trs.texas.gov/TRS%20Documents/cafr_2020.pdf; by writing to TRS at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, TX, 78701-2698; or by calling (512)542-6592.

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Components of the net OPEB liability of TRS-Care as of August 31, 2021 are as follows:

| Total OPEB liability | \$ | (41,113,711,083) |
|--|----|------------------|
| Less: plan fiduciary net position | _ | 2,539,242,470 |
| Net OPEB Liability | \$ | (43,652,953,553) |
| Net position as a percentage of total OPEB liability | | -6.18% |

Benefits Provided

TRS-Care provides health insurance coverage to retirees from public and charter schools, regional education service centers, and other educational districts who are members of TRS. Optional dependent coverage is available for an additional fee.

Eligible non-Medicare retirees and their dependents may enroll in TRS-Care Standard, a highdeductible health plan. Eligible Medicare retirees and their dependents may enroll in the TRS-Care Medicare Advantage medical plan and the TRS-Care Medicare Rx prescription drug plan. To qualify for TRS-Care coverage, a retiree must have at least 10 years of service credit in TRS. There are no automatic postemployment benefit changes, including automatic COLAs.

Contributions

Contribution rates for TRS-Care are established in state statute by the Texas Legislature and there is no continuing obligation to provide benefits beyond each fiscal year. TRS-Care is currently funded on a pay-as-you-go basis and is subject to change based on available funding. Funding for TRS-Care is provided by retiree premium contributions and contributions from the State, active employees, and school districts based upon public school district payroll. The TRS Board does not have the authority to set or amend contribution rates.

Texas Insurance Code, section 1575.202 establishes the State's contribution rate, which is 1.25% of the employee's salary. Section 1575.203 establishes the active employee's rate, which is 0.75% of pay. Section 1575.204 establishes an employer contribution rate of not less than 0.25% or not more than 0.75% of the salary of each active employee of the public. The actual employer contribution rate is prescribed by the Legislature in the GAA. The following table shows contributions to TRS-Care by type of contributor:

| Contribution Rates | | | | |
|---|--------|-------|--|--|
| | Fiscal | Year | | |
| | 2021 | 2022 | | |
| Active employee | 0.65% | 0.65% | | |
| NECE (State) | 1.25% | 1.25% | | |
| Employers | 0.75% | 0.75% | | |
| Federal/private funding remitted by employers | 1.25% | 1.25% | | |

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| | Meas urement Year (2021) | | Fiscal Year (2022) | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|-----------------------|---------|--|
| | | | | | |
| Employer contributions | \$ | 449,960 | \$ | 523,513 | |
| Member contributions | \$ | 144,230 | \$ | 174,900 | |
| NECE on-behalf contributions | \$ | 602,846 | \$ | 672,693 | |

In addition to the employer contributions listed above, there is an additional surcharge to which all TRS employers are subject (regardless of whether or not they participate in TRS-Care). When employers hire a TRS retiree, they are required to pay a monthly surcharge of \$535 per retiree to TRS-Care.

TRS-Care received supplemental appropriations from the State as the NECE in the amount of \$5,520,343 in fiscal year 2021 for consumer protections against medical and health care billing by certain out-of-network providers.

Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial valuation was performed as of August 31, 2020. Update procedures were used to roll forward the total OPEB liability to August 31, 2021.

The actuarial valuation of the OPEB plan offered through TRS-Care is similar to the actuarial valuation performed for the TRS pension plan, except that the OPEB valuation is more complex. The demographic assumptions were developed in the experience study performed for TRS for the period ending August 31, 2017. The following assumptions and other inputs used for members of TRS-Care are based on an established pattern of practice and are identical to the assumptions used in the August 31, 2020 TRS pension actuarial valuation that was rolled forward to August 31, 2021:

| Rates of Mortality | General Inflation |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Rates of Retirement | Wage Inflation |
| Rates of Termination | Expected Payroll Growth |
| Rates of Disability Incidence | |

The active mortality rates were based on 90% of the RP-2014 Employee Mortality Tables for males and females. The post-retirement mortality rates for healthy lives were based on the 2018 TRS of Texas Healthy Pensioner Mortality Tables, from the mortality projection scale MP-2018.

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Additional actuarial methods and assumptions are as follows:

| Valuation date | 8/31/2020 rolled forward to 8/31/2021 |
|---------------------------------------|---|
| Actuarial cost method | Individual entry age normal |
| Inflation | 2.30% |
| Discount rate | 1.95% as of August 31, 2021 |
| Aging factors | Based on plan-specific experience |
| Expenses | Third-party administrative expenses related to |
| | the delivery of healthcare benefits are included in |
| | the age-adjusted claims costs. |
| Projected salary increases | 3.05% to 9.05%, including inflation |
| Healthcare trend rates | Medical trend rates: 8.50% (Medicare retirees) |
| | and 7.10% (non-Medicare retirees) Prescription |
| Election rates | Normal retirement: 65% participation prior to age |
| | 65 and 40% participation after age 65. 25% of pre- |
| | 65 retirees are assumed to discontinue coverage |
| | at age 65. |
| Ad hoc postemployment benefit changes | None |

Ad hoc postemployment benefit changes None

Discount Rate

A single discount rate of 1.95% was used to measure the total OPEB liability. There was a decrease of 0.38% in the discount rate since the previous year. Because TRS-Care is essentially a "pay-as-you-go" plan, the single discount rate is equal to the prevailing municipal bond rate. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from active members and those of the contributing employers and the NECE are made at the statutorily required rates. Based on those assumptions, TRS-Care's fiduciary net position was projected to not be able to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the municipal bond rate was used for the long-term rate of return and was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total OPEB liability.

The source of the municipal bond rate is the Fidelity "20-year Municipal GO AA Index" as of August 31, 2021 using the Fixed Income Market Data/Yield Curve/ Data Municipal bonds with 20 years to maturity that include only federally tax-exempt municipal bonds.

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability

Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis – The following schedule shows the impact of the net OPEB liability if the discount rate used was 1 percentage lower than and 1 percentage point higher than the discount rate that was used (1.95%) in measuring the net OPEB liability:

| | 1% Decrease in Discount | Current Discount Rate | 1% Increase in Discount |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Rate (0.95%) | (1.95%) | Rate (2.95%) |
| District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability | \$ 26,799,509 | \$ 22,217,570 | \$ 18,611,435 |

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Healthcare Cost Trend Rates Sensitivity Analysis – The following presents the net OPEB liability of TRS-Care using the assumed healthcare cost trend rate, as well as what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a trend rate that is 1% less than or 1% higher than the assumed healthcare cost trend rate:

| | 1% Decrease | Current | 1% Increase |
|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| | in Healthcare | Healthcare | in Healthcare |
| | Cost Trend | Cost Trend | Cost Trend |
| | Rate | Rate | Rate |
| District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability | \$ 17,995,495 | \$ 22,217,570 | \$ 27,882,545 |

OPEB Liability, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

At June 30, 2022, the District reported a liability of \$22,217,570 for its proportionate share of TRS-Care's net OPEB liability. This liability reflects a reduction for State OPEB support provided to the District. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net OPEB liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

| District's proportionate share of the collective net OPEB liability | \$ 22,217,570 |
|---|------------------|
| State's proportionate share that is associated with the District | 29,766,592 |
| Total | \$ 51,984,162 |

The net OPEB liability was measured as of August 31, 2020 and rolled forward to August 31, 2021 and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on the District's contributions to TRS-Care relative to the contributions of all employers to TRS-Care for the period September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021.

At June 30, 2022, the District's proportion of the collective net OPEB liability was 0.057597% percent, which was a decrease of 0.000880% as of June 30, 2021.

Changes Since the Prior Actuarial Valuation

The following were changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement period:

• The discount rate changed from 2.33% as of August 31, 2020 to 1.95% as of August 31, 2021. This change increased the total OPEB liability.

There were no changes in benefit terms since the prior measurement date.

For the year ended June 30, 2022, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$184,797 and revenue of \$184,797 for support provided by the State.

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At June 30, 2022, the District reported its proportionate share of TRS-Care's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

| | C | Deferred Jutflows of Resources | Deferred Inflows of Resources |
|--|----|--------------------------------------|---|
| Difference between expected and actual economic experience | \$ | 956,572 | \$ (10,754,858) |
| Changes in actuarial assumptions | | 2,460,857 | (4,698,605) |
| Difference between projected and actual investment earnings | | 24,121 | _ |
| Changes in proportion and difference between the employer's | | | |
| contributions and the proportionate share of contributions | | 872,285 | (1,153,228) |
| Contributions paid to TRS subsequent to the measurement date | | 449,082 | - |
| Total | \$ | 4,762,917 | \$ (16,606,691) |

The net amounts of the District's balances of deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

| Fiscal | | |
|------------|----|--------------|
| Year Ended | | OPEB |
| June 30 | | Expense |
| 2023 | \$ | (2,337,549) |
| 2024 | | (2,338,093) |
| 2025 | | (2,337,944) |
| 2026 | | (1,753,124) |
| 2027 | | (961,368) |
| Thereafter | _ | (2,564,778) |
| Total | \$ | (12,292,856) |

The Medicare Prescription Drug, Improvement, and Modernization Act of 2003, which was effective January 1, 2006, established prescription drug coverage for Medicare beneficiaries known as Medicare Part D. One of the provisions of Medicare Part D allows for TRS-Care to receive retiree drug subsidy payments from the federal government to offset certain prescription drug expenditures for eligible TRS-Care participants. For the fiscal years ended June 30, 2021 and 2022, the subsidy payments received by TRS-Care on behalf of the District were \$240,545, and \$228,694, respectively.

F. Unemployment Compensation

During the year ended June 30, 2022, the District provided unemployment compensation coverage to its employees through participation in the TASB Risk Management Fund (the "Fund"). The Fund was created and is operated under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code. The Fund's unemployment compensation program is authorized by Section 22.005 of the Texas Education Code and Chapter 172 of the Texas Local Government Code. All members participating in the Fund execute interlocal agreements that define the responsibilities of the parties.

As a self-funded member of the Fund, the District is solely responsible for all unemployment compensation claim costs, both reported and unreported. The Fund provides administrative services to its self-funded members including claims administration and customer service.

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The Fund engages the services of an independent auditor to conduct a financial audit after the close of each plan year on August 31. The audit is accepted by the Fund's Board of Trustees in February of the following year. The Fund's audited financial statements as of August 31, 2021 are available at the TASB offices and have been filed with the Texas Department of Insurance in Austin.

H. Restatement of Net Position

During the fiscal year, the District implemented GASB 87 and restated the assets and deferred inflows of resources related to business-type activities.

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