RATINGS: S&P: "AA-" Moody's: "A1" See "RATINGS"

In the opinion of Sherman & Howard L.L.C., Bond Counsel, assuming continuous compliance with certain covenants described herein, interest on the 2017A Bonds and the 2017B Bonds (together, the "2017 Bonds") is excluded from gross income under federal income tax laws pursuant to Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date of delivery of the 2017 Bonds (the "Tax Code"), and interest on the 2017 Bonds is excluded from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code except that such interest is required to be included in calculating the "adjusted current earnings" adjustment applicable to corporations for purposes of computing the alternative minimum taxable income of corporations. See "TAX MATTERS--Federal Tax Matters."

\$407,900,000 Clark County School District, Nevada General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds Series 2017A

\$59,315,000 Clark County School District Nevada General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues) Series 2017B

Dated: Date of Delivery Due: June 15, as shown herein

The 2017 Bonds are issued as fully registered bonds in denominations of \$5,000, or any integral multiples thereof. The 2017 Bonds initially will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), securities depository for the 2017 Bonds. Purchases of the 2017 Bonds are to be made in book-entry form only. Purchasers will not receive certificates representing their beneficial ownership interest in the 2017 Bonds. See "THE 2017 BONDS--Book-Entry Only System." The 2017 Bonds bear interest at the rates set forth herein, payable semiannually on June 15 and December 15 of each year, commencing December 15, 2017, to and including the maturity dates shown herein (unless the 2017 Bonds are redeemed earlier), to the registered owners of the 2017 Bonds (initially Cede & Co.). The principal of the 2017 Bonds will be payable upon presentation and surrender at the principal operations office of The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas, Texas, or its successor as the paying agent for the 2017 Bonds. See "THE 2017 BONDS."

#### The maturity schedule for each series of the 2017 Bonds appears on the inside cover page of this Official Statement.

The 2017A Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the District as described in "THE 2017 BONDS—Prior Redemption." The 2017B Bonds are not subject to redemption prior to maturity.

Proceeds of the 2017A Bonds will be used to (i) finance the acquisition, construction, expansion, improvement, and equipment of school buildings, facilities and furniture within the District; (ii) refund certain outstanding general obligation bonds of the District, as more particularly described herein; and (iii) pay the costs of issuing the 2017A Bonds. Proceeds of the 2017B Bonds will be used to: (i) refund certain outstanding general obligation bonds of the District, as more particularly described herein; and (ii) pay the costs of issuing the 2017B Bonds. See "SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS."

The 2017 Bonds constitute direct and general obligations of the District. The full faith and credit of the District is pledged for the payment of principal and interest, subject to State constitutional and statutory limitations on the aggregate amount of ad valorem taxes and further subject to statutory limitations on the amount of redemption premium that may be paid. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS." The 2017B Bonds are additionally secured by a lien on the Pledged Revenues (defined herein) as more fully described herein; the lien of the 2017B Bonds on the Pledged Revenues has the priority described herein. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds." *The Pledged Revenues are not pledged to the payment of the 2017A Bonds*.

This cover page contains certain information for quick reference only. It is <u>not</u> a summary of the issue. Investors must read the entire Official Statement to obtain information essential to making an informed investment decision.

The 2017 Bonds are offered when, as, and if issued by the District, subject to the approval of legality of the 2017 Bonds by Sherman & Howard L.L.C., Las Vegas, Nevada, Bond Counsel, and the satisfaction of certain other conditions. Sherman & Howard L.L.C., also has acted as special counsel to the District in connection with the preparation of this Official Statement. Certain legal matters will be passed upon for the District by its General Counsel. Zions Public Finance, Las Vegas, Nevada, is acting as Financial Advisor to the District. It is expected that the 2017 Bonds will be available for delivery through the facilities of DTC, on or about June 28, 2017.

Official Statement dated June 8, 2017.

# MATURITY SCHEDULES (CUSIP© 6-digit issuer number: 181059)

#### \$407,900,000 CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA GENERAL OBLIGATION (LIMITED TAX) BUILDING AND REFUNDING BONDS SERIES 2017A

				CUSIP©					CUSIP©
Maturing	Principal	Interest		Issue	Maturing	Principal	Interest		Issue
( <u>June 15</u> )	<u>Amount</u>	Rate	Yield*	Number	( <u>June 15</u> )	<u>Amount</u>	Rate	Yield*	Number
2018	\$20,095,000	5.000%	0.930%	WN2	2028	\$8,440,000	5.000%	2.370%**	WY8
2019	32,000,000	5.000	1.000	WP7	2029	8,860,000	5.000	2.530**	WZ5
2020	18,965,000	5.000	1.150	WQ5	2030	9,305,000	5.000	2.640**	XA9
2021	15,660,000	5.000	1.270	WR3	2031	9,770,000	5.000	2.710**	XB7
2022	46,960,000	5.000	1.430	WS1	2032	10,260,000	5.000	2.780**	XC5
2023	19,910,000	5.000	1.590	WT9	2033	10,770,000	5.000	2.850**	XD3
2024	21,900,000	5.000	1.760	WU6	2034	11,310,000	4.000	3.190**	XE1
2025	77,920,000	5.000	1.960	WV4	2035	11,765,000	4.000	3.240**	XF8
2026	41,010,000	5.000	2.130	WW2	2036	12,235,000	4.000	3.280**	XG6
2027	8,040,000	5.000	2.260	WX0	2037	12,725,000	4.000	3.320**	XH4

<sup>\*</sup> Provided by J.P. Morgan Securities LLC, the initial purchaser of the 2017A Bonds. See "UNDERWRITING."

#### \$59,315,000 CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA GENERAL OBLIGATION (LIMITED TAX) REFUNDING BONDS (ADDITIONALLY SECURED BY PLEDGED REVENUES) SERIES 2017B

				CUSIP©
Maturing	Principal	Interest		Issue
( <u>June 15</u> )	<u>Amount</u>	Rate	Yield*	Number
2018	\$19,015,000	5.000%	0.930%	XJ0
2019	19,725,000	5.000	1.000	XK7
2020	20,575,000	5.000	1.150	XL5

<sup>\*</sup> Provided by Citigroup Global Markets Inc., the initial purchaser of the 2017B Bonds. See "UNDERWRITING."

<sup>\*\*</sup> Priced to the earliest optional redemption date of June 15, 2027.

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The information set forth in this Official Statement has been obtained from the District and from the sources referenced throughout this Official Statement, which the District believe to be reliable. No representation is made by the District, however, as to the accuracy or completeness of information provided from sources other than the District. This Official Statement contains, in part, estimates and matters of opinion which are not intended as statements of fact, and no representation or warranty is made as to the correctness of such estimates and opinions, or that they will be realized.

The information, estimates, and expressions of opinion contained in this Official Statement are subject to change without notice, and neither the delivery of this Official Statement nor any sale of the 2017 Bonds shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the District, or in the information, estimates, or opinions set forth herein, since the date of this Official Statement.

This Official Statement has been prepared only in connection with the original offering of the 2017 Bonds and may not be reproduced or used in whole or in part for any other purpose.

The 2017 Bonds have not been registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission due to certain exemptions contained in the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. The 2017 Bonds have not been recommended by any federal or state securities commission or regulatory authority, and the foregoing authorities have neither reviewed nor confirmed the accuracy of this document.

THE PRICES AT WHICH THE 2017 BONDS ARE OFFERED TO THE PUBLIC BY THE INITIAL PURCHASERS (AND THE YIELDS RESULTING THEREFROM) MAY VARY FROM THE INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING PRICES OR YIELDS APPEARING ON THE INSIDE COVER PAGE HEREOF. IN ADDITION, THE INITIAL PURCHASERS MAY ALLOW CONCESSIONS OR DISCOUNTS FROM SUCH INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING PRICES TO DEALERS AND OTHERS. IN ORDER TO FACILITATE DISTRIBUTION OF THE 2017 BONDS, THE INITIAL PURCHASERS MAY ENGAGE IN TRANSACTIONS INTENDED TO STABILIZE THE PRICE OF THE 2017 BONDS AT A LEVEL ABOVE THAT WHICH MIGHT OTHERWISE PREVAIL IN THE OPEN MARKET. SUCH STABILIZING, IF COMMENCED, MAY BE DISCONTINUED AT ANY TIME.

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#### OFFICIAL STATEMENT

# \$407,900,000 CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA GENERAL OBLIGATION (LIMITED TAX) BUILDING AND REFUNDING BONDS SERIES 2017A

\$59,315,000 CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA GENERAL OBLIGATION (LIMITED TAX) REFUNDING BONDS (ADDITIONALLY SECURED BY PLEDGED REVENUES) SERIES 2017B

#### INTRODUCTION

#### General

This Official Statement, including the cover page, the inside cover page and the appendices, is furnished by the Clark County School District, Nevada (the "District" and the "State," respectively), to provide information about the District and its \$407,900,000 General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2017A (the "2017A Bonds") and its \$59,315,000 General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B (the "2017B Bonds" and together with the 2017A Bonds, the "2017 Bonds"). The 2017 Bonds will be issued pursuant to separate bond resolutions adopted by the Board of Trustees of the District (the "Board") on May 11, 2017. The Board resolution which approved the 2017A Bonds is referred to herein as the "2017A Bond Resolution" and the Board resolution which approved the 2017B Bonds is referred to herein as the "2017B Bond Resolution." The 2017A Bond Resolution and the 2017B Bond Resolution are referred to collectively as the "2017 Bond Resolutions."

The offering of the 2017 Bonds is made only by way of this Official Statement, which supersedes any other information or materials used in connection with the offer or sale of the 2017 Bonds. The following introductory material is only a brief description of and is qualified by the more complete information contained throughout this Official Statement. A full review should be made of the entire Official Statement and the documents summarized or described herein. Detachment or other use of this "INTRODUCTION" without the entire Official Statement, including the cover page, the inside cover page, and the appendices, is unauthorized.

#### The Issuer

General. The District is a political subdivision of the State organized pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes ("NRS") Chapter 386. The District's boundaries are coterminous with those of Clark County, Nevada (the "County"). The District covers an area of approximately 8,012 square miles in the southern portion of the State. The District serves the unincorporated areas of the County and the following incorporated municipalities located within the District:

Las Vegas, North Las Vegas, Henderson, Boulder City and Mesquite. See "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT."

Pending Reorganization. Pursuant to Assembly Bill No. 394 ("AB 394"), enacted in 2015, and a Plan of Reorganization adopted by the Nevada Legislative Counsel Bureau on September 9, 2016, the District will be reorganized beginning with the 2017-2018 school year. Although the District has incurred and is expected to continue to incur expenses in connection with the reorganization, it is not expected that the reorganization will have any impact on the security for the 2017 Bonds or the District's ability to repay the 2017 Bonds or its outstanding debt. In 2017, the Nevada Legislature adopted Assembly Bill No. 469 or "AB 469," which repeals AB 394 but still requires reorganization. See "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT--Pending Reorganization."

## **Authority for Issuance**

The 2017 Bonds are issued pursuant to the constitution and laws of the State, including: the Local Government Securities Law, Nevada Revised Statutes ("NRS") 350.500 through 350.720, as amended (the "Bond Act"); chapter 348 of NRS (the "Supplemental Bond Act"); NRS 350.105 through 350.195 (the "Bond Sale Act") and the respective 2017 Bond Resolutions.

## **Purpose**

<u>2017A Bonds</u>. Proceeds of the 2017A Bonds will be used to (i) finance the acquisition, construction, expansion, improvement, and equipment of school buildings, facilities and furniture within the District (the "2017A Project"); (ii) refund a portion of the District's 2006B Bonds, 2007A Bonds, 2007C Bonds and 2008A Bonds (the "2017A Refunding Project"); and (iii) pay the costs of issuing the 2017A Bonds. See "SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS."

2017B Bonds. Proceeds of the 2017B Bonds will be used to (i) refund a portion of the District's 2006C Bonds and 2007B Bonds (the "2017B Refunding Project"); and (iii) pay the costs of issuing the 2017B Bonds. See "SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS." The 2017A Refunding Project and the 2017B Refunding Project are referred to herein together as the "2017 Refunding Projects."

## **Security for the 2017 Bonds**

General Obligations. The 2017 Bonds constitute direct and general obligations of the District. The full faith and credit of the District is pledged for the payment of principal and interest (the "Bond Requirements"), subject to State constitutional and statutory limitations on the aggregate amount of ad valorem taxes and further subject to statutory limitations on the amount of redemption premium that may be paid. Generally, the combined overlapping tax rate is limited by statute to \$3.64 per \$100 of assessed valuation. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--General Obligations." Pursuant to State law, taxes levied for the payment of bonded indebtedness, including the 2017 Bonds, enjoy a priority over taxes levied by each overlapping taxing unit for all other purposes where reduction is necessary in order to comply with the statutory limitations described in "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations."

Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds. The 2017B Bonds are additionally secured by a pledge of the "Pledged Revenues," which consist of the proceeds of certain room taxes (the "Room Taxes") and real property transfer taxes ("Transfer Taxes"), each as described below, deposited in the District's fund for capital projects (the "Capital Projects Fund") pursuant to applicable law. "Pledged Revenues" also include additional income derived from any supplemental or additional excise taxes received by the District if the Board is authorized to include and elects to include the additional excise taxes in "Pledged Revenues" for the remaining term of the 2017B Bonds. The Pledged Revenues are not pledged to the payment of the 2017A Bonds.

Pursuant to State law, the Room Taxes currently consist of the proceeds of a 1.625% room tax collected within the County and the Transfer Taxes currently consist of a tax on the transfer of real property equal to \$0.60 per \$500 of value. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds."

<u>Lien Priority of 2017B Bonds</u>. As of May 1, 2017 (after taking into effect the issuance of the 2017B Bonds and the 2017B Refunding Project), the lien of the 2017B Bonds on the Pledged Revenues is on a parity with the lien thereon of \$535,560,000 of outstanding general obligation bonds of the District (the "Parity Lien Bonds"), as more particularly described in "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds - Lien Priority."

Additional Bonds. The District may issue additional Parity Lien Bonds in the future. The District also is authorized to issue additional bonds that have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is superior to the lien thereon of the Parity Lien Bonds (the "Superior Securities"); however, such additional Superior Securities shall not be issued as general obligations. No Superior Securities are outstanding as of the date of this Official Statement, nor does the District currently plan to issue any Superior Securities. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS-Additional Bonds."

<u>Outstanding Bonds</u>. For information on the District's currently outstanding general obligation bonds, see "DEBT STRUCTURE--Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness and Other Obligations." The District may issue additional bonds, including refunding bonds, at any time legal requirements are satisfied.

#### The 2017 Bonds; Prior Redemption

The 2017 Bonds are issued solely as fully registered certificates in denominations of \$5,000, or any integral multiples thereof. The 2017 Bonds initially will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee of The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), the securities depository for the 2017 Bonds. Purchases of the 2017 Bonds are to be made in book-entry form only. Purchasers will not receive certificates representing their beneficial ownership interest in the 2017 Bonds. See "THE 2017 BONDS--Book-Entry Only System." The 2017 Bonds are dated as of the date of their delivery and mature and bear interest (calculated based on a 360-day year consisting of twelve 30-day months) as set forth on the inside cover page hereof. The payment of principal and interest on the 2017 Bonds is described in "THE 2017 BONDS--Payment Provisions."

The 2017A Bonds are subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the District as described in "THE 2017 BONDS--Prior Redemption." The 2017B Bonds are not subject to redemption prior to maturity.

#### **Professionals**

Sherman & Howard L.L.C., Las Vegas, Nevada, has acted as Bond Counsel in connection with the 2017 Bonds and also has acted as special counsel to the District in connection with the preparation of this Official Statement. Certain legal matters will be passed on for the District by its General Counsel. Zions Public Finance, Las Vegas, Nevada, is acting as the financial advisor (the "Financial Advisor") to the District. See "FINANCIAL ADVISOR." The audited basic financial statements of the District, attached to this Official Statement as Appendix A, include the report of Eide Bailly LLP, certified public accountants, Las Vegas, Nevada. See "INDEPENDENT AUDITORS." The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., Dallas, Texas, will act as Registrar and Paying Agent for the 2017 Bonds (the "Registrar" and "Paying Agent") and also will act as the Escrow Bank in connection with the 2017 Refunding Projects. Certain mathematical computations regarding the Escrow Accounts will be verified by Grant Thornton LLP, independent certified public accountants, Minneapolis, Minnesota. See "SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS--The Project--The 2017A Refunding Project" and "--The 2017B Refunding Project."

#### **Tax Matters**

In the opinion of Sherman & Howard L.L.C., Bond Counsel, assuming continuous compliance with certain covenants described herein, interest on the 2017 Bonds is excluded from gross income under federal income tax laws pursuant to Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date of delivery of the 2017 Bonds (the "Tax Code"), and interest on the 2017 Bonds is excluded from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code except that such interest is required to be included in calculating the "adjusted current earnings" adjustment applicable to corporations for purposes of computing the alternative minimum taxable income of corporations. See "TAX MATTERS-Federal Tax Matters."

In the opinion of Bond Counsel, the 2017 Bonds, their transfer, and the income therefrom are free and exempt from taxation by the State or any subdivision thereof except for the tax on estates imposed pursuant to Chapter 375A of NRS and the tax on generation-skipping transfers imposed pursuant to Chapter 375B of NRS. See "TAX MATTERS--State Tax Exemption."

#### **Continuing Disclosure Undertaking**

The District will execute a continuing disclosure certificate (the "Disclosure Certificate") at the time of the closing for the 2017 Bonds. The Disclosure Certificate will be executed for the benefit of the beneficial owners of the 2017 Bonds and the District will covenant in the respective 2017 Bond Resolutions to comply with its terms. The Disclosure Certificate will provide that so long as the applicable series of 2017 Bonds remain outstanding, the District will annually provide the following information to the Municipal Securities

Rulemaking Board (the "MSRB"), through the Electronic Municipal Market Access ("EMMA") system: (i) annually, certain financial information and operating data; and (ii) notice of the occurrence of certain material events; each as specified in the Disclosure Certificate. The form of the Disclosure Certificate is attached hereto as Appendix D. Within the past five years, the District has not failed to materially comply with any prior continuing disclosure undertakings entered into pursuant to Rule 15c2-12 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

#### **Certain Risks**

General. The purchase of the 2017 Bonds involves certain investment risks that are discussed throughout this Official Statement. Accordingly, each prospective purchaser of the 2017 Bonds should make an independent evaluation of all of the information presented in this Official Statement in order to make an informed investment decision.

Risks Related to Pending District Reorganization. During the 2015 legislative session, the Nevada Legislature (the "Legislature") adopted, and the Governor signed, Assembly Bill No. 394 ("AB 394"), which creates an advisory committee and a technical committee to develop a plan to reorganize the District. On September 1, 2016, the Nevada State Board of Education approved a plan for reorganization (the "Reorganization Plan") and adopted related regulations (the "Regulations"). On September 9, 2016, the Nevada Legislative Counsel Bureau approved the Reorganization Plan. During the 2017 legislative session, the Nevada Legislature (the "Legislature") adopted, and the Governor signed, Assembly Bill No. 469 ("AB 469"). AB 469 repealed AB 394 but still requires reorganization. The purpose of AB 469 is essentially to incorporate the Reorganization Plan into law as a State statute. The Reorganization Plan will go into effect for the 2017-2018 school year. It is not yet possible to determine the final impact of the Reorganization Plan and AB 469 on the District. The Reorganization Plan and the Regulations are described in more detail in "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT--Pending Reorganization."

General Risks Related to Property Taxes. Due to the statutory process required for the levy of taxes, in any year in which the District is required to levy property taxes, there may be a delay in the availability of revenues to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Collections."

<u>Economic Factors May Impact Property Values</u>. The District's ability to retire the indebtedness created by the issuance of the 2017 Bonds is dependent, in part, upon the maintenance of an adequate tax base against which the District may levy and collect property tax revenues. The amount of General Taxes collected will be dependent upon the assessed valuation of land within the District.

In the past, economic conditions have negatively impacted the County (and the District) as they have the rest of the country. During the period of approximately 2008-2011, economic activity decreased in a variety of sectors throughout the County, including gaming and construction, areas that have previously provided growth to the County. Furthermore, due to the economic conditions, the County experienced a housing slump around the same period and experienced declines in commercial construction. The decline in the economy, the housing slump and declines in construction activity caused a decline in the assessed valuation of taxable

property in the County from fiscal year 2010 to fiscal year 2013; however, assessed valuation has increased each of the last five fiscal years (2014-2018). See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--History of Assessed Valuation." In addition, the Greater Las Vegas Association of Realtors ("GLVAR") reports that existing home prices in Southern Nevada continue to increase and as of March 2017 were 10.0% higher than they were in March 2016 due to growing demand for housing. See "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments." Foreclosures may impact the future assessed value of property in the District; it is not possible to quantify that impact at this time. It cannot be predicted at this time what impact these trends (or other economic trends) would have on property tax collections in the future. In addition, the assessed value may increase, but tax revenues may be limited by State law. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Collections--Effect of Abatement."

Numerous factors over which the District has no control may impact the timely receipt of ad valorem property tax revenues in the future. These include the valuation of property within the District, the number of homes which are in foreclosure, bankruptcy proceedings of property taxpayers or their lenders, and the ability or willingness of property owners or lenders to pay taxes in a timely manner.

Certain Risks Related to Room Tax Revenues – 2017B Bonds. The economy of the County and the State is heavily dependent on the tourist industry, which is based significantly on legalized gaming. Any decrease in the level of tourist activity (including convention activity) in the County is likely to result in a reduction in Room Tax revenues. Factors such as weakening in the national economy and reductions in travel for any reason, including terrorist attacks and increases in gas prices, have impacted Room Tax revenues in the past and could do so in the future. Room Tax revenues declined significantly during fiscal years 2009 and 2010 as a result of the national recession; however, Room Tax revenues have increased each of the last six fiscal years (2011-2016) and are expected to increase again in fiscal year 2017 based upon collections through February 28, 2017. It is possible, however, that Room Tax revenues could decrease in the current fiscal year or in any future fiscal year due to the factors described above or other factors. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds-History of Pledged Revenues and Debt Service Coverage."

In the future, legalized gaming in other jurisdictions may provide competition that decreases visits to Las Vegas. See "ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION-Gaming." In addition, other factors may adversely affect the level of Room Tax revenues in the future. One such factor is the dependence on the individual members of the hotel/casino industry to attract visitors to the Las Vegas area through the use of advertising and other promotional activities. Another factor is the availability of affordable and frequent air service to the County. Reductions in air service or sharp increases in the price of such service may occur due to the poor health of the airline industry in general, increases in jet fuel costs or other factors; such reductions may result in reduced visitors to the County and a subsequent reduction in Pledged Revenues. The District has no control over the activities of the airlines or the hotel/casino operators; however, any reduction in the level of air service resulting in reduced occupancy or in the level of advertising and promotional activity could result in a reduction in Room Tax receipts.

Other factors which are beyond the District's control include the rates at which hotels rent rooms and the rate at which hotel/casinos provide complimentary ("comp") rooms to guests. Hotel/casinos may be inclined, especially during low tourism periods or for competitive advantage, to significantly decrease the price of room rentals. When the price of the room rental decreases, Room Tax revenues may also decline. In addition, "comp" rooms are not subject to Room Tax. Accordingly, an increase in the number of "comp" rooms may adversely impact Room Tax revenues. The District has no control over the room rates charged by individual properties or the amount of "comp" rooms provided by hotel/casinos. Accordingly, when the hotel/casino operators decide to lower room rates for extended periods of time or increase the number of "comp" rooms, Room Tax revenues decline.

Certain Risks Related to Transfer Tax Revenues – 2017B Bonds. The amount of revenue the District receives from Transfer Taxes is based on the selling or market price of real property whenever an interest in the property is transferred. Two factors within the County housing market contributed to past declines: the drop in median price on the sale of homes and the significant decrease in number of home sales. Due to the declining housing market in the County, the District's Transfer Tax revenues declined significantly from fiscal years 2007 through 2011; however, Transfer Tax revenues have increased each of the last five fiscal years (2012-2016) and are expected to increase again in fiscal year 2017 based upon collections through February 28, 2017. It is possible, however, that Transfer Tax revenues could decrease in any future fiscal year due to the factors described above or other factors. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds--History of Pledged Revenues and Debt Service Coverage."

<u>District Cannot Increase Rates of Room Taxes or Transfer Taxes – 2017B Bonds</u>. The District has no control over the rates at which the Room Tax or the Transfer Tax are imposed; the rate of such taxes can be increased only by action of the Legislature. Accordingly, should the Pledged Revenues be insufficient to pay debt service on the 2017B Bonds and the other Parity Lien Bonds, the District is not authorized to increase the rate of the Room Tax or the Transfer Tax in order to raise sufficient revenues to pay debt service.

Bankruptcy and Foreclosure. The ability and willingness of an owner or operator of property to pay Room Tax may be adversely affected by the filing of a bankruptcy proceeding by the owner. For example, see "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds" regarding the recent bankruptcy of Caesars Entertainment Operating Company, Inc. The ability to collect delinquent Room Taxes using foreclosure and sale for non-payment of taxes may be forestalled or delayed by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency, or other similar proceedings of the owner of a taxed property or the holder of mortgage liens on the taxed property. Prosecution of such proceedings could be delayed due to crowded local court calendars or legal delaying tactics. The federal bankruptcy laws provide for an automatic stay of foreclosure and sale proceedings, thereby delaying such proceedings, perhaps for an extended period. Delays in the exercise of remedies could result in Pledged Revenue collections which may be insufficient to pay debt service on the 2017B Bonds when due.

<u>Limitations on Remedies - No Acceleration</u>. There is no provision for acceleration of the maturity of the principal of the 2017 Bonds in the event of a default in the

payment of principal of, or interest on, the 2017 Bonds. Consequently, remedies available to the owners of the 2017 Bonds may have to be enforced from year to year.

Limitations on Remedies - Bankruptcy, Federal Lien Power and Police Power. The enforceability of the rights and remedies of the owners of the 2017 Bonds and the obligations incurred by the District in issuing the 2017 Bonds are subject to the federal bankruptcy code and applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium, or similar laws relating to or affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally, now or hereafter in effect; usual equity principles which may limit the specific enforcement under State law of certain remedies; the exercise by the United States of America of the powers delegated to it by the federal Constitution; the power of the federal government to impose liens in certain situations; and the reasonable and necessary exercise, in certain exceptional situations, of the police power inherent in the sovereignty of the State and its governmental bodies in the interest of serving a significant and legitimate public purpose. Bankruptcy proceedings or the exercise of powers by the federal or State government (including the imposition of tax liens by the federal government), if initiated, could subject the owners of the 2017 Bonds to judicial discretion and interpretation of their rights in bankruptcy or otherwise, and consequently may entail risks of delay, limitation or modification of their rights.

<u>Changes in Laws</u>. Various State laws apply to the imposition, collection, and expenditure of ad valorem property taxes (sometimes referred to as "General Taxes") as well as to the operation and finances of the District, including State funding of education.

The Legislature determines the amount of State funds that will be distributed to school districts in each year pursuant to statutory funding formulas. As discussed throughout this Official Statement, in response to the difficult economic situation experienced in the State during approximately 2009-2013, the Legislature took action to reduce the amount of State funding to school districts (including the District). These actions included reducing the per-pupil amounts paid to the District and providing that specified amounts on deposit in the District's Capital Projects Fund could be applied as local funds in the General Fund and used for operating purposes for the 2009-2011 and 2011-2013 bienniums rather than for capital projects. Since 2013, however, State funding for school districts has maintained consistently higher levels than in the 2009-2013 period, and is expected to increase significantly in fiscal year 2018, based upon the 2018 Final Budget. See "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--General Operating Fund."

During the 2015 legislative session, three statutes were adopted which could materially negatively impact the District. Assembly Bill No. 394 ("AB 394") has resulted in the Reorganization Plan described above in "Certain Risks--Risks Related to Pending District Reorganization" and "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT--Pending Reorganization." AB 394 was repealed in April 2017 by AB 469, but the Reorganization Plan is still required and is expected to be implemented. Senate Bill No. 302 ("SB 302") established a program by which a child who receives instruction from entities other than a public school may receive a grant of money, to be deducted from the amount otherwise received by the school district. The Nevada Supreme Court issued an opinion on September 29, 2016, impacting the constitutionality of SB 302. SB 302 is described in more detail in "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--Education Savings Account Legislation." Assembly Bill No. 448 ("AB 448"), effective July 1,

2016, created achievement charter schools which could be located within the District. AB 448 is described in more detail in "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--Achievement Charter School Legislation."

There is no assurance that there will not be any change in, interpretation of, or addition to the applicable laws, provisions, and regulations which would have a material effect, directly or indirectly, on the affairs of the District and the imposition, collection, and expenditure of its revenues, including General Taxes.

## **Forward-Looking Statements**

This Official Statement, particularly (but not limited to) the sections entitled "CERTAIN RISKS," "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments," and statements throughout this Official Statement referring to budgeted or unaudited information for fiscal year 2017 or future years, contains statements relating to future results that are "forward-looking statements" as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. When used in this Official Statement, the words "estimate," "forecast," "intend," "expect" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements. Any forward-looking statement is subject to uncertainty. Accordingly, such statements are subject to risks that could cause actual results to differ, possibly materially, from those contemplated in such forward-looking statements. Inevitably, some assumptions used to develop forward-looking statements will not occur as assumed or unanticipated events and circumstances may occur. Therefore, investors should be aware that there are likely to be differences between forward-looking statements and actual results. Those differences could be materially adverse to the owners of the 2017 Bonds and could impact the availability of revenues to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds.

#### **Additional Information**

This introduction is only a brief summary of the provisions of the 2017 Bonds and the 2017 Bond Resolutions; a full review of the entire Official Statement should be made by potential investors. Brief descriptions of the 2017 Bonds, the 2017 Bond Resolutions, the 2017 Refunding Projects and the District are included in this Official Statement. All references herein to the 2017 Bonds, the 2017 Bond Resolutions and other documents are qualified in their entirety by reference to such documents. This Official Statement speaks only as of its date and the information contained herein is subject to change.

Additional information and copies of the documents referred to herein are available from the District and the Financial Advisor:

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#### **SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS**

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The proceeds of the 2017 Bonds are expected to be applied in the manner set forth in the following table.

## Sources and Uses of Funds

GOVERN	2017A Bonds	2017B Bonds	<u>Total</u>
SOURCES: Principal amount	\$407,900,000.00 <u>67,724,485.75</u> \$475,624,485.75	\$59,315,000.00 <u>4,572,806.65</u> \$63,887,806.65	\$467,215,000.00 <u>72,297,292.40</u> \$539,512,292.40
USES:	<u>\$173,021,103.73</u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
2017A Building Project	\$184,466,585.59	\$	\$184,466,585.59
2017A Refunding Project	288,797,259.65		288,797,259.65
2017B Refunding Project		63,624,925.72	63,624,925.72
underwriting discount) <sup>(1)</sup>	2,360,640.51 \$475,624,485.75	262,880.93 \$63,887,806.65	2,623,521.44 \$539,512,292.40

<sup>(1)</sup> See "UNDERWRITING."

Source: The Financial Advisor.

## The Project

The 2017A Refunding Project. A portion of the net proceeds of the 2017A Bonds will be used to refund \$98,805,000 of the 2006B Bonds, refund \$113,405,000 of the 2007A Bonds, refund \$43,105,000 of the 2007C Bonds and refund \$27,570,000 of the 2008A Bonds (plus accrued interest). The 2006B Bonds to be refunded (the "Refunded 2006B Bonds") mature on June 15, 2022 and 2025-2026. The 2007A Bonds to be refunded (the "Refunded 2007A Bonds") include a portion of the 2007A Bonds maturing on June 15, 2020-2024 and the full amount of the 2007A Bonds maturing on June 15, 2025. The 2007C Bonds to be refunded (the "Refunded 2007C Bonds") mature on June 15, 2018-2019. The 2008A Bonds to be refunded (the "Refunded 2008A Bonds") mature on June 15, 2019.

To accomplish the 2017A Refunding Project, the District will deposit the net proceeds of the 2017A Bonds into the 2017A Escrow Account created pursuant to the 2017A Bond Resolution. Pursuant to an escrow agreement between the District and the Escrow Bank, the amounts deposited into the 2017A Escrow Account will be invested in Federal Securities (defined herein) maturing at such times and in such amounts as are required to pay: (i) the principal on the Refunded 2006B Bonds upon prior redemption on July 10, 2017, and the interest on the Refunded 2007A Bonds upon prior redemption on July 10, 2017, and the interest on the Refunded 2007A Bonds as it becomes due through July 10, 2017; (iii) the principal on the Refunded 2007C Bonds upon prior redemption on December 15, 2017, and the interest on the Refunded 2007C Bonds as it becomes due through December 15, 2017; (iv) the principal on the

Refunded 2008A Bonds upon prior redemption on June 15, 2018; and the interest on the Refunded 2008A Bonds as it becomes due through June 15, 2018.

Grant Thornton LLP, a firm of independent public accountants, will deliver to the District, on or before the settlement date of the 2017A Bonds, its verification report indicating that it has verified, in accordance with consulting standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the mathematical accuracy of: (a) the mathematical computations of the adequacy of the cash and the maturing principal of and interest on the Federal Securities, to pay, when due, the maturing principal of and interest on the Refunded 2006B Bonds, the Refunded 2007A Bonds, the Refunded 2007C Bonds and the Refunded 2008A Bonds, and (b) the mathematical computations of yield used by Bond Counsel to support its opinion that interest on the 2017A Bonds will be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. The verification performed by Grant Thornton LLP will be solely based upon data, information and documents provided to Grant Thornton LLP by the District and its representatives. Grant Thornton LLP has restricted its procedures to recalculating the computations provided by the District and its representatives and has not evaluated or examined the assumptions or information used in the computations.

The 2017A Building Project. A portion of the 2017A Bond proceeds will be used to defray wholly or in part the cost of acquiring, constructing, improving, and equipping school facilities of the District pursuant to the District's current capital improvement plan. See "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT--District Facilities and Capital Improvement Plan."

The 2017B Refunding Project. The net proceeds of the 2017B Bonds will be used to refund \$21,460,000 of the 2006C Bonds and \$41,275,000 of the 2007B Bonds. The 2006C Bonds to be refunded (the "Refunded 2006C Bonds") mature on June 15, 2018-2020. The 2007B Bonds to be refunded (the "Refunded 2007B Bonds") mature on June 15, 2018-2020.

To accomplish the 2017B Refunding Project, the District will deposit the net proceeds of the 2017B Bonds into the 2017B Escrow Account created pursuant to the 2017B Bond Resolution. Pursuant to an escrow agreement between the District and the Escrow Bank, the amounts deposited into the 2017B Escrow Account will be invested in Federal Securities (defined herein) maturing at such times and in such amounts as are required to pay: (i) the principal on the Refunded 2006C Bonds upon prior redemption on July 10, 2017, and the interest on the Refunded 2007B Bonds upon prior redemption on December 15, 2017, and the interest on the Refunded 2007B Bonds as it becomes due through December 15, 2017.

Grant Thornton LLP, a firm of independent public accountants, will deliver to the District, on or before the settlement date of the 2017B Bonds, its verification report indicating that it has verified, in accordance with consulting standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the mathematical accuracy of: (a) the mathematical computations of the adequacy of the cash and the maturing principal of and interest on the Federal Securities, to pay, when due, the maturing principal of and interest on the Refunded 2006C Bonds and the Refunded 2007B Bonds, and (b) the mathematical computations of yield used by Bond Counsel to support its opinion that interest on the 2017B Bonds will be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. The verification performed by Grant

Thornton LLP will be solely based upon data, information and documents provided to Grant Thornton LLP by the District and its representatives. Grant Thornton LLP has restricted its procedures to recalculating the computations provided by the District and its representatives and has not evaluated or examined the assumptions or information used in the computations.

#### THE 2017 BONDS

#### General

The 2017 Bonds will be issued as fully registered bonds in denominations of \$5,000 and any integral multiples thereof. The 2017 Bonds will be dated as of their date of delivery and will bear interest (calculated on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months) and mature as set forth on the inside cover page of this Official Statement. The 2017 Bonds initially will be registered in the name of "Cede & Co.," as nominee for The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), the securities depository for the 2017 Bonds. Purchases of the 2017 Bonds are to be made in book-entry only form. Purchasers will not receive certificates evidencing their beneficial ownership interest in the 2017 Bonds. See "Book-Entry Only System" below.

## **Payment Provisions**

Interest on the 2017 Bonds is payable on each June 15 and December 15, commencing December 15, 2017. Payment of interest on any 2017 Bond shall be made to the registered owner thereof by check or draft mailed by the Paying Agent, on each interest payment date (or, if such interest payment date is not a business day, on the next succeeding business day), to the registered owner thereof (i.e., Cede & Co.), at the address as shown on the registration records kept by the Registrar as of the close of business on the last day of the calendar month next preceding such interest payment date (other than a special interest payment date hereafter fixed for payment of defaulted interest) (the "Regular Record Date"); but any such interest not so timely paid or duly provided for shall cease to be payable to the registered owner thereof as shown on the registration records of the Registrar as of the close of business on the Regular Record Date and shall be payable to the person who is the registered owner thereof, as shown on the registration records of the Registrar as of the close of business on a special record date fixed for the purpose of paying any such defaulted interest (the "Special Record Date"). Such Special Record Date shall be fixed by the Paying Agent whenever money becomes available for payment of the defaulted interest, and notice of the Special Record Date shall be given not less than ten days prior thereto by first-class mail to each registered owner as shown on the Registrar's registration records as of a date selected by the Registrar, stating the date of the Special Record Date and the date fixed for the payment of such defaulted interest. The Paying Agent may make payments of interest on any 2017 Bond by such alternative means as may be mutually agreed upon between the registered owner of such 2017 Bond and the Paying Agent (but the District shall not be required to make funds available to the Paying Agent prior to the date on which such funds are due for payment to the owners of the 2017 Bonds). The principal of and redemption premium, if any, on any 2017 Bond shall be payable to the registered owner thereof as shown on the registration records kept by the Registrar, upon maturity or prior redemption and upon presentation and surrender at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent, or such other office as designated by the Paying Agent. If any 2017 Bond shall not be paid upon such presentation and surrender at or after maturity, it shall continue to draw interest at the interest rate borne by the 2017 Bond until the principal thereof is paid in full. All such payments shall be made in lawful money of the United States of America without deduction for any service charges of the Paying Agent or Registrar.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, payments of the principal of and interest on the 2017 Bonds will be made directly to DTC or its nominee, Cede & Co., by the Paying Agent, so long as DTC or Cede & Co. is the registered owner of the 2017 Bonds. Disbursement of such payments to DTC's Participants (defined in Appendix C) is the responsibility of DTC, and disbursements of such payments to the Beneficial Owners (defined in Appendix C) is the responsibility of DTC's Participants and the Indirect Participants (defined in Appendix C), as more fully described herein. See "Book-Entry Only System" below.

# **Prior Redemption**

Optional Redemption – 2017A Bonds. The 2017A Bonds, or portions thereof (\$5,000 or any integral multiple), maturing on and after June 15, 2028, shall be subject to redemption prior to their respective maturities, at the option of the District, as directed by the Chief Financial Officer (defined in the 2017A Bond Resolution as the Chief Financial Officer or any deputy or interim chief financial officer), on and after June 15, 2027, in whole or in part at any time, from such maturities as are selected by the District, as directed by the Chief Financial Officer, and if less than all of the 2017A Bonds of a maturity are to be redeemed, the 2017A Bonds of such maturity are to be redeemed by lot within a maturity (giving proportionate weight to 2017A Bonds in denominations larger than \$5,000), in such manner as the Paying Agent may determine, at a price equal to the principal amount of each 2017A Bond or portion thereof so redeemed and accrued interest thereon to the redemption date, without a redemption premium.

No Optional Redemption -2017B Bonds. The 2017B Bonds are not subject to optional redemption prior to their maturity.

Notice of Redemption. Unless waived by any registered owner of a 2017A Bond to be redeemed, notice of prior redemption shall be given by the Registrar, electronically as long as the nominee of DTC or a successor depository is the registered owner of the 2017A Bonds, and otherwise by first class mail, at least 30 days but not more than 60 days prior to the Redemption Date to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board via its Electronic Municipal Market Access System (the "MSRB") and to the registered owner of any 2017A Bond (initially Cede & Co.) all or a part of which is called for prior redemption at his or her address as it last appears on the registration records kept by the Registrar. The notice shall identify the applicable 2017A Bonds and state that on such date the principal amount thereof, and premium, if any, thereon will become due and payable at the office designated by the Paying Agent (accrued interest to the Redemption Date being payable by mail or as otherwise provided in the 2017A Bond Resolution), and that after such Redemption Date interest will cease to accrue. After such notice and presentation of said 2017A Bonds, the 2017A Bonds called for redemption will be paid. Actual receipt of the notice by the MSRB or any registered owner of 2017A Bonds shall not be a condition precedent to redemption of such 2017A Bonds. Failure to give such notice to the MSRB or to the registered owner of any 2017A Bond designated for redemption, or any defect therein, shall not affect the validity of the proceedings for the redemption of any other 2017A Bond. A certificate by the Registrar that notice of call and redemption has been given as provided in the 2017A Bond Resolution shall be conclusive as against all parties; and no owner whose 2017A Bond is called for redemption or any other owner of any 2017A Bond may object thereto or may object to the cessation of interest on the Redemption Date on the ground that he failed actually to receive such notice of redemption.

Notwithstanding the provisions of this section of the 2017A Bond Resolutions, any notice of redemption may contain a statement that the redemption is conditioned upon the receipt by the Paying Agent of funds on or before the date fixed for redemption sufficient to pay the redemption price of the 2017A Bonds so called for redemption, and that if such funds are not available, such redemption shall be canceled by written notice to the owners of the 2017A Bonds called for redemption in the same manner as the original redemption notice was given.

#### **Tax Covenant**

In each 2017 Bond Resolution, the District covenants for the benefit of the registered owners of the applicable series of 2017 Bonds that it will not take any action or omit to take any action with respect to the 2017 Bonds, the proceeds thereof, any other funds of the District or any project financed or refinanced with the proceeds of the 2017 Bonds if such action or omission (i) would cause the interest on the 2017 Bonds to lose its exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Tax Code, or (ii) would cause interest on the 2017 Bonds to lose its exclusion from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code, except to the extent such interest is required to be included in the adjusted current earnings adjustment applicable to corporations under Section 56 of the Tax Code in calculating corporate alternative minimum taxable income. The foregoing covenant shall remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the payment in full or defeasance of the 2017 Bonds until the date on which all obligations of the District in fulfilling the above covenant under the Tax Code have been met.

#### **Defeasance**

When all Bond Requirements (as defined in the 2017 Bond Resolutions) of any 2017 Bond have been duly paid, the pledge and lien and all obligations thereunder as to that 2017 Bond shall thereby be discharged and the 2017 Bonds shall no longer be deemed to be Outstanding within the meaning of the applicable 2017 Bond Resolutions. There shall be deemed to be due payment of any Outstanding 2017 Bond or other security when the District has placed in escrow or in trust with a trust bank an amount sufficient (including the known minimum yield available for such purpose from Federal Securities in which such amount wholly or in part may be initially invested) to meet all Bond Requirements of the 2017 Bond or other security, as the same become due to the final maturity of the 2017 Bond or other security, or upon any redemption date as of which the District shall have exercised or shall have obligated itself to exercise its prior redemption option by a call of the 2017 Bond or other security for payment then. The Federal Securities shall become due before the respective times on which the proceeds thereof shall be needed, in accordance with a schedule established and agreed upon between the District and the bank at the time of the creation of the escrow or trust, or the Federal Securities shall be subject to redemption at the option of the owners thereof to assure availability as so needed to meet the schedule.

For the purpose of the previous paragraph, "Federal Securities" means bills, certificates of indebtedness, notes, bonds or similar securities which are direct obligations of, or the principal and interest of which securities are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States, shall include only Federal Securities which are not callable for redemption prior to their maturities except at the option of the holder thereof.

## **Book-Entry Only System**

The 2017 Bonds will be available only in book-entry form in the principal amount of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. DTC will act as the initial securities depository for the 2017 Bonds. The ownership of one fully registered 2017 Bond for each maturity in each series, as set forth on the inside cover page of this Official Statement, in the aggregate principal amount of such maturity coming due thereon, will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee for DTC. See Appendix C - Book-Entry Only System.

SO LONG AS CEDE & CO., AS NOMINEE OF DTC, IS THE REGISTERED OWNER OF THE 2017 BONDS, REFERENCES IN THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT TO THE OWNERS WILL MEAN CEDE & CO. AND WILL NOT MEAN THE BENEFICIAL OWNERS.

Neither the District nor the Registrar and Paying Agent will have any responsibility or obligation to DTC's Direct Participants or Indirect Participants (each as defined in Appendix C), or the persons for whom they act as nominees, with respect to the payments to or the providing of notice for the Direct Participants, the Indirect Participants or the beneficial owners of the 2017 Bonds as further described in Appendix C to this Official Statement.

# DEBT SERVICE REQUIREMENTS

The following table sets forth the debt service requirements for the 2017 Bonds in each fiscal year. See "DEBT STRUCTURE--District Debt Service Requirements" for information on the debt service due on all of the District's outstanding general obligation bonds.

<u>Debt Service Requirements</u><sup>(1)</sup>

Fiscal		2017A Bonds	2017B Bonds			
Year <sup>(2)</sup>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2018	\$ 20,095,000	\$ 19,195,510	\$ 39,290,510	\$ 19,015,000	\$2,858,653	\$21,873,653
2019	32,000,000	18,909,900	50,909,900	19,725,000	2,015,000	21,740,000
2020	18,965,000	17,309,900	36,274,900	20,575,000	1,028,750	21,603,750
2021	15,660,000	16,361,650	32,021,650			
2022	46,960,000	15,578,650	62,538,650			
2023	19,910,000	13,230,650	33,140,650			
2024	21,900,000	12,235,150	34,135,150			
2025	77,920,000	11,140,150	89,060,150			
2026	41,010,000	7,244,150	48,254,150			
2027	8,040,000	5,193,650	13,233,650			
2028	8,440,000	4,791,650	13,231,650			
2029	8,860,000	4,369,650	13,229,650			
2030	9,305,000	3,926,650	13,231,650			
2031	9,770,000	3,461,400	13,231,400			
2032	10,260,000	2,972,900	13,232,900			
2033	10,770,000	2,459,900	13,229,900			
2034	11,310,000	1,921,400	13,231,400			
2035	11,765,000	1,469,000	13,234,000			
2036	12,235,000	998,400	13,233,400			
2037	12,725,000	509,000	13,234,000			
Total	\$ 407,900,000	\$163,279,309	\$571,179,309	\$59,315,000	\$5,902,403	\$65,217,403

<sup>(1)</sup> Totals may not add due to rounding.

Source: The Financial Advisor.

<sup>(2)</sup> The District's fiscal year ends on June 30 of each calendar year shown. Debt service in each fiscal year includes the payment of principal and interest on June 15 in each calendar year shown and the payment of interest on the preceding December 15.

#### **SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS**

## **General Obligations**

General. The 2017 Bonds are direct and general obligations of the District, and the full faith and credit of the District is pledged for the payment of the principal of, any prior redemption premiums and the interest on the 2017 Bonds, subject to State constitutional and statutory limitations on the aggregate amount of ad valorem taxes. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations." The 2017 Bonds are payable by the District from any source legally available therefor at the times such payments are due, including the General Fund of the District. In the event, however, that such legally available sources of funds are insufficient, the District is obligated to levy a general (ad valorem) tax on all taxable property within the District for payment of the 2017 Bonds, subject to the limitations provided in the constitution and statutes of the State. Due to the statutory process required for the levy of taxes, in any year in which the District is required to levy property taxes, there may be a delay in the availability of revenues to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Collections."

<u>Limitations on Property Tax Revenues</u>. The constitution and laws of the State limit the total ad valorem property taxes that may be levied by all overlapping taxing units within each county (including the State, the County, any city, or any special district) in each year. Generally, the combined overlapping tax rate is limited by statute to \$3.64 per \$100 of assessed valuation. Those limitations are described in "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations." In any year in which the total property taxes levied within the County by all applicable taxing units exceed such property tax limitations, the reduction to be made by those units must be in taxes levied for purposes other than the payment of their bonded indebtedness, including interest on such indebtedness. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations."

#### **District Tax Levies**

2017A Bonds. Since fiscal year 1998, the District's debt rate has been \$0.5534 (tax rates generally are expressed herein as a number equal to \$x.xxxx per \$100 of assessed value). At an election held on November 3, 1998 (the "1998 Election"), District voters approved a proposal that allowed the District to issue general obligation bonds for school construction purposes until June 30, 2008, provided that the Board made a finding that the proposed bonds could be paid within the existing \$0.5534 property tax rate for debt service. Those findings required approval of the County Debt Management Commission and the County Oversight Panel for School Facilities. The District currently expects to repay all outstanding bonds issued pursuant to such authorization (including the 2017A Bonds) without increasing its debt rate of \$0.5534. However, the District may increase that rate to pay debt service on such bonds, subject to the State constitutional and statutory limitations discussed throughout this Official Statement. In 2015, the Nevada Legislature adopted Senate Bill No. 119 ("SB 119") and Senate Bill No. 207 ("SB 207"), which authorize school districts with prior voter approval (such as the 1998 Election) to issue general obligation bonds in certain circumstances for a ten year period so long as existing tax rates are not increased to pay such bonds. See the discussion in "DISTRICT

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The District's tax rate has been \$1.3034 since fiscal year 1998, including the \$0.5534 tax rate for debt service and the District's statutorily mandated \$0.75 tax rate for operating purposes. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION."

<u>2017B Bonds</u>. General obligation (limited tax) bonds of the District, including the 2017B Bonds, historically have been paid from Pledged Revenues. If the Pledged Revenues are not sufficient to pay debt service on such bonds, however, the District is obligated to pay the difference between the Pledged Revenues and the debt service requirements, and is obligated to impose a tax rate to do so, subject to applicable statutory and constitutional limits.

## **Additional Security for the 2017B Bonds**

<u>Pledged Revenues</u>. The 2017B Bonds will be additionally secured by a pledge of the Pledged Revenues, which consist generally of the proceeds of the Room Taxes and the Transfer Taxes. Pursuant to State law, the Room Taxes currently consist of the proceeds of a 1.625% room tax collected within the County and the Transfer Taxes currently consist of a tax on the transfer of real property equal to \$0.60 per \$500 of value.

<u>History of Pledged Revenues and Debt Service Coverage</u>. The following table sets forth a history of the Pledged Revenues and debt service coverage in each year, calculated by dividing the total amount of Pledged Revenues by the actual debt service paid on the Parity Lien Bonds in each year shown.

#### History of Pledged Revenues and Debt Service Coverage

Fiscal	Room	Transfer			Debt Service on	
<u>Year</u>	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Taxes</u>	<u>Total</u>	% Change	Parity Lien Bonds <sup>(1)</sup>	<u>Coverage</u>
2012	\$66,023,176	\$17,679,059	\$83,702,236		\$79,118,850	1.06x
2013	67,277,580	19,696,212	86,973,792	3.9%	78,520,682	1.11x
2014	74,067,663	21,311,525	95,379,188	9.7	75,349,775	1.27x
2015	81,297,840	22,146,920	103,444,760	8.5	72,957,617	1.42x
2016	88,585,165	26,522,633	115,107,798	11.3	84,000,055	1.37x
$2017^{(2)}$	53,755,868	16,203,290	69,959,158		72,139,438 <sup>(3)</sup>	

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes debt service on certain direct-pay qualified school construction bonds ("QSCBs") issued by the District because the QSCBs have a subordinate lien on the Pledged Revenues and are not Parity Lien Bonds.

Source: The District.

<sup>(2)</sup> For the period July 1, 2016, through February 28, 2017 (unaudited).

<sup>(3)</sup> Reflects debt service on bonds outstanding on May 1, 2017, after taking the issuance of the 2017B Bonds and the 2017B Refunding Project into account.

The District has estimated it will receive \$124.3 million of Pledged Revenues in fiscal year 2017 (\$96 million in Room Taxes and \$28.3 million in Transfer Taxes), which would represent a 8.0% increase from fiscal year 2016.

After taking the issuance of the 2017B Bonds into account, the estimated combined maximum annual debt service payable on the 2017B Bonds, the Parity Lien Bonds and the 2010A Bonds (defined below; the 2010A Bonds are subordinate to the 2017B Bonds and the Parity Lien Bonds) is expected to be \$88,171,850 in fiscal year 2021 (assuming receipt of the entire amount of the QSCB Subsidy with respect to the 2010A Bonds in each year). Without taking the QSCB Subsidy into account, the combined maximum annual debt service payable on the 2017B Bonds, the Parity Lien Bonds and the 2010A Bonds is \$93,744,940 in fiscal year 2021. See "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT--Compliance With Federal Laws—Sequestration."

As described in footnote 2 to the table "Principal Property Owning Taxpayers in the District" in "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Largest Taxpayers in the District," various entities related to Caesars Entertainment Corporation ("Caesars") filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection on January 15, 2015. In January 2017, a chapter 11 reorganization plan for Caesars was approved by the U.S. Bankruptcy Court. Caesars (directly or indirectly) owns numerous hotels located in the District. In February 2017, it was announced that Caesars had secured new credit facilities of up to \$1.44 billion as it works through its court-supervised restructuring process. It remains unclear how the restructuring will impact Room Tax revenues, if at all. It is possible that the payment of Room Taxes by certain hotels related to Caesars could be delayed, and the District's ability to collect delinquent Room Taxes using foreclosure could be forestalled or delayed. Since the date of the bankruptcy filing, Caesars has paid its Room Tax in a timely manner.

<u>Lien Priority</u>. The lien of the 2017B Bonds on the Pledged Revenues is on a parity to the lien thereon of the Parity Lien Bonds. The following table illustrates the currently outstanding Parity Lien Bonds as of May 1, 2017, after taking the issuance of the 2017B Bonds and the 2017B Refunding Project into account. All of the bonds listed in the following table constitute general obligation bonds of the District that are additionally secured by the Pledged Revenues.

## **Currently Outstanding Parity Lien Bonds**

	Original	Outstanding
Name of Issue	<u>Amount</u>	as of 5/1/17
School Bonds, Series 2006C (the "2006C Bonds")	\$125,000,000	\$ 6,550,000
School Bonds, Series 2007B (the "2007B Bonds")	250,000,000	12,650,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2011B (the "2011B Bonds")	29,420,000	11,125,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B (the "2014B Bonds")	62,200,000	51,095,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2015B (the "2015B Bonds")	129,080,000	114,220,000
School Bonds, Series 2015D (the "2015D Bonds")	200,000,000	189,635,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2016B (the "2016B Bonds")	90,775,000	90,775,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2016E (the "2016E Bonds")	59,510,000	59,510,000
Total		\$ 535,560,000

In addition to the Parity Lien Bonds, the District currently has outstanding its General Obligation (Limited Tax) School Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues) (Taxable Direct Pay Qualified School Construction Bonds), Series 2010A, in the aggregate principal amount of \$103,900,000 (the "2010A Bonds"). The 2010A Bonds have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is subordinate to the lien thereon of the 2017B Bonds and the Parity Lien Bonds.

The District currently does not anticipate issuing any additional Parity Lien Bonds or subordinate lien bonds other than refunding bonds in the near future, but reserves the right to do so upon the satisfaction of all legal requirements. See "DEBT STRUCTURE--Additional General Obligation Bonds and Other Proposed Financings."

## Additional Bonds – 2017B Bonds

Additional Parity Lien Bonds and Superior Securities. The 2017B Bond Resolution authorizes the issuance of additional Parity Lien Bonds and Superior Securities. Before any additional Parity Lien Bonds or Superior Securities are authorized or actually issued (excluding any securities issued to refund the Parity Lien Bonds or Superior Securities), the following requirements must be met:

- A. <u>Absence of Default</u>. The District is not in default in making any payments with respect to any Parity Lien Bond or Superior Securities.
- B. <u>Earnings Test</u>. Except as described below: (1) the Pledged Revenues derived in the Fiscal Year immediately preceding the date of the issuance of the additional Superior or Parity Securities shall have been at least sufficient to pay an amount equal to the Combined Maximum Annual Principal and Interest Requirements (to be paid during any one Bond Year, commencing with the Bond Year in which the additional Superior or Parity Securities are issued and ending on the fifteenth day of June of the year in which any then Outstanding Bonds last mature) of the Outstanding Bonds, the Outstanding Parity Lien Bonds and any other Outstanding Superior or Parity Securities of the District and the bonds or other securities proposed to be issued (excluding the reserves therefor); or, (2) the Pledged Revenues estimated by the Chief Financial Officer (defined in the 2017B Bond Resolution as the Chief Financial Officer or any deputy or interim chief financial officer), independent feasibility

consultant or an Independent Accountant to be derived in each of the first five Fiscal Years immediately succeeding the issuance of the other additional Superior or Parity Securities proposed to be issued, shall be at least equal to such combined maximum annual principal and interest requirements.

- C. Adjustment of Pledged Revenues. In any computation of the earnings test described above, the amount of the Pledged Revenues for the next preceding Fiscal Year shall be decreased and may be increased by the amount of any loss or gain conservatively estimated by the Chief Financial Officer, independent feasibility consultant or Independent Accountant making the computations, which loss or gain results from any change in the rate of the taxes deposited in the Capital Projects Fund pursuant to State law or otherwise constituting a part of the Pledged Revenues, which change took effect during the next preceding Fiscal Year or thereafter prior to the issuance of Parity Lien Bonds or Superior Securities, as if such modified rate shall have been in effect during the entire next preceding Fiscal Year, if such change shall have been made before the computation of the designated earnings test but made in the same Fiscal Year as the computation is made or in the next preceding Fiscal Year.
- D. <u>Certification of Revenues</u>. A written certification or written opinion by the Chief Financial Officer, an independent feasibility consultant or an Independent Accountant, based upon estimates thereby as described in paragraphs (B) and (C) above, that the annual revenues, when adjusted as described above, are sufficient to pay the amounts described in paragraph (B) above, shall be conclusively presumed to be accurate in determining the right of the District to authorize, issue, sell and deliver additional bonds or additional securities superior to or on a parity with the 2017B Bonds.

<u>Refunding Securities</u>. The 2017B Bond Resolution contains separate provisions governing the issuance of refunding securities. See Appendix B - Summary of Certain Provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution--Refunding Securities.

<u>Subordinate Securities Permitted.</u> The 2017B Bond Resolution authorizes the issuance of additional securities payable from the Pledged Revenues and having a lien thereon that is subordinate, inferior and junior to the lien thereon of the 2017B Bonds.

<u>Superior Securities</u>. The 2017B Bond Resolution authorizes the issuance of additional bonds or other additional securities payable from the Pledged Revenues having a lien thereon prior and superior to the lien thereon of the 2017B Bonds; however, such additional Superior Securities shall not be issued as general obligations of the District. No such Superior Securities are currently outstanding.

## 2017 Bond Resolutions Irrepealable

Each of the 2017 Bond Resolutions provides that after any of the 2017A Bonds and 2017B Bonds, respectively, are issued, the applicable 2017 Bond Resolution shall constitute an irrevocable contract between the District and the registered owner or owners of the 2017A Bonds and 2017B Bonds, respectively; and each 2017 Bond Resolution shall be and shall remain irrepealable until the related 2017 Bonds, as to all Bond Requirements, shall be fully paid, canceled and discharged as provided in the 2017 Bond Resolutions.

## **Other Security Matters**

No Repealer. State statutes provide that no act concerning the 2017 Bonds or their security may be repealed, amended, or modified in such a manner as to impair adversely the 2017 Bonds or their security until all of the 2017 Bonds have been discharged in full or provision for their payment and redemption has been fully made.

No Pledge of Property. The payment of the 2017 Bonds is not secured by an encumbrance, mortgage or other pledge of property of the District, except the proceeds of general (ad valorem) taxes and any other monies pledged under the 2017 Bond Resolutions for the payment of the 2017A Bonds or 2017B Bonds, respectively. Other than the items specifically pledged under the 2017 Bond Resolutions, such as the Pledged Revenues pledged under the 2017B Bond Resolution for payment of the 2017B Bonds, no property of the District shall be liable to be forfeited or taken in payment of the 2017 Bonds.

No Recourse. No recourse shall be had for the payment of the 2017A Bond Requirements or 2017B Bond Requirements or for any claim based thereon or otherwise upon the 2017 Bond Resolutions or any other instrument relating thereto, against any individual member of the Board or any officer or other agent of the Board or District, past, present or future, either directly or indirectly through the Board or the District, or otherwise, whether by virtue of any constitution, statute or rule of law, or by the enforcement of any penalty or otherwise.

#### PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION

## **Property Tax Base**

The State Department of Taxation reports the assessed valuation of property within the District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017, to be \$76,633,199,095 (including the valuation attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies). That assessed valuation represents an increase of 7.9% from the assessed valuation for fiscal year 2016. The State Department of Taxation reports the preliminary (as of March 15, 2017) assessed valuation of property within the District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018 to be \$81,306,131,252 (subject to change, and including the preliminary assessed valuation attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies).

State law requires that the County assessor reappraise at least once every five years all real and secured personal property (other than certain utility owned property which is centrally appraised and assessed by the Nevada Tax Commission). While the law provides that in years in which the property is not reappraised, the County assessor is to apply a factor representing typical changes in value in the area since the preceding year, it is the policy of the Clark County Assessor to reappraise all real and secured personal property in the District each year. State law requires that property be assessed at 35% of taxable value; that percentage may be adjusted upward or downward by the Legislature. Based on the assessed valuation for fiscal year 2017, the taxable value of all taxable property within the District is \$218,951,997,414 (including the taxable value attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies). Based on the preliminary (as of March 15, 2017) assessed valuation for fiscal year 2018, the preliminary taxable value of all taxable property within the District is \$232,303,232,149 (subject to change, and including the preliminary taxable value attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies).

"Taxable value" is defined in the statutes as the full cash value in the case of land and as the replacement cost less straight-line depreciation in the case of improvements to land and in the case of taxable personal property, less depreciation in accordance with the regulations of the Nevada Tax Commission but in no case an amount in excess of the full cash value. Depreciation of improvements to real property must be calculated at 1.5% of the cost of replacement for each year of adjusted actual age up to a maximum of 50 years. Adjusted actual age is actual age adjusted for any addition or replacement. The maximum depreciation allowed is 75% of the cost of replacement. When a substantial addition or replacement is made to depreciable property, its "actual age" is adjusted, *i.e.*, reduced to reflect the increased useful term of the structure. The adjusted actual age has been used on appraisals for taxes since 1986-87.

In Nevada, county assessors are responsible for assessments in the counties except for certain properties centrally assessed by the State, which include property owned by railroads, airlines and utility companies.

#### **History of Assessed Value**

The following table illustrates a history of the assessed valuation in the District, including the assessed values attributable to the Boulder City Redevelopment Agency, the Clark County Redevelopment Agency, the Henderson Redevelopment Agency, the Las Vegas Redevelopment Agency, the Mesquite Redevelopment Agency and the North Las Vegas

Redevelopment Agency (collectively, the "Redevelopment Agencies"). However, due to property tax abatement laws enacted in 2005 (described in "Required Property Tax Abatements" below) the taxes collected by taxing entities within the County are capped and there is no longer a direct correlation between changes in assessed value and property tax revenue.

## History of Assessed Value

Fiscal Year		Assessed Value of	Total Assessed	
Ended	Assessed Value	Redevelopment	Value of	Percent
<u>June 30</u>	of the District	<u>Agencies</u>	the District	<b>Change</b>
2013	\$54,195,268,097	\$1,030,444,078	\$55,225,712,175	
2014	55,220,637,749	1,076,210,139	56,296,847,888	1.9%
2015	62,904,942,089	1,347,691,561	64,252,633,650	14.1
2016	69,266,468,466	1,788,784,767	71,055,253,233	10.6
2017	74,597,622,262	2,035,576,833	76,633,199,095	7.9
$2018^{(1)}$	78,890,801,494	2,415,329,758	81,306,131,252	6.1

<sup>(1)</sup> Preliminary; subject to change.

Source: Property Tax Rates for Nevada Local Governments - State of Nevada Department of Taxation, 2012-2013 through 2016-2017 and Proforma Ad Valorem Revenue Projections – State of Nevada Department of Taxation, 2017-2018 (as of March 15, 2017).

Property taxes received as a result of the District's \$0.75 operating levy on the assessed value of Redevelopment Agencies (as shown in the table above) are not transferred to the District, but rather are transferred to the Redevelopment Agencies to be used for redevelopment purposes; however, property taxes levied on the assessed value of the Redevelopment Agencies for all bonded indebtedness approved by the voters have been retained by the District since June 16, 2016.

## **Property Tax Collections**

<u>General</u>. In Nevada, county assessors are responsible for assessments in the counties except for property centrally assessed by the State. County treasurers are responsible for the collection of property taxes, and forwarding the allocable portions thereof to the overlapping taxing units within the counties.

A history of the County's tax roll collection record appears in the following table. This table reflects all amounts collected by the County, including amounts levied by the District, the County, the cities within the County and certain special taxing districts. The figures in the following table include property taxes that are not available to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds. The table below provides information with respect to the historic collection rates for the County and the District, but may not be relied upon to depict the amounts of ad valorem property taxes available to the District in each year. There is no assurance that collection rates will be similar to the historic collection rates depicted below.

Property Tax Levies, Collections and Delinquencies - Clark County, Nevada<sup>(1)</sup>

Fiscal Year			% of Levy	Delinquent		Total Tax
Ending	Net Secured	Current Tax	(Current)	Tax	Total Tax	Collections as %
<u>June 30</u>	Roll Tax Levy <sup>(2)</sup>	Collections	Collected	Collections	Collections	of Current Levy(3)
2012	\$1,600,697,209	\$1,576,935,410	98.52%	\$23,509,180	\$1,600,444,590	99.99%
2013	1,460,253,059	1,446,106,236	99.03	13,785,220	1,459,891,456	99.98
2014	1,467,851,821	1,453,556,514	99.03	13,757,910	1,467,314,424	99.97
2015	1,515,648,642	1,506,108,484	99.37	8,195,612	1,514,304,096	99.91
2016	1,582,610,561	1,572,448,659	99.36	5,788,648	1,578,237,307	99.72
2017	1,631,585,064	1,606,582,695(4)	98.47	(5)	1,606,582,695	98.47

- (1) Subject to revision. Represents the real property tax roll levies and collections.
- (2) Adjusted county tax levied for the fiscal year.
- (3) Percentage of total taxes collected to date (calculated on the Net Secured Roll Tax Levy).
- (4) Collections as of March 31, 2017 (unaudited).
- (5) Fiscal year 2017 delinquent collections are still in progress.

Source: Clark County Treasurer's Office.

Taxes on real property are due on the third Monday in August unless the taxpayer elects to pay in installments on or before the third Monday in August and the first Mondays in October, January, and March of each fiscal year. Penalties are assessed if any taxes are not paid within 10 days of the due date as follows: 4% of the delinquent amount if one installment is delinquent, 5% of the delinquent amount plus accumulated penalties if two installments are delinquent, 6% of the delinquent amount plus accumulated penalties if three installments are delinquent and 7% of the delinquent amount plus accumulated penalties if 4 installments are delinquent. In the event of nonpayment, the county treasurer is authorized to hold the property for two years, subject to redemption upon payment of taxes, penalties and costs, together with interest at the rate of 10% per year from the date the taxes were due until paid. If delinquent taxes are not paid within the two-year redemption period, the county treasurer obtains a deed to the property free of all encumbrances. Upon receipt of a deed, the county treasurer may sell the property to satisfy the tax lien and assessments by local governments for improvements to the property.

Effect of Abatement. Because of the effect of the Abatement Act (described in "Required Property Tax Abatements" below), the change in assessed value occurring after fiscal year 2005 does not produce a corresponding increase in tax revenues, even if the tax rate is constant. The District's tax rate has remained constant since 1998 with \$0.75 per \$100 of assessed value being levied for operating purposes and \$0.5534 per \$100 of assessed value being levied for debt service. As illustrated in "History of Assessed Value" above, the District's assessed value (including the assessed values of the Redevelopment Agencies) increased by 14.1% from 2014 to 2015, by 10.6% from 2015 to 2016, by 7.9% from 2016 to 2017 and by 6.1% from 2017 to 2018 (preliminary). During those same periods, District ad valorem property tax revenues (General Fund and Debt Service Fund) increased by 3.5% from 2014 to 2015, increased by 5.0% from 2015 to 2016, increased by 4.1% from 2016 to 2017 (as estimated), and are budgeted to increase by 1.7% from 2017 to 2018. The rates of increase in property tax revenues, therefore, have been less than the rates of increase in assessed valuation.

## **Largest Taxpayers in the District**

The following table represents the ten largest property-owning taxpayers in the County (which has boundaries coterminous with the District) based on fiscal year 2016-2017 assessed valuations. The assessed valuations in this table represent both the secured tax roll (real property) and the unsecured tax roll (generally personal property). No independent investigation has been made of, and consequently there can be no representation as to, the financial conditions of the taxpayers listed, or that any such taxpayer will continue to maintain its status as a major taxpayer based on the assessed valuation of its property in the County.

In recent years, several major taxpayers in the County have experienced varying degrees of financial difficulty, including bankruptcy proceedings. Although those entities continued to pay property taxes in a timely manner, those or other entities may encounter future difficulties that could negatively impact the timely payment of property taxes.

## Principal Property Owning Taxpayers in the District Fiscal Year 2016-2017

			% of Total
<u>Taxpayer</u>	Type of Business	Assessed Value	Assessed Value <sup>(1)</sup>
MGM Resorts International	Hotels/Casinos	\$ 3,586,896,698	4.68%
NV Energy	Utility	1,982,725,527	2.59
Caesars Entertainment Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	Hotels/Casinos	1,859,895,091	2.43
Las Vegas Sands Corporation	Hotels/Casinos	972,201,925	1.27
Wynn Resorts Limited	Hotels/Casinos	926,778,374	1.21
Station Casinos Incorporated	Hotels/Casinos	705,871,212	0.92
Nevada Property 1 LLC	Hotels/Casinos	382,335,596	0.50
Eldorado Energy LLC	Solar Energy	380,134,297	0.49
Boyd Gaming Corporation	Hotels/Casinos	328,880,459	0.43
Howard Hughes Corporation	Developer	327,790,058	0.43
Total	•	\$ <u>11,453,509,237</u>	<u>14.95</u> %

<sup>(1)</sup> Based on the District's fiscal year 2017 assessed valuation of \$76,633,199,095 (which includes the assessed valuation attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies).

Source: County Assessor's website (report dated 10/31/16); Petition (for footnote 2).

<sup>(2)</sup> Caesars Entertainment Corporation ("CEC") owns, directly or indirectly, numerous properties within the boundaries of the District, including but not limited to Caesars Palace Las Vegas, Bally's Hotel and Casino, the Forum Shops, the Cromwell Hotel, the Flamingo Hotel and Casino, Harrah's Hotel and Casino, Nobu Hotel, Paris Hotel and Casino, Planet Hollywood Hotel and Casino, The Linq Hotel and the Rio Hotel and Casino. The assessed value figure provided in this table represents the combined assessed value of all property owned directly or indirectly by CEC. On January 15, 2015, a bankruptcy petition (the "CEOC Petition") was filed in the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois by Caesars Entertainment Operating Company, Inc. ("CEOC"). The CEOC Petition states that on the same day, bankruptcy petitions were filed by approximately 172 other entities which are believed to be related to CEOC. The CEOC Petition states that CEC is the owner of 89.3% of CEOC; however, CEC is not one of the debtors named in the CEOC Petition and the other bankruptcy petitions. Caesars Palace Las Vegas is one of the properties located within the District that is currently listed as being included in the CEOC filing. It is also unclear at this time whether, or by how much, the filing of the CEOC Petition and the other bankruptcy petitions will impact the payment of property taxes by CEC or entities directly or indirectly related to it. On January 13, 2017, Caesar's filed Third Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the "Plan") (Docket No. 5325). By order entered on January 17, 2017, the Bankruptcy Court confirmed the Plan. The Plan has not yet become effective and remains subject to objections until its effective date.

## **Property Tax Limitations**

Overlapping Property Tax Caps. Article X, Section 2, of the State constitution limits the total ad valorem property taxes levied by all overlapping governmental units within the boundaries of any county (*i.e.*, the State, and any county, city, town, school district or special district) to an amount not to exceed five cents per dollar of assessed valuation (\$5 per \$100 of assessed valuation) of the property being taxed. Further, the combined overlapping tax rate is limited by statute to \$3.64 per \$100 of assessed valuation in all counties of the State with certain exceptions that (a) permit a combined overlapping tax rate of up to \$4.50 per \$100 of assessed valuation in the case of certain entities that are in financial difficulties; and (b) require that \$0.02 of the statewide property tax rate of \$0.17 per \$100 of assessed valuation is not included in computing compliance with this \$3.64 cap. (This \$0.02 is, however, counted against the \$5.00 cap.) State statutes provide a priority for taxes levied for the payment of general obligation bonded indebtedness (including the District's debt levy of \$0.5534) in any year in which the proposed tax rate to be levied by overlapping units within a county exceeds any rate limitation; a reduction must be made by those units for purposes other than the payment of general obligation bonded indebtedness, including interest thereon.

<u>Local Government Property Tax Revenue Limitation</u>. State statutes limit the revenues school districts may receive from ad valorem property taxes for operating purposes. Pursuant to NRS 387.195, each board of county commissioners levies a tax of \$0.75 per \$100 of assessed valuation for school district operating purposes. School districts are also allowed additional levies for voter-approved debt service and voter-approved tax overrides for capital projects.

State statutes also limit the revenues local governments, other than school districts, may receive from ad valorem property taxes for purposes other than paying certain general obligation indebtedness which is exempt from such ad valorem revenue limits. These revenue limitations do not apply to ad valorem taxes levied to repay the 2017 Bonds, which are exempt from such ad valorem revenue limits. This rate is generally limited as follows. The assessed value of property is first differentiated between that for property existing on the assessment rolls in the prior year (old property) and new property. Second, the property tax revenue derived in the prior year is increased by no more than 6% and the tax rate to generate the increase is determined against the current assessed value of the old property. Finally, this tax rate is applied against all taxable property to produce the allowable property tax revenues. This cap operates to limit property tax revenue dependent upon changes in the value of old property and the growth and value of new property.

A local government, other than a school district, may exceed the property tax revenue limitation if the proposal is approved by its electorate at a general or special election. In addition, the Executive Director of the Department of Taxation will add to the allowed revenue from ad valorem taxes, the amount approved by the legislature for the costs to a local government of any substantial programs or expenses required by legislative enactment. In the event sales tax estimates from the Nevada Department of Taxation exceed actual revenues available to local governments, the State local governments receiving such sales tax may levy a property tax to make up the revenue shortfall.

The County and the cities within the County are levying various tax overrides as allowed or required by State statutes.

The Nevada Tax Commission monitors the impact of tax legislation on local government services.

Constitutional Amendment - Abatement of Taxes for Severe Economic Hardship. At the November 5, 2002 election, the State's voters approved an amendment to the State constitution authorizing the State Legislature to enact a law providing for an abatement of the tax upon or an exemption of part of the assessed value of an owner-occupied single-family residence to the extent necessary to avoid severe economic hardship to the owner of that residence.

The legislation implementing that amendment provides that the owner of a singlefamily residence may file a claim with the county treasurer to postpone the payment of all or part of the property tax due against the residence if (among other requirements): the residence has an assessed value of not more than \$175,000; the property owner does not own any other real property in the State with an assessed value of more than \$30,000; the residence has been occupied by the owner for at least six months; the owner is not in bankruptcy; the owner owes no delinquent property taxes on the residence; the owner has suffered severe economic hardship caused by circumstances beyond his control (such as illness or disability expected to last for at least 12 continuous months); and the total annual income of the owner's household is at or below the federally designated poverty level. The amount of tax that may be postponed may not exceed the amount of property tax that will accrue against the residence in the succeeding three fiscal years. Any postponed property tax (and any penalties and the interest that accrue as provided in the statue) constitutes a perpetual lien against the residence until paid. The postponed tax becomes due and payable if: the residence ceases to be occupied by the claimant or is sold; any non-postponed property tax becomes delinquent; if the claimant dies; or on the date upon which the postponement expires, as determined by the county treasurer. To date, the County Treasurer has not received material requests to postpone the payment of any property tax as described above.

# **Required Property Tax Abatements**

General. In 2005, the Legislature approved the Abatement Act (NRS 361.471 to 361.4735), which established formulas to determine whether tax abatements are required for property owners in each year. For residential properties, an abatement generally is required to reduce the amount of property taxes owed to not more than 3% more than the amount levied in the immediately preceding fiscal year. That same formula applies (as a charitable exemption) to commercial property that qualifies as low-income rental housing. Finally, for all properties, an abatement from ad valorem taxation is required to reduce the amount of property taxes owed to no more than an amount determined pursuant to a formula. The first part of the formula requires a determination of the greater of: (1) the average percentage change in the assessed valuation of all taxable property in the County, as determined by the Department of Taxation, over the fiscal year in which the levy is made and the 9 immediately preceding fiscal years; (2) the percentage equal to twice the increase in the Consumer Price Index for all Urban Consumers, U.S. City Average (All Items) for the immediately preceding calendar year or (3) zero. The second part of the formula requires determination of the lesser of: (1) 8% and (2) the percentage determined in

the previous sentence. After making both determinations, whatever part of the formula yields the lowest percentage is used to establish the maximum percentage of increase (over the prior year) in tax liability for each property. This abatement formula also must be applied to residential properties and low-income rental properties if it yields a greater reduction in property taxes than the 3% test described above. The Abatement Act limits do not apply to new construction. The Abatement Act formulas are applied on a parcel-by-parcel basis each year. For example, in the County for fiscal year 2016-2017, the Abatement Act formula results in a maximum percentage increase of tax liability for each parcel of 0.2% over the prior year for all types of properties, including residential properties and low-income rental properties.

Generally, reductions in the amount of ad valorem property tax revenues levied in the County are required to be allocated among all of the taxing entities in the County in the same proportion as the rate of ad valorem taxes levied for that taxing entity bears to the total combined rate of all ad valorem taxes levied for that fiscal year. However, abatements caused by tax rate increases are to be allocated against the entity that would benefit from the tax increase rather than among all entities uniformly. Revenues realized from new or increased ad valorem taxes that are required by any legislative act that was effective after April 6, 2005, generally are exempt from the abatement formulas. The Abatement Act provides for the recapture of previously abated property tax revenues in certain limited situations.

Levies for Debt Service. Revenues resulting from increases in the rate of ad valorem taxes for the payment of tax-secured obligations are exempt from the Abatement Act formulas if increased rates are necessary to pay debt service on the related obligation in any fiscal year if (i) the tax-secured obligations were issued before July 1, 2005; or (ii) the governing body of the taxing entity and the County Debt Management Commission make findings that no increase in the rate of an ad valorem tax is anticipated to be necessary for payment of the obligations during their term. Ad valorem tax rate increases to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds are exempt from the Abatement Act formulas.

General Effects of Abatement. Limitations on property tax revenues could negatively impact the finances and operations of the taxing entities in the State, including the District, to an extent that cannot be determined at this time. See "Property Tax Collections - Effect of Abatement Act" above.

### **Overlapping Tax Rates and General Obligation Indebtedness**

Overlapping Tax Rates. The following table presents a history of statewide average tax rates and a representative overlapping tax rate for several taxing districts located in Las Vegas, the County seat and the most populous city in the County. The overlapping rates for incorporated and unincorporated areas within the County vary depending on the rates imposed by applicable taxing jurisdictions. The highest overlapping tax rate in the County currently is \$3.4030 in Mt. Charleston Town.

History of Statewide Average and Sample Overlapping Property Tax Rates<sup>(1)</sup>

<u>Fiscal Year Ended June 30,</u> Average Statewide rate	2013 \$3.1304	2014 \$3.1212	2015 \$3.1232	2016 \$3.1360	2017 \$3.1500
Clark County	\$0.6541	\$0.6541	\$0.6541	\$0.6541	\$0.6541
Clark County School District	1.3034	1.3034	1.3034	1.3034	1.3034
City of Las Vegas	0.7715	0.7715	0.7715	0.7715	0.7715
Las Vegas-Clark County Library District	0.0942	0.0942	0.0942	0.0942	0.0942
Las Vegas Metro Police	0.2850	0.2850	0.2850	0.2850	0.2850
State of Nevada <sup>(2)</sup>	0.1700	0.1700	0.1700	0.1700	0.1700
Total	\$3.2782	\$3.2782	\$3.2782	\$3.2782	\$3.2782

<sup>(1)</sup> Per \$100 of assessed valuation.

Source: <u>Property Tax Rates for Nevada Local Governments</u> - State of Nevada, Department of Taxation, 2012-2013 through 2016-2017.

Estimated Overlapping General Obligation Indebtedness. In addition to the general obligation indebtedness of the District, other taxing entities are authorized to incur general obligation debt within boundaries that overlap or partially overlap the boundaries of the District. In addition to the entities listed below, other governmental entities may overlap the District but have no general obligation debt outstanding. The following chart sets forth the estimated overlapping general obligation debt (including general obligation medium-term bonds) chargeable to property owners within the District as of May 1, 2017.

<sup>(2) \$0.0200</sup> of the State rate is exempt from the \$3.64 cap. See "Property Tax Limitations" above.

# Estimated Overlapping Net General Obligation Indebtedness As of May 1, 2017

		Presently			
	Total	Self-Supporting	Net Direct		Overlapping
	General	General	General		Net General
	Obligation	Obligation	Obligation	Percent	Obligation
Entity (1)	<u>Indebtedness</u>	<u>Indebtedness</u>	<u>Indebtedness</u>	Applicable (2)	Indebtedness (3)
Clark County	\$ 2,499,650,063	\$ 2,482,446,000	\$ 17,204,063	100.00%	\$ 17,204,063
Henderson	216,093,861	186,433,861	29,660,000	100.00	29,660,000
Las Vegas	502,200,000	432,015,000	70,185,000	100.00	70,185,000
Mesquite	24,834,449	17,605,449	7,229,000	100.00	7,229,000
North Las Vegas	411,240,000	401,475,000	9,765,000	100.00	9,765,000
Clark County Water Reclamation District	463,437,944	463,437,944	0	100.00	0
Las Vegas Valley Water District	3,236,310,000	3,236,310,000	0	100.00	0
Las Vegas-Clark County Library District	14,185,000	0	14,185,000	100.00	14,185,000
Boulder City Library District	965,000	0	965,000	100.00	965,000
Big Bend Water District	3,532,220	3,532,220	0	100.00	0
Virgin Valley Water District	20,564,450	14,932,450	5,632,000	100.00	5,632,000
State of Nevada	1,430,653,500	296,813,000	1,133,840,500	70.49	799,244,168
TOTAL	\$ 8,823,666,487	\$ 7,535,000,924	\$ 1,288,665,563		\$ 954,069,231

<sup>(1)</sup> Other taxing entities overlap the District and may issue general obligation debt in the future.

Source: Debt information compiled by the Financial Advisor; percentages calculated using information from <u>Property Tax Rates for Nevada Local Governments</u> - State of Nevada - Department of Taxation, 2016-2017.

The following table sets forth the total net direct and overlapping general obligation indebtedness attributable to the District as of May 1, 2017 (after taking the issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the effect of the 2017 Refunding Projects into account).

# Net Direct & Overlapping General Obligation Indebtedness (1)

Total General Obligation Indebtedness	\$ 2,733,850,000
Less: Self-supporting General Obligation Indebtedness	698,775,000
Net Direct General Obligation Indebtedness	2,035,075,000
Plus: Overlapping Net General Obligation Indebtedness	954,069,231
Net Direct & Overlapping Net General Obligation Indebtedness	\$ 2,989,144,231

<sup>(1)</sup> Assumes the issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the effect of the 2017 Refunding Projects. See "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION AND DEBT STRUCTURE--Outstanding Indebtedness and Other Obligations."

<sup>(2)</sup> Based on fiscal year 2016-2017 assessed valuation (excluding the assessed valuations attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies) in the respective jurisdiction. The percent applicable is derived by dividing the assessed valuation of the governmental entity into the assessed valuation of the District.

<sup>(3)</sup> Overlapping Net General Obligation Indebtedness equals total existing general obligation indebtedness less presently self-supporting general obligation indebtedness times the percent applicable.

#### **Selected Debt Ratios**

The following table sets forth historical (and, for fiscal year 2017, projected) information relating to the District's outstanding general obligation debt as compared to the population, assessed valuation, taxable value and per capita personal income within the District.

# Select Direct General Obligation Debt Ratios

Fiscal Year Ended June 30	2013	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u> (8)
Population (1)	2,031,723	2,069,450	2,118,353	2,166,181	2,198,682
Assessed Value (2)	\$55,225,712,175	\$56,296,847,888	\$64,252,633,650	\$71,055,253,233	\$76,633,199,095
Taxable Value (2)	\$157,787,749,071	\$160,848,136,823	\$183,578,953,286	\$203,015,009,237	\$218,951,997,414
Per Capita Income (3)	\$37,966	\$39,613	\$40,652	\$40,652	\$40,652
Gross Direct G.O. Debt (4) (5)	\$3,223,895,000	\$2,894,125,000	\$2,548,890,000	\$2,590,805,000	\$2,733,850,000
Gross Direct G.O. Debt	\$5,225,895,000	\$2,894,123,000	\$2,348,890,000	\$2,390,803,000	\$2,733,830,000
RATIO TO:					
Per Capita	\$1,586.78	\$1,398.50	\$1,203.24	\$1,196.02	\$1,243.40
Percent of Assessed Value	5.84%	5.14%	3.97%	3.65%	3.57%
Percent of Taxable Value	2.04%	1.80%	1.39%	1.28%	1.25%
Percent of Per Capita Income (6)	4.17%	3.53%	2.96%	2.94%	3.06%
Net Direct G.O. Debt (4) (7)	\$2,518,415,000	\$2,245,520,000	\$1,964,995,000	\$1,881,385,000	\$2,035,075,000
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Per Capita	\$1,239.55	\$1,085.08	\$927.61	\$868.53	\$925.59
Percent of Assessed Value	4.56%	3.99%	3.06%	2.65%	2.66%
Percent of Taxable Value	1.60%	1.40%	1.07%	0.93%	0.93%
Percent of Per Capita Income (6)	3.26%	2.74%	2.28%	2.14%	2.28%

<sup>(1)</sup> For 2013-2016, reflects the State Demographer's estimates for the County as of July 1 of each year shown. For 2017, reflects the State Demographer's projection as of March 1, 2017. See "ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION—Population and Age Distribution."

Sources: Population data: Nevada State Demographer's Office (2013-2016 certified estimates as of July 1<sup>st</sup>; 2017 projection as of March 1, 2017); per capita income amounts: United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis; and debt information: the Financial Advisor.

<sup>(2)</sup> See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Base" for a description of assessed valuation and taxable value. Includes the assessed values attributable to the Redevelopment Agencies.

<sup>(3)</sup> See "ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION--Income." The 2015 figure also is used in 2016 and 2017 as no information is yet available for those years.

<sup>(4)</sup> See "DEBT STRUCTURE--Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness and Other Obligations."

<sup>(5)</sup> Fiscal year 2017 represents the debt outstanding as of May 1, 2017, and is based upon the issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the completion of the 2017 Refunding Projects. See "INTRODUCTION—Forward-Looking Statements."

<sup>(6)</sup> Per capita debt as a percent of per capita personal income.

<sup>(7)</sup> Fiscal year 2017 represents the debt outstanding as of May 1, 2017, and is based upon the issuance of the 2017A Bonds and the completion of the 2017A Refunding Project. See "INTRODUCTION—Forward-Looking Statements."

<sup>(8)</sup> Except for assessed value and taxable value, the information in this column contains projections which are subject to material change. See "INTRODUCTION—Forward-Looking Statements."

#### CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### General

All school districts in the State are organized under the terms of legislation enacted in 1956. There is one school district in each county with responsibility for all public education from pre-kindergarten through the twelfth grade. The District is located in the County and has boundaries that are coterminous with those of the County. The incorporated municipalities located within the District are Las Vegas, North Las Vegas, Henderson, Boulder City and Mesquite. According to the State Demographer's office, the certified estimated population of the County (which has boundaries identical to the District) was 2,166,181 as of July 1, 2016.

## **Pending Reorganization**

Assembly Bill No. 469. During the 2015 legislative session, the Nevada Legislature adopted, and the Governor signed, Assembly Bill No. 394 ("AB 394"), which required the development of a plan to reorganize the District. On September 1, 2016, the Nevada State Board of Education approved a plan for reorganization (the "Reorganization Plan") and adopted Regulation No. R142-16 (the "Regulations"). On September 9, 2016, the Nevada Legislative Counsel Bureau approved the Reorganization Plan. During the 2017 legislative session, the Nevada Legislature adopted, and the Governor signed, Assembly Bill No. 469 ("AB 469"). AB 469 repealed AB 394 but still requires reorganization. AB 469 codifies the Regulations into law and applies it to any large school district, which is defined as a school district that has an enrollment of 100,000 or more students.

Pursuant to AB 469, an advisory committee and a technical committee which previously worked on the Reorganization Plan pursuant to AB 394 are required to continue to monitor the reorganization to ensure autonomy is granted to schools and that Reorganization Plan is put into place no later than the 2018-2019 school year. AB 469 takes into consideration 20 factors involving precinct boundaries, curriculum, staffing, safety, ensuring equity with response to the Nevada Plan (described in "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--General Operating Fund") and other issues. The listed factors related to debt and finance include: (a) the allocation, dedication and transfer of revenues to schools for capital projects and programming; (b) the authority to issue bonds or otherwise raise revenue; (c) the application for and receipt of any grant; (d) the creation and administration of accounts to manage any money for the individual schools; (e) financial planning for programs, pupil funding and capital projects; (f) the liability of schools with respect to any duties and obligations of the Board which will be assumed by the governing body of an individual school. The advisory committee is required to continue to ensure that the District is funded in accordance with the Nevada Plan; authorize the schools to request that the District issue bonds on their behalf; require the District to issue bonds upon receiving such a request, except for good cause; and require a school on behalf of which bonds are issued to use the proceeds on a "per pupil basis."

Procedural History. The advisory committee held eight public meetings commencing October 12, 2015. The technical advisory committee held 12 public meetings commencing November 10, 2015. In July 2016, the advisory committee proposed a

Reorganization Plan to the Board of County Commissioners. The Board of County Commissioners held eight public meetings in July and August 2016. Revisions were made to the Reorganization Plan and it was then submitted to the State Board of Education on August 22, 2016. On September 1, 2016, the State Board of Education approved the Reorganization Plan and adopted the Regulations. On September 9, 2016, the Legislative Counsel Bureau approved the Reorganization Plan. The Reorganization Plan and Regulations then had the force of law and no additional public meetings or approvals were necessary to implement AB 394. During the 2017 legislative session, AB 394 was repealed and replaced with AB 469 as described above.

Description of the Reorganization Plan. The Reorganization Plan "envisions turning the present administrative structure upside down, or, more accurately, right-side up, with the schools becoming front and center at the heart of the operation of the school district." The Reorganization Plan reconfigures the District's structure in a manner that provided public schools with autonomy regarding certain operations, management and financial decisions. This model places the decisions that have an immediate impact on student achievement in the hands of parents, teachers and principals. The Reorganization Plan requires the District to allocate financial resources on a per-pupil basis, such that each school may carry out these responsibilities. The Reorganization Plan gives the District an organizational structure focused on the needs of each individual school, along with transparency and higher levels of efficiency with regard to budgeting and spending decisions. During the initial phase of the implementation of the Reorganization Plan, any costs incurred by the District in carrying out the Reorganization Plan were paid for through the redistribution of existing District funds. At this time, the District does not know the full costs of implementing the Reorganization Plan in the long term; however, on April 6, 2017, the District prepared a "Local Government Fiscal Note" in connection with AB 469 and submitted it to the Nevada Legislature. The Fiscal Note states that the District anticipates a fiscal impact of the Reorganization Plan of \$21,000,000 in fiscal year 2017-2018, \$5,900,000 in fiscal year 2018-2019, and \$5,900,000 in fiscal year 2019-2020. These amounts are only estimates as of April 6, 2017, however, and are subject to change.

The Superintendent is required to make financial estimates and determinations regarding the schools on a yearly basis. Each school is overseen by the school's principal, who will be responsible for the school's Plan of Operation. The Superintendent transferred to each school the authority to: 1) select and supervise staff, 2) procure necessary equipment, services and supplies to carry out operational plans and 3) develop a balanced budget. In return, schools are held to a higher level of accountability. To serve as a linkage between the principals and the Superintendent, a new position was developed within the District's central administration: "School Associate Superintendent." Each School Associate Superintendent shall oversee a group of no more than 25 schools and in conjunction with the Chief Academic Officer, report directly to the Superintendent. The School Associate Superintendents are also required to provide supervision and training to principals, and ensure that the schools remain in compliance with all federal, state and local laws. Each school is also required to be guided by an organizational team made up of licensed, support and administrative employees, as well as parents and community leaders. Utilizing the advice of the School Associate Superintendents and the organizational team, the principal of each school is required to develop a Plan of Operation based on the needs of the students and the surrounding community.

With this administrative revision, the local school precincts are expected to have a direct link to the central administration, removing the need for an intermediate level of bureaucracy. A Central Services team, an entity separate and distinct from the Superintendent, will remain in place to render certain services to all of the local school precincts. Such services are expected to include, among other things: financial services, including payroll services, transportation services, food services and certain human resource services. The District is currently identifying services provided by Central Services and the costs associated with those services that may be transferred to local school precincts. The local school precincts will then have the flexibility to continue to purchase services through Central Services or from external vendors.

Since the Reorganization Plan stated that it would go into effect for the 2017-2018 school year, one year earlier than required by AB 394, District officials immediately began the training of all central office administrators and principals, who in turn trained thousands of teachers, support staff and parents. In addition, the Superintendent stated that the 2017-2018 school year would serve as a transition year in which certain portions of the Reorganization Plan would be implemented. In particular, the Superintendent continued the use of Central Services as the sole provider of goods and services to local school precincts during the 2017-2018 school year.

No Anticipated Impact of AB 469 and the Reorganization Plan on District Debt. The Reorganization Plan (including the reorganization provisions of AB 469) contains no provisions which alter current law regarding the District's ability to issue future debt or its ability to impose and collect the taxes pledged to its existing debt. Accordingly, the District expects that its existing debt will continue to be repaid from the ad valorem property taxes and other taxes and revenues which are pledged to such debt, as applicable to the particular type and series of outstanding debt.

#### **Board of Trustees**

The District is governed by an elected, seven-member Board. Board members represent specific geographic areas and are elected for four-year overlapping terms by the voters in the District. The Board elects one of its members as president, one of its members as vice president and one of its members as clerk. Board members are limited to 12 years in office pursuant to State constitutional term limitations. Regular Board meetings are held on the second and fourth Thursday of each month at the Edward A. Greer Education Center in the District; special meetings are held as needed.

The present members of the Board, the year each began service as trustee, and the expiration of their respective terms are as follows:

	Director	First Term	<b>Current Term Expires</b>
Board Member and Title	<b>District</b>	<u>Began</u>	(January)
Deanna L. Wright, President	A	January 2009	2020
Linda E. Young, Vice President	C	January 2009	2020
Carolyn Edwards, Clerk	F	January 2007	2018
Kevin L. Child, Board Member	D	January 2015	2018
Erin E. Cranor, Board Member	G	January 2011	2018
Lola Brooks, Board Member	E	January 2017	2020
Chris Garvey, Board Member	В	January 2009	2020

# **District Management Philosophy**

The Vision of the Board. All students progress in school and graduate prepared to succeed and contribute in a diverse global society.

The Mission of the District and Superintendent. To ensure that all students experience success in school. "Success," as defined by the District, means all students are "ready to exit." The District is working to implement the Board of Trustees' vision for increasing student achievement through the Superintendent's Strategic Plan known as the Pledge of Achievement, adopted in 2014. The pledge identifies the following Strategic Imperatives: Academic Excellence, Engagement, School Support, and Clarity and Focus as well as the following Focus Areas: Proficiency, Academic Growth, Achievement Gaps, College and Career Readiness, Value/Return on Investment, Disproportionality, and Family/Community Engagement and Customer Service. Additionally, focus is placed in six key areas. The first focus area is achievement; every student should graduate ready for college or a career. The second is people; every adult must contribute to student success. The third is opportunity; every student and adult has an equitable opportunity to succeed. The forth is innovation; every level of the organization should nurture a culture of innovation. The fifth is community engagement; every member of our community has the opportunity to contribute to student success. The sixth is results; every investment of time, money, and people contributes to student success.

#### Administration

The Board establishes District policy and oversees the budget. The Board appoints the Superintendent as its Chief Executive Officer to administer the day-to-day operations of the District. The Chief Financial Officer reports directly to the Chief Operating Officer. The Chief Financial Officer position is currently being held by an Interim Chief Financial Officer. The District has completed its search process for a new Chief Financial Officer and is currently interviewing final candidates.

Brief biographies for the Superintendent and the Interim Chief Financial Officer, each of whom is directly involved in the issuance of the 2017 Bonds, are set forth below.

Pat Skorkowsky, Superintendent. Mr. Skorkowsky was appointed as the District's Superintendent in May 2013. Prior to that time, he served as an Assistant Superintendent for six years. Mr. Skorkowsky has been employed by the District since August 1988, when he was a first-grade teacher. He also has served as an elementary school assistant principal and as a middle school principal in the District. Mr. Skorkowsky received his Associate Degree in Science from St. Gregory's College in Oklahoma, his Bachelor's Degree in Elementary Education from Oklahoma State University and his Master's Degree in Educational Administration from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

Eva White, Interim Chief Financial Officer. The Interim Chief Financial Officer (CFO) since January 2017 is Dr. Eva White, who has been employed by the District since August 1986. Prior to her appointment as the Interim CFO, Dr. White served as the Assistant Superintendent, Strategic Resources and Capital Improvement, in the Business and Finance Unit. She was responsible for overseeing the strategic budgets for 321 schools and ensuring the general fund budget for all schools aligned with the District's Pledge of Achievement. She was the liaison between Academic Unit and Operational Services Unit regarding the seven new schools, two replacement schools, and 13 additions for the 2017-18 school year. Other positions in which Dr. White has served include Assistant Chief Student Achievement Officer, Director of Assessment and Accountability, and Director of Human Resources. Prior to that, she served as an elementary school administrator and teacher of students in prekindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grade. Dr. White started her career as a teacher in Minnesota after earning her Bachelor of Science Degree in Elementary Education from Bemidji State University, Bemidji, Minnesota. She also holds a Master of Science Degree in Elementary Education from Bemidji State University, Bemidji, Minnesota. She earned her doctorate in Educational Leadership with an emphasis in school finance from the University of Nevada, Las Vegas.

# **District Organization and Divisions**

<u>Administration</u>. District operations are administered by the Superintendent, one Deputy Superintendent, the Chief Operating Officer, the Chief Academic Officer, the Chief Instructional Services Officer, and Ancillary Support.

With the passage of AB 394, the District developed a reorganization structure to give local school administrators, staff members, parents and the community greater decision-making authority as it relates to budgeting, staffing, curriculum, scheduling, and other operations at the school level.

Beginning in the 2017-2018 school year, the District plan established a new role of 16 School Associate Superintendents who will oversee, support and mentor up to 25 principals. The School Associate Superintendent is the direct link between school principals and the Superintendent. The School Associate Superintendents, in conjunction with the Chief Academic Officer, work directly with the Superintendent, and have the responsibility of reviewing and approving school planning documents as well as budgets produced by the school organizational teams and principals. School organizational teams consist of between two and four licensed staff members, one non-licensed staff member, and up to six parents. The above members of the team are considered voting members. Non-voting members are the school

principal, student representative, and community member. This hierarchy provides a distinct structure that supports increased student achievement.

Magnet Schools/Career and Technical Academies. Magnet Schools and Career and Technical Academies offer learning opportunities related to various themes for interested students. Students from across the District may apply to a Magnet School or Career and Technical Academy, regardless of the geographic area in which they reside. The purposes of these schools are to improve student achievement, promote diversity, and create an awareness of career opportunities relative to the fields of study in which students may be interested.

Magnet Schools/Career and Technical Academies offer coursework associated with a variety of pathways leading to both careers and opportunities for higher education, such as aerospace and aviation, information technologies, performing and fine arts, communications, law preparatory, health services, travel and tourism, and engineering.

Strategic Budgeting. Strategic Budgeting is designed to improve learning and student performance through increased school autonomy of spending and decision making. Strategic Budgeting was implemented as part of the 2016-2017 Final Budget. As financial considerations are at the root of all major business decisions, clear budgetary planning is essential, not only at the District level, but also at the individual school level. Strategic Budgeting allows schools to understand the financial implications of all decisions in order to ensure student success. The mission of Strategic Budgeting is to purposely allocate and expend resources dispersed to all worksites in order to carry out the Superintendent's Pledge of Achievement (described under "District Management Philosophy" above) for every student in every classroom, without exceptions, without excuses. Strategic Budgeting aligns to the Pledge of Achievement by its focus on deploying budget and resources in support of four priorities: (a) better training and preparation of current and prospective teachers and school leaders; (b) increasing the engagement of students, staff, parents, and the community; (c) providing a demonstrated return on investment for all District funds and expenditures and (d) focusing support for new ideas. With Strategic Budgeting, school communities have a greater role in diagnosing their own school specific needs, implementing their plans by working outside the normal mechanics of Central Services, engaging all stakeholders in the budgetary planning process, dedicating resources to growth and development of staff and allowing for transparency in return on investment at each site. Rather than being recipients of funds with predetermined uses, Strategic Budgeting gives schools the autonomy to deploy their resources for maximum impact, according to the needs of their individual communities.

Administrative Units and Programs. The administrators discussed above, together with administrative staff, oversee the District's operations through the following divisions and programs: the Superintendent, who oversees the District; one Deputy Superintendent, who supports the Superintendent, and 12 ancillary services to include: Legal, Communications, Community and Government Relations, Diversity and Affirmative Action, Police Services, Employee-Management Relations, Turn Around Support, Deputy Chief of Staff/Liaison to the Board of Trustees, Internal Audit, Title IX, and the Talent and Leadership Development. The Chief Operations Officer, which is responsible for all operational functions of the district such as; Food Service, Transportation, Risk Management, Human Resources, Vegas PBS, Business and Finance, Facilities, Purchasing, and Technology and Information Systems Services.

Additionally, there is a Chief Academic Officer who supports the School Associate Superintendents, and the Chief Instructional Services Officer which supports the English Language Learner Division, Assessment Accountability, Research, and School Improvement Division, Student Services Division, Instructional Design and Professional Learning Division, and the Educational Opportunities Division.

# **Enrollment**

The District enrolls approximately 68% of all school children in the State. The following table presents a historical record of school enrollment within the District and projected enrollment for the current and following school years.

# **Enrollment History and Projection**

School Year		Percent
Ending June 30	Student Population <sup>(1)</sup>	Change
2012	308,377	
2013	311,218	1.0%
2014	314,598	1.1
2015	317,759	1.0
2016	319,203	0.5
2017	321,261 <sup>(2)</sup>	0.6
2018	$323,380^{(2)}$	0.7

<sup>(1)</sup> Except as noted, represents final enrollment audited by the State.

Source: The District.

The District has been experiencing enrollment growth, with school year 2016-2017 representing the fifth year since school year 2011-2012 that the District has experienced enrollment gains throughout the year after the State audited enrollments. The trend is expected to continue in school year 2017-2018. If current trends hold, the District predicts between 0.5% and 1% annual enrollment increases for the next several years.

Senate Bill No. 508, passed in the 2015 legislative session, changed the Distributive School Account ("DSA") (see "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION-General Operating Fund") reporting from a single annual official count day to a quarterly Average Daily Enrollment ("ADE"). The annual ADE reporting days are October 1, January 1, April 1, and July 1. ADE represents the District's total number of pupils enrolled in and scheduled to attend school divided by the number of days school is in session for that quarter. School year 2015-2016 was the first year of the legislatively mandated change.

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents projected Average Daily Enrollment ("ADE"), defined and described below.

### **Employees; Benefits and Pension Matters**

<u>Employees</u>. As of March 31, 2017, the District had 29,626 full-time equivalent employees, which is an increase of 483 full-time equivalent employees from March 31, 2016. The District's administrators, teachers, support staff, school police and school police administrators are represented by separate bargaining units, and collective bargaining agreements are in effect for four of the units. Currently, all bargaining units' contracts are under negotiation.

The following table illustrates the type and number of personnel employed by the District as of March 31, 2016, and March 31, 2017:

# District Employees<sup>(1)</sup>

	Number of Employees					
<u>Type</u>	March 31, 2016	March 31, 2017				
Licensed Personnel <sup>(2)</sup>	23,653	23,680				
Administrators	1,132	1,119				
Professional/Technical	245	256				
School Police	147	146				
Support Personnel	<u>15,894</u>	<u>16,379</u>				
TOTAL	41,071	41,580				

<sup>(1)</sup> Headcount. Includes full-time, part-time, temporary substitute staff, and student workers.

Source: The District.

<u>Collective Bargaining Agreements</u>. The District is a party to the following collective bargaining agreements with several groups of its employees. Each of these agreements expires each June 30, and the District is currently in negotiations regarding the extension of each agreement for the year ended June 30, 2018.

Clark County Education Association ("CCEA"). The District reached an agreement with the CCEA, its largest bargaining unit, on January 14, 2016. This contract is set to expire on June 30, 2017. The CCEA had approximately 23,680 bargaining unit employees as of March 31, 2017.

Education Support Employees Association ("ESEA"). The ESEA bargaining unit's contract for the 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 school years was settled in October 2016 by an arbitrator. The District paid for contract concessions by imposing offsetting budget reductions and using General Fund balance in the amount of approximately \$18 million in the Amended Final Budget for 2016-2017, which was approved by the Board on December 8, 2016. The ESEA had approximately 12,239 bargaining unit employees as of March 31, 2017.

Clark County Association of School Administrators and Professional-Technical Employees ("CCASAPE"). The CCASAPE bargaining unit's contract for the 2015-2016 and 2016-2017 school years was settled on May 26, 2017, by an arbitrator. The District plans to pay for contract concessions by imposing offsetting budget reductions in the amount of approximately \$13.4 million, which will necessitate an amendment to the 2018 Final Budget.

<sup>(2)</sup> Approximately 70% of the District's licensed personnel hold advanced degrees (master's or higher).

The District is currently working on the budget reductions and plans to submit an amended Final Budget to the Board during its first meeting in July, 2017. The CCASAPE had approximately 1,338 bargaining unit employees as of March 31, 2017.

Police Officer's Association ("POA"). The District is currently in negotiations with the POA's bargaining unit for the 2016-2017 and 2017-2018 school years. The POA had approximately 146 bargaining unit employees as of March 31, 2017.

In addition to collective bargaining, the District holds frequent discussions with the leaders of the employee groups. The District is committed to maintaining competitive salaries for all employees within available funding.

Benefits. The District offers its employees a comprehensive benefits package. All District employees receive the following benefits: medical, dental, vision and prescription drug insurance; life and long-term disability insurance (except that the licensed personnel group does not receive long-term disability as part of the benefits package). Additional voluntary benefits are available via payroll deduction. The District also pays retirement contributions through Nevada Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS as discussed herein) and provides workers' compensation insurance as required by law. Licensed District employees are offered a comprehensive benefits package through the Teachers Health Trust (the "Trust") established by the Clark County Education Association and the District in 1983. The Trust was established to administer health benefits for its participants. In 2015, the Trust announced that it was facing financial difficulties due to rising costs and flat revenue. Effective July 23, 2015, the Trust implemented a new coinsurance requirement whereby participants are responsible for 20% of medical expenses plus the preexisting copays. The Trust documents provide that the District is not obligated to provide benefit payments if the Trust does not have sufficient assets to do so.

Pension Matters. The State's PERS covers substantially all public employees of the State, its agencies and its political subdivisions, including the District. PERS, established by the Legislature effective July 1, 1948, is governed by the Public Employees' Retirement Board whose seven members are appointed by the Governor for four-year terms. Except for certain District specific information set forth below, the information in this section has been obtained from publicly-available documents provided by PERS. The District has not independently verified the information obtained from the publicly available documents provided by PERS and are not responsible for its accuracy.

All public employees who meet certain eligibility requirements participate in PERS, which is a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit plan. Benefits, as established by statute, are determined by the number of years of accredited service at the time of retirement and the member's highest average compensation in any 36 consecutive months. Benefit payments to which participants may be entitled under PERS include pension benefits, disability benefits and death benefits.

Legislative changes have created several tiers of retirement eligibility thresholds. The following table illustrates the PERS retirement eligibility thresholds for regular members.

Nevada PERS Retirement Eligibility

Membership Date	Regular			
	Age	Years of Service		
Before January 1, 2010	65	5		
	60	10		
	Any	30		
After January 1, 2010,	65	5		
before July 1, 2015	62	10		
	Any	30		
After July 1, 2015	65	5		
	62	10		
	55	30		
	Any	33 1/3		

Nevada law requires PERS to conduct a biennial actuarial valuation showing unfunded actuarial accrued liability ("UAAL") and the contribution rates required to fund PERS on an actuarial reserve basis. The actual employer and employee contribution rates are established in cycle with the State's biennium budget on the first full pay period of the even numbered fiscal years. By PERS policy, the system actually performs an annual actuary study. The most recent independent actuarial valuation report of PERS was completed as of June 30, 2016. The following table reflects some of the key valuation results from the last three PERS actuary studies:

PERS Actuarial Report

Key Valuation Results	June 30, 2016	June 30, 2015	June 30, 2014
UAAL	\$12.56 billion	\$12.35 billion	\$12.53 billion
Market Value Funding Ratio	72.2%	75.1%	76.3%
Actuarial Value Funding Ratio	74.1%	73.2%	71.5%
Assets Market Value	\$35.00 billion	\$34.61 billion	\$33.58 billion
Assets Actuarial Value	\$35.90 billion	\$33.72 billion	\$31.47 billion

For the purpose of calculating the actuarially determined contribution rate, the UAAL is amortized as a level percent of payroll over a year-by-year closed amortization period where each amortization period is set at 20 years. The calculation method for the UAAL existing as of June 30, 2011, is amortized using the closed method over 30 years. Effective for fiscal year 2012, the PERS Board adopted changes to the amortization method to be used to amortize new UAAL resulting from actuarial gains or losses and changes in actuarial assumptions. Any new UAAL will be amortized over a period equal to the truncated average remaining amortization period of all prior UAAL layers, until the average remaining amortization period is less than 20 years; after that time, 20-year amortization periods will be used. The PERS Board also adopted a five-year asset smoothing policy for net deferred gains/losses.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, PERS adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 67, *Financial Reporting for Pension Plans*. This GASB statement replaces the requirements of GASB statements 25 and 50 as they relate to pension plans that are administered through trusts or equivalent arrangements that meet certain

criteria. The objective of GASB 67 is to improve financial reporting by state and local governmental pension plans. It requires enhancement to footnote disclosure and required supplementary information for pension plans. In addition, it requires the determination of net pension liability ("NPL") as opposed to the previously disclosed UAAL.

Prior to these new standards, the accounting and reporting requirements of the pension related liabilities followed a long-term funding policy perspective. The new standards separate the accounting and reporting requirements from the funding decisions and require the unfunded portion of the pension liability to be apportioned among the participating employers. These standards apply for financial reporting purposes only and do not apply to contribution amounts for pension funding purposes.

With the implementation of GASB 67, PERS reported its total pension liability, fiduciary net position, and NPL in its financial statements for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2014-2016. The total pension liability for financial reporting was determined on the same basis as the actuarial accrued liability measure for funding. The fiduciary net position is equal to the market value of assets. The NPL is equal to the difference between the total pension liability and the fiduciary net position.

PERS's NPL as of June 30, 2016 was \$13.46 billion as compared to \$11.46 billion as of June 30, 2015, when measured in accordance with GASB 67. PERS' fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability was 72.23% as of June 30, 2016, as compared to 75.10% as of June 30, 2015.

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015, the District adopted GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, and GASB Statement No. 71, Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date. The implementation of these standards requires governments to calculate and report the costs and obligations associated with pensions in their basic financial statements. Employers are required to recognize pension amounts for all benefits provided through the plan, which include the NPL, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources and pension expense. The effect of implementation of these standards on net position resulted in a negative net position of \$651,803,162 in fiscal year 2015 on the District's Government-wide Statement of Net Position, and a negative net position of \$471,532,787 in fiscal year 2016.

Among other requirements, the District was required to report its proportionate share of the total PERS (fiduciary) NPL in its financial statements. PERS was required to implement GASB 67. As a result of an actuarial study performed by PERS for fiscal year 2014, the District's proportionate share of PERS's NPL in fiscal year 2015 is 24.2%, resulting in the recording of a June 30, 2015 pension liability of \$2,522,385,016. As a result of an actuarial study performed by PERS for fiscal year 2015, the District's proportionate share of PERS's NPL in fiscal year 2016 is 24.38%, resulting in the recording of a June 30, 2016 pension liability of \$2,794,013,521. As stated above, the transition to this standard resulted in a negative net position of \$651,803,162 on the District's Government-wide Statement of Net Position in fiscal year 2015, and a negative net position of \$471,532,787 in fiscal year 2016. The implementation of this standard has no effect at the individual fund statement level. The District has no legal

obligation to fund any of PERS's NPL nor does it have any ability to affect funding, benefit, or actuarially determined contribution decisions made by PERS or the Legislature.

Contribution rates to PERS are established in accordance with State statute. The statute allows for biennial increases or decreases of the actuarially determined rate. The Legislature can increase the contribution rate for members by any amount it determines necessary. Pursuant to statute, there is no obligation on the part of the employers to pay for their proportionate share of the unfunded liability. The District is obligated to contribute all amounts due under PERS; however, in accordance with State law, non-police/fire employees share the annual increases equally with the employer. As a result, salaries for regular employees were reduced by 1% in fiscal year 2014 and 1.125% in fiscal year 2016 in order to cover half of the increase in statutory contribution rates. A history of contribution rates is shown below.

	Fiscal Years	Fiscal Years	Fiscal Years
	2012 and 2013	2014 and 2015	2016 and 2017
Regular members	23.75%	25.75%	28.00%
Police/fire members	39.75	40.50	40.50

The District's contribution to PERS for the years ended June 30, 2015, 2016, and 2017 were \$376,340,869, \$417,942,468 and \$457,356,000 (estimated), respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year. The District has estimated \$460,247,000 in PERS contributions for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, considering the increase for regular PERS members that became effective on July 1, 2015.

All District employees are enrolled under a non-contributory plan and the District is obligated to contribute all amounts due under PERS. Pursuant to prior collective bargaining agreements, District payment of what were formerly employee contributions was made in lieu of equivalent salary increases. As of July 1, 2009, the salary schedules for support staff, school police, and administrative/professional-technical personnel were reduced to reflect that these District employees would pay for their portion (one-half) of the PERS rate increase through salary reduction. In accordance with NRS 286.421(8), the employer-pay contribution plan for members is treated as being equally divided between employee and employer for the purposes of adjusting salary increases or salary reductions. However, changes were made during the collective bargaining process for support staff, police and administrative/professional-technical personnel regarding that shared increase. For 2014-2015, one-half of the rate increase effective July 1, 2013 was offset by a corresponding decrease (1%) to employee salary schedules for 2014-2015. For 2015-2016, one-half of the rate increase effective July 1, 2015 was offset by a corresponding decrease (1.125%) to all employee salary schedules for 2015-2016.

See Note 12 in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for additional information on PERS. In addition, copies of PERS' most recent annual financial report, including audited financial statements and required supplemental information, are available from the Public Employees Retirement System of Nevada, 693 West Nye Lane, Carson City, Nevada 89703-1599, telephone: (775) 687-4200.

#### Retiree Healthcare Benefits.

Public Employees' Benefit Program. The 2003 Nevada Legislature adopted Assembly Bill No. 286 ("AB 286"), which required local governments, including school districts, to subsidize the health insurance premiums of its retired employees who enrolled in the State's Public Employees' Benefit Program ("PEBP"). Prior to this, the District did not provide for any post-employment benefits to retirees.

In the 2007 Nevada Legislative Session, Senate Bill No. 544 ("SB 544") was adopted, which eliminated the ability of a retiree to receive coverage for health insurance under the PEBP unless the retiree's last employer was actively participating in the plan. Since the District does not utilize the plan for active employees, the practical effect of SB 544 was that, after November 30, 2008, retired District personnel were no longer eligible to receive health insurance coverage through the PEBP, ensuring that the District would no longer be required to subsidize premiums for retirees after that date. Any members already enrolled in the plan at that date were grandfathered in and were not subject to any benefit terminations.

Accounting for Costs of Retiree Healthcare Benefits. Beginning in 2007-2008, Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 45 required the District to begin recognizing the cost of other postemployment benefits ("OPEB") in the period in which the benefits are incurred, rather than its previous approach in which the cost of benefits were not reported until after employees retired. The District anticipated that the UAAL would be made up primarily of OPEB costs related to retired school district personnel who chose benefits provided by the PEBP through AB 286 prior to November 30, 2008; thereafter, OPEB costs would primarily consist of costs attributable to retired employees covered by the District's health benefits plan who decided to continue with that plan. The administrators and the licensed teachers have bargaining unit sponsored health plans. Members of these bargaining units had the choice of participating in the health benefit program provided by their bargaining units, rather than participating in the PEBP, until November 30, 2008; since that date, those employees will only be covered by the bargaining unit health plans. Other employees did not have such a choice, but may have chosen not to participate in PEBP or the District's health plan because of other alternatives (e.g., insurance provided through another source, such as the spouse's employer). In addition, the UAAL includes OPEB costs associated with an "implicit rate subsidy" because retirees are allowed to pay the same premium as active employees.

The District's annual OPEB cost (expense) for the plan is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer ("ARC"), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal costs each year and to amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed 30 years.

During fiscal year 2011, the PEBP announced significant plan design changes for retirees participating in their program. As a result of these changes, a new valuation was completed and as of July 1, 2011, pre-Medicare retirees now participate in a High Deductible Health Care Program in which PEBP provides \$700 to a Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) per year for the retiree and \$200 for a dependent. All Medicare eligible retirees will participate in a Medicare Exchange with PEBP providing a service related contribution to a HRA equal to

\$12 per month per year of service (maximum \$240 per month). As a result of this change, the UAAL decreased by about 13.4% or \$22.8 million.

The District received a report, dated October 13, 2016, to determine the actuarial value of its obligations. The report indicates that as of July 1, 2015, the present value of benefits for the District (*i.e.*, the total present value of all expected future benefits, based on certain actuarial assumptions) is \$147,651,619 using a 4.0% discount rate; the District's total combined UAAL is \$147,651,619 using a 4.0% discount rate; and the annual amount required to be paid to amortize this liability over 18 years and to accumulate an appropriate amount for current employees so that the UAAL does not increase (*i.e.*, the ARC, as described above) is \$12,520,386, also based on a 4.0% discount rate. These valuations are based on several assumptions, including a level dollar of pay amortization method.

For fiscal year 2014, the District's annual OPEB cost (expense) was \$12,506,571 and was calculated under the Projected Unit Cost Method. The District contributed \$10,730,287 toward the obligation throughout the year, resulting in a net OPEB obligation at year-end of \$34,470,928, which is recorded as a liability on the statement of net position.

For fiscal year 2015, the District's annual OPEB cost (expense) was \$12,123,991 and was calculated under the Projected Unit Cost Method. The District contributed \$9,767,074 toward the obligation throughout the year, resulting in a net OPEB obligation at year-end of \$36,827,845, which is recorded as a liability on the statement of net position.

For fiscal year 2016, the District's annual OPEB cost (expense) was \$10,870,616 and was calculated under the Projected Unit Cost Method. The District contributed \$9,532,841 toward the obligation throughout the year, resulting in a net OPEB obligation at year-end of \$38,165,620, which is recorded as a liability on the statement of net position.

In the 2007 Nevada Legislature, Senate Bill No. 457 created a procedure which allows local governments to authorize investments, funding their OPEB, through trust funds with broader investments powers than the District has. The District does not presently plan on establishing such a fund and did not pre-fund any portion of the plan.

See Note 16 and the Required Supplementary Information in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for further information on the District's OPEB obligations.

# **District Facilities and Capital Improvement Plan**

Existing Facilities and 1998 Capital Program. The District experienced rapid growth over much of the last 20 years and engaged in extensive planning to blend the best utilization of existing facilities with the construction of additional facilities. The District issued bonds during the period 1998-2008 in the amount of \$4.9 billion. Proceeds of those bonds were used to construct 101 new schools, expand or replace 38 schools and provide technology and equipment upgrades and other modernization improvements for 229 schools.

The District currently operates 351 school programs servicing students in grades kindergarten through 12. Approximately 94% of the District's educational programs, a total of

323, are located in urban areas of Clark County, Las Vegas, North Las Vegas and Henderson. Approximately 8% of the District's educational programs, a total of 28, are located in rural Clark County. The following table illustrates the type of schools and the number of each type of school within the District:

# District Schools<sup>(1)</sup>

Elementary	216
Middle	59
Senior High	49
Special	8
Alternative Schools	<u>19</u>
Total	351

<sup>(1)</sup> As of May 1, 2017. The District is planning to open seven additional elementary schools during the 2017-2018 school year.

In addition to its school buildings, the District owns and operates a variety of facilities in order to accommodate its educational program for the school-age children residing within its boundaries, including administrative facilities, food service facilities, maintenance facilities, transportation centers and a school safety services center.

There are approximately 1,370 acres of vacant land in the District's inventory. This includes approximately 508 acres that are owned by the District, as well as 705 acres held through Bureau of Land Management patents or leases. The District also owns numerous vehicles, including a fleet of school buses.

The 2015-2025 Capital Improvement Program. In 2015, two Senate Bills critical to funding capital projects for the District, Senate Bills No. 119 and 207 ("SB 119" and "SB 207," respectively), were adopted by the Nevada Legislature. These bills allow the District to issue additional bonds secured by the debt levy approved in the 1998 Election for an additional ten years. See "SECURITY FOR THE 2017 BONDS--District Tax Levies." After taking SB 119 and SB 207 into account, on September 24, 2015, the Board adopted a \$4.1 billion ten-year capital improvement plan (the "Ten Year CIP").

Early in the 2015 legislative session, the District estimated that it could quickly build 12 new schools in the areas where they were most needed and replace two of the District's oldest elementary schools, for a total of 14 schools to be constructed. The list of school building construction projects was provided to the Nevada Legislature. Based on early examinations of the sites, it was determined that due to the nature or complexity of some of the locations, school construction would be completed in phases, with six new schools and two replacement schools to be completed by August 2017 and one mid-year 2017 opening to bring the total to seven new schools in 2017, and five new schools expected to be completed by August 2018.

On September 24, 2015, the Board approved the allocation of funding for the 2015 Capital Improvement Plan. The Board's approved plan, referred to as "B-BOT," allocated \$2.0 billion to address the District's capacity needs. These dollars will allow the District to construct 35 new elementary schools, 2 new high schools, and school additions at approximately

54 elementary schools as long as enrollment growth continues at the expected level. Additionally, the plan allocated \$2.1 billion to address modernization, equity, life cycle and technology needs of the District over the next ten years.

It is expected that the Ten Year CIP will be a dynamic capital program initially defined by guiding principles that will be shaped by the community, District leadership, and Board management. As such, there will be potential changes to future and current construction projects whenever data suggests that there are better suited alternatives or when the principles guiding the strategy of the program are revised or changed in any way.

<u>Five-Year Official Capital Improvement Plan</u>. Pursuant to State law, the District is required to adopt a five-year Capital Improvement Plan (the "Five Year CIP") in conjunction with its budget process. The Five Year CIP provides information about anticipated capital expenditures and funding sources. The Five Year CIP is a planning tool, and projects may be reprioritized, altered, added or deleted from the Five Year CIP at the discretion of the Board. The current Five Year CIP was adopted on May 17, 2017.

The current Five Year CIP includes approximately \$2.834 billion of projects, including construction of 18 new elementary schools, 10 replacement elementary schools, 2 replacement middle schools, 1 new K-8 school, phased replacement of 2 high schools, 2 elementary schools and Sandy Valley elementary, middle and high school, 29 elementary school classroom additions for capacity, a gymnasium addition, as well as replacement of aging technology in schools. Planned projects total approximately \$651.0 million in 2017-2018, \$611.0 million in 2018-2019, \$552.2 million in 2019-2020, \$507.2 million in 2020-2021 and \$512.2 million in 2021-2022. Sources of funding include bond proceeds, Room Tax, Transfer Tax and governmental service tax revenues, available District funds and available fund balance.

# **Compliance With Federal Laws**

<u>General</u>. As a public entity, the District is subject to various federal laws, including those relating to environmental matters and accommodation of those with disabilities.

The District has a safety and environmental protection section within the Risk Management Division that handles hazardous material issues on an ongoing basis and other than asbestos-containing materials has found no other environmental problems.

The District is also subject to the Americans with Disabilities Act. The District has an ongoing plan for bringing District facilities into compliance with the Act, much of which is being funded from the District's capital programs. The District believes that the plan it has in place will, upon completion of the steps outlined therein, bring the District's facilities into compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Federal regulations have been developed relating to instructional aides in Title I (as described herein) classrooms as part of the "No Child Left Behind Act." Title I provides services in areas such as reading/language arts to meet academic needs of educationally disadvantaged students in school attendance areas with high concentrations of children from low-

income families. It is anticipated that absent sequestration (described below) or other changes to federal law, federal funding will cover most costs associated with this mandate.

The State has received a waiver from the Federal No Child Left Behind law. The waiver now gives the State the authority to use the State's accountability system in place of key federal accountability requirements. The State accountability system includes a different method of measuring student achievement, more rigorous national standards and new school and teacher evaluation systems. The State accountability system will now be used to meet many of the No Child Left Behind requirements, including the requisite to annually determine school and district progress in meeting performance targets.

<u>Sequestration.</u> The District is subject to developments at the federal level with respect to the Budget Control Act of 2011 ("sequestration"). As a result of sequestration, the District's QSCB Subsidy received on or about June 15, 2014, was reduced 7.2% (approximately \$437,309); the QSCB Subsidy received on or about June 15, 2015, was reduced 7.3% (approximately \$443,383); and the QSCB Subsidy received on or about June 15, 2016, was reduced 6.8% (approximately \$412,691). The QSCB Subsidy expected to be received on or about June 15, 2017, is estimated to be reduced by 6.9% (approximately \$418,760).

Sequestration is expected to reduce federal education funds only minimally in fiscal year 2017 across all federal grants. Included in that amount are cuts to Title I, Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Title II, Title III, the 21<sup>st</sup> Century grant, the Striving Readers grant, the School Improvement grant and numerous grant programs available to school districts. Unless Congress takes the necessary action to avoid sequestration, the District will be forced to reduce programs, projects and spending of federal funds.

The laws described above and other federal laws presently in effect or enacted in the future may require the expenditure of funds on programs without necessarily providing sufficient resources (in the form of federal grants or otherwise) to pay for the mandates of those requirements. The District cannot predict the ultimate effect of this federal legislation on the District.

#### DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# **Budgeting**

General. Prior to April 15 of each year, the District is required to submit to the Nevada Department of Taxation the tentative budget for the next fiscal year, commencing on July 1. The tentative budget contains the proposed expenditures and means of financing them. After reviewing the tentative budget, the Nevada Department of Taxation is required to notify the District upon its acceptance of the budget. Following acceptance of the proposed budget by the Nevada Department of Taxation, the District is required to conduct public hearings on its budget on the third Wednesday in May and adopt the final budget on or before June 8.

The District is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts subject to Board approval in accordance with statute. Increases to a fund's budget other than by transfers are accomplished through formal action of the Board. With the exception of money appropriated for specific capital projects or Federal and State grant expenditures, all unencumbered appropriations lapse at the end of the fiscal year.

Awards. Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (the "GFOA") presented the District with its 24th consecutive award for Distinguished Budget Presentation for its annual budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. In order to receive this award, a governmental unit must publish a public document that meets program criteria in a policy document, as an operations guide, as a financial plan, and a communications device.

The Association of School Business Officials International awarded the District its Meritorious Budget Award ("MBA") in excellence in budget presentation during the 2016-2017 budget year for the 7<sup>th</sup> consecutive year. The MBA promotes and recognizes excellence in school budget presentation and enhances school business officials' skills in developing, analyzing and presenting a school budget system. After a review by professional auditors, the award is conferred only on school districts that have met or exceeded the program's criteria.

#### **Annual Reports**

General. The District prepares a comprehensive annual financial report ("CAFR") setting forth the financial condition of the District as of June 30 of each fiscal year. The CAFR, which includes the District's basic audited financial statements, is the official financial report of the District. It is prepared following generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). The latest completed report is for the year ended June 30, 2016. See Note 1 in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for a summary of the District's significant accounting policies.

The audited basic financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2016, which are attached hereto as Appendix A, are excerpted from the CAFR and represent the most recent audited financial statements of the District. Financial statements for prior years may be obtained from the sources listed in "INTRODUCTION--Additional Information.

<u>Certificate of Achievement</u>. The District received the GFOA Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting for its comprehensive financial report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. This is the 31st consecutive year the District has received this recognition. In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a governmental unit must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized comprehensive annual financial report with contents conforming to program standards. Such reports must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and acceptable legal requirements.

## Accounting

All governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting in which revenues are recognized when they become measurable and available as net current assets. Sales and use taxes, hotel room taxes, real property transfer taxes and governmental services taxes are considered "measurable" when in the hands of intermediary collecting governments and are recognized as revenue for the period in which the underlying transaction occurs. Ad valorem taxes are recognized as revenue when due and collected from the taxpayer within 60 days of the fiscal year end.

Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred. The exception to this general rule is principal and interest on general long term debt which are recognized when due.

All proprietary funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting in which revenues are recognized when they are earned, and their expenses are recognized when they are incurred.

# **Education Savings Account Legislation**

During the 2015 legislative session, the Nevada legislature adopted, and the Governor signed, Senate Bill No. 302 ("SB 302"). SB 302 establishes a program by which a child who receives instruction from entities other than a public school may receive a grant of money and the amount of the grant must be deducted from the total apportionment amount otherwise received by the school district. By adopting this legislation, Nevada reportedly became the first state in the nation to establish such a program for every child in the state.

The program established by SB 302 consists primarily of the creation of education savings accounts ("ESA"). Families who elect to participate in the program are required to enter into an agreement with the State Treasurer pursuant to which the family will agree to enroll the child at a certain school and open an ESA on behalf of the child and the State will agree to provide a grant to the family and deposit the grant into the ESA. Each agreement is valid for one school year but may be terminated early and may be renewed for any subsequent school year.

The amount of the grant is equal to 90% (or, if the child has a disability or a household income less than 185% of the federal poverty level, 100%) of the statewide average basic support per pupil. For fiscal year 2017, the statewide average basic support per pupil is \$5,774, resulting in a potential grant amount of approximately \$5,200 per child. Grant money deposited into the ESA may be used only for certain specific items which include, generally,

tuition and fees, textbooks, tutoring, ESA management fees and transportation (up to \$750 per school year).

In order to be eligible to apply for the program, children must be between the ages of 7 and 18, the ages required by the State to attend school, and must have attended a public school for 100 consecutive school days. In order to receive the grant, a school must meet certain requirements established by SB 302. Schools which may participate in the program and receive grant money include certain private schools, certain colleges and universities, certain programs of distance education, tutors and parents of the child. Participating entities must require students to take certain examinations. A parent may not establish an ESA for a child who will be homeschooled; however, a parent may become a "participating entity" by submitting an application to the State Treasurer. A homeschooled child is a child who receives instruction at home and who is exempt from compulsory attendance, and an opt-in child is a child for whom an ESA has been established, who is not enrolled full-time in a public or private school and receives all or a portion of his or her instruction from a participating entity.

Funds to make the grant into each ESA are derived by deducting the appropriate amount from the total apportionment to the school district. At least three lawsuits have been filed regarding SB 302. In one of these lawsuits, a Nevada district court judge issued an order on January 11, 2016 holding that SB 302 violates the Nevada constitution and enjoining the implementation of SB 302. This decision was appealed to the Nevada Supreme Court. On September 29, 2016, the supreme court rendered a decision upholding all provisions of SB 302 against constitutional challenges, but remanding one of the challenges to the district court for it to enjoin deduction of funds from the State's Distribute School Account for the ESA program because of the lack of an appropriation of funds. The State has stated in a recent bond offering document that it cannot predict at this time whether legislative action will be taken to identify and authorize alternative sources of funding.

The District serves approximately 68% of the students State-wide. Since the lawsuits described above were filed, information from the State Treasurer has been very limited, including data pertaining only to the District. Until such time as the Treasurer's Office provides the District specific data, however, the potential impact on the District for this school year and future years is not known. The District is also unable to provide information regarding the long-term impact of SB 302 on the District.

# **Achievement Charter School Legislation**

During the 2015 legislative session, the Nevada legislature adopted, and the Governor signed, Assembly Bill No. 448, codified at Chapter 539, Statutes of Nevada 2015 ("Chapter 539") with an effective date of July 1, 2016. Chapter 539 established the Achievement School District within the State Department of Education and authorized certain underperforming schools to be converted to achievement charter schools sponsored by the Achievement School District. Pursuant to Chapter 539, the State Department of Education is authorized to select annually up to six schools in the State for conversion to achievement charter schools. Chapter 539 provided in part that an achievement charter school must continue to operate in the same building in which the school operated before being converted to an achievement charter school. The costs of achievement charter schools are generally funded from

the sources that otherwise have been used by the county school district to fund the costs of the school, including through an apportionment of funds from the State Distributive School Fund based on the students in the achievement charter school. The board of trustees of the school district in which the achievement charter school is located must provide the use of the school building without compensation. In addition, while the school is operated as an achievement charter school, the governing body of the achievement charter school is to required pay all costs related to the maintenance and operation of the building and the board of trustees of the school district is required to pay all capital expenses. It is not possible to predict at this time what impact Chapter 539 will have on the District's finances, except that it will not impact the District's 55.34 cent per \$100 assessed valuation property tax imposed for debt repayment purposes, or the room taxes and real estate transfer taxes pledged to pay bonds issued by the District.

# **General Operating Fund**

General. The General Operating Fund consists of two funds, the General Fund and the Special Education Fund. The General Operating Fund includes the budgets necessary for the basic instruction of students and the day-to-day operational activities of the District.

The purpose of the General Fund is to finance the ordinary operations of the District (including debt service to the extent that the ad valorem tax levy is not sufficient to service outstanding debt) and to finance those operations not provided for in other funds. The purpose of the District's Special Education Fund is to separately account for revenues and expenditures related to the education of students with special needs. Although the Special Education Fund is a special revenue fund for accounting purposes, the District budgets it in conjunction with the General Fund because a large portion (approximately 72.8% in fiscal year 2017) of its operating resources are contributed by the General Fund. However, in the District's government-wide financial statements, the Special Education Fund is a Major Special Revenue Fund separate from the General Fund.

<u>Sources of Funding</u>. The operating revenues of school districts are derived primarily from local and State sources as dictated by State law. School districts also receive federal revenues and miscellaneous revenues.

Local Sources. The District's local operating revenue sources are comprised largely of a countywide \$0.75 ad valorem property tax and the Local School Support sales and use taxes (the "LSST"), a sales and use tax equal to 2.60% of taxable sales.

The District received \$410,706,438, \$430,830,444 and \$444,994,000 (estimated) from ad valorem property taxes (including net proceeds of mines) in fiscal years 2015, 2016, and 2017 respectively, accounting for approximately 19.4%, 20.1% and 20.2% of General Operating Fund revenues in those years. The District has budgeted to receive \$455,654,000 ad valorem property taxes (including net proceeds of mines) for fiscal year 2018.

The District received \$881,056,204, \$914,035,783 and \$951,400,000 (estimated) from the LSST for fiscal years 2015, 2016 and 2017, respectively, accounting for approximately 41.7%, 42.7% and 43.2% of General Operating Fund revenues in those years. All of the property

tax revenues and the local support sales tax revenues are accounted for in the General Fund. The District has budgeted to receive \$981,000,000 in LSST revenue for fiscal year 2018.

Other local operating sources in the General Operating Fund include revenues received from a governmental services tax (motor vehicle license fees), utility franchise fees, earnings on investments, tuition and summer school fees, athletic proceeds, facility rentals, donations and grants and miscellaneous sources. None of these sources of revenue account for significant amounts of General Operating Fund revenues.

State Sources. State revenue sources consist primarily of payments from the State Distributive School Account (the "DSA") received pursuant to the Nevada Plan for School Finance (the "School Finance Plan" or the "Nevada Plan"). The revenue for the DSA is received from the following seven sources: (a) appropriation from the State General Fund; (b) a portion of the annual excise tax of \$250 for each slot machine operated in the State; (c) revenue from mineral leases on federal land; (d) interest earned on the Permanent School Fund established by the State Constitution; (e) sales tax currently at a rate of 2.25% on out-of-state sales that cannot be attributed to a particular county; (f) 75% of the 2% medical marijuana excise tax; and (g) room tax at a rate of 3% due to Initiative Petition 1.

Each school district's share of State aid is set by the Legislature for the biennium in accordance with a formula set forth in the School Finance Plan. The School Finance Plan was adopted by the State legislature in 1967 to compensate for wide local variations in resources and in cost per pupil. It is designed to provide reasonable equal educational opportunity and can be expressed in a formula partially on a per-pupil basis and partially on a per-program basis. The formula in the School Finance Plan contains four basic calculations: equalized basic support ratios, wealth adjustment factors, transportation allotments, and guaranteed basic support. To protect districts during times of declining enrollment, State law contains a "hold-harmless" provision which provides that the guaranteed level of funding is based on the higher of the current or the previous year's enrollment (unless the decline in enrollment is more than 5%, in which case the funding is based on the higher of the current or the previous two years' enrollment). The State experienced substantial budget shortfalls between 2009 to 2013 and had previously been unable to fulfill the guarantee and had previously reduced overall school funding in special and regular sessions of the Legislature.

The amounts of per-pupil State guaranteed support for the District for fiscal years 2015, 2016 and 2017 were \$5,527, \$5,512, and \$5,574 respectively. For fiscal year 2018, the per-pupil State guaranteed support is projected to be \$5,726, an increase of \$152 per pupil. The District received \$736,734,504, \$700,582,079 and \$708,993,000 (estimated) from DSA revenue in fiscal years 2015, 2016 and 2017, respectively, accounting for approximately 34.8%, 32.7% and 32.2% of General Operating Fund revenues. The District has budgeted to receive \$799,848,500 in DSA revenue for fiscal year 2018. See "Education Savings Accounts Legislation" above.

The District also receives special State appropriations for various purposes; however, those appropriations generally do not represent significant amounts of General Operating Fund revenues.

The School Finance Plan provides a substantial guarantee of revenue support for the District's General Operating Fund budget. Under the School Finance Plan, the District is generally protected from fluctuations in receipts of the LSST (see "Local Sources" above) and from fluctuations in receipts with respect to one-third of the revenues generated by the \$0.75 (i.e., as to \$0.25) property tax levy for operating purposes (see "Local Sources" above) by virtue of the State's guarantee of such receipts from those tax sources to the District. The effect of this guarantee is that over 75% of the District's budgeted General Operating Fund revenue is statutorily fixed as a State obligation and is therefore not generally subject to revenue fluctuations during the course of the school year. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION-Required Property Tax Abatements."

The Legislature may amend the provisions of the School Finance Plan at any time, including the various funding formulas embedded within it, and has done so on numerous occasions in the past. It is likely that the School Finance Plan will be amended in the future; there is no assurance that such amendments will not result in reduced funding to the District.

Federal Sources. The District also receives General Operating Fund revenues from various federal sources, including federal impact aid and federal forest reserve funds.

Other Sources. The District also receives General Operating Fund revenues from sales of District property, proceeds from insurance and other miscellaneous sources.

History of Revenues and Expenditures; Budget Summary. The following table sets forth a history of the financial operations for the General Operating Fund (which includes the General Fund and the Special Education Fund) and the 2018 Final Budget. The information for fiscal years 2012 through 2016 was derived from the District's CAFR for each of those years. The 2018 Final Budget was approved by the Board on May 17, 2017. See "Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments" below for a description of factors used in formulating the fiscal year 2017-2018 budget.

The information in this table should be read together with the District's audited financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the accompanying notes, which are included as Appendix A hereto. Financial statements for prior years can be obtained from the sources listed in "INTRODUCTION--Additional Information."

This table is not presented in accordance with GAAP, as the two funds contained in the General Operating Fund are different fund types for accounting purposes. Further, State law requires that all funds used for special education purposes be segregated; the District accounts for those funds in the Special Education Fund. Accordingly, the information in this table is provided for informational purposes only and does not imply that all of the revenues shown below are legally available to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds. The information in this table should be read together with the District's audited financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the accompanying notes, which are included as Appendix A hereto. Financial statements for prior years can be obtained from the sources listed in "INTRODUCTION--Additional Information."

The expenditures in the Special Education Fund exceed the revenues in each year. The District transfers funds from the General Fund to the Special Education Fund in an amount sufficient to cover the deficiency; the Special Education Fund does not have a fund balance.

<u>Reserve Policy</u>. As described throughout this Official Statement, the District experienced budget pressures and engaged in cost-cutting measures in fiscal years 2009-2013. See "Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments" below, for a description of expected budget constraints for fiscal year 2018.

It is the District's policy (set forth in District Regulation 3110) to maintain budgeted reserves in the General Fund in an amount equal to 2% of General Fund revenues as an unassigned fund balance. Due to expected budget constraints in fiscal years 2010 through 2015, the Board approved a temporary reduction of that policy to 1% of General Fund revenues. In fiscal year 2016, the District added \$5 million to the unassigned ending fund balance as part of a four-year plan to restore the unassigned ending fund balance back to the 2% requirement, resulting in an unassigned ending fund balance of 1.75% as of June 30, 2016. As part of the fiscal year 2017 Final Budget, the District budgeted to add another \$5.8 million to the unassigned ending fund balance by the end of fiscal year 2017, an amount which would bring the unassigned fund balance to 2% of total revenues; however, due to budget constraints, the fourth phase of this four-year plan was placed on hold by the Board, which granted a waiver for District Regulation 3110 through fiscal year 2018, thereby maintaining the unassigned fund balance at 1.75%. The District and the Board remain committed to returning the unassigned ending fund balance to 2% and will reexamine its revenues and expenditures for each budget cycle during these fiscal years to achieve this goal.

# <u>History of Revenues and Expenditures and Budget Information - General Operating Fund</u><sup>(1)</sup>

	Actual <u>2012</u>	Actual 2013	Actual 2014	Actual <u>2015</u>	Actual 2016	2017 Estimate <sup>(2)</sup>	2018 <u>Final Budget</u>
Fiscal Year Ending June 30	<u>2012</u>	<u>2015</u>	2014	2015	2010	<u> Listinute</u>	1 mai Baaget
Beginning Fund Balance	\$96,620,752	\$76,982,721	\$92,596,487	\$119,902,569	\$105,624,469	\$71,835,199	\$80,000,000
Revenues	1,.	, , . , .	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, , ,
Local Sources							
Property Taxes	424,822,601	397,676,720	397,118,677	410,706,438	430,830,444	444,994,000	455,654,000
Sales Taxes	750,527,063	792,018,758	832,511,729	881,056,204	914,035,783	951,400,000	981,000,000
Other	74,271,222	78,488,343	85,755,058	85,980,359	96,305,224	94,491,500	95,678,000
State Sources	688,533,420	693,193,421	752,389,804	736,734,504	700,582,079	708,993,000	799,848,500
Federal Sources	839,281	374,155	237,429	340,659	157,399	215,000	200,000
Total Revenues	1,938,993,587	1,961,751,397	2,068,012,697	2,114,818,164	2,141,910,929	2,200,093,500	2,332,380,500
Expenditures							
Regular Programs	961,824,927	923,458,756	960,048,587	972,713,565	981,258,909	982,474,000	1,051,288,960
Special Programs	311,378,002	310,837,486	325,796,722	339,846,969	354,634,990	375,741,000	413,725,138
Vocational Programs	6,855,793	6,326,520	6,964,108	7,123,998	6,799,367	6,831,000	9,537,944
Other Instructional Programs	11,629,993	22,129,858	40,079,397	42,676,997	48,398,023	49,362,000	53,858,107
Undistributed Expenditures	712,192,323	722,867,114	763,272,305	800,810,362	818,522,138	780,620,699	868,853,351
Total Expenditures	2,003,881,038	1,985,619,734	2,096,161,119	2,163,171,891	2,209,613,427	2,195,028,699	2,397,263,500
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Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
over (under) expenditures	(64,887,451)	(23,868,337)	(28,148,422)	(48,353,727)	(67,702,498)	5,064,801	(64,883,000)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)							
Net Transfers to Other Funds <sup>(3)</sup>	(2,250,580)	(4,817,116)	(4,909,472)	(2,052,025)	(5,817,053)	(29,000,000)	
Sale of Medium-Term Bonds				-	33,470,000	29,935,000	32,000,000
Premium on GO Bonds			1,576,637	_	6,260,281	2,165,000	
GO Refunding Bonds			32,855,000	-			
Transfers from Other Funds <sup>(4)</sup>	47,500,000	44,299,219	25,932,339	36,127,652			
Total Other	45,249,420	39,482,103	<u>55,454,504</u>	34,075,627	33,913,228	3,100,000	32,000,000
Net Change in Fund Balance	( <u>19,638,031</u> )	<u>15,613,766</u>	<u>27,306,082</u>	(14,278,100)	(33,789,270)	<u>8,164,801</u>	(32,883,000)
Ending Fund Balance <sup>(5)</sup>	<u>\$76,982,721</u>	<u>\$92,596,487</u>	<u>\$119,902,569</u>	<u>\$105,624,469</u>	<u>\$71,835,199</u>	<u>\$80,000,000</u>	<u>\$47,117,000</u>
Nonspendable Fund Balance	3,943,290	14,329,960	5,260,902	5,227,043	4,792,828	5,000,000	4,500,000
Restricted Fund Balance	10,975,344	464,209	202,114	198,492	10,645,907	28,900,000	
Assigned Fund Balance	42,674,151	58,184,804	88,589,394	68,476,662	18,913,023	7,600,000	1,800,000
Unassigned Fund Balance	19,389,936	19,617,514	25,850,159	31,722,272	37,483,441	38,500,000	40,817,000

(Footnotes on following page)

- (1) Includes combined information for the District's General Fund and Special Education Fund.
- (2) Based upon actual financial statements (unaudited) through March 31, 2017, and estimates derived from the 2018 Final Budget.
- (3) Net of the transfer between the General Fund and the Special Education Fund. In 2016, transfer represents a transfer (\$5.8 million) to the State Grant Fund for Full Day Kindergarten. In 2017, transfer represents a transfer (\$29 million) to the State Grant Fund for Fully Day Kindergarten.
- (4) The 2012 transfer represents a transfer (\$23.7 million) from the Special Revenue Funds for class size reduction, a transfer (\$20 million) from the Capital Projects Fund for room and real estate transfer taxes, and a transfer (\$3.8 million) from the Graphic Arts Fund. The 2013 transfer represents a transfer (\$24.3 million) from the Special Revenue Funds for class size reduction and a transfer (\$20 million) from the Capital Projects Fund for room and real estate transfer taxes. The 2014 transfer represents a transfer (\$25.9 million) from the Special Revenue Funds for class size reduction. The 2015 transfer represents a transfer from the Special Revenue Fund for class size reduction.
- (5) Budgeted ending fund balances for the years shown in the table were: 2012 \$60,000,000; 2013 \$31,000,000; 2014 \$47,815,000; 2015 \$52,530,000; 2016 \$50,747,000; and 2017- \$43,000,000.

Source: Derived from the District's CAFRs for fiscal years 2012-2016; and 2018 Final Budget for fiscal years 2017 (estimated) and 2018 (budgeted).

#### **Debt Service Fund**

The Debt Service Fund is used to accumulate moneys for payment of voter-approved general obligation bonds and general obligation bonds additionally secured by pledged revenues. The debt service reserve account required by NRS 350.020 (described under "DISTRICT FINANCIAL INFORMATION--Reserve Account") is accounted for as part of the fund balance in the Debt Service Fund.

The following table sets forth a history of the financial operations for the District's Debt Service Fund and the 2018 Final Budget. The information for fiscal years 2012-2016 was derived from the District's audited financial statements for each of those years. The 2018 Final Budget was approved by the Board on May 17, 2017. See "Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments" below for a description of factors used in formulating the fiscal year 2017-2018 budget.

The information in this table should be read together with the District's audited financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the accompanying notes, which are included as Appendix A hereto. Financial statements for prior years can be obtained from the sources listed in "INTRODUCTION--Additional Information."

History of Revenues and Expenditures and Budget Information - Debt Service Fund

Fiscal Year Ending June 30	Actual <u>2012</u>	Actual <u>2013</u>	Actual <u>2014</u>	Actual <u>2015</u>	Actual <u>2016</u>	2017 Estimated (1)	2018 Final <u>Budget</u>
Revenues							
Local sources	<b>4215 552</b> 500	ф <b>2</b> 0 <b>5 5</b> 44 0 <b>2</b> 4	Ф <b>2</b> 0 <b>5 22</b> 5 24 4	<b>#205</b> 0 < 0 0 <b>25</b>	<b>#222 #2</b> < 020	<b>\$2.40.000.000</b>	# <b>2.12</b> 000 000
Property Taxes	\$317,572,690	\$297,741,021	\$297,236,844	\$307,869,927	\$323,526,020	\$340,000,000	\$343,000,000
Other Local Sources	88,322	27,973	10,198	35,625	26,830	22,000	25,000
Investment Income	2,027,113	381,497	1,675,687	886,757	1,007,666	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total Revenues	319,688,125	298,150,491	298,922,729	308,792,309	324,560,516	341,022,000	344,025,000
Expenditures							
Debt service							
Bond principal retirement	306,330,000	329,110,000	339,665,000	312,475,000	276,190,000	295,730,000	334,195,000
Interest on bonds	190,032,980	171,213,890	151,995,089	131,837,127	132,195,695	133,557,081	128,063,490
Bond issuance costs		518,784	432,508	450,089	2,991,744	582,000	
Purchased services	136,403	123,097	124,561	125,283	124,823	823,992	
Total Expenditures	496,499,383	500,965,771	492,217,158	444,887,499	411,502,262	430,693,073	462,258,490
Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
over (under) expenditures	(176,811,258)	(202,815,280)	(193,294,429)	(136,095,190)	(86,941,746)	(89,671,073)	(118,233,490)
Other financing sources <sup>(2)</sup>	92,552,980	101,656,829	95,919,160	84,513,632	103,529,365	109,684,838	96,485,390
Net Change in Fund Balance	(84,258,278)	(101,158,451)	(97,375,269)	(51,581,558)	16,587,619	20,013,765	(21,748,100)
Beginning Fund Balance Ending Fund Balance	361,212,422 \$276,954,144	<u>276,954,144</u> <u>\$175,795,693</u>	175,795,693 \$78,420,424	78,420,424 \$26,838,866	26,838,866 \$43,426,485	43,426,485 \$63,440,250	63,440,250 \$41,692,150

Source: Derived from the District's CAFRs for fiscal years 2012-2016; and 2018 Final Budget for fiscal years 2017 (estimated) and 2018 (budgeted).

 <sup>(1)</sup> Based upon estimated actual financial statements (unaudited) through March 31, 2017, and estimates derived from the 2018 Final Budget.
 (2) Represents the net effect of transfers to/from other funds for debt service and the debt service reserve (including transfers permitted under prior law to the Capital Projects Fund for asbestos removal).

# **Capital Projects Fund**

The Capital Projects Fund is the statutorily required Capital Projects Fund discussed earlier in this Official Statement that is used to account for the Pledged Revenues. The Capital Projects Fund is a component of the District's Bond Fund. Accordingly, the Capital Projects Fund is not reflected as a standalone fund in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A.

The following table provides a history of the financial operations for the Capital Projects Fund and the 2018 Final Budget. The information for fiscal years 2012-2016 was derived from the District's audited financial statements for each of those years. The 2018 Final Budget was approved by the Board on May 17, 2017. See "Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments" below for a description of factors used in formulating the fiscal year 2017-2018 budget.

The information in this table should be read together with the District's audited financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the accompanying notes, which are included as Appendix A hereto. Financial statements for prior years can be obtained from the sources listed in "INTRODUCTION--Additional Information."

# History of Revenues and Expenditures and Budget Information - Capital Projects Fund<sup>(1)</sup>

Figgal Voor Ending June 20	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	Actual	2017	2018 Final
Fiscal Year Ending June 30	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	Estimated <sup>(2)</sup>	Budget
Revenues	Φ1 <b>5</b> 6 <b>5</b> 0 0 <b>5</b> 0	Φ10 c0c <b>212</b>	Φ21 211 <b>5</b> 25	<b>#22.146.020</b>	Φας 500 (00	ФФО ФОО ООО	Φ20 000 000
Real estate transfer tax	\$17,679,059	\$19,696,212	\$21,311,525	\$22,146,920	\$26,522,633	\$28,300,000	\$29,000,000
Room tax	66,023,176	67,277,580	74,067,663	81,297,840	88,585,165	96,000,000	103,000,000
Investment Income <sup>(3)</sup>	917,313	103,412	1,115,327	1,203,992	1,766,165	1,400,000	1,400,000
Federal sources <sup>(4)</sup>	6,073,730	5,809,522	<u>5,636,421</u>	5,630,347	5,656,298	<u>5,656,000</u>	5,656,000
Total Revenues	90,693,278	<u>92,886,726</u>	<u>102,130,936</u>	110,279,099	122,530,261	131,356,000	139,056,000
Expenditures							
Other Financing (Uses)							
Loan Proceeds							
Transfer to General Fund	(20,000,000)	(20,000,000)					
Transfer to Capital Fund				(917,776)			
Transfer to Building & Sites Fund		(698,690)	(1,499,207)				
Transfer to Bond Fund							
Transfer to Debt Service Fund	( <u>84,848,480</u> )	(84,275,980)	(83,151,333)	(83,188,392)	(99,700,893)	(95,412,563)	(96,485,390)
Total	( <u>104,848,480</u> )	(104,974,670)	(84,650,540)	(84,106,168)	(99,700,893)	(95,412,563)	(96,485,390)
Net Change in Fund Balance	(14,155,202)	(12,087,944)	17,480,396	26,172,931	22,829,368	35,943,437	42,570,610
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<b>Beginning Fund Balance</b>	125,557,804	111,402,602	99,314,658	116,795,054	142,967,985	165,797,353	201,740,790
<b>Ending Fund Balance</b>	\$111,402,602	\$99,314,658	\$116,795,054	\$142,967,985	\$165,797,353	\$201,740,790	\$244,311,400

<sup>(1)</sup> This fund is a component fund within the District's Bond Fund and is used to account for the Pledged Revenues. This fund constitutes the Capital Projects Fund required to be established pursuant to State law.

Source: Derived from the District's CAFRs for fiscal years 2012-2016; and 2018 Final Budget for fiscal years 2017 (estimated) and 2018 (budgeted).

<sup>(2)</sup> Based upon estimated actual financial statements (unaudited) through March 31, 2017, and estimates derived from the 2018 Final Budget.

<sup>(3)</sup> Includes investment earnings and net changes in the fair value of investments.

<sup>(4)</sup> Represents interest subsidy payments received or expected to be received from the U.S. Treasury and applied or expected to be applied toward the interest payments on debt incurred on certain direct-pay qualified school construction bonds ("QSCBs") issued by the District.

#### **Other District Funds**

As illustrated by the audited basic financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A, the District maintains numerous other funds, including additional governmental, special revenue, capital projects, enterprise, internal service and agency funds. See Note 1 in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for a description of the various fund types and the District's significant accounting policies.

# Chief Financial Officer's Analysis of Material Financial Trends and Recent Developments

General. The District has historically benefitted from an increasing tax base that has partially enabled the District to respond to associated growth in enrollment. See "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT--Enrollment" and "PROPERTY INFORMATION--Property Tax Base" and "Property Tax Collections." The derived benefits were evidenced by the approval of voters in 1998 to maintain the property tax rate, which enabled the District to continue to issue bonds until 2008 in support of its school construction program. Original projections estimated that approximately \$3.5 billion of bond capacity would be available to the District during the 1998-2008 period as a result of this approval and the legislation authorizing it. However, the revenues that were available resulted in an actual capacity of approximately \$4.9 billion during that period. During the 2015 Legislative Session, Senate Bills No. 119 and 207 were passed that extended the District's authority, granted in 1998, to issue bonds against the local property tax debt rate for the next ten years. Specific projects related to the extended bond authority are discussed in "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT—District Facilities and Capital Improvement Plan."

<u>District Budget Development</u>. State and local economies were hit hard during the recent Great Recession. Several factors, in particular the decline in local property tax collections, significantly affected the District. From 2009 to 2013, the District's taxable assessed valuation was reduced by over \$60 billion, or 52%. Since 2013, however, taxable assessed valuation has increased each year, most recently increasing by 9.2% from 2017 to 2018. Even with these increases, assessed values are still substantially below pre-Great Recession levels. District ad valorem property tax revenues (General Fund and Debt Service Fund) increased by 3.5% from 2014 to 2015, increased by 5.0% from 2015 to 2016, increased 4.1% from 2016-2017 (estimated) and are budgeted to increase 1.7% from 2017 to 2018.

As preliminarily indicated from the 2017 Legislative Session, the District's State basic support (DSA) per student in the 2017-2018 Final Budget is projected to be \$5,726 per pupil. This represents a \$152 increase from the prior year's DSA per pupil support of \$5,574 or represents an increase of \$48.8 million.

As noted in "General Operating Fund – Reserve Policy" above, it is the District's policy to maintain budgeted reserves in the General Fund in an amount equal to 2% of General Fund revenues as an unassigned fund balance. Due to expected budget constraints in fiscal years 2010 through 2015, the Board approved a temporary reduction of that policy to 1% of General Fund revenues. In fiscal year 2016, the District added \$5 million to the unassigned ending fund balance as part of a four-year plan to restore the unassigned ending fund balance back to the 2% requirement, resulting in an unassigned ending fund balance of 1.75% as of June 30, 2016. As part of the fiscal year 2017 Final Budget, the District budgeted to add another \$5.8 million to the unassigned ending fund balance by the end of fiscal year 2017, an amount which would bring the

unassigned fund balance to 2% of total revenues; however, due to budget constraints, the fourth phase of this four-year plan was placed on hold by the Board, which granted a waiver for District Regulation 3110 through fiscal year 2018, thereby maintaining the unassigned fund balance at 1.75%. The District and the Board remain committed to returning the unassigned ending fund balance to 2% and will reexamine its revenues and expenditures for each budget cycle during these fiscal years to achieve this goal.

The 2018 Final Budget was developed with a total enrollment projection of 323,380 students, an increase of 2,119 students, or 0.7% above the total enrollment in the prior school year. The District expects to realize more than \$12.1 million in fiscal year 2018 in additional revenues above that of the fiscal year 2017 (estimated) as a result of the enrollment increase.

The District retains the liability for all employee compensated absences in its governmental funds, internal service funds, and enterprise funds. The liability for the employee compensated absences (*e.g.*, vacation and sick leave sell-back) as of June 30, 2016 was \$59,385,629.

Balances in the District's Debt Service Fund, which may by State statute be applied only toward debt service, increased from \$26.8 million in fiscal year 2015 to \$43.4 million in 2016, \$63.4 million in fiscal year 2017 (estimated), and are budgeted to decrease to \$41.7 million in fiscal year 2018. These balances, being restricted from other use by State law, provide both a margin of security for the District's bonds (see "Debt Service Fund") and the opportunity to support increases in bonded debt while maintaining stability in property tax rates.

Housing Market and Other Economic Conditions. While the Southern Nevada economy still has not fully recovered to pre-Great Recession levels, it continues to recover. For example, figures released by The Greater Las Vegas Association of Realtors ("GLVAR") show that home sales increased in March 2017 even as the local housing supply remains tight, with only a 3-month supply of homes available for sale. Additionally, existing home prices in Southern Nevada continue to increase and as of March 2017 were 10.0% higher than they were in March 2016 due to growing demand for housing, fueled by an increasing local population and buyers feeling more confident about the local economy and job market; persistently tight housing inventory; fewer distressed sales (short sales) with a decline from 5.9% of all local sales in March 2016 to 4.4% of all local sales in March 2017; and more traditional home sales where lenders are not controlling the transaction. As of March 2017, GLVAR reported the median single-family home price of \$242,000, up from \$220,000 for March 2016, an increase of 10.0%. While the Las Vegas housing market has stabilized and continues to recover, it is important to note that the median single-family home price is still down from the 2006 peak of \$315,000. The decline in home values has a direct effect on District revenues, particularly on local property tax receipts, as is explained under the "General Operating Fund – Sources of Funding" section.

Assessed Values and Property Taxes. Legislation was enacted in 2005 to provide partial abatement of ad valorem taxes to provide relief from escalating assessments resulting from previous increases to the market values of real property in Clark County. The cap limits each property's tax increase to no more than 3% above that assessed during the prior year on all single-family, owner-occupied residences. All other real property categories are limited to an increase in tax established by a formula, with a cap of 8%. The fundamental reason for establishing the property-tax caps no longer exists. The Nevada Legislature created the tax caps

to protect homeowners from rapidly rising real estate prices to avoid severe economic hardship to the owner of the residence. During periods of real estate deflation, the abatement law has become a mechanism that often results in a mandatory increase in property taxes. Even when property values fell by over 50%, local governments continued to see increases in property tax revenues by 3% (residential) or 8% (commercial) per year for certain properties. For fiscal year 2016-2017, District projected property tax revenues are flat due to a tax cap increase of only 0.20%. The tax cap rate is calculated as either the owner occupied residential property rate equal to the lesser of three percent or the commercial property cap equal to the greater of two times the Consumer Price Index ("CPI") or the average 10-year assessed valuation growth rate, that cannot exceed eight percent. Due to extraordinary low fuel prices, the CPI is 0.10% for 2016-2017. This has not been a factor since fiscal year 2010-2011, in the Great Recession.

Sales Taxes and State Funding. In addition to changes in State funding, current sales tax projections for the 2017-2018 Final Budget are estimated to be \$981,000,000, an increase of \$29,600,000 compared to 2016-2017 (estimated). Since any increases or decreases in sales tax revenues are included in the Nevada Plan's funding formula as local revenues, the State funding portion of the Nevada Plan "guarantee" will decrease to the extent of increases in sales tax revenues and other factors. As a result of the increase in sales tax revenue and the application of other factors under the Nevada Plan, no net loss of funding is expected under the Nevada Plan.

#### **Reserve Account**

NRS 350.020 requires that the Board establish a reserve account within its debt service fund for payment of the outstanding bonds of the District. The Reserve Account must be established and maintained in an amount at least equal to the lesser of: 25% of the amount of principal and interest payments, net of any subsidies, due on all of the outstanding bonds of the District in the next fiscal year, or 10% of the outstanding principal amount of the District's bonds, or any other amount required by statute (the "Reserve Requirement").

The amounts on deposit in the Reserve Account are not directly pledged to pay debt service on the 2017 Bonds or other outstanding bonds of the District. Amounts in the Reserve Account may be withdrawn and used for purposes other than payment of debt service on outstanding District bonds. The District currently expects that it will use a portion of the amount on deposit in the Reserve Account to pay debt service over the next several years.

After issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the completion of the 2017 Refunding Projects, the amount required to be on deposit in the Reserve Account is \$106,567,482; that amount has been funded with available funds of the District. If the amount in the Reserve Account falls below the required amount, NRS 350.020(5) provides that: (a) the Board shall not issue additional bonds pursuant to NRS 350.020(4) until the Reserve Account is restored to an amount equal to the Reserve Requirement; and (b) the Board shall apply all of the taxes levied by the District for payment of bonds of the District that are not needed for payment of the principal and interest on bonds of the District in the current fiscal year to restore the reserve account to an amount equal to the Reserve Requirement.

# **Investment Policy**

The District's Chief Financial Officer, in conjunction with the District's Investment Committee, develops investment guidelines for managing substantially all District funds in accordance with State law and regulations approved by the Board of Trustees. The District's policy allows investments only in U.S. Treasury obligations; obligations of Agencies of the U.S.; "AAA" rated collateralized mortgage obligations; "AAA" rated asset-backed securities; FDIC insured or collateralized certificates of deposit; pooled investment funds for local governments operated by the state treasurer; short term bankers acceptance notes, short term repurchase agreements and short term commercial paper, each in limited amounts; and certain "AAA" rated money market mutual funds.

The District's Cash and Investment Management Unit manages the District investment portfolios in accordance with investment guidelines recommended by the GFOA and reports in accordance with the standards established by GASB. In addition, internal controls and investment transactions are reviewed regularly by the District's Investment Committee.

See Note 3 in the audited basic financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for a description of permitted and actual District investments as of June 30, 2016.

## **Risk Management**

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and/or destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The District accounts for such losses through its Insurance and Risk Management Internal Service Fund. The District maintains insurance coverage which the District administration believes is sufficient to cover losses generally experienced by school districts similar in size to the District. Additionally, the District self-insures for certain liabilities. See Note 13 in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for a further description of the District's risk management program, including coverages for fiscal year 2016. The District's current policies, which became effective on July 1, 2016, are substantially similar to those described in Appendix A.

#### **DEBT STRUCTURE**

#### **Debt Limitation**

State statutes limit the aggregate principal amount of the District's general obligation debt to 15% of the District's total assessed valuation. In addition to the District's legal debt limit as a percentage of its total assessed value, the District's ability to issue future property tax supported debt is also constrained by constitutional and statutory limits of total property taxes that may be levied. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations."

The following table presents a record of the District's outstanding general obligation indebtedness with respect to its statutory debt limitation.

# Statutory Debt Limitation<sup>(1)</sup>

Fiscal Year				
Ended	Total Assessed		Outstanding General	Additional Statutory
<u>June 30</u>	Valuation <sup>(1)</sup>	Debt Limit	Obligation Debt <sup>(2)</sup>	Debt Capacity <sup>(3)</sup>
2013	\$55,225,712,175	\$8,283,856,826	\$3,223,895,000	\$5,059,961,826
2014	56,296,847,888	8,444,527,183	2,894,125,000	5,550,402,183
2015	64,252,633,650	9,637,895,048	2,548,890,000	7,089,005,048
2016	71,055,253,233	10,658,287,985	2,590,805,000	8,067,482,985
2017	76,633,199,095	11,494,979,864	$2,733,850,000^{(4)}$	8,761,129,864

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes the assessed valuation of the Redevelopment Agencies. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--History of Assessed Value." Property taxes levied against the assessed value in redevelopment areas are made available to the District to pay bonded indebtedness approved by the voters of the District on and after November 5, 1996, but not for bonded indebtedness approved by the voters of the District before that date. See the discussion in "History of Assessed Value."

- (2) Excludes short term notes, leases and installment purchases.
- (3) Additional debt issuance may be further limited by property tax limitations. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations."
- (4) Represents the debt outstanding as of May 1, 2017, and assumes the issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the completion of the 2017 Refunding Projects. The amount of debt which will be outstanding on June 30, 2017 will be different.

Source: Property Tax Rates for Nevada Local Governments - State of Nevada Department of Taxation, 2012-2013 through 2016-2017; debt information compiled by the Financial Advisor.

The District may issue general obligation bonds by means of authority granted to it by its electorate or the Legislature, or, under certain circumstances without an election as provided in existing statutes.

# **Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness and Other Obligations**

Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness. The following table presents the District's outstanding obligations as of May 1, 2017 (after taking the issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the effect of the 2017 Refunding Projects into account).

Outstanding Bonded Indebtedness (1)
As of May 1, 2017

	<u>Dated</u>	<u>Maturing</u>	Original <u>Amount</u>	Outstanding Principal Amount
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS (2)				
Building Bonds, Series 2006B	12/19/06	06/15/26	\$ 450,000,000	\$ 23,570,000 (6)
Refunding Bonds, Series 2007A	03/01/07	06/15/25	473,045,000	179,490,000 (6)
Building Bonds, Series 2007C	12/11/07	06/15/19	400,000,000	20,245,000 (6)
Building Bonds, Series 2008A	06/03/08	06/15/19	675,000,000	51,270,000 (6)
Refunding Bonds, Series 2012A	10/04/12	06/15/21	159,425,000	112,575,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2013B	07/31/13	06/15/19	95,870,000	53,555,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2014A	04/29/14	06/15/20	131,175,000	78,690,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2015A	03/18/15	06/15/19	257,445,000	214,760,000
Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2015C	11/23/15	06/15/35	338,445,000	338,445,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2016A	06/16/16	06/15/25	186,035,000	186,035,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2016D	12/15/16	06/15/24	257,215,000	257,215,000
Building & Refunding Bonds, Series 2017A (this issue)	06/28/17	06/15/37	407,900,000	407,900,000
TOTAL GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS				1,923,750,000
GENERAL OBLIGATION REVENUE BONDS (3)				
Parity Lien Bonds				
School Bonds, Series 2006C	12/19/06	06/15/20	125,000,000	6,550,000 (7)
School Bonds, Series 2007B	12/11/07	06/15/20	250,000,000	12,650,000 (7)
Refunding Bonds, Series 2011B	03/22/11	06/15/19	29,420,000	11,125,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2014B	04/29/14	06/15/20	62,200,000	51,095,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2015B	03/18/15	06/15/22	129,080,000	114,220,000
School Bonds, Series 2015D	11/23/15	06/15/35	200,000,000	189,635,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2016B	06/16/16	06/15/27	90,775,000	90,775,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2016E	12/15/16	06/15/26	59,510,000	59,510,000
Refunding Bonds, Series 2017B (this issue)	06/28/17	06/15/20	59,315,000	59,315,000
Total Parity Lien Bonds				594,875,000
Subordinate Bonds (4)				
School Bonds, Series 2010A (QSCB)	07/08/10	06/15/24	104,000,000	103,900,000
TOTAL GENERAL OBLIGATION REVENUE BONDS				698,775,000
GENERAL OBLIGATION MEDIUM-TERM BONDS (5)				
Medium-Term Bonds, Series 2010D (QSCB)	07/08/10	06/15/20	6,245,000	6,245,000
Medium-Term Bonds, Series 2013A	07/31/13	06/15/23	32,855,000	21,175,000
Medium-Term Bonds, Series 2016C	06/16/16	06/15/26	33,470,000	33,470,000
Various Purpose Medium-Term Bonds, Series 2016F	12/15/16	06/15/26	50,435,000	50,435,000
TOTAL			2 3, 122, 330	111,325,000
<b>Total General Obligation Bonds</b>				\$2,733,850,000

Footnotes on following page

- (1) Excludes short term notes, leases and installment purchase obligations.
- (2) General obligation bonds secured by the full faith, credit and taxing power of the District. The ad valorem tax available to pay these bonds is limited by the \$3.64 statutory and the \$5.00 constitutional limits. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION Property Tax Limitations."
- (3) General obligation bonds secured by the full faith, credit and taxing power of the District. The ad valorem tax available to pay these bonds is limited to the \$3.64 statutory and the \$5.00 constitutional limits. These bonds are additionally secured by pledged revenues. If revenues are not sufficient, the District is obligated to pay the difference between such revenues and debt service requirements of the respective bonds. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION Property Tax Limitations."
- (4) The 2010A Bonds have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is subordinate to the lien of the Parity Lien Bonds.
- (5) General obligation bonds secured by the full faith and credit of the District and payable from any legally available funds of the District. The ad valorem tax rate available to pay these bonds is limited by the \$3.64 statutory and the \$5.00 constitutional limits as well as by the \$0.75 limit on the District's operating levy. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION Property Tax Limitations." With respect to the 2010D Bonds, the District currently plans to pay debt service from the Room Tax and Transfer Tax revenues remaining after payment of the debt service on the Parity Lien Bonds (if any) and from any available amounts on deposit in the Capital Projects Fund (which is comprised of Room Tax and Transfer Tax revenues collected in the past).
- (6) The 2006B Bonds, 2007A Bonds, 2007C Bonds and 2008A Bonds are expected to be partially refunded with proceeds of the 2017A Bonds. See "SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS."
- (7) The 2006C Bonds and 2007B Bonds are expected to be partially refunded with proceeds of the 2017B Bonds. See "SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS."

Source: The District.

Other Obligations. The District also leases a fiber optical wide area network under a noncancellable operating lease. Lease payments are \$2,403,120 per year through fiscal year 2024 (based on the current number of sites served).

The District also records a liability for compensated absences. See Notes 1 and 10 in the audited financial statements attached hereto as Appendix A for a further description.

# **District Debt Service Requirements**

Set forth below is a summary of the combined annual debt service requirements on the District's outstanding general obligation bonds, after taking the issuance of the 2017 Bonds and the effect of the 2017 Refunding Projects into account.

Annual Debt Service Requirements – District's Outstanding General Obligation Bonds (1)

Fiscal Year Ended	General Ob	ligation Bonds <sup>(2)</sup>		Obligation ue Bonds <sup>(3) (4)</sup>		erm General on Bonds <sup>(4) (5)</sup>	Grand
June 30	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Total
2017	\$ 227,145,000	\$ 37,320,888	\$ 59,140,000	\$ 15,861,883	\$ 9,445,000	\$ 2,438,987	\$ 351,351,757
2018	235,365,000	82,623,010	60,670,000	31,609,893	11,500,000	4,502,025	426,269,928
2019	215,100,000	71,855,800	62,955,000	28,683,490	9,895,000	3,998,375	392,487,665
2020	156,615,000	61,247,400	60,535,000	25,535,740	16,595,000	3,551,425	324,079,565
2021	147,400,000	53,416,650	71,250,000	22,494,940	10,810,000	2,739,125	308,110,715
2022	121,515,000	46,046,650	71,340,000	18,820,240	11,300,000	2,249,325	271,271,215
2023	128,065,000	39,970,900	58,935,000	15,141,040	11,820,000	1,736,525	255,668,465
2024	134,790,000	33,567,650	59,870,000	12,051,133	9,580,000	1,192,600	251,051,383
2025	141,375,000	26,828,150	32,320,000	8,909,350	10,000,000	772,100	220,204,600
2026	113,565,000	19,759,400	33,910,000	7,293,350	10,380,000	393,700	185,301,450
2027	84,075,000	14,081,150	26,665,000	5,597,850			130,419,000
2028	55,500,000	9,877,400	10,595,000	4,264,600			80,237,000
2029	17,175,000	7,102,400	11,125,000	3,734,850			39,137,250
2030	18,040,000	6,243,650	11,685,000	3,178,600			39,147,250
2031	18,850,000	5,429,000	12,265,000	2,711,200			39,255,200
2032	19,705,000	4,577,300	12,880,000	2,220,600			39,382,900
2033	20,595,000	3,686,500	13,525,000	1,705,400			39,511,900
2034	21,525,000	2,755,000	14,200,000	1,164,400			39,644,400
2035	22,390,000	1,894,000	14,910,000	596,400			39,790,400
2036	12,235,000	998,400					13,233,400
2037	12,725,000	509,000					13,234,000
Total	\$ 1,923,750,000	\$ 529,790,298	\$ 698,775,000	\$ 211,574,959	\$ 111,325,000	\$ 23,574,187	\$ 3,498,789,443

<sup>(1)</sup> Totals may not add due to rounding.

Source: Compiled by Zions Public Finance.

<sup>(2)</sup> General obligation bonds secured by the full faith, credit and taxing power of the District. The ad valorem tax available to pay these bonds is limited by the \$3.64 statutory and the \$5.00 constitutional limits. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations." *Includes the 2017A Bonds and the effect of the 2017A Refunding Project.* 

<sup>(3)</sup> General obligation bonds secured by the full faith, credit and taxing power of the District. The ad valorem tax available to pay these bonds is limited to the \$3.64 statutory and the \$5.00 constitutional limits. These bonds are additionally secured by pledged revenues. If revenues are not sufficient, the District is obligated to pay the difference between such revenues and debt service requirements of the respective bonds. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION - Property Tax Limitations." Includes the 2010A Bonds, which have a subordinate lien on the Pledged Revenues. *Includes the 2017B Bonds and the effect of the 2017B Refunding Project.* 

<sup>(4)</sup> The 2010A Bonds and the 2010D Bonds were issued as direct-pay QSCBs. The District expects to receive an interest subsidy on the QSCBs in each year equal to the interest rate payable on the QSCBs (the "QSCB Subsidy"). However, receipt of the subsidy is dependent on numerous factors and it is possible that the District may not receive the QSCB Subsidy in future years. The amounts shown reflect total interest due on the QSCB; the amounts are *not net* of the QSCB Subsidy. The District is required to pay all of the interest of the 2010A Bonds and the 2010D Bonds even if the QSCB Subsidy is not received.

<sup>(5)</sup> General obligation bonds secured by the full faith, credit and payable from all legally available funds of the District. The ad valorem tax rate available to pay these bonds is limited to the statutory and the constitutional limit as well as to the District's maximum operating levy. See "PROPERTY TAX INFORMATION--Property Tax Limitations."

## **Additional General Obligation Bonds and Other Proposed Financings**

General Obligation Bonds. Pursuant to NRS 387.335, the District has the authority, subject to the approval of the registered voters of the District, to issue general obligation bonds to finance various projects including, but not limited to, constructing or purchasing new buildings, enlarging, remodeling or repairing existing buildings or grounds, acquiring sites for new buildings and purchasing necessary furniture and equipment.

By June 2008, the District had issued all of the general obligation bonds authorized by voters at the 1998 Election. However, due to legislation approved in March 2015, the District is authorized to issue additional general obligation indebtedness until March 2025. In October 2015, the District received approval from the Clark County Debt Management Commission ("DMC") to issue an additional \$300,000,000 in general obligation bonds. The first such issuance consisted of the new money portion of the District's General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2015C, in the amount of \$140,000,000. The 2017A Bonds new money portion includes the remaining \$160,000,000 authorization. In August 2017, the District anticipates seeking approval to issue \$400 million in general obligation bonds from the DMC. If approved by the DMC, the next potential issuance is expected to occur in November 2017 in an amount currently estimated to be approximately \$200,000,000. The timing and scope of the remaining future bondfunded building program has not yet been determined, although the District anticipates issuing additional indebtedness to accomplish the Ten Year CIP adopted by the Board. See "CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT-- District Facilities and Capital Improvement Plan."

The District does not currently anticipate issuing any additional general obligation bonds during calendar year 2017, other than the bonds described in the preceding paragraph, refunding bonds and medium-term bonds, subject to additional Board discussion and approval. However, the District reserves the right to issue general obligation bonds, including general obligation bonds supported by pledged revenues, refunding bonds or medium-term bonds, at any time legal requirements are satisfied.

General Obligation Revenue Bonds. Pursuant to State law, the District receives the proceeds of the Room Tax and the Transfer Tax. The District may issue additional general obligation bonds additionally secured by these revenues at any time legal requirements are satisfied. The District currently has no authorization from the DMC to issue general obligation revenue bonds. The District has taken no action towards issuing any additional general obligation revenue bonds, other than the 2017B Bonds. The District reserves the right to sell additional general obligation bonds secured by pledged revenues, including refunding bonds, at any time legal requirements are satisfied.

General Obligation Medium Term Bonds. The District may issue additional general obligation medium term bonds at any time legal requirements are satisfied. The District currently has no authorization to issue general obligation medium term bonds. In November 2017, the District anticipates issuing \$29 million in general obligation medium-term bonds to finance the acquisition of school buses and fleet vehicles. The District reserves the right to sell additional general obligation medium term bonds, including refunding bonds, at any time legal requirements are satisfied.

#### ECONOMIC AND DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

This portion of the Official Statement contains general information concerning the historic economic and demographic conditions in the County and the District. This portion of the Official Statement is intended only to provide prospective investors with general information regarding the District's community. The information was obtained from the sources indicated and is limited to the time periods indicated. The information is historic in nature; it is not possible to predict whether the trends shown will continue in the future. The District makes no representation as to the accuracy or completeness of data obtained from parties other than the District.

# **Population and Age Distribution**

<u>Population</u>. The table below sets forth the population growth of the County and the State since 1970.

		<u>Population</u>	<u>1</u>	
		Percent		Percent
Year	Clark County	Change	State of Nevada	Change
1970	273,288		488,738	
1980	463,087	69.5%	800,493	63.8%
1990	741,459	60.1	1,201,833	50.1
2000	1,375,765	85.5	1,998,257	66.3
2010	1,951,269	41.8	2,700,551	35.1
2011	1,967,722	0.8	2,721,794	0.8
2012	1,988,195	1.0	2,750,217	1.0
2013	2,031,723	2.2	2,800,967	1.8
2014	2,069,450	1.9	2,843,301	1.5
2015	2,118,353	2.4	2,897,584	1.9
2016	2,166,181	2.3	2,953,375	1.9
2017	2,198,682	1.5	2,982,636	1.0

Sources: United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census (1970-2010 as of April 1st), and Nevada State Demographer's Office (2011-2016 certified estimates are as of July 1st; 2017 projection is as of March 1, 2017). Populations are subject to periodic revision.

Age Distribution. The following table sets forth a projected comparative age distribution profile for the County, the State and the nation as of January 1, 2017.

# Age Distribution Percent of Population

Percent of Population

Age	Clark County	State of Nevada	United States			
0-17	23.4%	23.0%	22.8%			
18-24	8.9	8.8	9.7			
25-34	14.2	13.9	13.4			
35-44	14.0	13.4	12.6			
45-54	13.4	13.3	13.1			
55-64	11.8	12.4	12.9			
65-74	8.8	9.4	9.1			
75 and Older	5.5	5.8	6.4			
75 and Older	5.5	5.8	6.4			

Source: © 2017 The Nielsen Company.

#### Income

The following two tables reflect Median Household Effective Buying Income ("EBI"), and the percentage of households by EBI groups. EBI is defined as "money income" (defined below) less personal tax and nontax payments. "Money income" is the aggregate of wages and salaries, net farm and nonfarm self-employment income, interest, dividends, net rental and royalty income, Social Security and railroad retirement income, other retirement and disability income, public assistance income, unemployment compensation, Veterans Administration payments, alimony and child support, military family allotments, net winnings from gambling, and other periodic income. Deductions are made for personal income taxes (federal, state and local), personal contributions to social insurance (Social Security and federal retirement payroll deductions), and taxes on owner-occupied nonbusiness real estate. The resulting figure is known as "disposable" or "after-tax" income.

Median Household Effective Buying Income Estimates(1)

Year	Clark County	State of Nevada	United States
2013	\$40,897	\$40,617	\$41,358
2014	41,576	42,480	43,715
2015	43,603	44,110	45,448
2016	45,634	46,230	46,738
2017	47,610	47,914	48,043

<sup>(1)</sup> The difference between consecutive years is not an estimate of change from one year to the next; separate combinations of data are used each year to identify the estimated mean of income from which the median is computed.

Source: © The Nielsen Company, SiteReports, 2013-2017.

Percent of Households by Effective Buying Income Groups – 2017 Estimates

Effective Buying	Clark County	State of Nevada	<b>United States</b>
Income Group	Households	Households	Households
Under \$24,999	22.3%	22.6%	24.0%
\$25,000 - \$49,999	30.4	29.7	28.2
\$50,000 - \$74,999	21.4	21.2	19.3
\$75,000 - \$99,999	13.1	13.3	13.0
\$100,000 - \$124,999	5.6	5.9	6.0
\$125,000 - \$149,999	2.6	2.7	3.5
\$150,000 or more	4.6	4.6	6.0

Source: © 2017 The Nielsen Company.

The following table sets forth the annual per capita personal income levels for the residents of the County, the State and the nation.

Per Capita Personal Income<sup>(1)</sup>

Year	Clark County	State of Nevada	United States
2011	\$36,512	\$37,986	\$42,461
2012	38,516	39,211	44,282
2013	37,966	38,939	44,493
2014	39,613	40,565	46,464
2015	40,652	41,992	48,190
2016	n/a	43,637	49,571

<sup>(1)</sup> County figures posted November 2016; state and national figures posted March 2017. All figures are subject to periodic revisions.

Source: United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Economic Analysis.

# **Employment**

The average annual labor force summary for the Las Vegas- Henderson-Paradise Metropolitan Statistical Area ("MSA") is set forth in the following table. The boundaries of Las Vegas - Henderson - Paradise MSA match those of Clark County.

# Average Annual Labor Force Summary Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise MSA, Nevada (Estimates in Thousands)

Calendar Year	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	$2017^{(1)}$
TOTAL LABOR FORCE	1,000.7	1,007.3	1,024.6	1,047.5	1,052.0	1,055.3
Unemployment	112.6	96.9	81.7	71.3	63.0	53.9
Unemployment Rate <sup>(2)</sup>	11.2%	9.6%	8.0%	6.8%	6.0%	5.1%
Total Employment	888.1	910.4	942.9	976.3	989.0	1,001.5

<sup>(1)</sup> Averaged figures through February 28, 2017.

Sources: Research and Analysis Bureau, Nevada Dept. of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation; and U.S. Bureau of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

The following table indicates the number of persons employed, by type of employment, in non-agricultural industrial employment in the Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise MSA.

Industrial Employment<sup>(1)</sup>
Las Vegas-Henderson-Paradise MSA, Nevada (Clark County)
(Estimates in Thousands)

Calendar Year	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2017</u> <sup>(2)</sup>
Natural Resources and Mining	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Construction	37.4	41.1	45.4	51.1	55.3	57.6
Manufacturing	20.2	20.7	21.1	21.6	22.1	22.3
Trade (Wholesale and Retail)	117.7	120.0	124.1	128.3	128.3	128.0
Transportation, Warehousing & Utilities	36.2	36.6	38.3	40.5	41.5	41.1
Information	9.7	9.8	10.6	10.6	11.1	11.1
Financial Activities	41.7	43.3	43.6	46.0	48.3	49.5
Professional and Business Services	106.7	111.6	117.7	126.6	133.8	136.4
Education and Health Services	75.6	79.2	82.3	86.6	91.7	93.8
Leisure and Hospitality (casinos excluded)	103.9	109.6	115.7	121.4	127.6	127.8
Casino Hotels and Gaming	157.9	157.8	162.6	161.1	158.5	158.7
Other Services	24.0	24.4	25.4	26.7	30.7	31.4
Government	93.9	95.1	96.4	98.0	100.0	<u>101.0</u>
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	<u>825.2</u>	<u>849.4</u>	<u>883.4</u>	<u>918.7</u>	<u>949.2</u>	<u>958.6</u>

<sup>(1)</sup> Totals may not add up due to rounding. All numbers are subject to periodic revision.

Source: Research and Analysis Bureau, Nevada Dept. of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation.

<sup>(2)</sup> The annual average U.S. unemployment rates for the years 2012 through 2016 are 8.1%, 7.4%, 6.2%, 5.3%, and 4.9%, respectively.

<sup>(2)</sup> Averaged figures through February 28, 2017.

The following table is based on unemployment insurance tax account numbers and is an estimate based on reported information. No independent investigation has been made of and, consequently, no assurances can be given as to the financial condition or stability of the employers listed below or the likelihood that such entities will maintain their status as major employers in the County.

Clark County's Ten Largest Employers 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter 2016

Employer	<b>Employment Range</b>	Industry
Clark County School District	30,000 - 39,999	Public education
Clark County	8,500 - 8,999	Local government
Wynn Las Vegas	8,000 - 8,499	Casino hotel
MGM Grand Hotel/Casino	7,500 - 7,999	Casino hotel
Bellagio LLC	7,500 - 7,999	Casino hotel
Aria Resort & Casino LLC	7,000 - 7,499	Casino hotel
Mandalay Bay Resort and Casino	7,000 - 7,499	Casino hotel
The Venetian/Palazzo Casino Resort	6,000 - 6,499	Casino hotel
Las Vegas Metropolitan Police	5,000 - 5,500	Police protection
Nevada System of Higher Education	5,000 - 5,499	University

Source: Research and Analysis Bureau, Nevada Dept. of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation.

The following table lists the firm employment size breakdown for the County.

<u>Size Class of Industries</u><sup>(1)</sup> Clark County, Nevada (Non-Government Worksites)

CALENDAR YEAR	3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 2016	3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 2015	Percent Change 2016/2015	Employment Totals 3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr. 2016
TOTAL NUMBER OF WORKSITES	56,027	53,472	4.8%	844,679
Less Than 10 Employees	42,398	40,287	5.2	102,607
10-19 Employees	6,542	6,315	3.6	88,562
20-49 Employees	4,459	4,323	3.1	133,548
50-99 Employees	1,391	1,398	(0.5)	95,045
100-249 Employees	875	810	8.0	127,542
250-499 Employees	198	185	7.0	67,495
500-999 Employees	97	85	14.1	65,191
1000+ Employees	67	69	(2.9)	164,689

<sup>(1)</sup> Subject to revisions.

Source: Research and Analysis Bureau, Nevada Dept. of Employment, Training and Rehabilitation.

#### **Retail Sales**

The following table presents a record of taxable sales in the County and the State.

Taxable Sales<sup>(1)</sup>

Fiscal Year <sup>(2)</sup>	County Total	Percent Change	State Total	Percent Change
2012	\$31,080,880,557		\$42,954,750,131	
2013	32,566,664,630	4.8%	45,203,408,413	5.2%
2014	35,040,891,695	7.6	47,440,345,167	4.9
2015	37,497,073,742	7.0	50,347,535,591	6.1
2016	39,242,730,088	4.7	52,788,295,421	4.8
Jul 2015-Feb 2016	\$25,628,253,066		\$34,453,184,470	
Jul 2016-Feb 2017	26,641,491,880	4.0%	36,664,797,148	6.4%

<sup>(1)</sup> Subject to revision.

Source: State of Nevada - Department of Taxation.

#### Construction

Construction valuation is a value placed on a project in order to determine permit and plans check fees. Construction valuation has no relationship to assessed valuation. Set forth in the following table is a summary of the number and valuation of new single-family (including townhomes and condos) building permits within the County and its incorporated areas.

# Residential Building Permits Clark County, Nevada (Values in Thousands)

Calendar Year	<u>2</u>	013	<u>20</u>	<u>)14</u>	<u> </u>	2015	2	<u>2016</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>)17<sup>(2)</sup></u>
	<b>Permits</b>	Value	<b>Permits</b>	<u>Value</u>	<b>Permits</b>	<u>Value</u>	<b>Permits</b>	<u>Value</u>	<b>Permits</b>	<u>Value</u>
Las Vegas	1,538	\$201,412	1,453	\$202,296	1,663	\$243,674	1,503	\$309,105	246	\$ 40,868
North Las Vegas	506	70,222	491	66,508	698	91,462	804	107,004	226	31,978
Henderson	1,352	185,094	1,318	196,285	1,696	255,663	2,197	317,413	327	49,764
Mesquite	202	33,066	196	34,323	206	40,564	246	56,274	83	18,750
Unincorporated										
Clark County	3,593	449,225	3,428	452,740	3,847	492,320	4,048	518,263	1,131	163,099
Boulder City(1)	10	3,401	16	5,199	22	6,977	3	962	1	540
TOTAL	7,201	\$942,420	6,902	\$957,351	8,132	\$1,130,660	8,801	\$1,309,021	2,014	\$304,999

<sup>(1)</sup> Boulder City imposed a strict growth control ordinance effective July 1, 1979.

Sources: Building Departments: Las Vegas, North Las Vegas, Henderson, Mesquite, Clark County; and Boulder City.

The following table is a summary of the total valuation of all permits issued within the County and its incorporated areas.

<sup>(2)</sup> Fiscal year runs from July 1 to the following June 30.

<sup>(2)</sup> As of March 31, 2017, except for City of Henderson which is through February 28, 2017.

#### **Total Building Permits**

Calendar Year	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>	$2017^{(1)}$
Las Vegas	\$ 411,022,949	\$ 497,750,543	\$ 596,103,559	\$ 602,775,475	\$ 690,905,467	\$ 93,619,285
North Las Vegas	158,651,851	203,590,405	263,192,557	262,266,938	394,803,755	159,846,610
Henderson	243,753,376	359,371,027	385,009,871	423,923,070	595,334,431	106,420,063
Mesquite	28,789,392	38,879,662	38,059,247	45,697,056	66,907,918	21,569,757
Unincorporated						
Clark County	1,661,632,803	1,631,904,822	1,987,655,692	2,251,507,323	2,306,747,407	487,402,031
Boulder City	96,450,660	333,212,307	29,391,159	18,566,548	92,521,659	1,597,983
TOTAL	\$2,600,301,031	\$3,064,708,766	\$3,299,412,085	\$3,604,736,410	\$4,147,220,637	\$870,455,729
Percent Change	60.59%	17.86%	7.66%	9.25%	15.05%	

<sup>(1)</sup> As of March 31, 2017, except for City of Henderson which is through February 28, 2017.

Sources: Building Departments: Las Vegas, North Las Vegas, Henderson, Mesquite, Clark County; and Boulder City.

# Gaming

General. The economy of the County (and the State) is substantially dependent upon the tourist industry, which is based on legalized casino gambling and related forms of entertainment. The following table shows a history of the gross taxable gaming revenue and total gaming taxes collected in the County and the State. Over the last five years, an average of 85.7% of the State's total gross taxable gaming revenue has been generated from Clark County.

Gross Taxable Gaming Revenue and Total Gaming Taxes<sup>(1)</sup>

Fiscal Year	Gross T	axable	% Change	St	ate	% Change
Ended	Gaming R	levenue <sup>(2)</sup>	Clark	Gaming C	ollection <sup>(3)</sup>	Clark
<u>June 30</u>	State Total	Clark County	County	State Total	Clark County	County
2012	\$ 9,764,332,506	\$8,304,531,003		\$864,621,791	\$750,628,068	
2013	10,208,528,371	8,758,837,726	5.47%	892,106,457	774,549,912	3.19%
2014	10,208,211,093	8,768,009,640	0.10	912,371,316	795,514,687	2.71
2015	10,511,527,575	9,025,697,588	2.94	909,857,085	790,506,339	(0.63)
2016	10,612,567,883	9,105,161,255	0.88	876,040,147	756,465,063	(4.31)
Jul 15 – Feb 16	\$7,038,382,449	\$6,032,766,198		\$555,921,322	\$485,981,696	
Jul 16 – Feb 17	7,262,094,124	6,234,859,265	3.35%	546,479,482	474,296,316	(2.40)%

<sup>(1)</sup> The figures shown are subject to adjustments due to amended tax filings, fines and penalties.

Source: State of Nevada - Gaming Control Board.

<u>Gaming Competition</u>. Different forms of legalized gaming have been authorized by many states, as well as the tribal casinos, across the United States. Other states may authorize gaming in the future in one form or another. The different forms of gaming range from casino gaming to riverboat gambling to lotteries and internet gaming. Historically, the availability of these

<sup>(2)</sup> The total of all sums received as winnings less only the total of all sums paid out as losses (before operating expenses).

<sup>(3)</sup> Cash receipts of the State from all sources relating to gaming (General Fund and other revenues) including percentage license fees, quarterly flat license fees, annual license fees, casino entertainment taxes, annual slot machine taxes, penalties, advance fees, and miscellaneous collections. A portion of collections is deposited to the State funds other than the State's General Fund.

forms of gaming in other states has not had any significant impact on gaming in the County. Nonetheless, neither the County nor the Commission can predict the impact of legalization of legalized gaming in other states or other countries on the future economy of the County.

#### **Tourism**

Tourism is an important industry in the County. Hoover Dam, Lake Mead, Mt. Charleston and other tourist attractions are in the County. Attractions such as the Great Basin, Grand Canyon, Yosemite, Bryce Canyon, Zion, and Death Valley National Parks are each within a short flight or day's drive of southern Nevada.

One reflection of the status of tourism in southern Nevada is the number of hotel and motel rooms available for occupancy as shown in the following table. The area's hotels and motels have historically experienced higher occupancy rates than those on a national level. Set forth in the table below is the Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority ("LVCVA") Marketing Department's estimate of the number of visitors to the Las Vegas Metropolitan Area since 2012.

<u>Visitor Volume and Room Occupancy Rate</u> Las Vegas Metropolitan Area, Nevada

Calendar Year	Total Visitor Volume	Number of Hotel/Motel Rooms Available	Hotel/Motel Occupancy Rate <sup>(1)</sup>	National Occupancy Rate <sup>(2)</sup>
2012	39,727,022	150,481	84.4	61.4%
2013	39,668,221	150,593	84.3	62.3
2014	41,126,512	150,544	86.8	64.4
2015	42,312,216	149,213	87.7	65.6
2016	42,936,109	149,339	89.1	65.5
$2017^{(3)}$	6,653,377	149,351	85.6	57.4

<sup>(1)</sup> The sample size for this survey represents approximately 75% of the hotel/motel rooms available.

Source: Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority.

The LVCVA is financed with the proceeds of hotel and motel room taxes in the County and its incorporated cities. A history of the room tax revenue collected is set forth in the following table.

<sup>(2)</sup> Smith Travel Research Inc., Lodging Outlook.

<sup>(3)</sup> As of February 28, 2017. Total visitor volume reflects a 2.2% decrease from the same time period in 2016.

Room Tax Revenue<sup>(1)</sup>
Las Vegas Convention & Visitors Authority, Nevada

Calendar		Percent
Year	Revenue	Change
2012	\$200,384,250	
2013	210,138,996	4.87%
2014	232,443,537	10.61
2015	254,438,208	9.46
2016	273,079,478	7.33
$2017^{(2)}$	28,371,848	

<sup>(1)</sup> Subject to revision. Room tax revenue represents a 5% tax allocated to the Las Vegas Convention & Visitors Authority; a total 9-11% room tax is assessed on all Clark County hotel/motel properties.

Source: Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority.

#### **Transportation**

Clark County, through its Department of Aviation, operates an airport system comprised of McCarran International Airport ("McCarran") and a reliever airport in North Las Vegas. Other general aviation airports in the County include Jean Sport, Overton/Perkins Field and Henderson Executive Airport in Henderson. Boulder City Municipal Airport, which is not owned by the County, is located in the southeastern part of Clark County. The Clark County Department of Aviation reports that 42% of the visitors to the Las Vegas area in calendar year 2014 arrived through the airport system, making it a major driving force in the southern Nevada economy.

McCarran's long range plan focuses on building and maintaining state-of-the-art facilities, maximizing existing resources, and capitalizing on new and innovative technology. McCarran opened Terminal 3 in 2012, a 1.9 million-square-foot facility, to ease congestion within garages, ticketing lobbies and security checkpoints. McCarran reported 47.4 million arriving and departing passengers in 2016, making the year the second-busiest year in the airport's 68-year history. In recent years, much of the airport's new service has come from markets outside of the United States, including the most recent addition of Hainan Airlines' nonstop flight from China in December. A history of passenger statistics is set forth in the following table.

<sup>(2)</sup> As of January 31, 2017. Revenue total reflects a 10.8% increase over the same time period in 2016.

# McCarran International Airport Enplaned & Deplaned Passenger Statistics

		Charter,		
Calendar	Scheduled	Commuter &		Percent
Year	Carriers	Other Aviation	Total	Change
2012	39,807,361	1,860,235	41,667,596	
2013	40,334,735	1,522,324	41,857,059	0.5%
2014	41,327,024	1,558,326	42,885,350	2.5
2015	43,933,404	1,455,670	45,389,074	5.8
2016	45,857,096	1,578,544	47,435,640	4.5
$2017^{(1)}$	6,894,782	213,767	7,108,549	

<sup>(1)</sup> As of February 28, 2017. Passenger statistics reflect a 1.6% increase over the same time period in 2016.

Source: McCarran International Airport.

A major railroad crosses Clark County. There are nine federal highways in Nevada, two of which are part of the interstate system. Interstate 15, connecting Salt Lake City and San Diego, passes through Las Vegas and provides convenient access to the Los Angeles area. Interstate 80 connects Salt Lake City with the San Francisco Bay area and passes through the Reno-Sparks area. Several national bus lines and trucking lines serve the State.

U.S. Highways 95 and 93 are major routes north from Las Vegas, through Reno and Ely, Nevada, respectively. South of Las Vegas, U.S. 95 extends to the Mexican border, generally following the Colorado River, and U.S. 93 crosses Hoover Dam into Arizona.

#### **LEGAL MATTERS**

# Litigation

There are a number of lawsuits pending in courts within the State to which the District is a party. In the opinion of the District's General Counsel, however, there is no litigation or controversy of any nature now pending, or to the knowledge of the District's General Counsel, threatened: (i) restraining or enjoining the issuance, sale, execution or delivery of the 2017 Bonds or (ii) in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the 2017 Bonds or any proceedings of the District taken with respect to the issuance or sale thereof, the pledge or application of any moneys or security provided for the payment of the 2017 Bonds. Further, the District's General Counsel is of the opinion that current litigation facing the District will not materially affect the District's ability to perform its obligations to the owners of the 2017 Bonds.

# **Approval of Certain Legal Proceedings**

The approving opinion of Sherman & Howard L.L.C., as Bond Counsel, will be delivered with each series of the 2017 Bonds. A form of each of the Bond Counsel opinions is attached to this Official Statement as Appendix E. The opinions will include a statement that the obligations of the District are subject to the reasonable exercise in the future by the State and its governmental bodies of the police power inherent in the sovereignty of the State and to the exercise by the United States of the powers delegated to it by the federal constitution, including bankruptcy. Sherman & Howard L.L.C. has also acted as Special Counsel to the District in connection with this Official Statement. Certain matters will be passed upon for the District by its general counsel.

# **Police Power**

The obligations of the District are subject to the reasonable exercise in the future by the State and its governmental bodies of the police power and powers of taxation inherent in the sovereignty of the State, and to the exercise by the United States of the powers delegated to it by the federal constitution (including bankruptcy).

#### **Sovereign Immunity**

Pursuant to State statute (NRS 41.035), an award for damages in an action sounding in tort against the District may not include any amount as exemplary or punitive damages and is limited to \$100,000 per cause of action. The limitation does not apply to federal actions brought under federal law such as civil rights actions under 42 U.S.C. Section 1983 and actions under The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (P.L. 101-336), or to actions in other states.

#### TAX MATTERS

#### **Federal Tax Matters**

In the opinion of Bond Counsel, assuming continuous compliance with certain covenants described below, interest on the 2017 Bonds is excluded from gross income under federal income tax laws pursuant to Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date of delivery of the 2017 Bonds (the "Tax Code"), and interest on the 2017 Bonds is excluded from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code except that such interest is required to be included in calculating the "adjusted current earnings" adjustment applicable to corporations for purposes of computing the alternative minimum taxable income of corporations as described below.

The Tax Code imposes several requirements which must be met with respect to the 2017 Bonds in order for the interest thereon to be excluded from gross income and alternative minimum taxable income (except to the extent of the aforementioned adjustment applicable to corporations). Certain of these requirements must be met on a continuous basis throughout the term of the 2017 Bonds. These requirements include: (a) limitations as to the use of proceeds of the 2017 Bonds; (b) limitations on the extent to which proceeds of the 2017 Bonds may be invested in higher yielding investments; and (c) a provision, subject to certain limited exceptions, that requires all investment earnings on the proceeds of the 2017 Bonds above the yield on the 2017 Bonds to be paid to the United States Treasury. The District will covenant and represent in the 2017 Bond Resolutions that it will take all steps to comply with the requirements of the Tax Code to the extent necessary to maintain the exclusion of interest on the 2017 Bonds from gross income and alternative minimum taxable income (except to the extent of the aforementioned adjustment applicable to corporations) under such federal income tax laws in effect when the 2017 Bonds are delivered. Bond Counsel's opinion as to the exclusion of interest on the 2017 Bonds from gross income and alternative minimum taxable income (to the extent described above) is rendered in reliance on these covenants, and assumes continuous compliance therewith. The failure or inability of the District to comply with these requirements could cause the interest on the 2017 Bonds to be included in gross income, alternative minimum taxable income or both from the date of issuance. Bond Counsel's opinion also is rendered in reliance upon certifications of the District and other certifications furnished to Bond Counsel. Bond Counsel has not undertaken to verify such certifications by independent investigation.

Section 55 of the Tax Code contains a 20% alternative minimum tax on the alternative minimum taxable income of corporations. Under the Tax Code, 75% of the excess of a corporation's "adjusted current earnings" over the corporation's alternative minimum taxable income (determined without regard to this adjustment and the alternative minimum tax net operating loss deduction) is included in the corporation's alternative minimum taxable income for purposes of the alternative minimum tax applicable to the corporation. "Adjusted current earnings" includes interest on the 2017 Bonds.

The Tax Code contains numerous provisions which may affect an investor's decision to purchase the 2017 Bonds. Owners of the 2017 Bonds should be aware that the ownership of tax-exempt obligations by particular persons and entities, including, without limitation, financial institutions, insurance companies, recipients of Social Security or Railroad Retirement benefits, taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred or continued indebtedness to purchase or carry tax-exempt obligations, foreign corporations doing business in the United States and certain

"subchapter S" corporations may result in adverse federal and state tax consequences. Under Section 3406 of the Tax Code, backup withholding may be imposed on payments on the 2017 Bonds made to any owner who fails to provide certain required information, including an accurate taxpayer identification number, to certain persons required to collect such information pursuant to the Tax Code. Backup withholding may also be applied if the owner underreports "reportable payments" (including interest and dividends) as defined in Section 3406, or fails to provide a certificate that the owner is not subject to backup withholding in circumstances where such a certificate is required by the Tax Code. The 2017 Bonds may be sold at a premium, representing a difference between the original offering price of the 2017 Bonds and the principal amount thereof payable at maturity. Under certain circumstances, an initial owner of such bonds may realize a taxable gain upon their disposition, even though such bonds are sold or redeemed for an amount equal to the owner's acquisition cost. Bond Counsel's opinion relates only to the exclusion of interest (and, to the extent described above for the Discount Bonds, original issue discount) on the 2017 Bonds from gross income and alternative minimum taxable income as described above and will state that no opinion is expressed regarding other federal tax consequences arising from the receipt or accrual of interest on or ownership of the 2017 Bonds. Owners of the 2017 Bonds should consult their own tax advisors as to the applicability of these consequences.

The opinions expressed by Bond Counsel are based on existing law as of the delivery date of the 2017 Bonds. No opinion is expressed as of any subsequent date nor is any opinion expressed with respect to pending or proposed legislation. Amendments to the federal or state tax laws may be pending now or could be proposed in the future that, if enacted into law, could adversely affect the value of the 2017 Bonds, the exclusion of interest (and, to the extent described above for the Discount Bonds, original issue discount) on the 2017 Bonds from gross income or alternative minimum taxable income or both from the date of issuance of the 2017 Bonds or any other date, or that could result in other adverse tax consequences. In addition, future court actions or regulatory decisions could affect the tax treatment or market value of the 2017 Bonds. Owners of the 2017 Bonds are advised to consult with their own tax advisors with respect to such matters.

The Internal Revenue Service (the "Service") has an ongoing program of auditing tax-exempt obligations to determine whether, in the view of the Service, interest on such tax-exempt obligations is includable in the gross income of the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes. No assurances can be given as to whether or not the Service will commence an audit of the 2017 Bonds. If an audit is commenced, the market value of the 2017 Bonds may be adversely affected. Under current audit procedures the Service will treat the District as the taxpayer and the 2017 Bond owners may have no right to participate in such procedures. The District has covenanted in the 2017 Bond Resolutions not to take any action that would cause the interest on the 2017 Bonds to lose its exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes or lose its exclusion from alternative minimum taxable income except to the extent described above for the owners thereof for federal income tax purposes. None of the District, the Financial Advisor, the Initial Purchasers, Bond Counsel or Special Counsel is responsible for paying or reimbursing any 2017 Bond holder with respect to any audit or litigation costs relating to the 2017 Bonds.

## **State Tax Exemption**

The 2017 Bonds, their transfer, and the income therefrom are free and exempt from taxation by the State or any subdivision thereof except for the tax on estates imposed pursuant to Chapter 375A of NRS and the tax on generation-skipping transfers imposed pursuant to Chapter 375B of NRS.

#### **RATINGS**

Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's") and S&P Global Ratings ("S&P") have assigned the 2017 Bonds the respective ratings shown on the cover page of this Official Statement. An explanation of the significance of the ratings given by S&P may be obtained from S&P at 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10041. An explanation of the significance of the ratings may be obtained from Moody's and S&P, respectively.

Such ratings reflect only the views of such rating agencies, and there is no assurance that any rating, once received, will continue for any given period of time or that either rating will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by the applicable rating agency if, in its judgment, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward revision or withdrawal of such ratings may have an adverse effect on the market price of the 2017 Bonds. Except for its responsibilities under the Disclosure Certificate, the District has not undertaken any responsibility to bring to the attention of the owners of the 2017 Bonds any proposed change in or withdrawal of such ratings once received or to oppose any such proposed revision.

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS

The audited basic financial statements of the District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, attached hereto as Appendix A, have been audited by Eide Bailly LLP, Las Vegas, Nevada, independent certified public accountants, to the extent and for the period indicated in their report thereon.

The audited basic financial statements of the District, including the auditor's report thereon, are public documents and pursuant to State law, no consent from the auditors is required to be obtained prior to inclusion of the audited financial statements in this Official Statement. Accordingly, the District has not requested consent from its auditors. Since the date of its report, Eide Bailly LLP has not been engaged to perform and has not performed any procedures on the basic financial statements addressed in that report and also has not performed any procedures relating to this Official Statement.

# FINANCIAL ADVISOR

Zions Public Finance, Las Vegas, Nevada ("Zions" or the "Financial Advisor") is serving as financial advisor to the District in connection with the 2017 Bonds. See "INTRODUCTION--Additional Information" for contact information for the Financial Advisor. Zions has not audited, authenticated or otherwise verified the information set forth in this Official Statement, or any other related information available to the District, with respect to the accuracy and completeness of disclosure of such information, and no guaranty, warranty or other representation is made by Zions respecting accuracy and completeness of this Official Statement or any other matter related to this Official Statement.

#### **UNDERWRITING**

The District sold the 2017A Bonds at public sale-to J.P. Morgan Securities LLC at a purchase price of \$473,737,446.53 (consisting of the par amount of the 2017A Bonds of \$407,900,000.00, plus reoffering premium of \$67,724,485.75, less underwriting discount of \$1,887,039.22).

The District sold the 2017B Bonds at public sale to Citigroup Global Markets Inc. at a purchase price of \$63,823,153.30 (consisting of the par amount of the 2017B Bonds of \$59,315,000.00, plus reoffering premium of \$4,572,806.65, less underwriting discount of \$64,653.35).

J.P. Morgan Securities Inc. and Citigroup Global Markets Inc. are referred to herein together as the "Initial Purchasers."

# OFFICIAL STATEMENT CERTIFICATION

The undersigned official hereby confirms and certifies that the execution and delivery of this Official Statement and its use in connection with the offering and sale of the 2017 Bonds has been duly authorized by the Board.

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA

By: <u>/s/ Dr. Eva White</u>

Interim Chief Financial Officer

#### **APPENDIX A**

# AUDITED BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE DISTRICT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

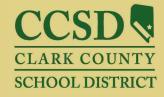
**NOTE:** The audited basic financial statements of the District included in this Appendix A have been derived from the District's CAFR for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. The table of contents, introductory section, individual fund budgetary statements, and other items referred to in the auditor's report attached hereto has purposely been excluded from this Official Statement. Such information provides supporting details and is not necessary for a fair presentation of the basic financial statements of the District.



# COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT



**Financial Section** 



# COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

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The Board of Trustees of the Clark County School District Clark County, Nevada

#### **Report on the Financial Statements**

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 the Clark County School District (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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.

#### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### **Opinions**

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, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position and, where, applicable, cash flows thereof and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund and the Special Education Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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#### **Other Matters**

#### Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 6 through 18 as well as the schedule of funding progress for the District's post employment healthcare plan, the schedule of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability, and the schedule of District contributions for the District's defined benefit pension plan on pages 76 through 80 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

#### Other 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 introductory section, combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, capital asset schedules, and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. The schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulation (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Costs Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and is also not a required part of the financial statements.

The combining and individual fund statements and schedules, capital asset schedules, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual fund statements and schedules, capital asset 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.

The introductory and statistical sections have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

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#### Prior Year Comparative Information

The financial statements of the District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015, were audited by Eide Bailly LLP, whose report dated October 12, 2015, expressed unmodified audit opinions on the respective financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information.

The individual fund schedules related to the 2015 financial statements are presented for purposes of additional analysis and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the 2015 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the 2015 basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare those financial statements or to those financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. The individual fund schedules are consistent in relation to the basic financial statements from which they have been derived.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated October 10, 2016 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, grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the 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.

Las Vegas, Nevada
October 10, 2016



# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

The Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) offers readers a narrative overview and analysis of the Clark County School District's (District) financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information furnished in our letter of transmittal, which precedes this report, and the financial statements, which immediately follow this report.

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016

Following is an analysis of facts, descriptions and/or conditions of the District, in fiscal year 2016, that had a material effect on its financial position and/or operating results.

#### Government-wide Financial Statements

- The overall financial position of the District, as shown on the government-wide statement, increased \$180 million during fiscal year 2016, from a negative \$651.8 million to a negative \$471.5 million. This negative balance is due to the effect of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68, which required the District to record their proportionate share of the net pension liability of the Public Employees' Retirement System of Nevada (PERS).
- Contributing to the overall gain in net position, revenues increased \$86 million from \$3.094 billion in fiscal year 2015 to \$3.180 billion in fiscal year 2016, a 2.77% increase. This was mainly due to a rise in property taxes, local school support tax (sales tax), and grant funding for Victory schools, New Teacher Incentives, increased funding for Zoom schools, and Full-day Kindergarten in the State Grants Fund.
- Certain local revenues such as the real estate transfer tax and the governmental services tax experienced an increase from fiscal year 2015 in the amount of \$4,375,713 and \$7,077,678, respectively, due to growth in new home sales, median resale home price, and vehicle registrations in Nevada. Franchise tax revenue rose by 60.32% or \$1,074,649 due to higher net profits realized by one of the city's largest contributors, NV Energy. Room tax went up \$7,287,325 or 8.96% in fiscal year 2016 due to the growth in visitor volume and hotel/motel occupancy levels from the previous year.
- Total expenses increased 1.96% from \$2.942 billion in fiscal year 2015, to \$2.999 billion in fiscal year 2016. This can be attributed to state mandated initiatives to expand the Pre-kindergarten, Full-day Kindergarten, and English Language Learners (ELL) programs, which all required additional licensed personnel. There was also an increase to the teacher's pay scale. The pension expense, which is now being recorded as a result of GASB Statement No. 68, is recognized as the difference between the net pension liability from the prior fiscal year to the current fiscal year, with some adjustments, and is not based solely on contributions. Even though the pension expense adjustment recorded in fiscal year 2016 reduced overall expenses, this didn't completely offset the increases in expenses for all functional areas.

#### Fund Financial Statements

- The combined ending governmental fund balances increased to \$781 million in fiscal year 2016 from \$453 million in fiscal year 2015, a 72.4% increase.
- Increases to the ending combined fund balances were mainly due to the increase in the Bond Fund, specifically, the unspent portion of bond proceeds received during the year.
- As the local economy continues to improve, the combined revenues in the governmental funds recorded a \$76 million increase from the previous year predominantly in the General Fund and the State Grants Fund. The General Fund recognized an increase of \$33 million in local school support tax and \$20 million in property tax. Additional revenues received in the State Grants Fund resulted from state-wide programs to promote early education opportunities through increases of \$14 million for Full-day Kindergarten, \$19 million for Pre-kindergarten and Full-day Kindergarten in Zoom schools, \$11 million for Victory schools, and \$8 million for New Teacher Incentives.
- One of the largest sources of revenue in the General Fund and the Special Education Fund is state aid known as
  the Distributive School Account (DSA). These funds decreased by approximately \$36 million due to an increase in
  property tax and local school support tax, commonly referred to as the LSST. Revenue received from these local

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

taxes is deducted from the guarantee, which determines the amount of state aid the District will receive. The effect of increases in property taxes and LSST are offset by reduced DSA revenues. In addition, the basic support rate per pupil was reduced from \$5,527 to \$5,512 in 2016.

#### General Operating Fund Balance

- Ending fund balance in the General Fund decreased from approximately \$106 million in fiscal year 2015 to approximately \$72 million in fiscal year 2016, a 31.99% decrease. Although local revenues and property taxes have increased, the General Operating Fund expenditures also increased due to enrollment related growth, additional teachers in the ELL program, salary increases to teachers, and the purchase of new buses for student transportation. The overall impact was a decrease to ending fund balance.
- Total General Fund revenues increased \$23 million to \$2.060 billion in fiscal year 2016. This was due to the
  increase in property taxes, local school support tax, and governmental services tax revenue.
- The District funded the unassigned (spendable) portion of fund balance to 1.75% of general operating revenue in fiscal year 2016. As a component of budget savings, it was recommended and the Board of Trustees approved on May 20, 2015 to waive the current unassigned fund balance requirement from the 2% established by District Regulation 3110. In fiscal year 2017, the District will have completed the four year plan to restore the unassigned fund balance to the 2% requirement. Unassigned fund balance is reported at \$37.5 million in 2016.
- The District was able to assign funding in its General Fund for instructional supply appropriations, school bus appropriations, school carryover, and categorical indirect costs for the next fiscal year.

#### **OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The District's basic financial statements are comprised of government-wide financial statements, fund financial statements, and notes to the financial statements. Following is a brief discussion of the structure of the basic financial statements.

#### Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with an assessment of the overall financial position and activities of the District as a whole. These statements are structured around the primary government, not including fiduciary funds. They are further divided into governmental activities and business-type activities. Governmental activities are those generally financed through taxes and intergovernmental revenues, while business-type activities are those financed to some degree by charging external parties for goods received.

The statement of net position combines and consolidates all of the District's current financial resources (short-term spendable resources) with capital assets, deferred outflows of resources, long-term obligations, and deferred inflows of resources, using the accrual basis of accounting. The end result is net position that is segregated into three components: net investment in capital assets; restricted and unrestricted net position. The statement of activities presents information showing how the District's net position changed during fiscal year 2016. All changes in net position are reported when the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, there are some revenues and expenses reported in this statement that will result in cash flows in future fiscal periods. All expenses are reported by related function as prescribed by the Nevada Department of Education Handbook II Accounting System.

#### Fund Financial Statements

The District uses fund financial statements to provide detailed information about its most significant funds. All of the funds of the District can be divided into three categories:

Governmental Funds – Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements described above. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements use the modified accrual basis of accounting, which focuses on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources and balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. To provide a better understanding of the relationship between the fund statements and government-wide statements, a reconciliation is provided for a more comprehensive picture of the District's financial position.



# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

*Proprietary Funds* – Funds that focus on the determination of operating income, changes in net position (or cost recovery), financial position, and cash flows are reported in the proprietary funds. The District reports two types, enterprise funds and internal service funds. Enterprise funds are used to report an activity where a fee is charged to external users. The District's sole enterprise fund, the Food Service Enterprise Fund, is used to account for food service operations within the District. Internal service funds report activities that provide goods and services to the other departments of the District. The District reports two internal service funds, the Insurance and Risk Management Fund, and the Graphic Arts Production Fund.

Fiduciary Funds – Funds that are used to report assets held in a trustee or agency capacity for others and, therefore, cannot be used to support the government's own programs. The District currently holds assets related to student activities of various schools in its single fiduciary fund, the Student Activity Agency Fund.

#### Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes to the financial statements complement the financial statements by describing qualifying factors and changes throughout the fiscal year.

#### **GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS**

As noted previously, the government-wide statements are structured to report financial information on the District as a whole, excluding fiduciary funds. Condensed financial information with comparative amounts from the prior year is presented along with accompanying analysis.

#### **Clark County School District's Net Position:**

	Governmental activities		Business-type activities		Total	
	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015
Current assets	\$1,228,394,704	\$ 859,080,428	\$72,839,228	\$64,527,179	\$ 1,301,233,932	\$ 923,607,607
Capital assets, net	4,240,291,668	4,368,145,717	11,885,121	12,701,768	4,252,176,789	4,380,847,485
Total assets	5,468,686,372	5,227,226,145	84,724,349	77,228,947	5,553,410,721	5,304,455,092
Deferred outflows	491,743,799	407,223,152	6,794,837	5,785,930	498,538,636	413,009,082
Current liabilities	722,876,164	663,823,221	2,846,691	3,839,161	725,722,855	667,662,382
Long-term liabilities	5,395,363,328	5,013,246,547	40,895,472	37,329,414	5,436,258,800	5,050,575,961
Total liabilities	6,118,239,492	5,677,069,768	43,742,163	41,168,575	6,161,981,655	5,718,238,343
Deferred inflows	355,730,627	641,596,538	5,769,862	9,432,455	361,500,489	651,028,993
Net position:						
Net investment in						
capital assets	1,810,729,482	1,736,010,978	11,885,121	12,701,768	1,822,614,603	1,748,712,746
Restricted	317,216,239	274,868,608	- 11,000,121	-	317,216,239	274,868,608
Unrestricted	(2,641,485,669)	(2,695,096,595)	30,122,040	19,712,079	(2,611,363,629)	(2,675,384,516)
Total net position	\$ (513,539,948)	\$ (684,217,009)	\$42,007,161	\$32,413,847	\$ (471,532,787)	\$ (651,803,162)
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The District's assets and deferred outflows of resources were less than liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$471,532,787 at the close of the current fiscal year and total net position increased by 27.66% or \$180,270,375. The negative net position remains due to the effect of GASB Statement No. 68 which requires the District to report its proportionate share of the net pension liability in fiscal year 2016. The majority of the increase relates to the unspent portion of bond proceeds received in fiscal year 2016.

# **Governmental Activities**

The District's total net position in governmental activities is a negative \$513,539,948, of which, unrestricted net position totaled a negative \$2,641,485,669. Included in this figure is the impact of recording the net pension liability. The portion the District pays to PERS is for required contributions, but pursuant to statute, there is no obligation on the part of the employer to pay for their proportionate share of the unfunded liability.

#### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

Portions of total net position are subject to external restrictions on how the resources may be utilized. In the current fiscal year, restricted assets include assets for servicing long-term general obligation bonded debt in the amount of \$209,223,837; assets related to bond proceeds and other revenues to be used in the District's capital projects programs in the amount of \$84,397,020; and net position restricted for other purposes totaling \$23,595,382, which includes donations of \$277,758, City of Henderson RDA funds in the amount of \$827,875, funds for school technology in the amount of \$6,260,281, funds for the purchase of new buses in the amount of \$3,279,993, state restricted money for adult education in the amount of \$2,875,875, a certificate of deposit with the State of Nevada for the District's workers' compensation self-insurance program in the amount of \$8,326,000 and a total of \$1,747,600 in term endowments made over time to Vegas PBS.

#### Business-type Activities

Business-type activities consist solely of the District's Food Service Enterprise Fund. Net position in this fund increased by 29.60% to \$42,007,161. This was due to the increase in breakfast meals served, as part of the new Breakfast after the Bell program. Revenues exceeded expenses by \$9,593,314. Food Service is reporting approximately \$30 million in unrestricted net position.

# Clark County School District's Statement of Activities:

Revenues Program revenues: Charges for services Services Charges for services Services Charges for services Support services Services Services Support services Servi		Govern			ss-type	Totals		
Perpara revenues								
Program revenues:   Charges for services   \$6,570,208   \$9,949,400   \$13,562,576   \$15,248,543   \$2,0132,786   \$2,2197,943     Operating grants and contributions   \$2,833,763   3,888,310   \$15,528,972   102,805,262   634,799,267   600,865,663     Capital grants and contributions   \$2,833,763   3,888,310   \$15,528,972   102,805,262   634,799,267   600,865,663     Capital grants and contributions   \$2,833,763   3,888,310   \$15,000,865,863     Total program revenues   \$258,674,266   \$0,868,81111   129,091,555   118,053,805   577,65,816   \$22,801,916     Ceneral revenues   \$753,241,257   717,405,247   \$773,241,257   717,405,247   \$774,05,24	Revenues							
Charge for services   \$ 6,670,208   \$ 9,949,400   \$ 13,562,578   \$ 12,248,543   \$ 2,113,786   \$ 2,2197,945   \$ Coperating grants and contributions   \$ 2,833,763   \$ 3,838,310   \$ 115,528,975   \$ 102,805,262   \$ 2,833,763   \$ 3,838,310   \$ 15,528,975   \$ 118,053,805   \$ 657,765,816   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,865,685   \$ 600,965,965   \$ 600,965,965								
Operating grants and contributions         519,270,295         498,060,401         115,528,972         102,005,262         28,347,982,267         600,865,663           Capital grants and contributions         2,833,763         3,838,310         129,091,550         118,053,805         657,765,816         626,801,318           Total program revenues         753,241,257         717,405,247         -         -         753,241,257         717,405,247           Local school support tax         914,035,783         881,056,204         -         914,035,783         881,056,204           Governmental services tax         87,376,152         80,298,474         -         87,376,152         80,298,474           Room tax         88,595,165         81,297,840         -         -         85,561,65         81,297,840           Real estate transfer tax         2,252,633         22,146,920         -         2,652,294         1,781,645           Other local taxes         22,787         197,590         -         87,787         197,590           Unrestricted federal aid         157,399         340,659         -         157,399         340,659           Unrestricted invenues         2,221,593,553         18,779,550         68,856         56,618         22,295,799         18,881,68		\$ 6.570.208	\$ 6.949.400	\$ 13.562.578	\$ 15.248.543	\$ 20.132.786	\$ 22,197,943	
Capital gramts and contributions   2,833,763   3,838,310   -   -   2,833,763   3,833,310			,,				, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
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Franchise tax				_	_			
Other local taxes         827,875         197,590         -         -         827,875         197,590           Unrestricted federal aid         157,399         340,659         -         -         157,399         340,659           Unrestricted state aid         618,990,946         659,619,067         -         618,990,946         659,619,067           Other local sources         22,228,873         18,779,550         66,856         56,618         22,295,729         18,836,188           Unrestricted investment earnings         6,771,186         4,015,151         289,572         223,300         7,060,758         4,238,451           Total general revenues         2,521,593,563         2,466,938,347         356,428         279,918         2,521,949,991         2,467,218,265           Total revenues         3,050,267,829         2,975,786,458         129,447,978         118,333,723         3,179,715,807         3,094,120,181           Expenses         Instruction expenses         1,768,705,059         1,721,284,287         -         1,768,705,059         1,721,284,287           Support services:         Student support         168,889,359         163,271,875         -         18,889,359         163,271,875           General administration         310,75,034         25,482,151 <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>_</td> <td>_</td> <td></td> <td></td>				_	_			
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Other local sources         22,228,873         18,779,550         66,856         56,618         22,295,729         18,836,168           Unrestricted investment earnings         6,771,186         4,015,151         289,572         223,300         7,060,758         4,238,451           Total general revenues         2,521,593,563         2,466,938,347         356,428         279,918         2,521,949,991         2,467,218,265           Total revenues         3,050,267,829         2,975,786,458         129,447,978         118,333,723         3,179,715,807         3,094,120,181           Expenses         Instruction expenses         1,768,705,059         1,721,284,287         -         -         1,768,705,059         1,721,284,287           Support services:         Support services         186,889,359         163,271,875         -         -         123,547,179         120,371,299         -         -         168,899,359         163,271,875           General administration         131,075,034         25,462,151         -         -         131,075,034         25,462,151         -         -         131,756,034         25,462,151         -         -         131,756,034         25,462,151         -         -         131,075,034         25,462,151         -         -         131,756,034							· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
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Total general revenues								
Expenses   1,768,705,059   1,721,284,287   -   -   1,768,705,059   1,721,284,287   Support services   123,547,179   120,371,299   -   -   123,547,179   120,371,299   163,271,875   -   168,889,359   163,271,875   -   188,889,359   163,271,875   -   188,889,359   163,271,875   -   193,774,982   192,067,658   -   193,774,982   192,067,658   -   193,774,982   192,067,658   -   193,749,822   192,067,658   -   193,								
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Support services:         Student support         123,547,179         120,371,299         -         -         123,547,179         120,371,299           Instructional staff support         168,889,359         163,271,875         -         -         168,889,359         163,271,875           General administration         31,075,034         25,462,151         -         -         31,075,034         25,462,151           School administration         193,749,822         192,067,658         -         -         193,749,822         192,067,658           Central services         75,245,559         78,312,962         -         -         75,245,559         78,312,962           Operation and maintenance         -         75,245,559         78,312,962         -         -         75,245,559         78,312,962           Operation and maintenance         -         257,486,489         266,323,989         -         -         257,486,489         266,323,989           Student transportation         125,820,167         124,388,428         -         -         125,820,167         124,388,428           Other support services         3,673,538         2,487,740         -         -         3,673,538         2,487,740           Community services         18,444,458	· · · ·							
Student support   123,547,179   120,371,299   -   -   123,547,179   120,371,299   Instructional staff support   168,889,359   163,271,875   -   -   168,889,359   163,271,875   General administration   31,075,034   25,462,151   -   -   31,075,034   25,462,151   School administration   193,749,822   192,067,658   -   -   193,749,822   192,067,658   Central services   75,245,559   78,312,962   -   -   75,245,559   78,312,962   Operation and maintenance of plant services   257,486,489   266,323,989   -   -   257,486,489   266,323,989   Student transportation   125,820,167   124,388,428   -   125,820,167   124,388,428   Other support services   4,084,062   4,214,011   -   -   4,084,062   4,214,011   Community services   3,673,538   2,487,740   -   -   3,673,538   2,487,740   Facilities acquisition and construction services   18,444,458   7,089,192   -   -   18,444,458   7,089,192   Interdistrict payments   4,508,299   2,996,640   -   -   4,508,299   2,996,640   Interest on long-term debt   104,392,993   123,373,106   -   -   4,508,299   2,996,640   Interest on long-term debt   104,392,993   123,373,106   -   -   119,854,664   110,068,814   119,854,664   110,068,8	Instruction expenses	1,768,705,059	1,721,284,287	-	-	1,768,705,059	1,721,284,287	
Instructional staff support   168,889,359   163,271,875   -   -   168,889,359   163,271,875   General administration   31,075,034   25,462,151   -   -   31,075,034   25,462,151   School administration   193,749,822   192,067,658   -   -   193,749,822   192,067,658   Central services   75,245,559   78,312,962   -   -   75,245,559   78,312,962   Operation and maintenance of plant services   257,486,489   266,323,989   -   -   257,486,489   266,323,989   Student transportation   125,820,167   124,388,428   -   -   125,820,167   124,388,428   Other support services   4,084,062   4,214,011   -   -   4,084,062   4,214,011   Community services   3,673,538   2,487,740   -   -   3,673,538   2,487,740   Scale of the provided of the	Support services:							
General administration         31,075,034         25,462,151         -         -         31,075,034         25,462,151           School administration         193,749,822         192,067,658         -         -         193,749,822         192,067,658           Central services         75,245,559         78,312,962         -         -         75,245,559         78,312,962           Operation and maintenance of plant services         257,486,489         266,323,989         -         -         257,486,489         266,323,989           Student transportation         125,820,167         124,388,428         -         -         125,820,167         124,388,428           Other support services         4,084,062         4,214,011         -         -         4,084,062         4,214,011           Community services         3,673,538         2,487,740         -         -         3,673,538         2,487,740           Facilities acquisition and construction services         18,444,458         7,089,192         -         -         18,444,458         7,089,192           Interdistrict payments         4,508,299         2,996,640         -         -         4,508,299         2,996,640           Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -	Student support	123,547,179	120,371,299	-	-	123,547,179	120,371,299	
School administration         193,749,822         192,067,658         -         -         193,749,822         192,067,658           Central services         75,245,559         78,312,962         -         -         75,245,559         78,312,962           Operation and maintenance of plant services         257,486,489         266,323,989         -         -         257,486,489         266,323,989           Student transportation         125,820,167         124,388,428         -         -         125,820,167         124,388,428           Other support services         4,084,062         4,214,011         -         -         4,084,062         4,214,011           Community services         3,673,538         2,487,740         -         -         3,673,538         2,487,740           Facilities acquisition and construction services         18,444,458         7,089,192         -         -         18,444,458         7,089,192           Interdistrict payments         4,508,299         2,996,640         -         -         4,508,299         2,996,640           Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -         -         104,392,993         123,373,106           Food services         -         -         119,854,664         11	Instructional staff support	168,889,359	163,271,875	-	-	168,889,359	163,271,875	
Central services 75,245,559 78,312,962 75,245,559 78,312,962 Operation and maintenance of plant services 257,486,489 266,323,989 - 257,486,489 266,323,989 Student transportation 125,820,167 124,388,428 - 125,820,167 124,388,428 Other support services 4,084,062 4,214,011 - 4,084,062 4,214,011 Community services 3,673,538 2,487,740 - 3,673,538 2,487,740 Facilities acquisition and construction services 18,444,458 7,089,192 - 18,444,458 7,089,192 Interdistrict payments 4,508,299 2,996,640 - 4,508,299 2,996,640 Interest on long-term debt 104,392,993 123,373,106 Food services - 119,854,664 110,068,814 119,854,664 110,068,814 Total expenses 2,879,622,018 2,831,643,338 119,854,664 110,068,814 2,999,476,682 2,941,712,152  Change in net position before term endowments and transfers 170,645,811 144,143,120 9,593,314 8,264,909 180,239,125 152,408,029 Term endowment 31,250 21,719 - 31,250 21,719 Change in net position before term endowment 170,677,061 144,164,839 9,593,314 8,264,909 180,270,375 152,429,748 Net position - beginning (684,217,009) 1,946,793,157 32,413,847 64,981,041 (651,803,162) 2,011,774,198 Prior period restatement - (2,775,175,005) - (40,832,103) - (2,816,007,108) Net position - beginning (as restated) (684,217,009) (828,381,848) 32,413,847 24,148,938 (651,803,162) (804,232,910)	General administration	31,075,034	25,462,151	-	-	31,075,034	25,462,151	
Operation and maintenance of plant services	School administration	193,749,822	192,067,658	-	-	193,749,822	192,067,658	
of plant services         257,486,489         266,323,989         -         -         257,486,489         266,323,989           Student transportation         125,820,167         124,388,428         -         -         125,820,167         124,388,428           Other support services         4,084,062         4,214,011         -         -         4,084,062         4,214,011           Community services         3,673,538         2,487,740         -         -         3,673,538         2,487,740           Facilities acquisition and construction services         18,444,458         7,089,192         -         -         18,444,458         7,089,192           Interdistrict payments         4,508,299         2,996,640         -         -         4,508,299         2,996,640           Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -         -         104,392,993         123,373,106           Food services         -         -         -         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,068,814         12,999,476,682         2,941,712,152           Change in net position before term endowments and transfers         170,645,811         144,143,120         9,59	Central services	75,245,559	78,312,962	-	-	75,245,559	78,312,962	
Student transportation         125,820,167         124,388,428         -         -         125,820,167         124,388,428           Other support services         4,084,062         4,214,011         -         -         4,084,062         4,214,011           Community services         3,673,538         2,487,740         -         -         3,673,538         2,487,740           Facilities acquisition and construction services         18,444,458         7,089,192         -         -         18,444,458         7,089,192           Interdistrict payments         4,508,299         2,996,640         -         -         4,508,299         2,996,640           Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -         -         104,392,993         123,373,106           Food services         -         -         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,968,814         119,854,664         110,068,814         2,999,476,682         2,941,712,152           Change in net position before term endowments and transfers         170,645,811         144,143,120         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,239,125         152,408,029           Term endowment         31,250         21,719         -         -         31,250         21,719     <	Operation and maintenance							
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construction services         18,444,458         7,089,192         -         -         18,444,458         7,089,192           Interdistrict payments         4,508,299         2,996,640         -         -         4,508,299         2,996,640           Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -         -         104,392,993         123,373,106           Food services         -         -         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,068,814           Total expenses         2,879,622,018         2,831,643,338         119,854,664         110,068,814         2,999,476,682         2,941,712,152           Change in net position before term endowments and transfers         170,645,811         144,143,120         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,239,125         152,408,029           Term endowment         31,250         21,719         -         -         31,250         21,719           Change in net position         170,677,061         144,164,839         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,270,375         152,429,748           Net position - beginning         (684,217,009)         1,946,793,157         32,413,847         64,981,041         (651,803,162)         2,011,774,198           Prior period restatement	Community services	3,673,538	2,487,740	-	-	3,673,538	2,487,740	
Interdistrict payments         4,508,299         2,996,640         -         -         4,508,299         2,996,640           Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -         -         104,392,993         123,373,106           Food services         -         -         -         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,068,814           Total expenses         2,879,622,018         2,831,643,338         119,854,664         110,068,814         2,999,476,682         2,941,712,152           Change in net position before term endowments and transfers         170,645,811         144,143,120         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,239,125         152,408,029           Term endowment         31,250         21,719         -         -         31,250         21,719           Change in net position         170,677,061         144,164,839         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,270,375         152,429,748           Net position - beginning         (684,217,009)         1,946,793,157         32,413,847         64,981,041         (651,803,162)         2,011,774,198           Prior period restatement         -         (2,775,175,005)         -         (40,832,103)         -         (2,816,007,108 <td< td=""><td>Facilities acquisition and</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></td<>	Facilities acquisition and							
Interest on long-term debt         104,392,993         123,373,106         -         -         104,392,993         123,373,106           Food services         -         -         119,854,664         110,068,814         119,854,664         110,068,814           Total expenses         2,879,622,018         2,831,643,338         119,854,664         110,068,814         2,999,476,682         2,941,712,152           Change in net position before term endowments and transfers         170,645,811         144,143,120         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,239,125         152,408,029           Term endowment         31,250         21,719         -         -         31,250         21,719           Change in net position         170,677,061         144,164,839         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,270,375         152,429,748           Net position - beginning         (684,217,009)         1,946,793,157         32,413,847         64,981,041         (651,803,162)         2,011,774,198           Prior period restatement         -         (2,775,175,005)         -         (40,832,103)         -         (2,816,007,108           Net position - beginning (as restated)         (684,217,009)         (828,381,848)         32,413,847         24,148,938         (651,803,162)         (804,232,910)  <	construction services	18,444,458	7,089,192	-	-	18,444,458	7,089,192	
Food services - 119,854,664 110,068,814 119,854,664 110,068,814 2,999,476,682 2,941,712,152  Change in net position before term endowments and transfers 170,645,811 144,143,120 9,593,314 8,264,909 180,239,125 152,408,029  Term endowment 31,250 21,719 - 31,250 21,719  Change in net position before term endowment 170,677,061 144,164,839 9,593,314 8,264,909 180,239,125 152,408,029  Net position - beginning (684,217,009) 1,946,793,157 32,413,847 64,981,041 (651,803,162) 2,011,774,198  Prior period restatement - (2,775,175,005) - (40,832,103) - (2,816,007,108)  Net position - beginning (as restated) (684,217,009) (828,381,848) 32,413,847 24,148,938 (651,803,162) (804,232,910)	Interdistrict payments	4,508,299	2,996,640	-	-	4,508,299	2,996,640	
Total expenses 2,879,622,018 2,831,643,338 119,854,664 110,068,814 2,999,476,682 2,941,712,152  Change in net position before term endowments and transfers 170,645,811 144,143,120 9,593,314 8,264,909 180,239,125 152,408,029  Term endowment 31,250 21,719 - 31,250 21,719  Change in net position 170,677,061 144,164,839 9,593,314 8,264,909 180,270,375 152,429,748  Net position - beginning (684,217,009) 1,946,793,157 32,413,847 64,981,041 (651,803,162) 2,011,774,198  Prior period restatement - (2,775,175,005) - (40,832,103) - (2,816,007,108)  Net position - beginning (as restated) (684,217,009) (828,381,848) 32,413,847 24,148,938 (651,803,162) (804,232,910)	Interest on long-term debt	104,392,993	123,373,106	-	-	104,392,993	123,373,106	
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term endowments and transfers         170,645,811         144,143,120         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,239,125         152,408,029           Term endowment         31,250         21,719         -         -         -         31,250         21,719           Change in net position         170,677,061         144,164,839         9,593,314         8,264,909         180,270,375         152,429,748           Net position - beginning         (684,217,009)         1,946,793,157         32,413,847         64,981,041         (651,803,162)         2,011,774,198           Prior period restatement         -         (2,775,175,005)         -         (40,832,103)         -         (2,816,007,108           Net position - beginning (as restated)         (684,217,009)         (828,381,848)         32,413,847         24,148,938         (651,803,162)         (804,232,910)	Total expenses	2,879,622,018	2,831,643,338	119,854,664	110,068,814	2,999,476,682	2,941,712,152	
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#### Governmental Activities

#### **Net Position**

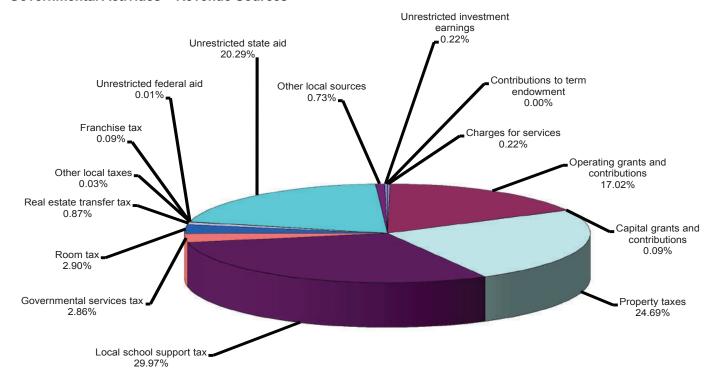
Governmental activities increased the District's net position by \$170,677,061 for fiscal year 2016. Increases in net position are due in part to the effect of GASB Statement No. 68 which required the recording of a pension expense adjustment to governmental activities. The current year adjustment was a \$96 million credit to expense. The remainder of the increase can be attributed to the unspent portion of the bond proceeds in the Bond Fund and the additional grant funding in the State Grants Fund.

#### Revenues

- The largest general revenues received by the District include local school support tax in the amount of \$914,035,783, aggregated property taxes in the amount of \$753,241,257, and unrestricted state aid in the amount of \$618,990,946. These revenues represent 29.97, 24.69, and 20.29%, respectively, of total governmental revenues for the current fiscal year.
- This year's unrestricted state aid in the General Fund decreased by 6.16% and is guaranteed through a funding mechanism known as the Nevada Plan. The District is legislatively guaranteed to receive a specific amount of per-pupil funding from the state which is apportioned through components of both sales and property taxes. The amount received per pupil for fiscal year 2016 was \$5,512, down from the prior year's amount of \$5,527. The state is required to provide funding to meet the residual amount that is not collected through these taxes. Under the provision of this plan, the State formula is adjusted by the change in local sales tax and property tax revenues, which corresponds to an increase or decrease in the State's obligation. This year the impact of local taxes decreased total state aid by approximately \$40 million.
- The Local School Support Tax (LSST), a component of the sales tax, in Clark County, is one of the few revenues of the District that showed increases for the last seven years. It currently increased 3.74% or \$32,979,579 over the prior year, with collections totaling \$914,035,783, due in part to the Sales and Use tax rate increase on January 1, 2016 from 8.10% to 8.15%.
- LSST and property tax collection are part of the Nevada Plan for school funding. When LSST and property tax decreases, the state is required to make up the difference to meet its basic support obligation. However, when LSST and property tax are higher than anticipated, as occurred this year, the District does not share in any surplus. It simply means the state reduces its state-aid payments through the DSA.
- As the Clark County economy continues to recover, many other revenue collections have experienced improvements over the previous year. In fiscal year 2016, the real estate transfer tax, a tax collected on transfers of real property, has experienced an increase of \$4,375,713 or 19.76% due to the positive change in the housing market over the last several years. The room tax, a tax associated with hotel lodging and deposited into the Bond Fund, experienced an increase of \$7,287,325 or 8.96% over the previous year. The real estate transfer tax, along with the property tax and room tax are the main components of repaying outstanding bond obligations. Although property taxes have shown improvement in recent years, the years during the recession had placed a strain on servicing future debt obligations and on future bonding capacity.
- In fiscal 2016, governmental services tax revenue increased \$7,077,678 or 8.81%. Governmental services taxes are
  collected when residents register their vehicles each year. This tax is based on the original Manufactures Suggested
  Retail Price (MSRP) set when the vehicle was new.
- Franchise tax revenue increased significantly by \$1,074,649 or 60.32% due to an overall increase in tax receipts this year that resulted primarily from higher net profits reported in 2016 by one of the public utilities, NV Energy.
- An increase in other local taxes of \$630,284 or 318.99% was due to an increase in the City of Henderson Redevelopment Agency activity.
- The District has also seen an increase in its unrestricted investment earnings as fund balance begins to rise and with it, a corresponding increase in coupon interest income. Overall investment earnings have increased \$2,756,035 or 68.64% from fiscal year 2015.

- This year charges for services revenue decreased by \$379,192 or 5.46% due to the decrease in tuition for extended day kindergarten as more Full-day Kindergarten funding was provided by the state.
- Due to new funding in state grants for Victory Schools, New Teacher Incentives, and Nevada Ready 21 from the Nevada Department of Education, revenues increased \$21,209,894 or 4.26% from the prior year for operating grants and contributions.
- Capital grants and contributions decreased \$1,004,547 or 26.17% compared to last fiscal year due to a slow-down in additional portables needed at Zoom Schools.

### Governmental Activities - Revenue Sources\*\*



<sup>\*\*</sup>Percentages in the chart above may not total to 100% due to rounding

### **Governmental Activities - Change in Revenues**

Revenues	2016	2015	Inc / (Dec) from 2015	% Inc / (Dec) from 2015
Charges for services Operating grants and contributions Capital grants and contributions Property taxes Local school support tax Governmental services tax Room tax Real estate transfer tax	\$ 6,570,208	\$ 6,949,400	\$ (379,192)	-5.46%
	519,270,295	498,060,401	21,209,894	4.26%
	2,833,763	3,838,310	(1,004,547)	-26.17%
	753,241,257	717,405,247	35,836,010	5.00%
	914,035,783	881,056,204	32,979,579	3.74%
	87,376,152	80,298,474	7,077,678	8.81%
	88,585,165	81,297,840	7,287,325	8.96%
	26,522,633	22,146,920	4,375,713	19.76%
Franchise tax Other local taxes Unrestricted federal aid Unrestricted state aid Other local sources Unrestricted investment earnings Contributions to term endowment Total revenues	2,856,294	1,781,645	1,074,649	60.32%
	827,875	197,590	630,285	318.99%
	157,399	340,659	(183,260)	-53.80%
	618,990,946	659,619,067	(40,628,121)	-6.16%
	22,228,873	18,779,550	3,449,323	18.37%
	6,771,186	4,015,151	2,756,035	68.64%
	31,250	21,719	9,531	43.88%
	\$ 3,050,299,079	\$ 2,975,808,177	\$ 74,490,902	2.50%

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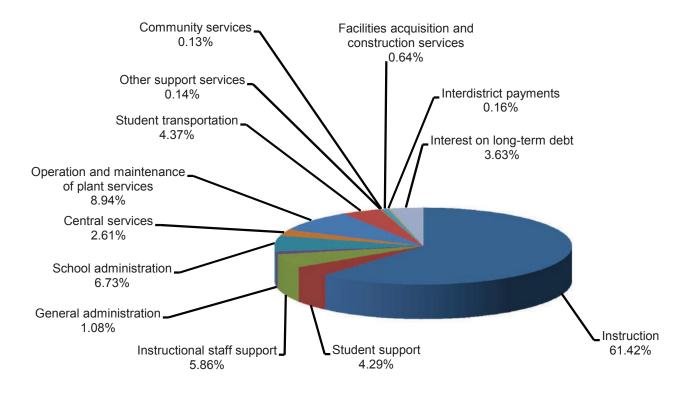


# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

### **Expenses**

- Instruction related expenses represent 61.42% of total governmental expenses. They consist of regular, special, gifted and talented, vocational, other instruction, and adult program expenses, with 94.09% of these dollars spent on regular and special education.
- Instruction related expenses reported an increase of \$47,420,772 or 2.75% from the previous fiscal year. Included in these expenses are enrollment growth related staffing positions of licensed personnel and teachers, English Language Learners (ELL) initiatives, and increases to the licensed personnel salary schedule.
- Operation and maintenance of plant services account for the next highest expenses comprising approximately 8.94% of total expenses. These expenses include utility and maintenance costs intended to provide upkeep for the District's schools and administrative facilities. The decrease of \$8,837,500 or 3.32% was due to fewer utilities being paid out of the General Fund. The Food Service Fund started assuming the cost for certain utilities (electricity and disposal services) for the food service buildings in fiscal year 2016.
- General administration expenses grew by \$5,612,883 or 22.04%. There was an increase in legal fees and property/liability insurance premiums in the current year.
- The school administration function includes an increase of \$1,682,164 or 0.88%. These are due to additional secretary and clerical staff needed for Victory schools and the PERS rate increase of 2.25% in 2016.
- Instructional staff support expenses increased this year by \$5,617,484 or 3.44% due to additional computer technicians
  needed for Phase 3 of the Technology Integration Support Model Project, and a need for additional extra duty licensed
  personnel for testing and assessments for the English Language Learner initiative.
- Due to the growing need for bus drivers to accommodate the student enrollment growth, student transportation expenses rose by \$1,431,739 or 1.15%.
- Facilities acquisition and construction services increased by \$11,355,266 or 160.18% as the District began to incur
  expenses with the building of the new schools set to open in the 2017-2018 school year, as well as continuing to make
  improvements to existing schools.
- Community services expenses grew by \$1,185,798 or 47.67%, as a result of new funding for Victory schools and additional family assistants and licensed facilitators at Family Engagement Centers for the Title I grant.
- Interdistrict payments increased by \$1,511,659 or 50.45% due to additional funding for underperforming charter schools and enrollment growth.
- Interest on long term debt decreased by \$18,980,113 or 15.38% due to a decrease of interest payments in the Debt Service Fund resulting from the issuance of three advance bond refundings.

# Governmental Activities – Expenses by Function



### Governmental Activities - Change in Expenses by Function

Expenses		2016		2015		Inc / (Dec) from 2015	% Inc / (Dec) from 2015
Instruction	\$	1,768,705,059	\$	1,721,284,287	\$	47,420,772	2.75%
Student support	,	123,547,179	·	120,371,299	·	3,175,880	2.64%
Instructional staff support		168,889,359		163,271,875		5,617,484	3.44%
General administration		31,075,034		25,462,151		5,612,883	22.04%
School administration		193,749,822		192,067,658		1,682,164	0.88%
Central services		75,245,559		78,312,962		(3,067,403)	-3.92%
Operation and maintenance of plant services		257,486,489		266,323,989		(8,837,500)	-3.32%
Student transportation		125,820,167		124,388,428		1,431,739	1.15%
Other support services		4,084,062		4,214,011		(129,949)	-3.08%
Community services		3,673,538		2,487,740		1,185,798	47.67%
Facilities acquisition and construction services		18,444,458		7,089,192		11,355,266	160.18%
Interdistrict payments		4,508,299		2,996,640		1,511,659	50.45%
Interest on long-term debt		104,392,993		123,373,106		(18,980,113)	-15.38%
Total expenses	\$	2,879,622,018	\$	2,831,643,338	\$	47,978,680	1.69%

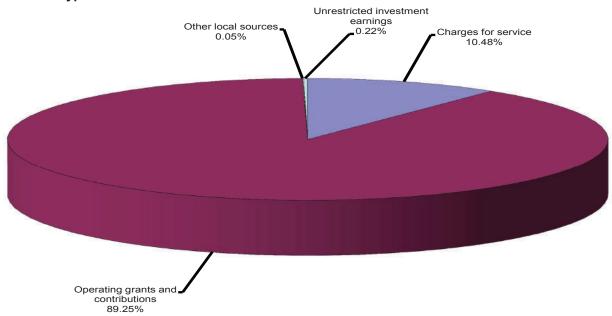


### Business-type Activities

Business-type activities consist solely of the District's Food Service Enterprise Fund. In the current fiscal year, this activity increased net position by \$9,593,314 which includes the effect of GASB Statement No. 68 that required the District to recognize our proportionate share of the Nevada PERS pension liability.

Food service student charges and federal subsidies, including contributions of commodity food products, account for almost 100% of the revenues received by business-type activities, with student charges representing approximately 10.48% and federal subsidies accounting for 89.25%. The majority of the expenses in business-type activities are for food purchases and personnel expenses, including salary and benefits, to maintain the District's food service program.

### **Business-type Activities - Revenue Sources**



### **Business-type Activities - Change in Revenues**

Revenues	2016	2015	Increase / (Decrease) from 2015	% Increase / (Decrease) from 2015
Charges for service	\$ 13,562,578	\$ 15,248,543	\$ (1,685,965)	-11.06%
Operating grants and contributions	115,528,972	102,805,262	12,723,710	12.38%
Other local sources	66,856	56,618	10,238	18.08%
Unrestricted investment earnings	289,572	 223,300	66,272	29.68%
Total Revenues	\$ 129,447,978	\$ 118,333,723	\$ 11,114,255	9.39%

Revenues generated from charges for services declined in fiscal year 2016, due to a drop in a la carte sales, from \$5 million to \$4.3 million. Federal proceeds increased in 2016 due to an additional 3.4 million breakfast meals served, resulting in an additional \$7.7 million in proceeds. With the signing into law of Senate Bill 503 on June 12, 2015, the Breakfast After the Bell program has made possible the increased access to breakfast so that students start the day well-nourished and ready to learn.

### ANALYSIS OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS

Governmental funds use fund accounting and follow the modified accrual basis of accounting which focuses on short-term sources and uses of spendable resources. Following is an analysis of individual fund balances and material transactions.

At the end of the current fiscal year, the District's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$781 million, an increase of \$328 million from last year. This is mainly due to the Bond Fund proceeds from the issue of building bonds in 2016. The General Fund reported higher revenue collections overall as a result of improvements in the local economy and increased expenditures fueled by a student enrollment growth of 2,427. Of the total governmental fund balance, \$4,792,828 is classified as nonspendable and \$704,957,132 as restricted. Committed fund balance totaled \$14,925,669 which included amounts for PBS programming fees and Medicaid programs. The assigned fund balance totaling \$18,913,023 is for various initiatives throughout the District including instructional supply appropriations, school bus appropriations, school carryover, and categorical indirect costs. Unassigned fund balance, for all governmental funds (which serves as a useful measure of the District's net resources as a whole) available for spending is \$37,483,441.

The main operating fund of the District is the General Fund. At the end of the current fiscal year, the total fund balance in the General Fund was \$71,835,199; nonspendable portion totaled \$4,792,828 and the restricted portion was \$10,645,907. The unassigned portion which represents spendable resources was \$37,483,441, representing 52.18% of the total fund balance or 1.75% of the general operating budget resources.

Although reported separately, the Special Education Fund is budgeted for in combination with the General Fund and together they represent the general operating budget of the District. Any deficiencies of revenues under expenditures in the Special Education Fund are compensated for through a transfer from the General Fund. The transfer from the General Fund to cover special education expenditures in fiscal year 2016 was \$323,882,982. This is an increase of 4.42% over 2015, as Special Education instruction costs increased due to the continued enrollment growth of students qualifying for special education services and the increase to the salary table for licensed personnel.

The District's Debt Service Fund reported an increase in fund balance by approximately \$16 million, from \$27 million in fiscal year 2015 to \$43 million in fiscal year 2016. This is a result of the increase in property tax revenue again this year and lower principal and interest payments due to District advance bond refundings.

The District's Bond Fund reported an increase in fund balance of \$346,563,397 due to the construction bonds authorized and issued in the amount of \$340 million and increases in the real estate transfer tax and room tax in 2016. The District received \$115 million in combined revenues from the room tax and real property transfer tax. These taxes are pledged to reduce specific general obligation debts as it comes due. Most of these pledged revenues are reported as a transfer out of the Bond Fund in the amount of \$99.7 million and are shown as transfer into the Debt Service Fund. See **Note 4.** 

The Federal Projects and State Grants Funds reported no fund balance as draws, recorded as receivables, are requested from the grantor to cover any outstanding expenditures at year-end. Additionally, any revenues that were drawn down and not yet spent are considered unearned until the next fiscal year.

Towards the end of the current fiscal year, the grant/fiscal accountability department requested draws to cover several expenditures mainly in its Title II, Full-day Kindergarten, Victory, Zoom, and IDEA grants, but did not receive the funding until after the end of the current fiscal year. As of June 30, 2016, the Federal Projects Fund and the State Grants Fund are reporting \$37 million and \$39 million receivables, respectively. Since these funds did not receive grant awards in time to cover the current expenditures, funding was provided by the General Fund. Liabilities are recorded in the Federal Projects Fund in the amount of \$24,037,517 and \$11,667,998 in the State Grants Fund to recognize the payable; corresponding receivables are recorded in the General Fund.

# **BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS**

The Original Budget was approved on May 20, 2015. Budgeted appropriations were developed with certain assumptions remaining unknown or not finalized, namely average daily enrollment and beginning fund balances. For this reason, the Original Budget was approved and submitted according to NRS 354.598 on or before June 8 to commence District operations for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2015, pending final resolution of various revenue assumptions as more complete estimates became available.



An amendment to the 2015-2016 Original Budget (Final Budget) was approved on December 10, 2015, following recognition of the first quarter average daily enrollment (ADE) providing a more precise 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> quarter projections and the audited June 30, 2015, ending fund balance. Total General Operating Fund resources decreased by \$2.9 million (0.13%) between adoption of the Original Budget in May 2015 and the Final Budget in December 2015.

The Final Budget reflects the District's best estimates and includes all transfers, additions, and deletions that have been approved through June 30, 2016, and more accurately denote total appropriation activity throughout the year.

Nevada Revised Statutes and District regulations require that school districts legally adopt budgets for all funds. Budgets are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Budgeted amounts reflected in the accompanying financial statements recognize amendments and transfers made during the year. The Final Budget is prepared by fund, program, and function. All appropriations lapse at year-end and certain allowable encumbrances will carry over and be appropriated in 2016-2017.

There were numerous variances between the original and final budgets in the General Operating Fund attributable largely to changes in educational priorities between adoption of the original and final budgets. Primarily due to Senate Bill 508 (SB 508), student enrollment count changed to the average daily enrollment reported quarterly. This change caused a decrease in projected unweighted enrollment of 2,221 students which necessitated reduced appropriations for support of instructional based services.

### Revenues

Total General Operating Fund actual revenues came in slightly above budget by \$0.1 million. Of this amount, total local sources were \$19.0 million below plan. This was comprised of increases in ad valorem property taxes of \$5.8 million and other local sources of \$4.6 million offset by a deficit in local school support taxes (LSST) of \$29.9 million. Local sources of revenue in turn were offset with a \$19.1 million increase in state related revenue as part of the state educational aid guaranteed through a funding mechanism known as the Nevada Plan. Shortfalls in federal sources and proceeds from insurance comprise the remaining balance.

# **Expenditures**

Overall General Operating Fund expenditures came in below budget by \$21.8 million which was a result of savings in utilities and supplies of \$8.8 million (primarily natural gas, diesel fuel, and textbooks); salaries and benefits of \$9.9 million; and \$3.1 million in other expenditures. The savings in salaries and benefits is due to the nationwide teacher shortage, as the District continued to struggle filling all licensed classroom positions. Since negotiations with the teachers' union were ongoing during the budget process, a new collective bargaining agreement had not been ratified. Since the approval of the Final Budget, the District has reached an agreement which eliminates the salary and benefits savings in the subsequent fiscal year.

# Ending Fund Balance

The Board of School Trustees (the Board) adopted the Final Budget for 2015-2016 of the General Operating Fund in December 2015 that reflected total resources of \$2,282,000,000, including a projected ending fund balance of \$50.7 million. The actual fiscal year 2016 ending fund balance was \$71.8 million, a positive variance of \$21.1 million to the plan. Of this \$71.8 million ending fund balance: \$4.8 million is for nonspendable inventories; \$1.1 million is restricted for donations and the City of Henderson RDA, \$6.2 million is restricted for school technology, \$3.2 million is restricted for school bus appropriations; \$2.9 million is assigned to instructional supply appropriations, \$0.7 million is assigned to school bus appropriations, \$14.1 million is assigned to school carryover, and \$1.2 million is assigned to categorical indirect costs. The remaining balance of \$37.5 million is unassigned and reflects a \$5.8 million increase from 2015. Board Regulation 3110 requires that the unassigned fund balance be no less than 2.0% of total revenues. Since total actual revenues were \$2.1 billion, the unassigned fund balance of 1.75% required the Board to approve a regulation waiver. The Board approved this waiver on May 20, 2015. Regulation compliance would require another \$5.4 million to have been budgeted.

### CAPITAL ASSETS AND LONG-TERM DEBT

### Capital Assets

At June 30, 2016, the District held approximately \$4.2 billion invested in a broad range of capital assets, net of depreciation, including land and improvements, buildings and improvements, and equipment. This amount represents a net decrease (including additions, disposals, and depreciation) of \$128 million or 2.93% from last year. The following tables reflect

additions and disposals of capital assets for governmental and business-type activities:

# **Governmental Activities Capital Assets:**

	Balance June 30, 2015	Additions	Disposals	Balance June 30, 2016
Land	\$ 265,261,985	\$ 351,215	\$ -	\$ 265,613,200
Land Improvements	1,280,717,741	3,504,527	-	1,284,222,268
Buildings	4,310,251,006	16,878,511	(1,041,456)	4,326,088,061
Building Improvements	905,920,883	11,794,724	-	917,715,607
Equipment	558,221,662	42,656,817	(13,653,122)	587,225,357
Construction in Progress	29,739,520	76,499,519	(39,732,768)	66,506,271
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	(2,981,967,080)	(239,601,968)	14,489,952	(3,207,079,096)
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 4,368,145,717	\$ (87,916,655)	\$ (39,937,394)	\$4,240,291,668

The majority of the decrease in capital assets is due to the increase in depreciation expense. In fiscal year 2016, the District did not open any new schools. Additions to land, buildings, and building improvements include expansions and renovations to existing District facilities. Construction in progress includes school renovations, improvements, expansions to existing schools, and work performed to completely replace some older existing schools.

# **Business-type Activities Capital Assets:**

	Balance June 30, 2015			Additions	Disposals	Ju	Balance ine 30, 2016
Land Improvements	\$	968,279	\$	-	\$ -	\$	968,279
Buildings		1,737,413		-	-		1,737,413
Building Improvements		597,956		-	-		597,956
Equipment		21,443,019		713,490	(237,548)		21,918,961
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		(12,044,899)		(1,528,177)	 235,588		(13,337,488)
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$	12,701,768	\$	(814,687)	\$ (1,960)	\$	11,885,121

Additional information on the District's capital assets can be found in note 5 on pages 58-59 of this report.

### Long-term Debt

The District finalized one of the largest school construction programs in the United States, funded through the issuance of municipal bonds. Before bonds can be sold, the District provides information to various bond raters to obtain bond ratings for the proposed issue. Much of the information is focused on the financial stability of the District and how it responds to various financial situations. As the local economy has improved in Clark County, the District now has the following ratings with Standard and Poor (AA-) and Moody's Investor Services (A1) all with a stable outlook rating at year end.

As of June 30, 2016 the District carried approximately \$2.8 billion in debt. The District has recently issued general obligation bonds to finance various projects including, but not limited to, constructing or purchasing new buildings, enlarging, remodeling or repairing existing buildings or grounds, acquiring sites for new buildings, and purchase necessary furniture and equipment for schools including equipment used for student transportation. The following table summarizes long-term debt activity over the past fiscal year (see following page):



# **Long-term Debt Obligations:**

	Balance June 30, 2015	Issuances	Retirements	Balance June 30, 2016
Governmental Activities:				
General Obligation Debt	\$ 2,548,890,000	\$ 848,725,000	\$ (806,810,000)	\$ 2,590,805,000
Less: Discounts	(5,779,856)	-	656,151	(5,123,705)
Plus: Premiums	168,649,237	150,984,070	(58,783,674)	260,849,633
General Obligation Debt, Net	\$ 2,711,759,381	\$ 999,709,070	\$ (864,937,523)	\$ 2,846,530,928

Per Nevada Revised Statute Chapter 387.400, the debt limitation for the District is equal to 15% of the assessed valuation of property, excluding motor vehicles. The debt limitation currently applicable at June 30, 2016 is \$10,658,287,985. It is expected that future increases in assessed valuation and the retirement of bonds will result, at all times, in a statutory debt limitation in excess of outstanding debt, subject to changes in assumptions, costs and revenues.

The District's liability for compensated absences decreased this year with combined governmental and business-type activities reporting \$59,385,629 in compensated absences payable at June 30, 2016. This represents a 0.93% decrease over the previous year.

Additional information on the District's long-term debt can be found in notes 8 and 10 on pages 61-64 of this report.

### REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide its users with a general overview of the Clark County School District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the revenues it receives. Additional information and an electronic copy of this report may be found at the District's web site, <a href="https://www.ccsd.net">www.ccsd.net</a>. Any further questions, comments or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to:

Clark County School District Accounting Department 5100 W. Sahara Avenue Las Vegas, NV 89146

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# **Basic Financial Statements**





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CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2016

	 Activities		Activities		Total
ASSETS			_		
Pooled cash and investments	\$ 845,037,908	\$	46,294,962	\$	891,332,870
Accounts receivable	373,849,300		17,603,145		391,452,445
Interest receivable	1,315,127		-		1,315,127
Inventories	4,792,828		8,941,121		13,733,949
Prepaids	2,394,276		-		2,394,276
Prepaid bond insurance premium costs	1,005,265		-		1,005,265
Capital assets - not being depreciated	332,119,471		-		332,119,471
Capital assets - net of accumulated depreciation	 3,908,172,197	_	11,885,121		3,920,057,318
Total assets	 5,468,686,372	_	84,724,349	_	5,553,410,721
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Deferred loss on refundings	19,896,584		-		19,896,584
Pension related - contributions	411,958,319		5,984,149		417,942,468
Pension related - difference between employer and proportionate					
share of contributions	 59,888,896	_	810,688		60,699,584
Total deferred outflows of resources	 491,743,799	_	6,794,837		498,538,636
TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS					
OF RESOURCES	 5,960,430,171	_	91,519,186		6,051,949,357
LIABILITIES					
Accounts payable	87,742,418		635,190		88,377,608
Accrued salaries and benefits	273,786,755		892,939		274,679,694
Unearned revenues	10,744,338		1,163,596		11,907,934
Interest payable	5,147,707		-		5,147,707
Construction contracts and retention payable	7,232,381		-		7,232,381
Liability insurance claims payable	5,401,000		-		5,401,000
Workers' compensation claims payable	7,694,000		-		7,694,000
Other current liabilities	6,586,654		-		6,586,654
Long term liabilities:					
Portion due or payable within one year:					
General obligation bonds payable	293,180,000				293,180,000
Compensated absences payable	25,360,911		154,966		25,515,877
Portion due or payable after one year:					
General obligation bonds payable	2,553,350,928		-		2,553,350,928
Compensated absences payable	32,991,139		878,613		33,869,752
OPEB obligation	38,165,620		40.040.050		38,165,620
Net pension liability	2,753,996,662		40,016,859		2,794,013,521 16,858,979
Long term claims payable	 16,858,979	_			
Total Liabilities	 6,118,239,492	_	43,742,163		6,161,981,655
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Pension related - difference between projected and actual experiences and investment earnings	355,730,627		5,769,862		361,500,489
•	000,100,021	_	0,: 00,002		331,000,100
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	6,473,970,119		49,512,025		6,523,482,144
NET POSITION	, , ,		, ,		, ,
Net investment in capital assets	1,810,729,482		11,885,121		1,822,614,603
Restricted for:	200 222 027				200 222 027
Debt service	209,223,837		-		209,223,837
Capital projects	84,397,020 23,595,382		-		84,397,020 23,595,382
Other purposes	(2,641,485,669)		30,122,040		(2,611,363,629)
Unrestricted			JU 1// U4()		12.011.303.0291
Unrestricted	 (2,041,400,000)	_	00,:22,0:0		( )-



CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

		Program Revenues					
Functions / Programs	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions				
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES							
Instruction:							
Regular instruction	\$ (1,343,522,004)	\$ 3,417,108	\$ 305,980,779				
Special instruction	(320,630,236)	-	131,040,032				
Gifted and talented instruction	(11,807,328)	_	2,708,198				
Vocational instruction	(26,267,105)	_	9,237,360				
Other instruction	(60,563,479)	1,141,206	25,163,824				
Adult instruction	(5,914,907)		6,727,473				
Total instruction	(1,768,705,059)	4,558,314	480,857,666				
Support services:							
Student support	(123,547,179)	_	2,522,883				
Instructional staff support	(168,889,359)	1,747,233	25,186,974				
General administration	(31,075,034)	-	-				
School administration	(193,749,822)	-	_				
Central services	(75,245,559)	24,941	4,554,260				
Operation and maintenance of plant services	(257,486,489)	· -	490,766				
Student transportation	(125,820,167)	239,720	1,448				
Other support services	(4,084,062)	-	· -				
Community services	(3,673,538)	-	-				
Facilities acquisition and construction services <sup>1</sup>	(18,444,458)	-	_				
Interdistrict payments	(4,508,299)	-	_				
Interest on long-term debt	(104,392,993)		5,656,298				
Total support services	(1,110,916,959)	2,011,894	38,412,629				
TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	(2,879,622,018)	6,570,208	519,270,295				
BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES							
Food service	(119,854,664)	13,562,578	115,528,972				
TOTAL SCHOOL DISTRICT	\$ (2,999,476,682)	\$ 20,132,786	\$ 634,799,267				
	General revenues: Property taxes, levi Property taxes, levi Local school suppo Governmental servi	rt taxes					

Governmental services tax

Room tax

Real estate transfer tax

Two percent franchise tax

Other local taxes

Federal aid not restricted to specific purposes

State aid not restricted to specific purposes

Other local sources

Unrestricted investment earnings

Contributions to term endowment

Change in net position

Total general revenues and contributions to term endowment

Net position - July 1

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this

statement.

Net position - July 1

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This amount represents expenses incurred in connection with activities related to capital projects that are not otherwise capitalized and included as part of capital assets.

Net (Expenses) Reve	nues
and Changes in Net Po	sition

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Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
-	\$ (1,034,124,117)	\$ -	\$ (1,034,124,117)
-	(189,590,204)	-	(189,590,204)
-	(9,099,130)	-	(9,099,130)
-	(17,029,745) (34,258,449)	-	(17,029,745) (34,258,449)
27,565	840,131		840,131
27,565	(1,283,261,514)		(1,283,261,514)
-	(121,024,296)	-	(121,024,296)
-	(141,955,152)	-	(141,955,152)
-	(31,075,034)	-	(31,075,034)
-	(193,749,822)	-	(193,749,822)
- 5 500	(70,666,358)	-	(70,666,358)
5,500	(256,990,223) (125,578,999)	-	(256,990,223) (125,578,999)
-	(4,084,062)		(4,084,062)
-	(3,673,538)	_	(3,673,538)
2,800,698	(15,643,760)	-	(15,643,760)
-	(4,508,299)	-	(4,508,299)
	(98,736,695)		(98,736,695)
2,806,198	(1,067,686,238)		(1,067,686,238)
2,833,763	(2,350,947,752)		(2,350,947,752)
		9,236,886	9,236,886
2,833,763	\$ (2,350,947,752)	\$ 9,236,886	\$ (2,341,710,866)
	430,192,398	-	430,192,398
	323,048,859	-	323,048,859
	914,035,783	-	914,035,783
	87,376,152	-	87,376,152
	88,585,165	-	88,585,165 26,522,633
	26,522,633 2,856,294	-	2,856,294
	827,875		827,875
	157,399	_	157,399
	618,990,946	-	618,990,946
	22,228,873	66,856	22,295,729
	6,771,186	289,572	7,060,758
	31,250		31,250
	2,521,624,813	356,428	2,521,981,241
	170,677,061	9,593,314	180,270,375
	(684,217,009) \$ (513,539,948)	32,413,847 \$ 42,007,161	(651,803,162) \$ (471,532,787)



CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

		MA		
		General Fund	E	Special ducation Fund
ASSETS Pooled cash and investments Accounts receivable Interest receivable Due from other funds Inventories	\$	43,113,646 261,285,680 346,764 35,705,515 4,792,828	\$	47,304,933 19,788 - -
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	345,244,433	\$	47,324,721
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES				
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable Intergovernmental accounts payable Accrued salaries and benefits Unearned revenue Construction contracts and retentions payable Due to other funds Other current liabilities	\$	74,323,930 - 176,573,487 960,839 - - 6,586,654	\$	518,339 - 46,806,382 - - - -
Total liabilities		258,444,910		47,324,721
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Unavailable revenue - delinquent property taxes Unavailable revenue - other		6,604,519 8,359,805		- -
Total deferred inflows of resources		14,964,324		
FUND BALANCES				
Nonspendable: Inventories Restricted for: Donations City of Henderson RDA School technology School bus appropriations Debt service reserve requirement per NRS 350.020 Debt service Capital projects Capital improvements Term endowment Adult educational programs Committed to:		4,792,828  277,758  827,875 6,260,281 3,279,993		-
PBS programming fees Medicaid programs Assigned to: Instructional supply appropriations School bus appropriations School carryover Categorical indirect costs Unassigned: Total fund balances		2,857,836 715,897 14,139,290 1,200,000 37,483,441 71,835,199		- - - - - -
	<u> </u>		\$	47,324,721
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES  The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.	\$	345,244,433	\$	41,324,121

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FUNDS							
Debt Service Fund		Bond Fund		Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmenta Funds		
\$ 40,356,808 7,906,464 162,963	\$	571,892,243 20,376,393 764,547 -	\$	104,261,466 84,046,155 - -	\$	806,929,096 373,634,480 1,274,274 35,705,515 4,792,828	
\$ 48,426,235	\$	593,033,183	\$	188,307,621	\$	1,222,336,193	
\$ - -	\$	7,085,702	\$	4,933,671 526,720	\$	86,861,642 526,720	
- - - -		143,889 - 5,110,127 - -		50,119,017 9,783,499 2,122,255 35,705,515		273,642,775 10,744,338 7,232,382 35,705,515 6,586,654	
		12,339,718		103,190,677		421,300,026	
 4,999,750		- -		-		11,604,269 8,359,805	
4,999,750			_			19,964,074	
-		-		-		4,792,828	
- - -		- - -		- - -		277,758 827,875 6,260,281	
43,426,485 - - - - -		61,001,210 104,796,142 414,896,113		65,567,800 1,747,600 2,875,875		3,279,993 104,427,695 104,796,142 414,896,113 65,567,800 1,747,600 2,875,875	
		-		601,739 14,323,930		601,739 14,323,930	
- - - -		- - - -	_	- - - -		2,857,836 715,897 14,139,290 1,200,000 37,483,441	
43,426,485		580,693,465	_	85,116,944	_	781,072,093	
\$ 48,426,235	\$	593,033,183	\$	188,307,621	\$	1,222,336,193	



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CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2016

### Total fund balances - governmental funds \$ 781,072,093

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

Capital assets net of the related depreciation are not reported in the Governmental Funds financial statements because they are not current financial resources, but they are reported in the statement of net position.

4,239,937,897

Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore are unavailable in the funds.

19,964,074

Certain liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and deferred outflows of resources (such as bonds payable and capital leases payable) are not reported in the Governmental Funds financial statements because they are not due and payable in the current period, but they are presented as liabilities or deferred inflows of resources in the statement of net position.

(2,926,919,899)

Assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources of the District's Insurance and Risk Management Internal Service Fund and the Graphic Arts Internal Service Fund are not reported in the Governmental Funds financial statements because they are presented on a different accounting basis, but they are presented as assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources in the statement of net position.

3,304,675

Some liabilities, including net pension obligations are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.

(2,746,792,210)

Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.

Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions

470,620,325

Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions

(354,726,903)

# Total net position - governmental activities

\$ (513,539,948)



CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	MA	JOR
DEVENUES	General Fund	Special Education Fund
REVENUES		
Local sources State sources Federal sources	\$ 1,441,168,816 618,990,946 157,399	\$ 2,635 81,591,133 
TOTAL REVENUES	2,060,317,161	81,593,768
EXPENDITURES		
Current: Instruction: Regular instruction Special instruction Gifted and talented instruction Vocational instruction Other instruction Adult instruction Support services: Student support Instructional staff support General administration School administration Central services Operation and maintenance of plant services Student transportation Other support services Community services Interdistrict payments Capital outlay: Facilities acquisition and construction services Debt service: Principal Interest Purchased services Bond issuance costs	943,706,071 1,312,070 9,712,396 5,410,343 24,291,072 - 85,091,085 104,164,060 30,257,446 199,416,806 57,589,651 262,342,578 80,842,722 - - - 377	313,887,744 9,077 - - 22,360,089 4,212,667 858,132 210,088 572,912 133,219 61,891,497 - 1,341,325
TOTAL EXPENDITURES  EVCESS (DESICIENCY) OF DEVENIUES OVED (LINDER) EXPENDITURES	1,804,136,677	405,476,750
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES  OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out General obligation bonds issued Premiums on general obligation bonds General obligation refunding bonds issued Payment to refunded bond escrow agent	256,180,484 - (329,700,035) 33,470,000 6,260,281 - -	(323,882,982) 323,882,982 - - - -
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(289,969,754)	323,882,982
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(33,789,270)	-
FUND BALANCES, JULY 1	105,624,469	
FUND BALANCES, JUNE 30	\$ 71,835,199	\$ -

FU	NDS						
 Debt Service Fund	Bond Fund		G	Other overnmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
\$ 324,560,516	\$	118,739,240	\$	35,847,667	\$	1,920,318,874	
-		5,656,298		258,242,198 163,180,696		958,824,277 168,994,393	
_							
 324,560,516	-	124,395,538		457,270,561	_	3,048,137,544	
-		708,033		250,697,931		1,195,112,035	
-		-		15,607,423		330,807,237	
-		-		2,488,189		12,209,662	
-		-		7,409,274		12,819,617	
-		-		38,344,723		62,635,795	
-		-		6,007,553		6,007,553	
-		-		19,550,404		127,001,578	
-		-		62,897,854		171,274,581	
-		-		148,624		31,264,202	
-		-		551,793		200,178,687	
-		2,907,291		16,790,625		77,860,479	
-		-		1,538,342		264,014,139	
-		-		1,207,560		143,941,779	
-		-		3,746,489		3,746,489	
_		-		3,795,387		3,795,387	
-		-		3,162,537		4,503,862	
-		53,963,924		30,426,543		84,390,844	
276,190,000		-		-		276,190,000	
132,195,695		-		-		132,195,695	
124,823		-		-		124,823	
 2,991,744						2,991,744	
 411,502,262		57,579,248		464,371,251		3,143,066,188	
 (86,941,746)		66,816,290		(7,100,690)		(94,928,644)	
00 700 903				E 047 0E2		420,400,020	
99,700,893		(00 700 903)		5,817,053		429,400,928	
-		(99,700,893)		-		(429,400,928)	
105 275 700		340,000,000		-		373,470,000 150,984,069	
105,275,788		39,448,000		-		475,255,000	
475,255,000 (576,702,316)		-		-		(576,702,316)	
 (370,702,310)						(370,702,310)	
 103,529,365		279,747,107		5,817,053		423,006,753	
16,587,619		346,563,397		(1,283,637)		328,078,109	
 26,838,866		234,130,068		86,400,581		452,993,984	
\$ 43,426,485	\$	580,693,465	\$	85,116,944	\$	781,072,093	



RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### Net change in fund balances - governmental funds

\$ 328,078,109

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

Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, for governmental activities those costs are shown in the statement of net position and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expenses in the statement of activities.

(127.557.866)

Revenues that are collected in time to pay obligations of the current period are reported as revenue in the fund statements. However, amounts that relate to prior periods that first become available in the current period should not be reported as revenue in the statement of activities.

2,118,883

The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds, leases) 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 debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items.

(151,512,684)

The net revenues of the District's Insurance and Risk Management Internal Service Fund and the Graphic Arts Internal Service Fund are not reported in this fund financial statement because they are presented on a different accounting basis (in the proprietary fund financial statements), but they are presented in the statement of activities.

(2,530,088)

Generally expenditures recognized in the fund financial statements are limited to only those that use current financial resources but expenses are recognized in the statement of activities when incurred.

26,743,685

Gains, losses, and capital donations are not presented in this financial statement because they do not provide or use current financial resources, but they are presented in the statement of activities.

(200,536)

Governmental funds report District pension contributions as expenditures. However in the Statement of Activities, the cost of pension benefits earned net of employee contributions is reported as pension expense.

95,537,558

### Change in net position of governmental activities

170,677,061

	BUDGETED AMOUNTS			VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)	
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Original to Final Budget	Final Budget to Actual
REVENUES	Buuget	Buuget	Actual	Tillal Budget	to Actual
Local sources:					
Local school support tax	\$ 897,700,000	\$ 943,920,000	\$ 914,035,783	\$ 46,220,000	\$ (29,884,217)
Property taxes	435,000,000	425,000,000	430,830,444	(10,000,000)	5,830,444
Governmental services tax	56,785,000	59,150,000	59,507,639	2,365,000	357,639
Two percent franchise tax	3,000,000	3,000,000	2,856,294	<del>.</del>	(143,706)
E-rate reimbursements	3,000,000	4,000,000	2,965,561	1,000,000	(1,034,439)
Local government taxes	1,300,000	1,300,000	2,266,355	-	966,355
Tuition and summer school fees	7,755,000	4,995,000	5,310,723	(2,760,000)	315,723
Adult education	100,000	100,000	100,000	-	-
Athletic proceeds	1,200,000	1,200,000	1,234,544	-	34,544
Rental of facilities	2,300,000	2,300,000	1,600,885	-	(699,115)
Donations and grants	5,950,000	5,550,000	6,012,738	(400,000)	462,738
Other local sources	12,051,000	8,435,000	13,021,768	(3,616,000)	4,586,768
Investment income	1,485,000	1,255,000	1,426,082	(230,000)	171,082
Total local sources	1,427,626,000	1,460,205,000	1,441,168,816	32,579,000	(19,036,184)
State sources:			0.40.000.040	(00.010.000)	00.470.040
State distributive fund	660,880,000	598,840,000	618,990,946	(62,040,000)	20,150,946
State special appropriations	45,000	1,045,000		1,000,000	(1,045,000)
Total state sources	660,925,000	599,885,000	618,990,946	(61,040,000)	19,105,946
Federal sources:					
Federal impact aid	200,000	200,000	71,349	-	(128,651)
Forest reserve	100,000	100,000	86,050		(13,950)
Total federal sources	300,000	300,000	157,399		(142,601)
Other sources:					
Proceeds from insurance	100,000	50,000		(50,000)	(50,000)
TOTAL REVENUES	2,088,951,000	2,060,440,000	2,060,317,161	(28,511,000)	(122,839)
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
REGULAR PROGRAMS					
Instruction:					
Salaries	639,299,302	641,219,256	640,417,160	1,919,954	802,096
Benefits	258,932,114	254,999,885	254,693,089	(3,932,229)	306,796
Purchased services	5,174,407	8,857,949	9,415,317	3,683,542	(557,368)
Supplies	53,380,457	38,000,959	37,968,964	(15,379,498)	31,995
Property	3,650,000	697,480	556,347	(2,952,520)	141,133
Other	5,018,500	664,638	655,194	(4,353,862)	9,444
Total instruction	965,454,780	944,440,167	943,706,071	(21,014,613)	734,096
Support services:					
Student transportation:	004.000	4 400 000	4 404 507	4 440 000	04.004
Purchased services	384,000	1,496,308	1,431,507	1,112,308	64,801
Supplies Other	-	6,015	4,406	6,015	1,609
Outer		1,000	690_	1,000	310

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	BUDGETE	D AMOUNTS		VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)		
	Original	Final		Original to	Final Budget	
EXPENDITURES - Continued	Budget	Budget	<u>Actual</u>	Final Budget	to Actual	
Total student transportation	\$ 384,000	\$ 1,503,323	\$ 1,436,603	\$ 1,119,323	\$ 66,720	
Other support services:						
Salaries	26,004,656	24,952,582	23,596,433	(1,052,074)	1,356,149	
Benefits	10,746,721	10,389,177	9,821,007	(357,544)	568,170	
Purchased services	338,700	461,756	825,516	123,056	(363,760)	
Supplies	2,877,275	3,211,793	1,793,475	334,518	1,418,318	
Other	55,500	58,371	78,774	2,871	(20,403)	
Total other support services	40,022,852	39,073,679	36,115,205	(949,173)	2,958,474	
Total support services	40,406,852	40,577,002	37,551,808	170,150	3,025,194	
TOTAL REGULAR PROGRAMS	1,005,861,632	985,017,169	981,257,879	(20,844,463)	3,759,290	
SPECIAL PROGRAMS						
Instruction:	054.004	000 044	005.407	00.050	(004.040)	
Salaries	654,291 258,736	683,244	885,187	28,953	(201,943)	
Benefits Purchased services	26,500	271,291 26,500	380,224 7,896	12,555	(108,933) 18,604	
Supplies	50,000	331,722	37,458	281,722	294,264	
Other		1,500	1,305	1,500	195	
Total instruction	989,527	1,314,257	1,312,070	324,730	2,187	
Other support services:						
Salaries	-	9,000	21,495	9,000	(12,495)	
Benefits	-	1,000	1,066	1,000	(66)	
Purchased services	-	83,651	91,839	83,651	(8,188)	
Supplies	65,000	303,514	131,271	238,514	172,243	
Total support services	65,000	397,165	245,671	332,165	151,494	
TOTAL SPECIAL PROGRAMS	1,054,527	1,711,422	1,557,741	656,895	153,681	
GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAMS Instruction:						
Salaries	9,005,160	7,127,883	6,916,686	(1,877,277)	211,197	
Benefits	3,615,197	3,111,698	2,795,710	(503,499)	315,988	
Total instruction	12,620,357	10,239,581	9,712,396	(2,380,776)	527,185	
Other support services:						
Salaries	232,296	227,700	171,610	(4,596)	56,090	
Benefits	57,383	55,994	46,151	(1,389)	9,843	
Purchased services	11,000	11,000	407	-	10,593	
Supplies	19,000	19,000	18,316		684	
Total support services	319,679	313,694	236,484	(5,985)	77,210	
TOTAL GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAMS	12,940,036	10,553,275	9,948,880	(2,386,761)	604,395	
VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS						
Instruction:						
Salaries	3,784,053	2,379,634	2,269,634	(1,404,419)	110,000	
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EXPENDITURES - Continued   Surger		BUDGETED AMOUNTS			VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)	
Budget   Budget   Actual   Final Budget   Mactual						
Benefits   \$1,491,347   \$707,866   \$510,489   \$783,481   \$197,377     Purchased services   91,565   212,239   393,463   120,674   (181,224)     Supplies   290,000   290,000   1,801,33   1,630,554   1,028,821     Property   290,000   290,000   276,624   360   (276,264)     Total instruction   7,015,365   6,579,653   5,410,343   (436,312)   1,168,710     Support services   Support services   Support services   3,000   56,415   30,833   53,415   25,582     Citer support services   233,104   633,104   650,098   46,509     Purchased services   242,799   248,782   242,244   360   16,508     Purchased services   242,799   267,621   262,964   24,822   4,657     Supplies   76,135   110,062   117,119   33,947   (7,377     Citer   19,000   89,000   65,768   70,000   3,234     Total other support services   1,229,430   1,358,559   1,358,191   129,129   368     Total other support services   1,232,430   1,414,074   1,389,024   182,544   25,950     CITAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS   8,247,795   7,994,027   6,799,367   (253,768)   1,194,660     CITAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS   3,243,2430   3,443,34   1,665,681   3,000   3,119     Supplies   3,238,500   3,443,34   1,665,681   3,000   3,119     Purchased services   1,939,570   1,807,234   1,695,860   (132,336)   111,374     Cital instruction   9,526,423   9,900,566   8,095,275   374,143   1,805,291     Support services:   3,468,88   3,11,771   3,55,486   24,687   1,764,877   1,758,477   1,75		•		Actual	-	•
Purchased services	EXPENDITURES - Continued					
Supplies	Benefits	\$ 1,491,347	\$ 707,866	\$ 510,489	\$ (783,481)	\$ 197,377
Property	Purchased services			393,463	120,674	(181,224)
Other         -         360         276,624         360         276,264           Total instruction         7,015,365         6,579,053         5,410,343         (436,312)         1,168,710           Support services:         Student transportation:         Purchased services         3,000         56,415         30,833         53,415         25,582           Other support services:         833,104         633,104         650,098         -         (16,994)           Salaries         633,104         633,104         650,098         -         (16,094)           Purchased services         226,892         288,752         242,244         360         16,008           Purchased services         76,135         110,082         117,119         33,947         (7,037)           Other         19,000         89,000         85,766         70,000         3,234           Total other support services         1,229,430         1,358,559         1,358,191         129,129         368           Total other support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,399,024         182,544         25,950           TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS         5,400         2,948,979         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660 </td <td>Supplies</td> <td>1,358,400</td> <td>2,988,954</td> <td>1,960,133</td> <td>1,630,554</td> <td>1,028,821</td>	Supplies	1,358,400	2,988,954	1,960,133	1,630,554	1,028,821
Support services:   Support services:   Support services:   Student transportation:   Purchased services   3,000   56.415   30.833   53.415   25.582	Property	290,000	290,000	-	-	290,000
Support services:   Student transportation:   Purclased services   3,000   56,415   30,833   53,415   25,582	Other		360	276,624	360	(276,264)
Sudent transportation:	Total instruction	7,015,365	6,579,053	5,410,343	(436,312)	1,168,710
Sudent transportation:	Support services:					
Other support services:         633,104         633,104         650,098         - (16,994)           Benefits         258,392         258,752         242,244         360         16,508           Purchased services         242,799         267,621         262,964         24,822         4,667           Supplies         76,135         110,082         117,119         33,947         (7,037)           Other         19,000         89,000         86,766         70,000         3,234           Total other support services         1,229,430         1,358,559         1,358,191         129,129         368           Total support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,389,024         182,544         25,950           TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS           School co-curricular activities:         1         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,581         61,961         1,859         269,530           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,958,97         3,712,160         200,897         (757,2						
Salaries         633,104         630,098         - (16,994)           Benefits         258,392         258,752         242,244         360         16,508           Purchased services         242,799         267,621         262,964         24,822         4,657           Supplies         76,135         110,082         117,119         33,947         (7,037)           Other         19,000         89,000         85,766         70,000         3,234           Total other support services         1,229,430         1,358,559         1,358,191         129,129         368           Total support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,389,024         182,544         25,950           TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS           School co-curricular activities: Instruction:           Instruction:           Salaries         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,581         651,951         1,859         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         200,897         (757,283)           Supplies         3,238,500         3,000 <t< td=""><td>Purchased services</td><td>3,000</td><td>56,415</td><td>30,833</td><td>53,415</td><td>25,582</td></t<>	Purchased services	3,000	56,415	30,833	53,415	25,582
Benefits         258,392         258,752         242,244         360         16,508           Purchased services         242,799         267,621         262,964         24,822         4,657           Supplies         76,135         110,082         117,119         33,947         (7,037)           Other         19,000         89,000         85,766         70,000         3,234           Total other support services         1,229,430         1,358,559         1,358,191         129,129         368           Total support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,389,024         182,544         25,950           TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS           School co-curricular activities:           Instruction:           Salaries         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,581         651,951         1,599         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         20,897         (757,263)           Suppines         3,238,500         3,414,354         1,867,477         175,854         1,546,877         175,854         1,546,877	Other support services:					
Purchased services   24,799   267,621   26,2964   24,822   4,657   Supplies   76,135   110,082   117,119   33,947   (7,037)	Salaries	633,104	633,104	650,098	-	(16,994)
Supplies Other         76,135   110,082   117,119   33,947   (7,037)         (7,037)           Other         19,000   89,000   85,766   70,000   3,234           Total other support services         1,229,430   1,358,659   1,358,191   129,129   368           Total support services         1,232,430   1,414,974   1,389,024   182,544   25,950           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795   7,994,027   6,799,367   (253,768)   1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795   7,994,027   6,799,367   (253,768)   1,194,660           School co-curricular activities:         8           Instruction:         8           Salaries         2,468,116   2,428,979   1,665,681   (39,137)   763,298           Benefits         919,722   921,581   651,951   1,659   269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000   2,954,897   3,712,160   200,897   (757,263)           Supplies         3,238,500   3,414,354   1,867,477   175,854   1,546,877           Property         - 30,000   26,881   30,000   3,118   (10,90)           Other         146,085   150,755   171,125   4,670   (20,370)           Total instruction         9,526,423   9,900,566   8,095,275   374,143   1,805,291   (20,370)           Support services:         Student transportation:           Purchased services         1,939,570   1,807,234   1,695,860   (132,336)   111,374           Other support services:	Benefits	258,392	258,752	242,244	360	16,508
Other         19,000         89,000         85,766         70,000         3,234           Total other support services         1,229,430         1,358,559         1,358,191         129,129         368           Total support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,389,024         182,544         25,950           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS         School co-curricular activities: Instruction:         8         8,247,795         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS         School co-curricular activities: Instruction:         8         1,194,660         1,194,6	Purchased services	242,799	267,621	262,964	24,822	4,657
Total other support services         1,229,430         1,358,559         1,358,191         129,129         368           Total support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,389,024         182,544         25,950           TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS           School co-curricular activities:           Instruction:           Salaries         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,561         651,951         1,859         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         200,897         767,263           Supplies         3,238,500         3,414,354         1,867,477         175,854         1,546,877           Property         -         30,000         26,881         30,000         3,119           Other         146,065         150,755         171,125         4,670         (20,370)           Support services:           Student transportation:         1,939,570         1,807,234         1,695,860	Supplies	76,135	110,082	117,119	33,947	(7,037)
Total support services         1,232,430         1,414,974         1,389,024         182,544         25,950           TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS           School co-curricular activities:         Use of the colspan="6">Use	Other	19,000	89,000	85,766	70,000	3,234
TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS         8,247,795         7,994,027         6,799,367         (253,768)         1,194,660           OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS         School co-curricular activities: Instruction:         Staines         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,581         651,951         1,859         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         200,897         (757,263)           Supplies         3,238,500         3,414,354         1,867,477         175,854         1,546,877           Property         -         30,000         26,881         30,000         3,119           Other         146,085         150,755         171,125         4,670         (20,370)           Total instruction         9,526,423         9,900,566         8,095,275         374,143         1,805,291           Support services:           Student transportation:         Purchased services         1,939,570         1,807,234         1,695,860         (132,336)         1111,374           Other support services:           Salaries         2,006,438         2,022,405         1,894,457         15,967	Total other support services	1,229,430	1,358,559	1,358,191	129,129	368
OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS           School co-curricular activities:         Instruction:           Salaries         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,581         651,951         1,859         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         200,897         (757,263)           Supplies         3,238,500         3,414,354         1,867,477         175,854         1,546,877           Property         -         30,000         26,881         30,000         3,119           Other         146,085         150,755         171,125         4,670         (20,370)           Support services:           Student transportation:         Purchased services           Purchased services         1,939,570         1,807,234         1,695,860         (132,336)         111,374           Other support services:           Salaries         2,006,438         2,022,405         1,894,457         15,967         127,948           Benefits         40,856         401,110         397,932         254         3,178           Purchased services	Total support services	1,232,430	1,414,974	1,389,024	182,544	25,950
School co-curricular activities:   Instruction:   Salaries   2,468,116   2,428,979   1,665,681   (39,137)   763,298   Benefits   919,722   921,581   651,951   1,859   269,630   Purchased services   2,754,000   2,954,897   3,712,160   200,897   (757,263)   Supplies   3,238,500   3,414,354   1,867,477   175,854   1,546,877   Property   - 30,000   26,881   30,000   3,119   Other   146,085   150,755   171,125   4,670   (20,370)   Total instruction   9,526,423   9,900,566   8,095,275   374,143   1,805,291   Support services:   Student transportation:   Purchased services   1,939,570   1,807,234   1,695,860   (132,336)   111,374   Other support services:   Salaries   2,006,438   2,022,405   1,894,457   15,967   127,948   Benefits   400,856   401,110   397,932   254   3,178   Purchased services   284,686   311,171   355,486   26,485   (44,315)   Supplies   188,583   200,740   210,955   12,157   (10,215)   Other   51,000   65,520   74,159   14,520   (8,639)   Total other support services   2,931,563   3,000,946   2,932,989   69,383   67,957   Total support services   4,871,133   4,808,180   4,628,849   (62,953)   179,331   Total sup	TOTAL VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS	8,247,795	7,994,027	6,799,367	(253,768)	1,194,660
School co-curricular activities:   Instruction:   Salaries   2,468,116   2,428,979   1,665,681   (39,137)   763,298   Benefits   919,722   921,581   651,951   1,859   269,630   Purchased services   2,754,000   2,954,897   3,712,160   200,897   (757,263)   Supplies   3,238,500   3,414,354   1,867,477   175,854   1,546,877   Property   - 30,000   26,881   30,000   3,119   Other   146,085   150,755   171,125   4,670   (20,370)   Total instruction   9,526,423   9,900,566   8,095,275   374,143   1,805,291   Support services:   Student transportation:   Purchased services   1,939,570   1,807,234   1,695,860   (132,336)   111,374   Other support services:   Salaries   2,006,438   2,022,405   1,894,457   15,967   127,948   Benefits   400,856   401,110   397,932   254   3,178   Purchased services   284,686   311,171   355,486   26,485   (44,315)   Supplies   188,583   200,740   210,955   12,157   (10,215)   Other   51,000   65,520   74,159   14,520   (8,639)   Total other support services   2,931,563   3,000,946   2,932,989   69,383   67,957   Total support services   4,871,133   4,808,180   4,628,849   (62,953)   179,331   Total sup	OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROCRAMS					
Instruction:   Salaries   2,468,116   2,428,979   1,665,681   (39,137)   763,298   Benefits   919,722   921,581   651,951   1,859   269,630   Purchased services   2,754,000   2,954,897   3,712,160   200,897   (757,263)   Supplies   3,238,500   3,414,354   1,867,477   175,854   1,546,877   Property   - 30,000   26,881   30,000   3,119   Other   146,085   150,755   171,125   4,670   (20,370)   Total instruction   9,526,423   9,900,566   8,095,275   374,143   1,805,291   Support services:   Student transportation:   Purchased services   1,939,570   1,807,234   1,695,860   (132,336)   111,374   Other support services:   Salaries   2,006,438   2,022,405   1,894,457   15,967   127,948   Benefits   400,856   401,110   397,932   254   3,178   Purchased services   284,686   311,171   355,486   26,485   (44,315)   Supplies   188,583   200,740   210,955   12,157   (10,215)   Other support services   2,931,563   3,000,946   2,932,989   69,383   67,957   Total support services   2,931,563   3,000,946   2,932,989   69,383   67,957   Total support services   4,871,133   4,808,180   4,628,849   (62,953)   179,331   Total support services						
Salaries         2,468,116         2,428,979         1,665,681         (39,137)         763,298           Benefits         919,722         921,581         651,951         1,859         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         200,897         (757,263)           Supplies         3,238,500         3,414,354         1,867,477         175,854         1,546,877           Property         -         30,000         26,881         30,000         3,119           Other         146,085         150,755         171,125         4,670         (20,370)           Total instruction         9,526,423         9,900,566         8,095,275         374,143         1,805,291           Support services:           Student transportation:         Purchased services         1,939,570         1,807,234         1,695,860         (132,336)         111,374           Other support services:           Salaries         2,006,438         2,022,405         1,894,457         15,967         127,948           Benefits         400,856         401,110         397,932         254         3,178           Purchased services         284,686         311,171						
Benefits         919,722         921,581         651,951         1,859         269,630           Purchased services         2,754,000         2,954,897         3,712,160         200,897         (757,263)           Supplies         3,238,500         3,414,354         1,867,477         175,854         1,546,877           Property         -         30,000         26,881         30,000         3,119           Other         146,085         150,755         171,125         4,670         (20,370)           Total instruction         9,526,423         9,900,566         8,095,275         374,143         1,805,291           Support services:           Student transportation:         Purchased services         1,939,570         1,807,234         1,695,860         (132,336)         111,374           Other support services:           Salaries         2,006,438         2,022,405         1,894,457         15,967         127,948           Benefits         400,856         401,110         397,932         254         3,178           Purchased services         284,686         311,171         355,486         26,485         (44,315)           Supplies         18,588         200,740         210,		2 468 116	2 428 979	1 665 681	(39 137)	763 298
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	Total school co-curricular activities	14,397,556	14,708,746	12,724,124	311,190	1,984,622

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	BUDGETED	AMOUNTS		VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)	
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Original to Final Budget	Final Budget to Actual
EXPENDITURES - Continued					
Summer school:					
Instruction:					
Salaries	\$ 1,844,441	\$ 1,764,269	\$ 1,469,320	\$ (80,172)	\$ 294,949
Benefits	44,479	44,479	32,191	-	12,288
Purchased services	10,000	-	-	(10,000)	-
Supplies	207,000	121,000	26,217	(86,000)	94,783
Other	5,000	5,000	4,488		512
Total instruction	2,110,920	1,934,748	1,532,216	(176,172)	402,532
Support services:					
Student transportation:					
Purchased services	130,000	30,789	600	(99,211)	30,189
Other support services:					
Salaries	377,084	377,084	321,313	-	55,771
Benefits	8,299	8,299	7,538	-	761
Purchased services	15,500	-	-	(15,500)	-
Supplies		12,157		12,157	12,157
Total other support services	400,883	397,540	328,851	(3,343)	68,689
Total support services	530,883	428,329	329,451	(102,554)	98,878
Total summer school	2,641,803	2,363,077	1,861,667	(278,726)	501,410
English language learners:					
Instruction:					
Salaries	1,107,166	1,101,618	492,951	(5,548)	608,667
Benefits	463,684	469,208	208,718	5,524	260,490
Purchased services	-	80,000	76,880	80,000	3,120
Supplies	219,680	139,680	137,468	(80,000)	2,212
Total instruction	1,790,530	1,790,506	916,017	(24)	874,489
Other support services:					
Salaries	4,357,292	4,324,854	4,400,271	(32,438)	(75,417)
Benefits	1,880,434	1,870,637	1,785,868	(9,797)	84,769
Purchased services	1,408,076	3,217,177	3,152,729	1,809,101	64,448
Supplies	229,218	229,718	229,894	500	(176)
Other	10,589	10,589	3,270		7,319
Total other support services	7,885,609	9,652,975	9,572,032	1,767,366	80,943
Total english language learners	9,676,139	11,443,481	10,488,049	1,767,342	955,432
Alternative education: Instruction:					
Salaries	10,631,611	9,903,496	9,681,321	(728,115)	222,175
Benefits	3,875,386	3,679,875	3,321,023	(195,511)	358,852
Purchased services	18,500	25,426	97,288	6,926	(71,862)
Supplies	2,181,649	715,416	611,640	(1,466,233)	103,776
Property	2,101,040	26,000	27,575	26,000	(1,575)
Other	3,000	3,000	8,717		(5,717)
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	BUDGETED AMOUNTS			VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)	
	Original	Final		Original to	Final Budget
	Budget	Budget	Actual	Final Budget	to Actual
EXPENDITURES - Continued					
Total instruction	\$ 16,710,146	\$ 14,353,213	\$ 13,747,564	\$ (2,356,933)	\$ 605,649
Support services:					
Student transportation:					
Purchased services		1,500	1,030	1,500	470_
Other support services:	0.700.440			(00=040)	
Salaries	6,596,418	5,961,200	5,256,836	(635,218)	704,364
Benefits	2,809,092	2,573,163	2,190,800	(235,929)	382,363
Purchased services	22,811	2,176,521	1,866,708	2,153,710	309,813
Supplies	3,000	3,000	8,781	-	(5,781)
Other		5,000	4,975	5,000	25
Total other support services	9,431,321	10,718,884	9,328,100	1,287,563	1,390,784
Total support services	9,431,321	10,720,384	9,329,130	1,289,063	1,391,254
Total alternative education	26,141,467	25,073,597	23,076,694	(1,067,870)	1,996,903
TOTAL OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS	52,856,965	53,588,901	48,150,534	731,936	5,438,367
ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS					
Instruction:					
Salaries	151,898	_	_	(151,898)	_
Benefits	65,271			(65,271)	
Total instruction	217,169			(217,169)	
Support services:					
Other support services:					
Salaries	133,000	305,531	83,304	172,531	222,227
Benefits	33,513	108,119	33,944	74,606	74,175
Purchased services	-	100,900	54,747	100,900	46,153
Supplies	75,000	295,493	76,524	220,493	218,969
Total support services	241,513	810,043	248,519	568,530	561,524
TOTAL ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS	458,682	810,043	248,519	351,361	561,524
UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES					
Support services:					
Student support:					
Salaries	53,432,567	61,110,820	57,152,041	7,678,253	3,958,779
Benefits	22,223,453	24,327,268	24,368,010	2,103,815	(40,742)
Purchased services	78,275	41,020	20,827	(37,255)	20,193
Supplies	644,077	564,057	236,821	(80,020)	327,236
Property	10,000	-	-	(10,000)	-
Other	12,600	12,600	6,771		5,829
Total student support	76,400,972	86,055,765	81,784,470	9,654,793	4,271,295
Instructional staff support:					
Salaries	24,402,347	28,419,937	27,535,753	4,017,590	884,184
Benefits	9,431,892	11,460,907	10,804,996	2,029,015	655,911
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				VARIANCES		
	BUDGETED	AMOUNTS		POSITIVE / (	NEGATIVE)	
	Original	Final		Original to	Final Budget	
	Budget	Budget	Actual	Final Budget	to Actual	
EXPENDITURES - Continued						
Purchased services	\$ 5,765,974	\$ 7,576,784	\$ 5,980,242	\$ 1,810,810	\$ 1,596,542	
Supplies	9,679,469	10,822,828	10,029,873	1,143,359	792,955	
Property	10.000	10,000	221,781	1,140,000	(211,781)	
Other	754,429	1,058,929	887,325	304,500	171,604	
Othor	104,420	1,000,020	007,020		171,004	
Total instructional staff support	50,044,111	59,349,385	55,459,970	9,305,274	3,889,415	
General administration:						
Salaries	11,242,084	11,386,108	10,471,084	144,024	915,024	
Benefits	4,314,398	4,464,661	3,856,477	150,263	608,184	
Purchased services	9,469,951	14,039,126	15,091,593	4,569,175	(1,052,467)	
Supplies	1,665,885	1,107,696	619,115	(558,189)	488,581	
Property	-	25,000	24,251	25,000	749	
Other	65,006	137,852	166,270	72,846	(28,418)	
Total general administration	26,757,324	31,160,443	30,228,790	4,403,119	931,653	
School administration:						
Salaries	124,122,818	136,000,779	135,804,031	11,877,961	196,748	
Benefits	57,246,151	57,844,903	57,770,262	598,752	74,641	
Purchased services	1,245,000	1,232,100	697,487	(12,900)	534,613	
Supplies	1,240,000	26,437	332,725	26,437	(306,288)	
Other	_	460	9,050	460	(8,590)	
Total school administration	182,613,969	195,104,679	194,613,555	12,490,710	491,124	
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Central services:						
Salaries	29,056,154	31,823,290	30,775,035	2,767,136	1,048,255	
Benefits	10,650,042	13,387,683	13,228,285	2,737,641	159,398	
Purchased services	12,369,707	11,225,485	10,349,868	(1,144,222)	875,617	
Supplies	1,269,920	884,683	251,103	(385,237)	633,580	
Property	250,000	250,000	398,041	-	(148,041)	
Other	134,865	173,748	481,789	38,883	(308,041)	
Total central services	53,730,688	57,744,889	55,484,121	4,014,201	2,260,768	
Operation and maintenance of plant services:						
Salaries	109,442,033	112,011,590	111,051,817	2,569,557	959,773	
Benefits	49,215,720	52,341,621	50,646,139	3,125,901	1,695,482	
Purchased services	37,963,051	35,480,373	33,851,882	(2,482,678)	1,628,491	
Supplies	66,879,538	65,117,651	63,834,640	(1,761,887)	1,283,011	
Property	298,750	298,750	1,089,602	(1,701,007)	(790,852)	
Other	204,695	482,820	450,598	278,125	32,222	
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Total operation and maintenance of plant services	264,003,787	265,732,805	260,924,678	1,729,018	4,808,127	
Student transportation:	<b>.</b>		_			
Salaries	31,145,862	26,506,334	25,721,829	(4,639,528)	784,505	
Benefits	15,886,906	15,693,767	13,418,058	(193,139)	2,275,709	
Purchased services	1,851,000	1,723,837	1,006,985	(127,163)	716,852	
Supplies	5,922,244	6,361,628	6,497,754	439,384	(136,126)	
Property	34,525,000	31,531,000	31,004,272	(2,994,000)	526,728	

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	BUDGETED AMOUNTS			VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)	
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Original to Final Budget	Final Budget to Actual
EXPENDITURES - Continued					
Other	\$ 27,500	\$ 54,500	\$ 28,898	\$ 27,000	\$ 25,602
Total student transportation	89,358,512	81,871,066	77,677,796	(7,487,446)	4,193,270
Other support: Supplies	25,000			(25,000)	
Capital outlay: Facilities acquisition and construction services: Building improvements:					
Purchased services		250,000	377	250,000	249,623
TOTAL UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES	742,934,363	777,269,032	756,173,757	34,334,669	21,095,275
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	1,824,354,000	1,836,943,869	1,804,136,677	12,589,869	32,807,192
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	264,597,000	223,496,131	256,180,484	(41,100,869)	32,684,353
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers out General obligation bonds issued Premiums on general obligation bonds	(324,817,000) 34,500,000	(312,873,600) 34,500,000	(329,700,035) 33,470,000 6,260,281	11,943,400 - 	(16,826,435) (1,030,000) 6,260,281
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(290,317,000)	(278,373,600)	(289,969,754)	11,943,400	(11,596,154)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(25,720,000)	(54,877,469)	(33,789,270)	(29,157,469)	21,088,199
FUND BALANCE, JULY 1	80,000,000	105,624,469	105,624,469	25,624,469	
FUND BALANCE, JUNE 30	\$ 54,280,000	\$ 50,747,000	\$ 71,835,199	\$ (3,533,000)	\$ 21,088,199



	BUDGETED AMOUNTS			VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)		
	Original	Final		Original to	Final Budget	
REVENUES	Budget	Budget	Actual	Final Budget	to Actual	
Local sources:						
Donations and grants	\$ -	\$ 10,000	\$ 2,635	\$ 10,000	\$ (7,365)	
State sources:	04.070.000	04 000 000	04 504 400	(70,000)	(0.007)	
State distributive fund	81,670,000	81,600,000	81,591,133	(70,000)	(8,867)	
TOTAL REVENUES	81,670,000	81,610,000	81,593,768	(60,000)	(16,232)	
EXPENDITURES						
Current: SPECIAL PROGRAMS						
Instruction:						
Salaries	206,613,708	203,044,973	213,177,722	(3,568,735)	(10,132,749)	
Benefits	88,291,066	92,750,084	95,329,167	4,459,018	(2,579,083)	
Purchased services	2,166,100	2,830,490	2,659,803	664,390	170,687	
Supplies	3,383,035	3,303,151	2,595,348	(79,884)	707,803	
Other	26,000	19,863	125,704	(6,137)	(105,841)	
Total instruction	300,479,909	301,948,561	313,887,744	1,468,652	(11,939,183)	
Support services:						
Student transportation:						
Purchased services	2,510,000	1,266,182	1,047,926	(1,243,818)	218,256	
Other support services:						
Salaries	18,453,839	17,819,792	17,909,385	(634,047)	(89,593)	
Benefits	7,522,381	7,089,092	7,076,348	(433,289)	12,744	
Purchased services	716,233	2,772,954	2,628,080	2,056,721	144,874	
Supplies	457,309	488,961	435,072	31,652	53,889	
Property	- 6 022	12,000	11,998	12,000	2 52	
Other	6,832	14,571	14,519	7,739		
Total other support services	27,156,594	28,197,370	28,075,402	1,040,776	121,968	
Total support services	29,666,594	29,463,552	29,123,328	(203,042)	340,224	
TOTAL SPECIAL PROGRAMS	330,146,503	331,412,113	343,011,072	1,265,610	(11,598,959)	
GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAMS						
Instruction: Supplies	19,000	22,556	7,711	3,556	14,845	
Other		2,608	1,366	2,608	1,242	
Total instruction	19,000	25,164	9,077	6,164	16,087	
Other support services:						
Salaries	50,690	50,690	52,074	-	(1,384)	
Benefits	21,628	21,628	21,738	-	(110)	
Purchased services	21,000	20,655	16,985	(345)	3,670	
Supplies	16,425	20,765	17,423	4,340	3,342	
Total support services	109,743	113,738	108,220	3,995	5,518	
TOTAL GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAMS	128,743	138,902	117,297	10,159	21,605	
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	BUDGETED AMOUNTS			VARIANCES POSITIVE / (NEGATIVE)		
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Original to Final Budget	Final Budget to Actual	
EXPENDITURES - Continued						
UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES						
Support services:						
Student support: Salaries	\$ 112,986	\$ 112,986	\$ 48,426	\$ -	\$ 64,560	
Benefits	59,401	59,401	26,265	Φ - -	33,136	
Total student support	172,387	172,387	74,691		97,696	
Operation and maintenance of plant services:						
Salaries	54,070	60,070	59,811	6,000	259	
Benefits	28,969	28,969	28,984		(15)	
Total operation and maintenance of plant services	83,039	89,039	88,795	6,000	244	
Student transportation:						
Salaries	41,375,480	39,164,117	38,857,990	(2,211,363)	306,127	
Benefits	19,063,058	17,650,839	17,500,214	(1,412,219)	150,625	
Purchased services	55,000	171,941	166,732	116,941	5,209	
Supplies	9,475,790	4,336,762	4,313,237	(5,139,028)	23,525	
Other		5,500	5,397	5,500	103	
Total student transportation	69,969,328	61,329,159	60,843,570	(8,640,169)	485,589	
Interdistrict payments:						
Other	1,100,000	1,342,000	1,341,325	242,000	675	
TOTAL UNDISTRIBUTED EXPENDITURES	71,324,754	62,932,585	62,348,381	(8,392,169)	584,204	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	401,600,000	394,483,600	405,476,750	(7,116,400)	(10,993,150)	
DEFICIENCY OF REVENUES UNDER EXPENDITURES	(319,930,000)	(312,873,600)	(323,882,982)	(7,056,400)	(11,009,382)	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES						
Transfers in	319,930,000	312,873,600	323,882,982	7,056,400	11,009,382	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	-	-	-	-	-	
FUND BALANCE, JULY 1						
FUND BALANCE, JUNE 30	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	
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CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

	MAJOR FUND	
ASSETS	Business-type Activities Food Service Enterprise Fund	Governmental Activities Internal Service Funds
Current assets: Pooled cash and investments Accounts receivable Interest receivable Inventories Prepaids	\$ 46,294,962 17,603,145 - 8,941,121	\$ 29,782,813 214,820 40,853 - 2,394,276
Total current assets	72,839,228	32,432,762
Noncurrent assets: Restricted pooled cash and investments: Certificate of deposit for self-insurance Capital assets - net of accumulated depreciation Total noncurrent assets	- 11,885,121 11,885,121	8,326,000 353,771 8,679,771
Total assets	84,724,349	41,112,533
DEFERRED OUTFLOW OF RESOURCES		
Pension related - contributions Pension related - difference between employer and proportionate share of contributions	5,984,149 810,688	1,077,464 149,426
Total deferred outflows of resources	6,794,837	1,226,890
TOTAL ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	91,519,186	42,339,423
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities: Accounts payable Accrued salaries and benefits Unearned revenues Liability insurance claims payable Workers compensation claims payable Compensated absences liability	635,190 892,939 1,163,596 - - 154,966	354,055 143,981 - 5,401,000 7,694,000 269,469
Total current liabilities	2,846,691	13,862,505
Noncurrent liabilities: Compensated absences liability Net pension liability Long term claims payable	878,613 40,016,859	105,088 7,204,452 16,858,979
Total noncurrent liabilities	40,895,472	24,168,519
Total liabilities	43,742,163	38,031,024
DEFERRED INFLOW OF RESOURCES		
Pension related - difference between projected and actual experiences and investment earnings	5,769,862	1,003,724
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	49,512,025	39,034,748
NET POSITION		
Net investment in capital assets Restricted for certificate of deposit for self-insurance Unrestricted	11,885,121 - 30,122,040	353,771 8,326,000 (5,375,096)
TOTAL NET POSITION	\$ 42,007,161	\$ 3,304,675

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	MA	AJOR FUND		
	Business-type Activities Food Service Enterprise Fund		Governmental Activities Internal Service Funds	
OPERATING REVENUES:				
Charges for sales and services: Daily food sales Catering sales Graphic production sales Insurance premiums Subrogation claims Other revenue	\$	13,344,006 218,572 - - - 66,856	\$	2,291,468 23,710,720 894,166 75,058
TOTAL OPERATING REVENUES		13,629,434		26,971,412
OPERATING EXPENSES:				-,- ,
Salaries Benefits Purchased services Food and supplies Insurance claims Depreciation Other expenses		28,235,493 9,798,298 5,892,938 71,402,083 - 1,528,177 2,995,716		2,647,708 642,200 5,405,178 969,902 19,914,139 161,115 4,449
TOTAL OPERATING EXPENSES		119,852,705		29,744,691
OPERATING (LOSS)		(106,223,271)		(2,773,279)
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):				
Federal subsidies Commodity revenue State matching funds Net loss on disposal of assets Investment income		105,780,345 8,493,879 1,254,748 (1,959) 289,572		- - (4,087) 247,278
TOTAL NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		115,816,585		243,191
CHANGE IN NET POSITION		9,593,314		(2,530,088)
NET POSITION, JULY 1		32,413,847		5,834,763
NET POSITION, JUNE 30	\$	42,007,161	\$	3,304,675



CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	M	AJOR FUND		_	
	F	Business-type Activities Food Service Enterprise Fund		Governmental Activities Internal Service Funds	
Cash flows from operating activities:		torprioo r unu		11100 1 41140	
Cash received from customers	\$	13,445,644	\$	25,787,366	
Cash received from other operating sources		218,572		894,166	
Cash paid for services and supplies		(69,402,558)		(6,407,727)	
Cash paid for other operating uses		(2,995,234)		(17,650,587)	
Cash paid to employees		(39,183,399)		1,267,758	
Cash from other sources		66,856		75,058	
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities		(97,850,119)		3,966,034	
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:  Purchase of equipment		(713,490)		(69,556)	
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities:					
Federal reimbursements		112,375,121		_	
State matching funds		1,254,748		_	
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities		113,629,869		_	
Cash flows from investing activities:					
Investment income		289,572		219,886	
Sale of restricted investments		,		7,738,000	
Purchase of restricted investments		_		(8,326,000)	
Net cash provided by/(used in) investing activities		289,572		(368,114)	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		15,355,832		3,528,364	
Cash and cash equivalents, July 1		30,939,130		26,254,449	
Cash and cash equivalents, June 30		46,294,962		29,782,813	
Restricted investments		-		8,326,000	
Cash, cash equivalents, and restricted investments	\$	46,294,962	\$	\$38,108,813	
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities:					
Operating loss	\$	(106,223,271)	\$	(2,773,279)	
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities:					
Depreciation		1,528,177		161,115	
Commodity inventory used		8,493,879		-	
Change in assets, deferred outflows, liabilities and deferred inflows:		00.407		(0.4.4.000)	
(Increase)/decrease in accounts receivable		33,187		(214,820)	
Decrease in inventories		415,821		(40.000)	
(Increase) in prepaids		- (E27.206)		(16,280)	
(Increase) in pension contributions (Increase) in employer and proportionate share of contributions		(527,206) (481,701)		(98,977)	
(Decrease) in accounts payable		(1,016,754)		(90,435) (16,367)	
Increase in unearned revenues		68,451		(10,307)	
Increase in workers compensation claims payable		- 00,431		422,000	
Increase in liability insurance claims payable		_		1,846,000	
(Decrease) in liability for compensated absences		(59,027)		(113,895)	
Increase/(decrease) in accrued salaries and benefits		138,642		(21,033)	
Increase in net pension liability		3,442,276		646,251	
Increase in long term claims payable		-		4,923,368	
(Decrease) in pension investment earnings		(4,796,146)		(900,427)	
Increase in pension experiences		1,133,553		212,813	
Total adjustments		8,373,152		6,739,313	
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	\$	(97,850,119)	\$	3,966,034	
Noncash capital and financing activities:				<u> </u>	
Commodity revenue <sup>1</sup>	\$	8,493,879	\$	-	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The District received the equivalent of \$ 8,493,879 in fair market value of commodity food inventory from the federal government. The net effect of this non-cash transaction increased the value of inventory. Consumption of commodity revenue throughout the year resulted in a reduction of inventory and a charge to operating expenses.

# COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

Financial Section

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - FIDUCIARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

STUDENT ACTIVITY AGENCY FUND

**ASSETS** 

Cash in bank \$ 27,332,032

LIABILITIES

Due to student groups \$ 27,332,032



### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### **REPORTING ENTITY**

The accompanying financial statements include all of the activities that comprise the financial reporting entity of the Clark County School District (District). The District is governed by an elected, seven-member Board of School Trustees (Board). The Board is legally separate and fiscally independent from other governing bodies; therefore, the District is a primary government and the District is not reported as a component unit by any other governmental unit. The accounting policies of the District conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental entities. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial principles.

### **Blended Component Unit**

The District is the licensee for the local Public Broadcasting System affiliate, Vegas PBS. The Board is substantively the same as the governing body for Vegas PBS; therefore the District is required to finance deficits and has access to Vegas PBS resources. Also, there is sufficient representation of the District's governing body, with a financial benefit/burden relationship over Vegas PBS, to allow for complete control of Vegas PBS's activities. Therefore, the financial activities of Vegas PBS are included in these statements as a blended component unit. Blended component units, although legally separate, are, in substance, part of the government's operations. Separately issued financial statements for Vegas PBS can be obtained by contacting their financial department at the following address:

Vegas PBS 3050 East Flamingo Road Las Vegas, NV 89121

A summary of the District's significant accounting policies follows:

### **BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

The District's basic financial statements consist of the government-wide statements, the fund financial statements, and the related notes to the financial statements. The government-wide statements include a statement of net position, a statement of activities, and the fund financial statements which include financial information for the three fund types: governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary. Reconciliations between the fund statements, the statement of net position, and the statement of activities are also included along with the statements of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances that show an original to final budget comparison for the District's General Fund and its major special revenue fund: the Special Education Fund.

# **Government-wide Financial Statements**

The government-wide financial statements are made up of the statement of net position and the statement of activities. These statements include the aggregated financial information of the District as a whole, except for fiduciary activity. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely, to a significant extent, on fees and charges for support. As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements; however, any interfund services provided and used are not eliminated in the process of consolidation.

The statement of net position presents the consolidated financial position of the District at year-end, in separate columns, for both governmental and business-type activities.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or program are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or service and are, therefore, clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include operating grants and contributions and investment earnings legally restricted to support a specific program. Taxes and other revenues properly not included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues. This statement provides a net cost or net revenue of specific

### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

# NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

programs and functions within the District. Those functions with a net cost are generally dependent on general-purpose tax revenues, such as property tax, to remain operational.

### **Fund Financial Statements**

The financial accounts of the District are organized on the basis of funds, each of which is considered a separate accounting entity. The operations of each fund are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts comprised of assets, liabilities, deferred outflows and inflows, fund equity, revenues, and expenditures or expenses, as appropriate. 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.

The presentation emphasis in the fund financial statements is on major funds, for both governmental and enterprise funds. The District's one enterprise fund, the Food Service Enterprise Fund, is considered a major fund. The District may also display other funds as major funds if it believes the presentation will provide useful information to the users of the financial statements, which is the case with the District's Special Education Fund.

# MEASUREMENT FOCUS, BASIS OF ACCOUNTING, AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary funds. 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.

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. Gross receipts and sales taxes are considered "measurable" when in the hands of intermediary collecting governments and are then recognized as revenue. The government considers property tax revenues to be "available" if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Anticipated refunds of taxes are recorded as liabilities and reductions of revenue when they are measurable and the payment seems certain. In general, expenditures are recorded when liabilities are incurred. The exception to this rule is that principal and interest on debt service, as well as, liabilities related to compensated absences, claims, and judgments are recorded when payment is due.

In addition, the District's agency fund is reported under the accrual basis of accounting.

The major revenue sources of the District include state distributive fund revenue, local school support tax, ad valorem tax, real estate transfer tax, room tax, interest income, and the governmental services tax.

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

**General Fund** - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all resources and cost of operations traditionally associated with governments, which are not required to be accounted for in other funds.

**Special Education Fund** - The Special Education Fund accounts for transactions of the District relating to educational services provided to children with special needs as supported by Distributive School Account (DSA) payments, donations, and grants.

**Debt Service Fund** - The Debt Service Fund is used to account for the collection of revenues, payment of principal and interest, and the cost of operations associated with debt service for general obligation debt.



# NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

**Bond Fund** - The Bond Fund accounts for the costs of capital improvements and constructing major capital facilities paid for by bond proceeds, related interest earnings, and proceeds from real estate transfer tax and room tax.

Additionally the District reports the following fund types:

### **Proprietary Funds**

**Enterprise Fund** - The enterprise fund is used to account for operations financed and operated in a manner similar to a private business enterprise - where the intent of the governing body is for the cost (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods and services to the schools and other locations on a continuing basis to be financed or recovered primarily through charges or fees to customers. Currently, the District has one enterprise fund, and this year it is reported as a major fund.

**Food Service Enterprise Fund** - The Food Service Enterprise Fund accounts for transactions relating to food services provided to schools and other locations. Support is provided by customer fees and federal subsidies.

**Internal Service Funds** - Internal service funds are used to account for the financing of goods or services provided by one department to other departments of the District on a cost reimbursement basis. Currently, there are two District Internal Service Funds.

**Insurance and Risk Management Fund** - The Insurance and Risk Management Fund accounts for transactions relating to insurance and risk management services provided to other District departments on a cost reimbursement basis.

**Graphic Arts Production Fund** - The Graphic Arts Production Fund accounts for transactions relating to printing services provided to other District departments on a cost reimbursement basis.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from non-operating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operation. The principal operating revenues of the District's food service enterprise fund and of the District's internal service funds are charges to customers for sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

### **Fiduciary Funds**

**Agency Fund -** Agency funds are used to report assets held in a trustee or agency capacity for others, and therefore, cannot be used to support the government's own programs. All assets reported in an agency fund are offset by a liability to the party on whose behalf they are held.

**Student Activity Agency Fund -** The District's Student Activity Agency Fund reports assets held in an agency capacity for student groups and organizations.

### **BUDGETS AND BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING**

Nevada Statutes and District policies and regulations require that school districts legally adopt budgets for all funds except fiduciary funds. The budgets are filed as a matter of public record with the County Auditor, and the State Departments of Taxation and Education. The District staff uses the following procedures to establish, modify, and control the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements (see following page):

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

- 1. The statutes provide for the following timetable in adoption of budgets:
  - (a) Before April 15, the Superintendent of Schools submits to the Board of School Trustees a tentative budget for the upcoming fiscal year. The tentative budget includes proposed expenditures and the means to finance them.
  - (b) Not sooner than the third Monday in May and not later than the last day in May, a minimum seven-day notice of public hearing on the final budget is published in a local newspaper.
  - (c) Before June 8, the Board of School Trustees must adopt a final budget.
- 2. On or before January 1, the Board of School Trustees adopts an amended final budget reflecting any adjustments necessary as a result of the average daily enrollment of pupils reported for the preceding quarter.
- 3. NRS 354.598005 provides that the Board of School Trustees may augment the budget at any time by a majority vote of the Board providing the Board publishes notice of its intention to act in a newspaper of general circulation in the county at least three days before the date set for adoption of the resolution.
- 4. NRS 354.598005 also allows appropriations to be transferred within or among any functions or programs within a fund without an increase in total appropriations. If it becomes necessary during the course of the year to change any of the departmental budgets, transfers are initiated by department heads and approved by the appropriate administrator. Transfers within program or function classifications can be made with appropriate administrative approval. The Board of School Trustees is advised of transfers between funds, program, or function classifications and the transfers are recorded in the official Board minutes, on a monthly basis.
- 5. Budgeted appropriations may not be exceeded by actual expenditures of the various programs and functions of the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, and Capital Projects Funds, as described on pages 52-53, Expenditure Line Item Titles. The sum of operating and non-operating expenses in the Enterprise and Internal Service Funds may not exceed total appropriations.
- 6. Generally, budgets for all funds are adopted in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Budgeted amounts reflected in the accompanying financial statements recognize amendments made during the year. Individual amendments were not material in relation to the original appropriation.
- 7. Encumbrance accounting is employed in governmental funds. Encumbrances (e.g., purchase orders, contracts) outstanding at year end are included in restricted, committed, or assigned fund balance, as appropriate and do not constitute expenditures or liabilities because the commitments will be reappropriated and honored during the subsequent year. See Note 14.

#### **POOLED CASH AND INVESTMENTS**

Cash includes cash deposited in interest-bearing accounts at banks and cash in custody of fiscal agents. Investments consist of United States Treasury bills and notes, government agency securities, commercial paper, negotiable certificates of deposit, and government money market funds. Investments are reported at fair value on the balance sheet. Fair value is the amount at which a financial instrument could be exchanged in a current transaction between willing parties other than in a forced or liquidation sale. Changes in the fair value of District investments are part of investment income that is included in revenues from local sources. See **Note 3**.

In fiscal year 2016, the District implemented GASB Statement No. 72, *Fair Value Measurement and Application*, to categorize its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset.

Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets;



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

- Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs;
- Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

The District has reviewed their investments and determined all investments are either Level 1 or 2 inputs and measured at their fair value levels as of June 30, 2016.

#### **CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

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

#### **ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE**

The accounts receivable are shown net of any provision for doubtful accounts.

#### **Property Taxes**

All property taxes collected within 60 days of year end are reported as accounts receivable as of June 30, 2016, as well as those taxes assessed but not yet received. The Clark County Treasurer, based on the assessed valuation on January 1 of each year, levies taxes on real property. A lien is placed on the property subject to the payment of taxes on July 1 of each year and the taxes are due on the third Monday in August. Taxes may be paid in quarterly installments on or before the third Monday in August, and the first Monday in October, January, and March. If not paid, the County Treasurer is authorized to hold the property for two years, subject to redemption upon payment of taxes, penalties, interest, and costs. If delinquent taxes are not paid within the redemption period, the County Treasurer obtains a property deed free of encumbrances. Upon receipt of a deed, the County Treasurer may sell the property to satisfy the tax lien. Article X, Section 2, of the Nevada Constitution limits the taxes levied by all units of Clark County to an amount not to exceed \$5 per \$100 of assessed valuation. The 1979 Nevada Legislature enacted provisions whereby starting July 1, 1979, the combined overlapping tax rate was limited to \$3.64 per \$100 of assessed value. The assessed value is annually adjusted. The Nevada legislature also passed a property tax abatement law in 2005 that generally caps increases in property taxes received from any owner-occupied residential property to three percent per year, and eight percent per year for all other property.

#### **INVENTORIES**

Instructional materials and general supplies inventories (recorded in the General Fund) are valued at weighted average cost. Transportation supplies (recorded in the General Fund) and food service inventories (recorded in the Enterprise Fund) are valued using the first-in, first-out method. In all funds, the District follows the consumption method, thus, materials and supplies to be used in operations are reported as financial resources when acquired and recognized as expenditures when used. In the fund financial statements, the inventory amount is equally offset by a fund balance classification indicating it is *nonspendable*.

#### **PREPAID ITEMS**

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements. The cost of prepaid items is recorded as expenditures/expenses when consumed rather than when purchased. Prepaid items are equally offset by a fund balance classification indicating they are *nonspendable*.

#### **CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital assets, which include property, plant, and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. If purchased or constructed, all capital assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair value as of the date of donation. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend asset life are not capitalized.

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

Capital Assets	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	50
Building Improvements	20
Land Improvements	20
Vehicles	5
Heavy Trucks and Vans	7-10
Buses	10
Computer Hardware	5
Various Other Equipment	3-25

#### **DEFERRED OUTFLOWS AND DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES**

Deferred outflow of resources represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. Deferred loss on refundings are unamortized balances resulting from advance bond refundings. The pension contributions resulted from the District pension related contributions subsequent to the measurement date, but before the end of the fiscal year, and changes in proportion since the prior measurement date.

Deferred inflow of resources represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The difference between projected and actual experience and investment earnings are related to the calculation of net pension liability. The governmental funds report unavailable revenue from two sources: delinquent property taxes and E-rate discounts. Property tax revenues are considered "delinquent" when the due date of an assessment has passed and any statutory appeal rights have expired. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available.

#### **ACCRUED SALARIES AND BENEFITS**

District salaries earned but not paid by June 30, 2016, have been accrued as liabilities and shown as expenses for the current year.

### **LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS**

In the government-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as deferred losses and gains, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are immediately expensed in the government-wide financial statements. Deferred losses related to refundings of debt are reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred gains related to refundings of debt are reported as deferred inflows of resources. They are amortized over the term of the related debt.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

In 2015, the District adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, and GASB Statement No. 71, Pension Transition for Contributions Made Subsequent to the Measurement Date. The effect of these standards required governments calculate and report the costs and obligations associated with pensions in their basic financial statements. Employers are required to recognize pension amounts for all benefits provided through the plan which include the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources, and pension expense.

For the purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension, pension expense, information about the net position of the State of Nevada Public Employees Retirement System (PERS), the fiduciary, and additions to/deductions from PERS's net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by PERS. For this purpose, benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions, are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms.

#### COMPENSATED ABSENCES AND ACCUMULATED SICK LEAVE

Except for teachers and certain hourly employees, it is the District's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation leave. All employee groups are allowed to accumulate earned but unused sick leave. However, the District only pays limited accumulated sick leave to certain employees upon retirement.

With no material liability for sick leave, nothing is recorded in the accompanying financial statements. All vacation pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide and proprietary financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only if they have matured as a result of employee resignations and retirements.

#### **FUND BALANCES**

In the fund financial statements, the classifications of fund balance are based on limitations on their use, and the source and strength of those limitations. Assignments of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change. The following classifications have been implemented by the District's Regulation 3110:

- a. Nonspendable fund balance: These items are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact and are not in a spendable form, such as inventories and prepaids.
- b. Restricted fund balance: These amounts are constrained to being used for specific purposes by external parties, constitutional provisions or enabling legislation, such as debt service.
- c. Committed fund balance: These amounts can only be used for specific purposes as set forth by the Board of School Trustees. The Board must take formal action, by adoption of a resolution prior to the end of the reporting period, in order to establish an ending fund balance commitment for any specific purpose. A resolution by the Board is also required to modify or rescind an established commitment. Only the highest level action that constitutes the most binding constraint can be considered a commitment for fund balance classification purposes.
- d. Assigned fund balance: Assignments are neither restrictions nor commitments and represent the District's intent to use funds for a specific purpose. These assignments, however, are not legally binding and are meant to reflect intended future use of the District's ending fund balance. The Chief Financial Officer of the District has the responsibility of assigning amounts of ending fund balance per District Regulation 3110.
- e. Unassigned fund balance: The residual classification for the General Fund that is available to spend. The District's Regulation 3110 requires that an unassigned ending fund balance of not less than 2% of total General Operating Fund revenues be included in the budget. A Board waiver is required to adopt a budget that does not meet this requirement. On May 20, 2015, the Board approved a waiver to reduce the projected balance requirement for 2015-2016 to 1.75% of total revenues.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

When an expenditure is incurred, and both restricted and unrestricted resources are available, the portion of the fund balance that was restricted for those purposes shall be reduced first. If no restricted resources exist, then the unrestricted fund balance shall be reduced. Furthermore, when an expenditure is incurred for purposes which amounts of committed, assigned, or unassigned are considered to have been spent, and any of these unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used, they are considered to be spent in the above order on the previous page.

#### **NET POSITION**

In the government-wide statements, Net Position on the Statement of Net Position includes the following:

#### **Net Investment in Capital Assets**

The calculation of net investment in capital assets is similar to the prior calculation of investment in capital assets, net of related debt which reported the difference between capital assets less both the accumulated depreciation and the outstanding balance of debt, excluding unexpended bond proceeds, that is directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

The deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets or related debt will also be included in this component of net position.

#### Restricted Net Position

The component of net position that reports the constraints placed on the use of assets by either external parties and/or enabling legislation. Currently, the District has restricted assets related to its Debt Service Fund, assets related to its Capital Projects Funds, Public Education Foundation donations, City of Henderson RDA, and funds from the medium-term bonds for school technology in the General Fund, state restricted money for Adult Education, reserve to self-insurance deposits related to the District's worker's compensation program accounted for in the Insurance and Risk Management Fund, and term endowments to Vegas PBS.

#### **Unrestricted Net Position**

The component of net position that is the difference between the assets, deferred outflows, liabilities, and deferred inflows not reported in Net Investment in Capital Assets and Restricted Net Position.

It is the District's policy to expend restricted resources first and use unrestricted resources when the restricted resources have been depleted.

#### **Negative Net Position**

In 2015, GASB Statement No. 68 was implemented requiring employers to record their proportionate share of the fiduciary net pension liability on their financial statements. The effect of this standard in 2016 resulted in a negative net position on the District's Statement of Net Position. Contributions are paid into PERS on behalf of the District's employees, and pursuant to statute, there is no obligation on the part of the employer to pay for their proportionate share of the unfunded liability.

This standard applies to both the government-wide and proprietary fund statements, including the Food Service, Insurance & Risk Management, and Graphic Arts Production Funds. The impact of recording the net pension liability includes the likelihood of negative net position, which is the case for this fiscal year with the government-wide statement.

#### COMPARATIVE TOTAL DATA AND RECLASSIFICATIONS

The District follows the data classification guidelines provided in the Financial Accounting Handbook from the Nevada Department of Education, in conjunction with the U. S. Department of Education publication *Financial Accounting for Local and State School Systems*. Comparative total data for the prior year has been presented in the accompanying fund



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

financial statements and schedules, provided as supplementary information, to provide an understanding of changes in the District's financial position and results of operations.

#### **USE OF ESTIMATES**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with United States generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### **REVENUE LINE ITEM TITLES**

<u>Local sources</u> are monies generated from local school support (sales tax), ad valorem (property taxes), real estate transfer taxes, room tax, governmental services tax, franchise tax, investment income, and athletic proceeds.

<u>State sources</u> are revenues paid by the State of Nevada (through the Distributive School Account) to the District and state grants.

<u>Federal sources</u> are mostly grants received from the federal government for specific educational programs and interest subsidized on the Qualified School Construction Bond Program.

**Other sources** are monies including proceeds from the sale of capital assets and other miscellaneous income.

#### **EXPENDITURE LINE ITEM TITLES**

The statements of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances characterize expenditure data by major program classifications pursuant to the provisions of the Handbook II (Revised) Accounting System established by the Nevada Department of Education. Programs are further segregated by functional services provided within each program. Below is a brief description of these program and function classifications.

#### **Programs:**

**Regular programs** are activities designed to provide elementary and secondary students with learning experiences to prepare them as citizens, family members, and nonvocational workers.

<u>Special programs</u> are activities designed primarily to serve students having special needs. Special programs include services for the mentally challenged, physically handicapped, emotionally disturbed, culturally different, learning disabled, bilingual, and special programs for other types of students at all levels.

<u>Gifted and talented programs</u> are activities available to students that show above average general and/or specific abilities, high levels of task commitment, and high levels of creativity. Gifted and Talented Education (GATE) services are available to students in third, fourth, and fifth grades. Students have the opportunity to develop their potential through curriculum that emphasizes complexity and higher-level thinking.

<u>Vocational programs</u> are learning experiences that will provide individuals with the opportunity to develop the necessary knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed for occupational employment.

<u>Other instructional programs</u> are activities that provide elementary and secondary students with learning experiences in school-sponsored activities, athletics, and summer school. This program also includes English for speakers of other languages (English Language Learners/Limited English Proficient/English-as-a-Second-Language) and alternative and at risk education programs.

<u>Adult education programs</u> are learning experiences designed to develop knowledge and skills to meet intermediate and long-range educational objectives for adults, who having completed or interrupted formal schooling, and have accepted

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

adult roles and responsibilities.

<u>Community services programs</u> are activities not directly related to the provision of educational services in a school district. These include such services as community recreation programs, civic activities, public libraries, programs of custody and care of children, and community welfare activities. This also includes parental training or related programs.

<u>Undistributed expenditures</u> are charges not readily assignable to a specific program. Student and instructional staff support and overall general and administrative costs are classified as undistributed expenditures. Also included are costs of operating, maintaining, and constructing the physical facilities of the District.

#### **Functions:**

<u>Instruction</u> includes all activities dealing directly with the interaction between teachers and students, including the activities of aides or classroom assistants which assist in the instructional process.

<u>Student support</u> includes activities designed to assess and improve the well-being of students and to supplement the teaching process.

<u>Instructional staff support</u> includes activities associated with assisting the instructional staff with the content and process of providing learning experiences for students.

<u>General administration</u> includes activities concerned with establishing and administering policy in connection with operating the District.

<u>School administration</u> includes activities concerned with overall administrative responsibility for a school. This includes principals, assistants, and clerical staff involved in the supervision of operations at a school.

<u>Central services</u> include activities that support other administrative and instructional functions. In addition, this covers activities concerned with paying, transporting, exchanging, and maintaining goods and services for the District. Also included are the fiscal and internal services necessary for operating the District.

<u>Operation and maintenance of plant services</u> includes activities concerned with keeping the physical schools and associated administrative buildings open, comfortable, and safe for use. This also includes keeping the grounds, buildings, and equipment in effective working condition and state of repair. Additional activities include maintaining safety in buildings, on the grounds, and in the vicinity of schools.

<u>Student transportation</u> includes activities concerned with the conveyance of students to and from school, as provided by state and federal law. It includes trips between home and school as well as trips to school activities.

Other support services are all other support services not otherwise properly classified elsewhere.

<u>Community services</u> includes activities concerned with providing community services to students, staff, or other community participants. This includes programs offering parental training.

<u>Facilities acquisition and construction services</u> are all activities concerned with the acquisition of land and buildings; the construction of buildings and additions to buildings; initial installation or extension of service systems and other built-in equipment; and improvements to sites.

**<u>Food service</u>** includes activities concerned with providing food to students and staff within the District. This includes the preparation and serving of regular and incidental meals, lunches, or snacks.

**Interdistrict payments** are funds transferred to another school district, charter school, or other educational entities such as private schools.



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 2 - RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

The governmental funds balance sheet includes a reconciliation between fund balances – total governmental funds and net position – governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of net position. One element of that reconciliation explains that "Certain liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and deferred outflows of resources (such as bonds payable and capital leases payable) are not reported in the Governmental Funds financial statement because they are not due and payable in the current period, but they are presented as liabilities or deferred inflows of resources in the statement of net position." The details of this \$2,926,919,899 difference are as follows:

Bonds payable Bond discounts (net of amortization) Prepaid bond insurance premium costs (net of amortization) Deferred loss on refundings (net of amortization) Bond premiums (net of amortization) Interest payable Compensated absences	\$ 2,590,805,000 (5,123,705) (1,005,265) (19,896,584) 260,849,633 5,147,707 57,977,493
OPEB obligation	38,165,620
Net adjustment to decrease fund balance - total governmental funds to arrive at net position - governmental activities	\$ 2,926,919,899

Capital assets net of the related depreciation are not reported in the Governmental Funds financial statements because they are not current financial resources, but they are reported in the statement of net position. The details of this difference are as follows:

Capital Assets - Governmental Funds Less: Capital Assets - Internal Service Funds	\$ 4,240,291,668 (353,771)
Net adjustment to increase fund balance - total governmental funds to arrive at net position - governmental activities	Ф 4 220 027 007
to arrive at fiet position - governmental activities	\$ 4,239,937,897

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

The governmental funds statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances includes reconciliation between net changes in fund balances – total governmental funds and changes in net position of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide statement of activities. One element of that reconciliation explains that "Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, for governmental activities those costs are shown in the statement of net position and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expenses in the statement of activities." The details of this \$127,557,866 difference are as follows:

Capital outlay Depreciation expense	\$ 111,882,987 (239,440,853)
Net adjustment to decrease net changes in fund balances - total governmental funds to arrive at changes in net position of governmental activities.	\$(127,557,866)

Another element of that reconciliation states that "The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds, leases) 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 debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 2 - RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (continued)

This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items." The details of this \$151,512,684 difference are as follows:

Debt issued or incurred:	
Issuance of general obligation debt	\$(848,725,000)
Plus: Bond premiums	(150,984,070)
General obligation debt principal payments	276,190,000
Payment to escrow agent for refunding	572,006,386
Net adjustment to increase net changes in fund balances - total governmental	
funds to arrive at changes in net position of governmental activities.	\$(151,512,684)

Another element of that reconciliation states that "Generally, expenditures recognized in the fund financial statements are limited to only those that use current financial resources, but expenses are recognized in the statement of activities when incurred." The details of this \$26,743,685 difference are as follows:

Change in accrued interest	\$ 4,716,308
Amortization of deferred gain/loss on refunding	(4,766,138)
Amortization of issuance costs	(105,302)
Amortization of bond discounts	(656,151)
Amortization of bond premiums	28,508,684
Change in compensated absences	384,059
Change in OPEB obligation	(1,337,775)
Net adjustment to increase net changes in fund balances - total governmental	
funds to arrive at changes in net position of governmental activities.	\$ 26,743,685

#### NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The District maintains a cash and investment pool that is available for use by all funds. At June 30, 2016, this pool is displayed in the statement of net position and major and other governmental funds on the governmental funds balance sheet as "Pooled Cash and Investments." The District accounts for its debt issuance proceeds portfolio separately in the capital projects funds to aid in compliance with bond covenants and federal arbitrage regulations. See **Note 8**. As of June 30, 2016, the District had the total amounts reported as pooled cash and investments:

#### **Combined Pooled Cash and Investments**

Pooled Cash	\$ (6,086,506)
Non-negotiable Certificate of Deposit	8,326,000
Student Activity Agency Fund	27,332,032
Pooled Investments	784,268,775
Money Market Mutual Fund	102,548,549
Vegas PBS Endowment	2,276,052
Total Pooled Cash and Investments	\$ 918,664,902

Except for financial reporting purposes, the cash balances in the Student Activity Agency Fund are not normally considered part of the District's pooled cash and investments. These amounts represent cash held in an agency capacity by the District for student groups and organizations and cannot be used in the District's normal operations. The balance listed above for this fund is a consolidation of individual bank account balances held at schools across the District as of June 30, 2016.

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#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (continued)

As of June 30, 2016, the District had the following investments (numbers stated in thousands):

	Investment Maturities (In Years)						
	Fair	Less			More	Interest	Total
General Pooled Investments:	Value	Than 1	1-5	6-10	than 10	Rec.	Value
U.S. Treasury Notes	\$ 90,714	\$ 20,059	\$ 70,655	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 139	\$ 90,853
U.S. Agencies	175,400	104,993	70,406	-	-	207	175,607
Commercial Paper	9,996	9,996	-	-	-	-	9,996
NVEST Program:							
U.S. Treasury Notes	50,655	16,620	34,035	-	-	65	50,720
U.S. Agencies	11,947	3,897	8,050	-	-	2	11,949
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	15,308	-	8,067	7,010	230	55	15,363
Federal National Mtg Assn Pool	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Asset Backed Securities	18,978	80	18,898			40	19,018
Subtotal Gen. Pooled Investments	372,998	155,645	210,111	7,010	230	509	373,507
Bond Proceed Investments:							
U.S. Treasury Notes	125,107	125,107	-	-	-	359	125,466
U.S. Agencies	275,702	275,702	-	-	-	401	276,103
Commercial Paper	10,462	10,462					10,462
Subtotal Bond Proceed Investments	411,271	411,271				760	412,031
Total Securites Held	\$ 784,269	\$ 566,916	\$ 210,111	\$ 7,010	\$ 230	\$ 1,269	\$ 785,538

#### Interest Rate Risk

While the District does not have an overall investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from interest rate risk, Nevada statutes and District policy do impose certain restrictions by investment instrument. These include limiting maturities on U.S. Treasuries and Agencies to less than 10 years, limiting bankers' acceptances to 180 days maturity, limiting commercial paper to 270 days maturity and repurchase agreements to 90 days. The District's approximate weighted average maturity is 0.74 years.

U.S. Agencies as reported above consist of securities issued by the Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Federal Farm Credit Bank, and Federal Home Loan Bank. Since investments in these agencies are in several cases backed by assets such as mortgages they are subject to prepayment risk. Also, approximately \$30 million of the U.S. Agencies investments reported above have a call option which, should interest rates change, could shorten the maturity of these investments.

#### Credit Risk

State statute and the District's own investment policy limit investment instruments to the top rating issued by one of the nationally recognized statistical rating organizations (NRSROs). The District's investment in commercial paper is limited to that rated P-1 by Moody's Investors Service, Standard and Poor's as A-1, and Fitch Investors Service as F-1. The District's money market investments are only with those funds rated by a nationally recognized rating service as AAA or its equivalent and invest only in securities issued by the Federal Government, U.S. Agencies, or repurchase agreements fully collateralized by such securities. Credit ratings for obligations of U.S. government agencies only implicitly guaranteed by the U.S. Government, such as, the Federal National Mortgage Association, the Federal Farm Credit Bank, the Federal Home Loan Bank, and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, short- and long-term instruments are limited to those rated A-1 / AA, P-1 / Aaa or F1 / AAA, by Standard and Poor's, Moody's Investors Service, and Fitch Investors Service, respectively. The investment program through the State of Nevada, NVEST, is not rated by any investment service.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS (continued)

Vegas PBS received an initial term endowment in fiscal year 2003-2004 and has received additional contributions in each subsequent fiscal year, including the current year. The endowment is invested in various equity mutual funds with the Nevada Community Foundation. While the District's investment policy does not allow it to directly invest in equities, endowment principal is restricted from use for a period of time. See **Note 17**.

#### Concentrations of Credit Risk

To limit exposure to concentrations of credit risk, the District's investment policy limits investment in bankers' acceptance notes to 15%, repurchase agreements to 25%, commercial paper to 15%, and money market mutual funds to 25%, of the entire portfolio on the day of purchase. As of June 30, 2016, more than 5% of the District's investments are in Federal Home Loan Bank, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, and Federal National Mortgage Association. These investments are 25%, 17%, and 8%, respectively, of the District's total investments.

The District implemented GASB Statement No. 72, Fair Value Measurement and Application, in 2016 to categorize its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

The District has the following recurring fair value measurements as of June 30, 2016:

- U.S. Treasury securities of \$266 million are valued using quoted market prices (Level 1)
- Agency securities of \$463 million are valued using matrix pricing model (Level 2)
- Commercial paper of \$20 million are valued using matrix pricing model (Level 2)
- Asset-backed securities of \$19 million are valued using matrix pricing model (Level 2)
- Collateral mortgage-backed securities of \$15 million are valued using matrix pricing model (Level 2)

The District does not have recurring fair value measurement as of June 30, 2016, that is valued using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3).

#### NOTE 4 - INTERFUND BALANCES AND TRANSFERS

#### **Interfund Balances:**

The "due to/due from other funds" balance in the General Fund of \$35,705,515 was offset against the amounts reported in the Federal Projects Fund of \$24,037,517 and the State Grants Fund of \$11,667,998. These interfund balances represent funds that were transferred from the General Fund to the Federal Projects Fund and the State Grants Fund to cover the negative cash balances.

#### **Interfund Transfers:**

In the fund financial statements, interfund transfers are shown as other financing sources or uses. Transfers between funds during the year ended June 30, 2016, are as follows (see following page):



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 4 - INTERFUND BALANCES AND TRANSFERS (continued)

		Transfers In:						
		Nonmajor						
		Special	Special Governmental					
Transfers Out:	Ed	ucation Fund	D	ebt Service	<u> </u>	Funds		Totals
General Fund	\$	323,882,982	\$	-	\$	5,817,053	\$	329,700,035
Bond Fund		-		99,700,893		-		99,700,893
Total	\$	323,882,982	\$	99,700,893	\$	5,817,053	\$	429,400,928

Following are explanations of certain interfund transfers of significance to the District:

\$323,882,982 was transferred from the General Fund to the Special Education Fund for costs related to programs for special needs students. Beginning in 1994, Senate Bill 569 has required separate accounting for revenues and expenditures associated with special education. The majority of the revenues are collected in the General Fund and transferred to the Special Education Fund to offset special education expenditures.

The Bond Fund transferred a total of \$99,700,893 during fiscal year 2016 to the Debt Service Fund to service the current principal and interest on the District's revenue bonds. Pledged revenues for these bonds, which include a portion of the real estate transfer tax and room tax collected within the county are deposited within the Bond Fund and transferred on a monthly basis to the Debt Service Fund. See **Note 8.** 

\$5,817,053 was transferred from the General Fund to the State Grants Fund to help cover costs for full-day kindergarten.

#### NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS

A summary of changes in capital assets for the year ended June 30, 2016, follows:

#### **Governmental Activities:**

	Balance June 30, 2015	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2016
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 265,261,985	\$ 351,215	\$ -	\$ 265,613,200
Construction in progress	29,739,520	76,499,519	(39,732,768)	66,506,271
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	295,001,505	76,850,734	(39,732,768)	332,119,471
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings	4,310,251,006	16,878,511	(1,041,456)	4,326,088,061
Building improvements	905,920,883	11,794,724	-	917,715,607
Land improvements	1,280,717,741	3,504,527	-	1,284,222,268
Equipment	558,221,662	42,656,817	(13,653,122)	587,225,357
Total capital assets being depreciated	7,055,111,292	74,834,579	(14,694,578)	7,115,251,293
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	(1,253,427,823)	(104,651,065)	1,006,350	(1,357,072,538)
Building improvements	(610,280,592)	(42,534,132)	-	(652,814,724)
Land improvements	(717,708,168)	(58,431,921)	-	(776,140,089)
Equipment	(400,550,497)	(33,984,850)	13,483,602	(421,051,745)
Total accumulated depreciation	(2,981,967,080)	(239,601,968)	14,489,952	(3,207,079,096)
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	4,073,144,212	(164,767,389)	(204,626)	3,908,172,197
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 4,368,145,717	\$ (87,916,655)	\$ (39,937,394)	\$ 4,240,291,668

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

## NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS (continued)

## **Business-type activities:**

	Balance June 30, 2015	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2016
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings	\$ 1,737,413	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,737,413
Building improvements	597,956	-	-	597,956
Land improvements	968,279	-	-	968,279
Equipment	21,443,019	713,490	(237,548)	21,918,961
Total capital assets being depreciated	24,746,667	713,490	(237,548)	25,222,609
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings	(108,753)	(57,913)	-	(166,666)
Building improvements	(36,359)	(29,904)	-	(66,263)
Land improvements	(42,404)	(48,421)	-	(90,825)
Equipment	(11,857,383)	(1,391,939)	235,588	(13,013,734)
Total accumulated depreciation	(12,044,899)	(1,528,177)	235,588	(13,337,488)
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$ 12,701,768	\$ (814,687)	\$ (1,960)	\$ 11,885,121

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the primary government as follows:

#### **Governmental Activities:**

Instruction:	
Regular instruction	\$ 193,805,039
Special instruction	439,982
Gifted and talented	511
Vocational instruction	14,495,955
Other instruction	76,022
Adult instruction	39,325
Support services:	
Student support	626,865
Instructional staff support	4,197,746
General administration	718,278
School administration	70,877
Central services	1,140,358
Operation and maintenance of plant services	3,165,411
Student transportation	16,984,122
Other support services	483,545
Facilities acquisition and construction services	3,357,932
	\$ 239,601,968



## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 6 - ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Receivables as of June 30, 2016, for the government's individual major funds and nonmajor funds in the aggregate are as follows:

	General Fund	Special Education Fund	Debt Service Fund	Bond Fund	Nonmajor and Other Funds	Total
Local Sources:						
Property and Transfer Taxes	\$ 10,368,550	\$ -	\$ 7,840,101	\$ 4,764,350	\$ -	\$ 22,973,001
Room Taxes	-	-	-	15,612,043	-	15,612,043
Governmental Services Tax	5,192,024	-	-	-	2,431,536	7,623,560
Local School Support Tax	159,066,439	-	-	-	-	159,066,439
Other Local Sources	2,240,605	-	66,363	-	-	2,306,968
State Sources:						
Grants	-	-	-	-	39,049,960	39,049,960
Distributive School Account Class Size Reduction	75,646,623 -		1	1	1,101,200	75,646,623 1,101,200
Federal Sources:						
Grants	-	-	-	-	37,057,234	37,057,234
Medicaid	-	-	-	-	3,232,940	3,232,940
Other Sources:						
E-rate Reimbursement	8,359,805	-	-	-	-	8,359,805
Miscellaneous	411,634	19,788			1,173,285	1,604,707
Total Receivables	\$ 261,285,680	\$ 19,788	\$ 7,906,464	\$ 20,376,393	\$ 84,046,155	\$ 373,634,480

#### NOTE 7 - UNEARNED REVENUES

Governmental funds report unearned revenue in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period and also in connection with resources that have been received but not yet earned. A summary of unearned revenues for the individual major governmental funds and nonmajor governmental funds in the aggregate at June 30, 2016, are as follows:

	Ger	neral Fund	nmajor and ther Funds	Total
Summer School	\$	884,556	\$ -	\$ 884,556
State Grants		-	9,773,323	9,773,323
Miscellaneous		76,283	10,176	 86,459
Total	\$	960,839	\$ 9,783,499	\$ 10,744,338

In the General Fund, summer school unearned revenue represents monies collected for summer school tuition in advance of the fiscal year 2017 summer school program. The miscellaneous unearned revenues consist of \$76,283 for facility usage revenue which was received in advance and \$10,176 for underwriting revenue received in advance for fiscal year 2017.

Nonmajor and other funds include state grants in the amount of \$9,773,323, which is state grant revenue received in advance of expenditures.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 8 - GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS PAYABLE

#### **General Obligation Bonds:**

The District issues general obligation bonds to provide proceeds for the District's construction and modernization program and for other major capital acquisitions. These bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the District. Bonds are often sold at a premium or a discount. These premiums and discounts are reported in the fund statements in the year incurred but are deferred and amortized over the life of the debt in the government-wide financial statements. Similarly, any gain or loss derived from an advance refunding is amortized in the government-wide financial statements. The Debt Service Fund services all of the bonds payable. The remaining principal and interest payment requirements for the general obligation debt as of June 30, 2016, are as follows:

#### **General Obligation Bonds Schedule:**

Series	Purpose	Date Issued	Date of Final Maturity	Interest	Original Issue	J	Balance une 30, 2016	Principal Due Within One Year	Interest Due Within One Year
2006B	Building	12/19/06	06/15/26	3.00% - 5.00%	\$ 450,000,000	\$	263,180,000	\$ 23,570,000	\$ 10,281,725
2007A	Refunding	03/01/07	06/15/25	4.00% - 5.00%	473,045,000		292,895,000	26,980,000	14,081,350
2007C	Building	12/11/07	06/15/21	5.00%	400,000,000		110,255,000	20,245,000	5,512,750
2008A	Building	06/03/08	06/15/22	5.00%	675,000,000		170,105,000	25,010,000	8,505,250
2010D	Building (QSCB)	07/08/10	06/15/20	5.51%	6,245,000		6,245,000	-	344,100
2012A	Refunding	10/04/12	06/15/21	5.00%	159,425,000		112,575,000	-	5,628,750
2013A	Vehicles & Equip	07/31/13	06/15/23	3.00% - 4.00%	32,855,000		21,175,000	4,160,000	726,825
2013B	Refunding	07/31/13	06/15/19	3.00% - 5.00%	95,870,000		53,555,000	24,255,000	2,677,750
2014A	Refunding	04/29/14	06/15/20	5.00% - 5.50%	131,175,000		78,690,000	31,305,000	4,091,025
2015A	Refunding	03/18/15	06/15/19	5.00%	257,445,000		214,760,000	71,105,000	10,738,000
2015C	Building/Refunding	11/23/15	06/15/35	4.00% - 5.00%	338,445,000		338,445,000	4,675,000	16,296,250
2016A	Refunding	06/16/16	06/15/25	5.00%	186,035,000		186,035,000	-	9,275,912
2016C	Vehicles & Equip	06/16/16	06/15/26	3.00% - 5.00%	33,470,000		33,470,000	2,735,000	1,586,281
						\$	1,881,385,000	\$ 234,040,000	\$ 89,745,968

## **General Obligation Revenue Bonds:**

The District also issues general obligation debt that is additionally secured by a pledge of proceeds of taxes deposited in the District's Bond Fund. The District receives the proceeds of a 1 5/8% room tax collected within Clark County and this revenue is reflected in total in the Bond Fund. The proceeds of a tax equivalent to 60 cents for each \$500 of value on transferred real property are also deposited by the county. The District pledges the room tax and the real property transfer tax revenues to pay debt service on certain general obligation debt. In 2016, the District received \$115,107,798 and pledged 100% of these revenues to pay the principal and interest requirement. The remaining principal and interest payment requirements for the general obligation debt additionally secured by these pledged revenues as of June 30, 2016 are as follows:

#### **General Obligation Revenue Bonds Schedule:**

Series Purpose	Date Issued	Date of Final Maturity	Interest	Original Issue	J	Balance une 30, 2016		Principal Due Within One Year	Interest Due Within One Year
2006 C Building	12/19/06	06/15/26	3.50% - 5.00%	\$ 125,000,000	\$	64,110,000	\$	6,550,000	\$ 2,781,150
2007 B Building	12/11/07	06/15/22	5.00%	250,000,000		84,560,000		12,650,000	4,228,000
2010A Building (QSCB)	07/08/10	06/15/24	4.74% - 5.51%	104,000,000		103,900,000		-	5,724,890
2011B Refunding	03/22/11	06/15/19	5.00%	29,420,000		11,125,000		-	556,250
2014B Refunding	04/29/14	06/15/20	5.00% - 5.50%	62,200,000		51,095,000		16,385,000	2,636,675
2015B Refunding	03/18/15	06/15/22	5.00%	129,080,000		114,220,000		17,015,000	5,711,000
2015D Building	11/23/15	06/15/35	4.00% - 5.00%	200,000,000		189,635,000		6,440,000	8,622,700
2016B Refunding	06/16/16	06/15/27	3.00% - 5.00%	90,775,000		90,775,000		100,000	4,524,148
					\$	709,420,000	\$	59,140,000	\$ 34,784,813

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#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 8 - GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS PAYABLE (continued)

At year end, pledged future revenues totaled \$939,360,409, which was the amount of the remaining principal and interest on these bonds.

General obligation bonds payable is reported net of premiums and discounts on the statement of net position.

#### **Summary of Debt Service:**

Following are the annual requirements to amortize all general obligation bonds outstanding at year-end:

				Total
Fiscal Year_		Principal	Interest	 Requirements
2017	\$	293,180,000	\$ 124,530,781	\$ 417,710,781
2018		307,925,000	110,138,390	418,063,390
2019		304,980,000	95,095,390	400,075,390
2020		229,845,000	80,040,790	309,885,790
2021		225,465,000	68,551,940	294,016,940
2022 - 26		912,225,000	193,526,534	1,105,751,534
2027 - 31		221,560,000	40,477,700	262,037,700
2032 - 35		95,625,000	9,776,400	105,401,400
Totals	\$ 2	2,590,805,000	\$ 722,137,925	\$ 3,312,942,925

A statutory limit of bonded indebtedness for school districts is set forth in Chapter 387.400 of the Nevada Revised Statutes. The limitation is based on 15% of the assessed valuation of property within the District, excluding motor vehicles. Based on the 2016 assessed valuation of \$71,055,253,233 the applicable debt limit is \$10,658,287,985 leaving the legal debt margin at \$8,067,482,985, notwithstanding the statutory tax rate limitation explained in **Note 1**. The District is in compliance with Chapter 387.400 as of June 30, 2016.

#### **Authorized Unissued Debt:**

In 1998, the District received both legislative and voter approval to issue a projected \$3.2 billion in long-term debt for school construction and modernization. The election authorized the District to issue general obligation bonds for school construction until June 30, 2008. As the authority to issue debt under this program has ended, the District will rely on pay-as-you-go financing to fund any capital requirements needed in the interim years. In the 2015 legislative session, Senate Bill 207 was passed which allows an extension of bond rollover funds from property taxes for districts to keep pace with the need for new schools and major repairs on existing schools. The bill gives school boards the authority to continue issuing construction bonds for 10 years beyond the time period approved by voters, although districts would not be allowed to raise property tax rates to pay debt service on the bonds. As of June 30, 2016, there is \$160 million in authorized unissued debt.

#### **Refunded Debt:**

In November 2015, the District issued \$198,445,000 of general obligation (limited tax) Series 2015C refunding bonds (this issue also included \$140,000,000 of general obligation (limited tax) building bonds). This action was taken to achieve interest savings as well as to maintain the current levy for future bond issuance. As a result, the refunded bonds are considered to be defeased and the liability has been removed from the governmental activities column of the statement of net position. Accordingly, the trust account assets and the liability for the defeased bonds are not included in the District's financial statements. With the Series 2015C refunding of bonds originally issued in 2007 and 2008 the District was able to reduce the cost of future debt service by approximately \$26 million, which equates to a net present value savings of 10.601 percent and an economic gain of \$21,036,209.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 8 - GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS PAYABLE (continued)

In June 2016, the District issued \$186,035,000 of general obligation (limited tax) Series 2016A refunding bonds. With this Series 2016A refunding of bonds originally issued in 2006 and 2007, the District was able to reduce the cost of future debt service by approximately \$36 million, which equates to a net present value savings of 17.318 percent and an economic gain of \$32,217,495.

Also in June 2016, the District issued \$90,775,000 of general obligation (additionally secured by pledged revenues) Series 2016B refunding bonds. With this Series 2016B refunding of bonds originally issued in 2006 and 2007, the District was able to reduce the cost of future debt service by approximately \$22 million, which equates to a net present value savings of 21.504 percent and an economic gain of \$19,520,431.

#### **Defeasement of Debt:**

The District has defeased certain general obligation bonds by placing the proceeds of new bonds into irrevocable trust accounts to provide for all future debt service payments on the old bonds. Accordingly, the trust account assets and the liability for the defeased bonds are not included in the District's financial statements. At June 30, 2016, the outstanding principal on the following bonds is considered defeased:

	Defeased
CCSD School Improvement & Building Bonds	Principal
Series 2006B: Dated December 19, 2006	\$ 28,110,000
Series 2006C: Dated December 19, 2006	16,810,000
Series 2007B: Dated December 11, 2007	89,500,000
Series 2007C: Dated December 11, 2007	168,240,000
Series 2008A: Dated June 3, 2008	227,960,000
Total	\$ 530,620,000

#### **Obligation for Arbitrage Payable:**

The Tax Reform Act of 1986 established arbitrage guidelines that require a rebate of interest earned on bond funds in excess of interest paid. At June 30, 2016 the District is currently reporting negative arbitrage and thus no rebate of interest is required.

#### **Debt Service Fund:**

Nevada Revised Statute 350.020 requires that the Board establish a restricted account within its debt service fund for payment of the outstanding bonds of the District. In 2012, Assembly Bill 376 changed the amount of the reserves required to 10% of the outstanding principal or 25% (changed from 100%) of the principal and interest payments due on all outstanding bonds of the District in the next fiscal year, whichever is less. The amounts on deposit in this restricted account are not directly pledged to pay debt service on the debt, and if permitted, may be used for other purposes. As of June 30, 2016, the amount required to fund this account was \$104,427,695; which was fully funded by the District in the Debt Service Fund restricted amount of \$43,426,485 and the Bond Fund restricted amount of \$61,001,210.

#### NOTE 9 - LEASES

#### **Operating Leases**

#### Lessee

The District leases a fiber optical wide-area network under a non-cancelable operating lease. Total costs for this lease were \$2,485,184 for the year ending June 30, 2016. The future minimum lease payments for this lease are as follows (see following page):

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#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 9 - LEASES (continued)

Year Ending, June 30	Amount
2017	\$ 2,403,120
2018	2,403,120
2019	2,403,120
2020	2,403,120
2021	2,403,120
2022 - 2024	7,209,360
Total	\$ 19,224,960

#### **Lessor**

In 2008, Vegas PBS entered into a lease agreement with Sprint Nextel, Inc. whereby Sprint Nextel leases available spectrum from Vegas PBS for commercial use. The term for this cancelable operating lease agreement is 15 years with automatic renewal of an additional 15 years, for a maximum of 30 years. The spectrum provided by the District is an intangible asset which carries no value on the financial statements. The revenue recognized for this period is \$1,355,992 which includes a monthly fee paid to the District by Sprint Nextel.

#### NOTE 10 - CHANGES IN LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

Long-term liability activity for the year-ended June 30, 2016 was as follows:

	Beginning Balance June 30, 2015	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance June 30, 2016	Due Within One Year
Governmental Activities:					
Bonds payable:					
General obligation bonds	\$ 1,964,995,000	\$ 557,950,000	\$ (641,560,000)	\$ 1,881,385,000	\$ 234,040,000
General obligation revenue bonds	583,895,000	290,775,000	(165,250,000)	709,420,000	59,140,000
Less: issuance discounts	(5,779,856)	-	656,151	(5,123,705)	
Plus: issuance premiums	168,649,237	150,984,070	(58,783,674)	260,849,633	
Total bonds payable	2,711,759,381	999,709,070	(864,937,523)	2,846,530,928	293,180,000
Compensated absences	58,850,004	25,613,773	(26,111,727)	58,352,050	25,360,911
Other long term liabilities	11,935,611	4,923,368		16,858,979	
Governmental activity long-term					
liabilities	\$ 2,782,544,996	\$ 1,030,246,211	\$ (891,049,250)	\$ 2,921,741,957	\$ 318,540,911
Business-type Activities:					
Compensated absences	\$ 1,092,606	\$ 278,748	\$ (337,775)	\$ 1,033,579	\$ 154,966

Internal service funds predominantly serve the governmental funds. Accordingly, their long-term liabilities are included as part of the above totals for governmental activities. At year end, \$374,557 of internal service funds compensated absences are included in the above amounts. In governmental activities, compensated absences are generally liquidated by a combination of the major and nonmajor governmental funds with the majority liquidated from the General Fund.

#### NOTE 11 - COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Per NRS 354.626, the District is required to report and explain expenditures that exceeded budgeted appropriations at the function level for the General Fund, Special Revenue, and Capital Project Funds. The sum of operating and non-operating expenses in the Enterprise and Internal Service Funds may not exceed total appropriations. As of June 30, 2016, the District reported the following expenditures over appropriations:

The District's major Special Education Fund total expenditures exceeded appropriation by almost \$11 million as licensed

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 11 - COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY (continued)

personnel salaries and subsequent benefits increased as a result of the increase of special need students and the salary table increase for licensed personnel in fiscal year 2016.

The District's Internal Service Fund – Insurance and Risk Management Fund reflects a budgeted expense overage of \$5.8 million due to the increase in the actuarial requirement for liability and property claims that were not included in the budget.

#### NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

All half-time or greater District employees are covered by the State of Nevada Public Employees Retirement System (the Plan), a cost sharing multiple-employer defined benefit plan of the public employee retirement system. The payroll for employees covered by the Plan for the year ended June 30, 2016 was \$1,489,469,168 and the District's total payroll was \$1,654,056,357. All full-time District employees are mandated by state law to participate in the Plan. Vested members are entitled to a life-time monthly retirement benefit equal to the service time multiplier (STM) percentages listed below times the member's years of service to a maximum of 30 years. The schedule of Eligibility for Monthly Unreduced Retirement Benefits for regular members and police/fire members are as follows:

Eligibility for Regular Members:									
	Hi	red	H	Hired	Hired				
Years	Prior to	7/01/01	Between 7/	01/01-12/31/09	After 1/	01/2010			
of Service	Age	STM %	Age	STM %	Age	STM %			
5 Years	65	2.5	65	2.67	65	2.5			
10 Years	60	2.5	60	2.67	62	2.5			
30 Years	Any age	2.5	Any age	2.67	Any age	2.5			
Eligibility for Police	e/Fire Membe	ers:							
	Hi	red	F	lired	Hired				
Years	Prior to	7/01/01	Between 7	7/01/01-12/31/09	After 1/	01/2010			
of Service	Age	STM %	Age	STM %	Age	STM %			
5 Years	65	2.5	65	2.67	65	2.5			
10 Years	60	2.5	60	2.67	60	2.5			
20 Years	50	2.5	50	2.67	50	2.5			
25 Years	Any age	2.5	Any age	2.67	-	-			
30 Years	-	-	-	-	Any age	2.5			

The member's beginning retirement compensation is the average of their highest working compensation for 36 consecutive months. Benefits fully vest with 5 years of service. The Plan also provides death and disability benefits. Benefits are established by state statute and provisions may only be amended through legislation.

All District employees in the plan are enrolled under a non-contributory plan. District payment of what were formerly employee contributions, was made in lieu of equivalent salary increases. Per Chapter 286 of the Nevada Revised Statutes, the District's contribution was based on the actuarially determined statutory rate of 28.00% in 2015-16 for unified, licensed, and support employees and 40.50% for police employees of gross compensation and amounted to \$417,942,468, 24.59% of the \$1,699,497,791 total paid by all employees and employers into the Plan for the year ended June 30, 2016. The District's contributions to PERS for the years ended June 30, 2015, 2014, and 2013 were \$376,340,869, \$364,569,644, and \$327,548,750, respectively, equal to the required contributions for each year, at the actuarially determined statutory



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (continued)

rates of 25.75, 25.75, and 23.75%, respectively, for unified, licensed and support employees and 40.50, 40.50, and 39.75%, respectively, for police employees.

At June 30, 2016, the District reported a liability of \$2,794,013,521 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2015 and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the level percentage-of-payroll contribution rates required to fund the Retirement System on an actuarial reserve basis. At June 30, 2016, the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability was 24.38177%.

For the year ended June 30, 2016, the District recognized pension income of \$96,997,556. At June 30, 2016 the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	 Deferred Outflows of Resources		ferred Inflows f Resources
Differences between expected and actual			
experience	\$ -	\$	210,158,186
Net difference between projected and actual			
earnings on pension plan investments	-		151,342,303
Changes in proportion and differences between			
District contributions and proportionate share of			
contributions	60,699,584		
District contributions subsequent to the			
measurement date	 417,942,468		-
Total	\$ 478,642,052	\$	361,500,489

The amount of \$417,942,468 was reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the pension expense in the year ended June 30, 2017. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows/(inflows) of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Reporting period ended June 30:	
2017	\$ (100,511,542)
2018	(100,511,542)
2019	(100,511,542)
2020	31,939,490
2021	(24,404,195)
Thereafter	(6,801,574)

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (continued)

Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

Inflation rate 3.50%

Payroll Growth 5.00%, including inflation

Investment return 8.00% Productivity pay increase 0.75%

Projected salary increases Regular: 4.60% to 9.75%, depending on service

Police/Fire: 5.25% to 14.50%, depending on service Rates include inflation and productivity increases

Consumer Price Index 3.50%

Other assumptions Same as those used in the June 30, 2015 funding

Actuarial valuation

Mortality Rates – For non-disabled male regular members it is the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table projected to 2013 with Scale AA. For non-disabled female regular members it is the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table, projected to 2013 with Scale AA, set back one year. For all non-disabled police/fire members it is the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table projected to 2013 with Scale AA, set forward one year.

The mortality table used in the actuarial valuation to project mortality rates for all disabled regular members and all disabled police/fire members is the RP-2000 Disabled Retiree Mortality Table projected to 2013 with Scale AA, set forward three years.

The actuarial assumptions and methods used in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation were adopted by the Public Employees' Retirement Board and were based on the results of the experience review completed in 2013.

The PERS Board evaluates and establishes expected real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expenses and inflation) for each asset class. The PERS Board reviews these capital market expectations annually. The target allocation and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

	Target	Long-Term Geometric
Asset Class	Allocation	Expected Real Rate of Return*
Domestic equity	42%	5.50%
International equity	18%	5.75%
Domestic Fixed Income	30%	0.25%
Private Markets	10%	6.80%

<sup>\*</sup> As of June 30, 2015, PERS' long-term inflation assumption was 3.5%

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 8.00% as of June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employees and employer contributions will be made at the rate specified in statute.

Based on that assumption, the pension plan's fiduciary net position at June 30, 2015, was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability as of June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014.



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 12 - DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (continued)

Sensitivity of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 8.00%, as well as what it would be using a discount rate that is 1-percentage–point lower (7.00%) or 1-percentage-point higher (9.00%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease in Discount Rate (7.00%)	Discount Rate (8.00%)	1% Increase in Discount Rate (9.00%)
Net Pension Liability	\$ 4,257,517,104	\$ 2,794,013,521	\$ 1,577,008,090

Pension plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued PERS financial report.

Financial statements for the Plan are available by calling (775) 687-4200 or writing to:

Public Employees' Retirement System of Nevada 693 W. Nye Lane Carson City, NV 89703-1599

#### NOTE 13 - RISK MANAGEMENT

<u>Risk Management</u> - The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and injuries to employees. The District accounts for such losses through its Insurance and Risk Management Internal Service Fund. The District retains the risk of financial loss per occurrence as follows:

- Worker's compensation up to \$1,250,000.
- 2. General liability and motor vehicle liability, with retention of \$3,000,000.
- 3. Errors and omissions and employment practices liability, with retention of \$3,000,000 per occurrence.
- 4. Property, including boiler and machinery and terrorism, with retention of \$500,000.
- 5. Broadcaster's liability, with retention of \$5,000.
- 6. Crime/employee dishonesty, with retention of \$50,000.
- 7. National Flood Insurance Program, with retention of \$50,000 for specific schools.
- 8. Pollution Liability Environmental, with retention of \$50,000.

The District purchases commercial insurance for occurrences in excess of the foregoing retention levels. The District's insurance program is evaluated annually, utilizing industry and claims data to ensure the coverage limits remain adequate. New policies are purchased as new loss exposures are identified. Retention levels are also reviewed annually to ensure that self-funded claim payments remain at a reasonable amount. The District remains adequately covered for losses and no settlements exceeded insurance coverage in the past fifteen years.

The Insurance and Risk Management Internal Service Fund insures all operational activities of the District by charging premiums to other funds of the District. Premiums charged are based on estimates of the amounts needed to pay actual and projected claims, to support self-insurance operational costs, and to establish a self-insured

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 13 - RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

reserve for incurred losses. The estimates of the liability insurance claims payable of \$14,532,679 and the worker's compensation claims payable of \$15,421,300 at June 30, 2016, were determined by the District with the assistance of an independent actuarial study as of that date and are reflected in the financial statements of the Insurance and Risk Management Internal Service Fund as claims payables and other long term liabilities.

The actuarial study, which is prepared annually, calculates the estimated future losses for the District. The current amount reflected represents the amount due in fiscal year 2016-2017.

The District relies upon a statistical measure known as a confidence level to determine its estimated outstanding losses as calculated by the study. Estimated losses are recorded at their expected values, which correspond to an approximate 50%-55% confidence level. Information regarding actual claims expenses incurred and paid can be seen in the table below.

A summary of changes in the aggregate claims liabilities for the past two years follows:

	Fiscal 2016	Fiscal 2015
Beginning Balance - July 1, 2015 and 2014	\$ 22,762,611	\$ 20,901,159
Claims Incurred	11,878,658	8,041,054
Changes in Estimates for Claims of the Prior Periods	7,191,368	1,495,251
Claims Paid	(11,878,658)	(7,674,853)
Ending Balance - June 30, 2016 and 2015	\$ 29,953,979	\$ 22,762,611
Short term portion	13,095,000	10,827,000
Long term portion	16,858,979	11,935,611

The unassigned fund balance in the Insurance and Risk Management Fund is negative due to the effect of GASB Statement No. 68 which required the District to record its proportionate share of the unfunded liability.

#### NOTE 14 - ENCUMBRANCES AND COMMITMENTS

In November 2015, the District renewed its interest-bearing time certificate of deposit used for the self-insured workers' compensation program as a security deposit with the Nevada Division of Insurance. The amount of the deposit, \$8,326,000, is based on the total incurred cost of current and future claims as estimated by the office of the State Insurance Commissioner. See **Note 3**.

#### **Construction Commitments and Encumbrances**

The District utilizes encumbrance accounting in its governmental funds. Encumbrances are recognized as a valid and proper charge against a budget appropriation in the year in which a purchase order, contract, or other commitment is issued. In general, unencumbered appropriations lapse at year end. Open encumbrances at fiscal year end are included in restricted, committed, or assigned fund balance, as appropriate. The following schedule outlines significant encumbrances included in governmental fund balances:

<u>Major Funds</u>	Re	stricted Fund Balance	signed Fund Balance
General Fund	\$	3,279,993	\$ 3,573,733
Bond Fund		122,911,461	-
Nonmajor Funds			
Aggregate nonmajor funds		12,386,900	-
	\$	138,578,354	\$ 3,573,733



## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 14 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (continued)

Total encumbrances for general fund and capital projects as of June 30, 2016 were \$142,152,087. In the General Fund, the total encumbrance balance is \$6,853,726 of which; \$3,279,993 was restricted and \$715,897 was assigned to the purchase of new buses and \$2,857,836 was assigned to the maintenance and upkeep of various school buildings and grounds.

As of June 30, 2016, funds remain from the 1998 voter-approved bond program and the 2015 bond program for the construction of new and replacement schools. The following schedule outlines the programmed construction commitments as of June 30, 2016. The total restricted amount of \$414,896,113 is construction contracts from the 1998 voter-approved bond program and the 2015 bond program which is shown as a restriction for capital projects in the Bond Fund.

1998 & 2015 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN PROGRAMS										
School	1998 CIP PLAN	2015 CIP PLAN								
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS										
Rex Bell ES	Replacement School	\$ -	\$ 37,205,666							
Patricia Bendorf ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	10,419	-							
Grant Bowler ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	7,566	-							
Walter Bracken ES	LAN Upgrade, Expand ER/TR Rooms, Replace Security Camera System	17,087	-							
Roger Bryan ES	Replace Cooling Tower	307,140	-							
Arturo Cambiero ES	Replace Boilers, Replace Chillers, Replace Cooling Tower, Replace HVAC Controls, Replace Roof	2,765,000	-							
Roberta Cartwright ES	Replace Boilers, Replace Chillers, Replace Cooling Tower, Replace HVAC Controls, Replace Roof	2,765,000	-							
Manuel Cortez ES	Replace Cooling Tower	60,745	-							
Dorothy Eisenberg ES	LAN Upgrade	64,087	-							
Wing & Lily Fong ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	25,102	-							
Daniel Goldfarb ES	Replace Cooling Tower	57,847	-							
Doris Hancock ES	LAN Upgrade, Classroom Technology, Expand ER/TR Rooms, Replace Intrusion Alarm System, Replace Clock/Intercom System, Replace Security Camera System	51,422	-							
Keith & Karen Hayes ES	Replace Cooling Tower	72,875	-							
Helen Herr ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	29,891	-							
Halle Hewetson ES	LAN Upgrade, Classroom Technology, Expand ER/TR Rooms, Replace Intrusion Alarm System, Replace Security Camera System	1,890,637	-							
Charlotte Hill ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	10,735	-							
Marc Kahre ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	134,000	-							
Edythe & Lloyd Katz ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	28,556	-							
Lorna Kesterson ES	Replace Cooling Tower	70,464	-							
Frank Lamping ES	Replace Cooling Tower	261,390	-							
Lincoln ES	Replacement School	-	37,540,818							
Mary & Zel Lowman ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	12,479	-							
Robert Lunt ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	55,678	-							
Nate Mack ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	52,553	-							
Reynaldo Martinez ES	Replace Cooling Tower	45,141	-							
Ernest May ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	15,841	-							
Quannah McCall ES	Replace Cooling Tower	10,896	-							
Andrew Mitchell ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	76,139	-							
William Moore ES	Replace Cooling Tower	59,453	-							
Ulis Newton ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	12,062	-							

## NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

## NOTE 14 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (continued)

School	Capital Project	1998 CIP PLAN	2015 CIP PLAN
ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS, CO	ONT.	ILAN	I EAN
Paradise ES	Replace Cooling Tower	\$ 262,841	\$ -
Ute Perkins ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	8,601	
Bertha Ronzone ES	Classroom Addition	255,000	
Jim Thorpe ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	55,411	
Howard Wasden ES	LAN Upgrade, Classroom Technology, Expand ER/TR Rooms, Replace Fire Alarm, Replace Clock/Intercom System, Replace Security System, Install Security at School Entrance	5,611	-
West Prep ES	Construct West Prep K-5 Addition, Connectivity to Existing Building and Replace Tennis Courts	20,520,132	-
Gwendolyn Woolley ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	29,012	-
Elaine Wynn ES	HVAC Upgrade (Pending Close-Out Issues)	14,734	-
Elaine Wynn ES	Classroom Addition	179,550	
MIDDLE SCHOOLS			
J. Harold Brinley MS	LAN Upgrade, Classroom Technology, Expand ER/TR Rooms	\$ 160	\$ -
J. Harold Brinley MS	Replace Cooling Tower	22,203	-
Kenny Guinn MS	LAN Upgrade, Classroom Technology, Expand ER/TR Rooms (CMAR Package awarded to Core Construction 01/09/2014), Electrical Upgrades (Required for Technology Upgrade)	4,622	-
K. O. Knudson MS	LAN Upgrade, Classroom Technology, Expand ER/TR Rooms, Replace Fire Alarm, Replace Clock/Intercom System, Electrical Upgrades, Replace Intrusion Alarm System, Replace Security Camera System, Replace 2 Cooling Towers	845,033	-
Dell Robison MS	Replace Cooling Tower	37,400	-
Sandy Valley M/HS	Replace Temporary Gymnasium With New Gymnasium. Phase I of Phased Replacement.	4,812,932	-
Grant Sawyer MS	Replace HVAC System, Replace Fire Alarm, Replace Boilers	1,960,646	
HIGH SCHOOLS			
Boulder City HS	Phase II of Phased Replacement (Classrooms & Admin)	\$ 13,400,000	\$ -
Clark HS	Emergency Replacement of Underground Piping for Fire Lane	255,000	
Indian Springs MS/HS	Replace Security Camera System, Intercom/Clock System, Intrusion Alarm & Fire Alarm	239,878	
LVAISPA	Low Voltage Upgrade	82,430	
Rancho HS	Cooling Tower Replacement	12,390	-
Virgin Valley HS	Construct Gymnasium Addition	8,100,000	
Virgin Valley HS	Bleachers Upgrade at Football Field	750,000	-
Virgin Valley HS	Concession Stand Upgrades to Ball Fields	150,000	
NEW SCHOOLS FOR CAPACI			
E. Galleria & Dave Wood Circle	Construct New Elementary School	\$ -	\$ 34,016,644
Chartan & Pioneer	Construct New Elementary School	-	36,638,936
Arville & Mesa Verde	Construct New Elementary School	-	34,659,675



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 14 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (continued)

1998 & 2015 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PLAN PROGRAMS												
School	1998 CIP PLAN	2015 CIP PLAN										
<b>NEW SCHOOLS FOR CAPACITY,</b>	CONT.											
Lamb & Kell Lane	Construct New Elementary School	\$ -	\$ 32,017,433									
Antelope Ridge Drive	Construct New Elementary School	-	36,524,645									
Maule & Grand Canyon	Construct New Elementary School	-	31,985,328									
Dean Martin & I-15	Construct New Elementary School	-	12,051,300									
Ford & Riley	Construct New Elementary School	-	12,028,800									
Beltrada & Via Italia	Construct New Elementary School	-	12,060,000									
Chapata & Casady Hollow	Construct New Elementary School	-	12,060,000									
Farm & Jensen	Construct New Elementary School	-	12,031,555									
Spencer & Pyle	Construct New Elementary School	-	12,060,000									
OTHER												
Administrative		\$ 269,595	\$ 623,142									
Land Acquisition	Maule & Grand Canyon	-	148,785									
<b>FUNDED PROJECTS IN PROGRE</b>	SS TOTALS	\$ 61,243,386	\$ 353,652,727									

#### **Legal Contingencies**

The District is a defendant in various legal actions. The financial impact of these actions is not determinable; however, it is the opinion of District legal counsel and management that none of these actions would have a material impact on the District's financial condition.

#### NOTE 15 - CLASSIFICATIONS OF GENERAL FUND FUND BALANCE

The District reports classifications of nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned and unassigned fund balance which represent management's intended use of resources available to the District.

Unassigned ending fund balance is that fund balance exclusive of non-spendable amounts such as inventories and amounts restricted, committed, or assigned for preexisting obligations. Portions of the larger fund balance at June 30, 2016, are being assigned to carry over into 2017 for instructional supply appropriations, school bus appropriations, school carryover, and categorical indirect costs. The following are explanations of the reported classifications of fund balance in the General Fund:

#### Restricted for:

- Donations to restrict donations as required by donor for various purposes.
- City of Henderson RDA to restrict funds for redevelopment projects.
- School technology to restrict funds for the acquisition of transportation and technology equipment.
- School bus appropriations to restrict funds to cover commitments related to unfilled contracts for new buses.

#### Assigned to:

- Instructional supply appropriations to classify funds to cover commitments related to unfilled contracts for goods and services including purchase orders.
- School bus appropriations to classify funds to cover commitments related to unfilled contracts for new buses.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 15 - CLASSIFICATIONS OF GENERAL FUND FUND BALANCE (continued)

- School carryover District schools are allowed to carry over into the next year an apportionment of their unspent budgets from the current fiscal/school year.
- Categorical indirect costs to classify funds associated with indirect costs, including vacation accruals, from federal programs.

#### NOTE 16 - POST EMPLOYMENT HEALTHCARE PLAN

Plan Description. The District subsidizes eligible retirees' contributions to the Public Employees' Benefits Plan (PEBP), an agent multiple-employer defined benefit postemployment healthcare plan administered by the State of Nevada. NRS 287.041 assigns the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions to the PEBP nine-member board of trustees. The plan is now closed to current CCSD retirees, however, district employees who previously met the eligibility requirement for retirement within the Nevada Public Employee Retirement System had the option upon retirement to enroll in coverage under the PEBP with a subsidy provided by the District as determined by their number of years of service. The PEBP issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained by writing to Public Employee's Benefits Program, 901 S. Stewart Street, Suite 1001, Carson City, NV, 89701, by calling (775) 684-7000, or by accessing the website at <a href="https://www.pebp.state.nv.us/informed/financial.htm">www.pebp.state.nv.us/informed/financial.htm</a>.

Funding Policy. NRS 287.046 establishes the subsidies to be contributed toward the premium costs of the eligible retired district employees. Plan members receiving benefits have their monthly contributions deducted from their pension checks based on the health plan chosen by the retiree as reduced by the amount of the subsidy. Retirees qualify for a subsidy of (\$323) at five years of service and \$161 at 20 years of service with incremental increases for each year of service between. The contribution requirements of plan members and the District are established and amended by the PEBP board of trustees. As a participating employer, the District is billed for the subsidy on a monthly basis and is legally required under NRS 287.023 to provide for it.

For fiscal year 2016, the District contributed \$9,532,841 to the plan for current premiums. The District did not prefund any future benefits.

Annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation. The District's annual other postemployment benefit (OPEB) cost (expense) for the plan is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer (ARC), an amount obtained from the actuarial report provided every two years. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and to amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed thirty years.

As of July 1, 2011, PEBP introduced significant plan design changes for retirees participating in their program. As a result of these changes, pre-Medicare and non-eligible Medicare retirees participate in a Consumer Driven Healthcare Plan (CDHP) in which PEBP provides \$700 to a Health Reimbursement Account (HRA) per year for the retiree and \$200 for each dependent (up to a maximum of \$600). In fiscal year 2013, an additional \$400 HRA contribution is provided to all retirees and \$100 per dependent. Also, for those CDHP retirees with 20 or more years of service as of June 30, 2012 an additional \$200 allocation is provided. Medicare retirees participate in a Medicare Exchange provided Extend Health with PEBP providing a service related contribution to a HRA equal to a base amount of \$12 per month per year of service (maximum of \$240 per month). Prior to this plan year, the base amount was \$11.

The Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) decreased by about 13.4% or \$ 22.8 million from the last valuation performed for fiscal year 2015, due in large part to reflecting updated actual experience data for fiscal year 2016.

In fiscal year 2016, the District's annual OPEB cost (expense) was \$10,870,616 for the PEBP. The District's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan, and the net OPEB obligation for 2016 and the preceding two years is as follows (see following page):



#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 16 - POST EMPLOYMENT HEALTHCARE PLAN (continued)

			ual OPEB Cost rojected Unit	% of Annual OPEB Cost	Net OPEB
1	Fiscal Year Ended	•	t Cost Method)	Contributed	 Obligation
	6/30/2014	\$	12,506,571	86%	\$ 34,470,928
	6/30/2015	\$	12,123,991	81%	\$ 36,827,845
	6/30/2016	\$	10,870,616	88%	\$ 38,165,620

The following table shows the components of the District's annual OPEB cost for the past three years, the amount actually contributed to the plan, and changes in the district's net OPEB obligation to the PEBP:

	Fiscal 2016	Fiscal 2015	Fiscal 2014
Annual Required Contribution	\$ 12,520,386	\$13,468,127	\$ 13,781,443
Interest on net OPEB obligation	1,473,114	1,378,837	1,307,786
Adjustment to annual required contribution	(3,122,884)	(2,722,973)	(2,582,658)
Annual OPEB cost (expense)	10,870,616	12,123,991	12,506,571
Contributions made	(9,532,841)	(9,767,074)	(10,730,287)
Increase/(Decrease) in net OPEB obligation	1,337,775	2,356,917	1,776,284
Net OPEB obligation - beginning of the year	36,827,845	34,470,928	32,694,644
Net OPEB obligation - end of the year	\$ 38,165,620	\$36,827,845	\$ 34,470,928

Funded Status and Funding Progress. The District's most recent actuarial valuation was as of July 1, 2015 and, as of the end of the fiscal year, the District has not prefunded any portion of the plan. The actuarial accrued liability (AAL) for benefits was \$147,651,619 and having not funded the obligation, the District currently has no associated assets to offset this liability. Because of this, the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) is equal to the AAL. PEBP is closed to new District participants as of November 1, 2008; therefore, covered payroll is zero.

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about mortality, and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, present information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liabilities for benefits.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions. Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

In the July 1, 2015 actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit actuarial cost method was used. The liabilities incorporate a 4% investment rate of return. An annual healthcare cost trend rate of 7% is used initially, reduced by decrements to an ultimate rate of 5% in 2023. The inflation rate assumed in this valuation is 2.5%, which is used to develop the impact of the excise tax. The HRA assumes a 0% trend rate.

Because of changes to state law, as of September 1, 2008, the plan was no longer available to those actively employed past this date. As a result, over time the District expects the liability to begin to decrease and eventually disappear over the life of the amortization period. The UAAL is being amortized as a level dollar on an open basis over a period of approximately 16 years.

#### NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

#### NOTE 17 - DONOR RESTRICTED ENDOWMENTS

In 2016, Vegas PBS received an additional \$31,250 in donations to their term endowment bringing the total reserve balance to \$1,747,600. The corpus (principal) of the endowment is restricted from use for a set period of time while the corresponding appreciation may be spent as Vegas PBS sees fit for their various programs. Currently, the District does not have a policy restricting the authorization and spending of endowment investment income. State statute, NRS 164, allows a local government to authorize expenditures of net appreciation as is prudent for the government. As of June 30, 2016, there was \$720,115 of net appreciation recognized on these investments.

#### NOTE 18 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On September 9, 2016, a plan to reorganize the Clark County School District (Nevada Assembly Bill No. 394) was approved by the Legislative Commission and adopted into the Nevada Administrative Code (NAC388G). The District will use the 2016-2017 school year to plan for the new regulation, with full implementation to be completed by the 2017-2018 school year. Please visit <a href="http://ab394.ccsd.net">http://ab394.ccsd.net</a> for additional information.



# REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actu Value of	f Assets	 Actuarial Accrued iability (AAL) Unit Credit (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)			UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((b-a)/c)
7/1/2012	\$	-	\$ 161,855,834	\$ 161,855,834	0%	\$	_	1	N/A
7/1/2013		-	174,463,384	174,463,384	0%		-	1	N/A
7/1/2015		-	147,651,619	147,651,619	0%		-	1	N/A

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> PEBP closed to new District participants as of November 1, 2008; therefore, covered payroll is zero as of July 1, 2012 valuation date.

# REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY

#### Public Employees' Retirement System of Nevada

Last 10 Fiscal Years\* (Dollar amounts in thousands)

	2015	 2016
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	24.20 %	24.38 %
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 2,522,385	\$ 2,794,014
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 1,412,077	\$ 1,476,545
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	178.63 %	189.23 %
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	76.3 %	75.1 %

<sup>\*</sup> The amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of 6/30.

<sup>\*</sup> Fiscal year 2015 was the 1st year of implementation, therefore only two years are shown.



# REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S CONTRIBUTIONS

#### Public Employees' Retirement System of Nevada

Last 10 Fiscal Years (Dollar amounts in thousands)

	2007*		2008		2009		_	2010
Contractually required contribution	\$	-	\$	\$283,026	\$	297,423	\$	315,918
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution				(283,026)	_	(297,423)	_	(315,918)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$		\$		\$		\$	
District's covered-employee payroll	\$	1,366,826	\$	1,378,017	\$	1,446,555	\$	1,449,787
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		0.00 %		20.54 %		20.56 %		21.79 %

<sup>\*</sup> Data is not available for fiscal year 2007

#### Public Employees' Retirement System of Nevada

Last 10 Fiscal Years (Dollar amounts in thousands)

 2011	2012		2012			2012		2012 2013		2014			2015	2016		
\$ 312,850	\$	331,265	\$	327,549	\$	364,570	\$	376,341	\$	414,286						
 (312,850)	_	(331,265)		(327,549)		(364,570)	_	(376,341)		(414,286)						
\$ _	\$		\$		\$		\$		\$							
\$ 1,448,540	\$	1,390,862	\$	1,373,242	\$	1,412,077	\$	1,476,545	\$	1,489,469						
21.60 %		23.82 %		23.85 %		25.82 %		25.49 %		27.81 %						

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# NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

Changes of benefit terms. There have been no changes in benefit terms since the last valuation.

Changes of assumptions. There have been no changes in actuarial assumptions or methods since the last valuation.

## APPENDIX B

# SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE 2017B BOND RESOLUTION



## APPENDIX B - SUMMARY OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE 2017B BOND RESOLUTION

The following is a brief summary of certain provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution and is qualified in its entirety by the provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution itself.

### **Definitions**

As used in the 2017B Bond Resolution, the following terms shall, for all purposes, have the following meanings unless the context clearly requires otherwise.

"Annual Principal and Interest Requirements" means the sum of the principal of and interest on the Outstanding Bonds and any other Outstanding designated securities payable from the Pledged Revenues having a lien thereon superior to or on a parity with the lien thereon of the Bonds, to be paid during any Bond Year, but excluding any reserve requirements to secure such payments unless otherwise expressly provided and excluding any amount payable from capitalized interest. In calculating this amount, the principal amount of bonds required to be redeemed prior to maturity pursuant to a mandatory redemption schedule contained in the 2017B Bond Resolution or other instrument authorizing the issuance of such bonds (e.g., the schedule, if any, set forth in the Certificate of the District's Chief Financial Officer) shall be treated as maturing in the Bond Year in which such bonds are so required to be redeemed, rather than in the Bond Year in which the stated maturity of such bonds occurs.

"Board" means the Clark County School District Board of Trustees, including any successor of the District.

"Bond Act" means NRS 350.500 through 350.720, and all laws amendatory thereof, designated in NRS 350.500 as the Local Government Securities Law.

"Bond Fund" or "2017B Bond Fund" means the special account designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, Pledged Revenues Interest and Principal Retirement Fund," created in the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"Bond Requirements" means the principal of, any prior redemption premiums due in connection with, and the interest on the Bonds and any additional bonds or other additional securities payable from the Pledged Revenues and hereafter issued, or such part of such securities or such other securities as may be designated, as such principal, premiums and interest become due at maturity or on a Redemption Date designated in a mandatory redemption schedule, in a notice of prior redemption, or otherwise.

"2017B Bond Resolution" means the bond resolution authorizing the issuance of the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B."

"Bonds" or "2017B Bonds" means the securities issued pursuant to the 2017B Bond Resolution and designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B."

"2016E Bonds" means the designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2016E."

"2016B Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2016B."

"2015D Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) School Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2015D."

"2015B Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2015B."

"2014B Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2014B."

"2011B Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2011B."

"2007B Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) School Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2007B."

"2006C Bonds" means the securities designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) School Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2006C."

"Bond Year" means the 12 months commencing on June 16 of any calendar year and ending on June 15 of the next succeeding calendar year.

"<u>Capital Projects Fund</u>" means the special account created by the Board pursuant to NRS 387.328 for the purposes set forth therein.

"<u>Chief Financial Officer</u>" means the de jure or de facto Superintendent of the District or the Chief Financial Officer of the District, or any deputy chief financial officer designated for purposes of NRS 350.165, including any interim chief financial officer.

"Combined Maximum Annual Principal and Interest Requirements" means the greatest of the Annual Principal and Interest Requirements to be paid during any Bond Year for the period beginning with the Bond Year in which such computation is made and ending with the Bond Year in which any bond last becomes due at maturity or on a Redemption Date on which any bond thereafter maturing is called for prior redemption. If any outstanding bonds are subject to variable interest rates, for the purpose of such computation, such interest rates shall be determined by an Independent Accountant, an independent feasibility consultant or the District's Chief Financial Officer. Any such computation shall be adjusted as provided in Section 803C of the 2017B Bond Resolution, and shall be made by an Independent Accountant, an independent feasibility consultant or the District's Chief Financial Officer, if expressly so required.

"Cost of the Project" means all or any part designated by the District of the cost of the Project, which cost, at the option of the District, except as limited by law, may include all or any part of the incidental costs relating to the Project, including, without limitation:

- (a) Preliminary expenses advanced by the District from funds available for use therefor or from any other source, or advanced with the approval of the District from funds available therefor or from any other source by the State, the Federal Government, or by any other Person with the approval of the District (or any combination thereof);
- (b) The costs in the making of surveys, audits, preliminary plans, other plans, specifications, estimates of costs, and other preliminaries;
- (c) The costs of premiums on builders' risk insurance and performance bonds, or a reasonably allocable share thereof,
- (d) The costs of making, publishing, posting, mailing and otherwise giving any notice in connection with the Project, the filing or recordation of instruments, the taking of options, the issuance of the Bonds and any other securities relating to the Project, and bank fees and expenses;
- (e) The costs of contingencies;
- (f) The costs of any discount on the bonds or other securities, and of any reserves for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds or other securities, of any replacement expenses, and of any other cost of the

issuance of the Bonds or other securities relating to the Project;

- (g) The costs of amending any resolution or other instrument authorizing the issuance of or otherwise relating to the Outstanding Bonds or other securities relating to the Project;
- (h) All other expenses necessary or desirable and relating to the Project, as estimated or otherwise ascertained by the District.

"<u>District</u>" means the Clark County School District of Clark County in the State, and constituting a political subdivision, or any successor thereof.

"Escrow Account" means the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, Escrow Account" created in the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"Events of Default" means the events stated in Section 1103 of the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"<u>Federal Securities</u>" means bills, certificates of indebtedness, notes, bonds or similar securities which are direct obligations of, or the principal and interest of which securities are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States.

"<u>Fiscal Year</u>" means the 12 months commencing on July 1 of any calendar year and ending on June 30 of the next succeeding calendar year; but if the Nevada legislature changes the statutory fiscal year relating to the District, the Fiscal Year shall conform to such modified statutory fiscal year from the time of each such modification, if any.

"General Tax Interest Account" means the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, General Tax Interest Account," created in Section 501 of the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"General Tax Principal Account" means the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, General Tax Principal Account," created in Section 501 of the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"General Taxes" or "Taxes" means general (ad valorem) taxes levied by the District against all taxable property within the boundaries of the District (unless otherwise qualified).

"Income Fund" means the special account designated as the "Clark County School District, Nevada, Pledged Revenues Income Fund" continued in Section 602 of the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"Independent Accountant" means any certified public accountant, or any firm of certified public accountants, duly licensed to practice and practicing as such under the laws of the State, as from time to time appointed and compensated by the District:

- (a) Who or which is, in fact, independent and not under the domination of the District:
- (b) Who or which does not have any substantial interest, direct or indirect, with the District, and
- (c) Who or which is not connected with the District as an officer or employee thereof, but who may be regularly retained to make annual or similar audits of any books or records of the District.

"<u>Outstanding</u>" when used with reference to the Bonds or any other designated securities and as of any particular date means all the Bonds or any such other securities payable from the Pledged Revenues, as the case may be, in any manner theretofore and thereupon being executed and delivered:

- (a) Except any Bond or other security canceled by the District, by the Paying Agent or otherwise on the District's behalf, at or before such date;
- (b) Except any Bond or other security the payment of which is then due or past due and moneys fully sufficient to pay the same are on deposit with the Paying Agent;
- (c) Except any Bond or other security for the payment or the redemption of which moneys at least equal to the District's Bond Requirements to the date of maturity or to any Redemption Date, shall have heretofore been deposited with a trust bank in escrow or in trust for that purpose, as provided in Section 1001 of the 2017B Bond Resolution; and
- (d) Except any Bond or other security in lieu of or in substitution for which another bond or other security shall have been executed and delivered pursuant to Sections 306 or 1209 of the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"Owner" or any similar term, when used in conjunction with any Bonds, or any other designated securities, means the registered owner of any Bonds or other security which is registrable for payment if it shall at the time be registered for payment otherwise than to bearer.

"<u>Parity Securities</u>" means bonds or securities which have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is on a parity with the lien thereon of the Bonds authorized by the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"Parity Lien Bonds" means the Outstanding 2006C Bonds, 2007B Bonds, 2011B Bonds, 2015B Bonds, 2015D Bonds and 2016B Bonds.

"Paying Agent" means The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. or any successor which may be appointed from time to time as paying agent for the Bonds.

"Pledged Revenues" means all income and revenue derived by the District from the collection of the proceeds of taxes deposited in the Capital Projects Fund pursuant to NRS 244.3354, 268.0962 and 375.070. "Pledged Revenues" includes any additional income to be paid to the District from any supplemental or additional excise taxes received by the District, if the Board is authorized to include and elects to include the additional income in "Pledged Revenues" for the remaining term of the Bonds.

"Project" means the refunding of the Refunded Bonds and the costs of issuance related thereto.

"Project Act" means NRS 387.328, as amended.

"Rebate Account" means the "Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, Rebate Account" created in the 2017B Bond Resolution.

"Redemption Date" means a date fixed for the redemption prior to their respective maturities of any Bonds or other designated securities payable from any Pledged Revenues in any mandatory redemption schedules, or in any notice of prior redemption or otherwise fixed and designated by the District.

"Redemption Price" means, when used with respect to a Bond or other designated security payable from any Pledged Revenues, the principal amount thereof plus the applicable premium, if any, payable upon the redemption thereof prior to the stated maturity date of such Bond or other security on a Redemption Date in the manner contemplated in accordance with the security's terms.

"Registrar" means The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A. or any successor which may be appointed from time to time as registrar for the Bonds.

"Regular Record Date" means the last day of the calendar month next preceding each interest payment date.

"Special Record Date" means a special date fixed by the Paying Agent to determine the names and addresses of Owners of the Bonds for the payment of any defaulted interest on any of the Bonds, as further provided in Section 302 of the 2017B Bond Resolution. At least 10 days' notice will be given by the Paying Agent by first-class regular mail to each Owner of a Bond as stated on the Registrar's registration list at the close of business on a date fixed by the Paying Agent, stating the date of the Special Record Date and the due date fixed for the payment of such defaulted interest.

"State" means the State of Nevada, in the United States.

"<u>Subordinate Securities</u>" means bonds or securities which have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is subordinate and junior to the lien thereon of the Bonds herein authorized.

"Superior Securities" means special obligation bonds or securities which have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is superior to the lien thereon of the Bonds.

"<u>Tax Code</u>" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date of delivery of the Bonds.

"Taxes" means General Taxes.

### **Application of Proceeds**

First, there shall be credited to the Bond Fund all moneys, if any, received as accrued interest on the Bonds from their sale by the District from the date of the Bonds to the date of their delivery to the initial purchaser of the Bonds, to apply to the payment of interest on the Bonds as the same becomes due after their delivery. Second, Bond proceeds, together with other available monies, in an amount sufficient to effect the refunding of the Refunded Bonds shall be deposited in the Escrow Account to be used solely for the purpose of paying the Bond Requirements of the Refunded Bonds. Third, the remaining proceeds shall be credited to the Clark County School District, Nevada 2017B Refunding Bonds Cost of Issuance Account (the "Cost of Issuance Account") to pay the costs of issuance relating to the Project. The unexpended proceeds derived from the sale of the Bonds and remaining in the Cost of Issuance Account shall be deposited into the Bond Fund.

### Flow of Funds

So long as any of the Bonds shall be Outstanding, as to any Bond Requirements, the entire Pledged Revenues shall be set aside and credited immediately to the Income Fund.

So long as any of the Bonds shall be Outstanding, as to any Bond Requirements, the Income Fund shall be administered, and the moneys on deposit therein shall be applied in the following order of priority:

- (a) First, from the Pledged Revenues, there will be credited to any bond fund created to pay the principal of, interest on and prior redemption premiums due on any Superior Securities issued in accordance with the provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution:
  - (1) Monthly, an amount in equal monthly installments necessary, together with any other moneys from time to time available therefor from whatever source, to pay the next maturing installment of interest on the Superior Securities.
  - (2) Monthly, an amount in equal monthly installments necessary, together with any other moneys from time to time available therefor from whatever source, to pay the next installment of principal of the Superior Securities coming due at maturity, and an amount sufficient to pay the principal of, interest on and any prior redemption premiums due on the Outstanding Superior Securities.
- (b) Second, the following transfers will be concurrently credited to the Bond Fund concurrently with the transfers to the bond funds for the Parity Lien Bonds and other Parity Securities hereafter issued, in accordance with the provisions of bond resolutions authorizing the issuance of any such Parity Securities:
  - (1) Monthly, commencing on the fifteenth of the month following the date of delivery of the Bonds, an amount in equal monthly installments necessary, together with any other moneys available therefor, to pay the next maturing installment of interest on the Bonds, then Outstanding, and monthly thereafter, commencing on each interest payment date, one-sixth of the amount necessary together with any other monies available therefor and on deposit therein, to pay the next maturing installment of interest on the Bonds then Outstanding.
  - (2) Monthly, commencing on the later of the fifteenth of the month following the date of delivery of the Bonds or 12 months prior to the first principal payment on the Bonds, an amount in equal monthly installments necessary, together with any other monies available therefor, to pay the next installment of principal of the Bonds, coming due at maturity, and monthly thereafter, commencing on each principal payment date, one-twelfth of the amount necessary, together with any other monies from time to time available therefor and on deposit therein, to pay the next installment of principal of the Bonds coming due at maturity, or pursuant to mandatory sinking fund requirements, if any.

No payment need be made into the Bond Fund, if the amounts in the Bond Fund, total a sum at least equal to the entire amount of the Bond Requirements of Outstanding Bonds, both

accrued and not accrued, to their respective maturities, in which case moneys in that account in an amount at least equal to such Bond Requirements will be used solely to pay such Bond Requirements as the same become due; and any moneys in excess thereof in the Bond Fund, and any other moneys derived from the Pledged Revenues will be applied as provided in the 2017B Bond Resolution.

- (c) Third, either concurrently with or subsequent to the payments required above, any moneys remaining in the Income Fund may be used by the District for the payment of Bond Requirements of additional bonds or other additional securities payable from the Pledged Revenues and hereafter authorized to be issued. The lien of such additional bonds or other additional securities on the Pledged Revenues and the pledge thereof for the payment of such additional securities will be superior to, on a parity with or subordinate to the lien and pledge of the Bonds. Payments for bond and reserve funds for any Superior Securities will be made concurrently with the payments for Superior Securities required above. Payments for bond and reserve funds for additional Parity Securities will be made concurrently with the payments for the Bonds required above, but payments for bond and reserve funds for additional Subordinate Securities will be made after the payments required above for superior or Parity Securities.
- (d) Fourth, and subject to the above provisions but prior to the transfer of any Pledged Revenues to the payment of Subordinate Securities, there will be transferred into the Rebate Account such amounts as are required to be deposited therein to meet the District's obligations under "Tax Covenant" below with respect to the Bonds and any superior or Parity Securities issued in accordance with the provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution, in accordance with Section 148(f) of the Tax Code. Amounts in the Rebate Account will be used for the purpose of making the payments to the United States required by such covenant and Section 148(f) of the Tax Code. Any amounts in the Rebate Account in excess of those required to be on deposit therein by such covenant and Section 148(f) of the Tax Code may be withdrawn therefrom and used for any lawful purpose.
- (e) Fifth, any Pledged Revenues thereafter remaining in the Income Fund may be used at any time during any Fiscal Year whenever in the Fiscal Year there shall have been credited to Bond Fund, to the Rebate Account and to each other bond fund and reserve fund, if any, for the payment of any other securities payable from the Pledged Revenues, all amounts required to be deposited in those special accounts for such portion of the Fiscal Year, for any one or any combination of lawful purposes, or otherwise, as the District may from time to time determine.

### Lien of the Bonds

The Bonds constitute an irrevocable lien (but not necessarily an exclusive lien) upon the Pledged Revenues on a parity with the Parity Lien Bonds and any Parity Securities hereafter issued, subject to and after any superior liens upon such Pledged Revenues of any Superior Securities hereafter issued.

The Bonds, the Parity Lien Bonds and any Parity Securities hereafter authorized to be issued and from time to time Outstanding are equally and ratably secured by a lien on the Pledged Revenues and shall not be entitled to any priority one over the other in the application of the Pledged Revenues, regardless of the time or times of the issuance of the Bonds, the Parity Lien Bonds and any other such securities, it being the intention of the District that there shall be no priority among

the Bonds, the Parity Lien Bonds and any such Parity Securities, regardless of the fact that they may be actually issued and delivered at different times.

### **Superior or Parity Securities**

The District may issue additional securities payable from the Pledged Revenues and constituting a lien thereon superior to or on a parity with, the lien thereon of the Bonds. The District may issue securities refunding all or a part of the Bonds (or funding or refunding any other then Outstanding securities payable from Pledged Revenues), as provided in "Refunding Securities" below; but before any such additional superior or Parity Securities are authorized or actually issued (excluding any superior or parity refunding securities other than any securities refunding Subordinate Securities):

- (a) At the time of the adoption of the supplemental instrument authorizing the issuance of the additional securities, the District shall not be in default in making any required payments described at subsections (a), (b), (c), or (d) of the section entitled "Flow of Funds" above, with respect to any superior or Parity Securities.
- derived in the Fiscal Year immediately preceding the date of the issuance of the additional superior or Parity Securities shall have been at least sufficient to pay an amount equal to the Combined Maximum Annual Principal and Interest Requirements (to be paid during any one Bond Year, commencing with the Bond Year in which the additional superior or Parity Securities are issued and ending on the fifteenth day of June of the year in which any then Outstanding Bonds last mature) of the Outstanding Bonds, the Outstanding Parity Lien Bonds and any other Outstanding Superior Securities or Parity Securities of the District and the bonds or other securities proposed to be issued (excluding the reserves therefor); or, (2) the Pledged Revenues estimated by the Chief Financial Officer, an independent feasibility consultant or an Independent Accountant to be derived in each of the first five Fiscal Years immediately succeeding the issuance of the other additional superior or Parity Securities proposed to be issued, shall be at least equal to the Combined Maximum Annual Principal and Interest Requirements (the "Earnings Test").
- (c) In the computation of the Earnings Test, the amount of the Pledged Revenues for the next preceding Fiscal Year must be decreased and may be increased by the amount of any loss or gain conservatively estimated by the Chief Financial Officer, independent feasibility consultant or Independent Accountant making the computation, which loss or gain results from any change in the rate of the taxes deposited in the Capital Projects Fund pursuant to NRS 244.3354, 268.0962 and 375.070 or otherwise constituting a part of the Pledged Revenues which change took effect during the next preceding Fiscal Year or thereafter prior to the issuance of such superior or Parity Securities, as if such modified rate shall have been in effect during the entire next preceding Fiscal Year, if such change shall have been made before the computation of the designated Earnings Test but made in the same Fiscal Year as the computation is made or in the next preceding Fiscal Year.

Additional Superior Securities may not be issued as general obligations of the District.

#### **Subordinate Securities**

Nothing in the 2017B Bond Resolution prevents the District from issuing additional bonds or other additional securities payable from the Pledged Revenues having a lien thereon subordinate, inferior and junior to the lien thereon of the Bonds.

### **Refunding Securities**

Refunding bonds or other refunding securities issued, unless issued as Subordinate Securities, will enjoy complete equality of lien with the portion of any securities of the same issue which is not refunded, if there is any; and the Owner or Owners of the refunding securities will be subrogated to all of the rights and privileges enjoyed by the Owner or Owners of the unrefunded securities of the same issue partially refunded by the refunding securities.

If only a part of the Outstanding Bonds and other Outstanding securities of any issue or issues payable from the Pledged Revenues is refunded, then such securities may not be refunded without the consent of the Owner or Owners of the unrefunded portion of such securities:

- (a) Unless the refunding securities do not increase for any Bond Year the annual principal and interest requirements evidenced by the refunding securities and by the Outstanding securities not refunded on and before the last maturity date or last Redemption Date, if any, whichever is later, of the unrefunded securities, and unless the lien of any refunding bonds or other refunding securities on the Pledged Revenues is not raised to a higher priority than the lien thereon of the bonds or other securities thereby refunded; or
- (b) Unless the lien on any Pledged Revenues for the payment of the refunding securities is subordinate to each such lien for the payment of any securities not refunded; or
- (c) Unless the refunding bonds or other refunding securities are issued in compliance with the requirements listed above under "Superior or Parity Securities".

### **Application of Pledged Revenues Covenant**

The District covenants in the 2017B Bond Resolution to cause the taxes received by the District pursuant to the Project Act, NRS 244.3354, 268.0962 and 375.070 to be collected deposited and expended in the manner required by law and the 2017B Bond Resolution.

### **Bondowner's Remedies**

Each Owner of any Bond shall be entitled to all of the privileges, rights and remedies provided or permitted in the Bond Act, and as otherwise provided or permitted by law or in equity or by other statutes, except as provided in Sections 207 through 210 of the 2017B Bond Resolution, through but subject to the provisions in the 2017B Bond Resolution concerning the pledge of and the covenants and the other contractual provisions concerning the Pledged Revenues and the proceeds of the Bonds.

### **Events of Default**

Each of the following events is an "event of default" under the 2017B Bond Resolution:

- (a) Payment of the principal of any of the Bonds, or any prior redemption premium due in connection therewith, or both, is not made when the same becomes due and payable, at maturity, on the mandatory redemption dates specified in the 2017B Bond Resolution, or by proceedings for optional prior redemption, or otherwise;
- (b) Payment of any installment of interest on the Bonds is not made when the same becomes due and payable;
- (c) The District fails to carry out and to perform (or in good faith to begin the performance of) all acts and things lawfully required to be carried out or to be performed by it under any contract relating to the Pledged Revenues, or otherwise, including, without limitation, the 2017B Bond Resolution, and such failure continues for 60 days after receipt of notice from the Owners of a majority in principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding;
- (d) An order or decree is entered by a court of competent jurisdiction with the consent or acquiescence of the District appointing a receiver or receivers for the Pledged Revenues and any other moneys subject to the lien to secure the payment of the Bonds, or if an order or decree having been entered without the consent or acquiescence of the District and a request to vacate or discharge such order is not made within 60 days or is not vacated or discharged or stayed on appeal within 60 days after entry; and
- (e) The District makes any default in the due and punctual performance of any other of the representations, covenants, conditions, agreements and other provisions contained in the Bonds or in the 2017B Bond Resolution on its part to be performed, and if the default continues for 60 days after written notice specifying the default and requiring the same to be remedied is given to the District by the Owners of a majority in principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding.

### **Remedies for Default**

Upon the happening and continuance of any of the events of default described in (a) through (e) above, then and in every case the Owner or Owners or not less than a majority in principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding, including, without limitation, a trustee or trustees therefor, may proceed against the District and its agents, officers and employees to protect and to enforce the rights of any Owner of Bonds under the 2017B Bond Resolution by mandamus or by other suit, action or special proceedings in equity or at law, in any court of competent jurisdiction, either for the appointment of a receiver or for the specific performance of any covenant or agreement contained in the 2017B Bond Resolution or in an award of execution of any power granted in the 2017B Bond Resolution for the enforcement of any proper, legal or equitable remedy as the Owner or Owners may deem most effectual to protect and to enforce the rights, or thereby to enjoin any act or thing which may be unlawful or in violation of any right of any Owner of any Bond, or to require the District to act as it if were the trustee of an express trust, or any combination of such remedies. All proceedings at law or in equity shall be instituted, had and maintained for the equal benefit of all Owners of the Bonds and any Parity Securities then Outstanding.

#### Amendment of the 2017B Bond Resolution

The 2017B Bond Resolution may be amended or supplemented by instruments adopted by the District in accordance with the laws of the State, without receipt by the District of any additional consideration and without the written consent of the insurer of the Bonds, if any, or the Owners of the Bonds, for the purpose of curing any ambiguity or formal defect or omission herein or if the amendment does not adversely and materially affect the interests of the Owners of the Bonds, and otherwise with the written consent of the insurer of the Bonds, if any, or the Owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds authorized by the 2017B Bond Resolution and Outstanding at the time of the adoption of the amendatory or supplemental instrument, excluding any Bonds which may then be held or owned for the account of the District, but including such refunding securities as may be issued for the purpose of refunding any of the Bonds if the refunding securities are not owned by the District. No such instrument shall permit without the written consent of the insurer of the Bonds, if any, and all Owners of the Bonds adversely and materially affected thereby:

- (a) A change in the maturity or in the terms of redemption of the principal of any Outstanding Bond or any installment of interest thereon; or
- (b) A reduction in the principal amount of any Bond, the rate of interest thereon, or any prior redemption premium payable in connection therewith; or
- (c) A reduction of the percentages or otherwise affecting the description of Bonds the consent of the Owners of which is required for any modification or amendment; or
- (d) The establishment of priorities as between Bonds issued and Outstanding under the provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution; or
- (e) The modifications of or otherwise materially and prejudicially affecting the rights or privileges of the Owners of less than all of the Bonds then Outstanding.

Whenever the District proposes to amend or modify the 2017B Bond Resolution, it will cause notice of the proposed amendment to be given not later than 30 days prior to the date of the proposed enactment of the amendment by mailing, by U.S. mail or electronic mail, to each of the insurer of the Bonds, if any, the Paying Agent, the Registrar, and the Owner of each of the Bonds Outstanding. The notice will briefly set forth the nature of the proposed amendment and will state that a copy of the proposed amendatory instrument is on file in the office of the Clerk for public inspection.

Whenever at any time within one year from the date of such notice, there shall be filed in the office of the Clerk an instrument or instruments executed by the insurer of the Bonds, if any, or the Owners of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds then Outstanding, which instrument or instruments shall refer to the proposed amendatory instrument described in the notice and shall specifically consent to and approve the adoption of the instrument; thereupon, but not otherwise, the District may adopt the amendatory instrument and the instrument shall become effective.

If the insurer of the Bonds, if any, or the Owners of at least a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding, at the time of the adoption of the amendatory instrument, or the predecessors in title of such Owners shall have consented to and approved the adoption

thereof as herein provided, no Owner of any Bond, whether or not the Owner shall have consented to or shall have revoked any consent as provided in the 2017B Bond Resolution, shall have any right or interest to object to the adoption of the amendatory instrument or to object to any of the terms or provisions therein contained or to the operation thereof or to enjoin the District from taking any action pursuant to the provisions thereof.

Any consent to an amendment to the 2017B Bond Resolution given by the Owner of a Bond shall be irrevocable for a period of 6 months from the date of the notice as described above, and shall be conclusive and binding upon all future Owners of the same Bond during that period. The consent may be revoked at any time after 6 months from the date of the above-described noticeby the Owner who gave the consent or by a successor in title by filing notice of the revocation with the Clerk, but the revocation shall not be effective if the Owners of a majority in aggregate principal amount of the Bonds Outstanding, before the attempted revocation, consented to and approved the amendatory instrument referred to in the revocation.

If the insurer of the Bonds, if any, or the Owners of all the then Outstanding Bonds consent, the terms and the provisions of the 2017B Bond Resolution or of any instrument amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto and the rights and the obligations of the District and of the Owners of the Bonds thereunder may be modified or amended in any respect upon the adoption by the District and upon the filing with the Clerk of an instrument to that effect, and no notice to the insurer of the Bonds, if any, or the Owners of Bonds shall be required, nor shall the time of consent be limited except as may be provided in the consent.

### **Tax Covenant**

The District covenants in the 2017B Bond Resolution for the benefit of the Owners of the Bonds that it will not take any action or omit to take any action with respect to the Bonds, the proceeds thereof, any other funds of the District or any project refinanced with the proceeds of the Bonds if such action or omission (i) would cause the interest on the Bonds to lose its exclusion from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Tax Code, or (ii) would cause interest on the Bonds to lose its exclusion from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code, except to the extent such interest is required to be included in the adjusted current earnings adjustment applicable to corporations under Section 56 of the Tax Code in calculating corporate alternative minimum taxable income. The foregoing covenant will remain in full force and effect notwithstanding the payment in full or defeasance of the Bonds until the date on which all obligations of the District in fulfilling the above covenant under the Tax Code have been met.

# APPENDIX C BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM



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### **BOOK-ENTRY ONLY SYSTEM**

DTC will act as securities depository for the 2017 Bonds. The 2017 Bonds will be issued as fully-registered securities 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 series and maturity of the 2017 Bonds, each in the aggregate principal amount of such series and 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 whollyowned 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 Standard & Poor's 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 2017 Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the 2017 Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each 2017 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 2017 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 2017 Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the 2017 Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all 2017 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 2017 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 2017 Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such 2017 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 2017 Bonds may wish to take certain steps to augment the transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the 2017 Bonds, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults, and proposed amendments to the 2017 Bond documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of 2017 Bonds may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the 2017 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.

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor any other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to the 2017 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 2017 Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

Principal, interest and redemption proceeds on the 2017 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 detail information from the District or the Paying Agent 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 securities 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 or the District, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of principal, interest or redemption proceeds to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) is the responsibility of the District or the Paying Agent, 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 2017 Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the District or the Registrar and Paying Agent. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, 2017 Bond certificates are required to be printed and delivered.

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, 2017 Bond certificates will be printed and delivered to DTC.

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 the District takes no responsibility for the accuracy thereof.



# APPENDIX D FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE



### APPENDIX D – FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE

This Continuing Disclosure Certificate (the "Disclosure Certificate") is executed and delivered by Clark County School District, Nevada (the "Issuer") in connection with the issuance of the Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2017A, in the aggregate principal amount of \$407,900,000 and the Clark County School District, Nevada, General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, in the aggregate principal amount of \$59,315,000 (collectively, the "Bonds"). The Bonds are being issued pursuant to the bond resolutions of the Issuer adopted on May 11, 2017 (the "Resolutions"). The Issuer covenants and agrees as follows:

SECTION 1. <u>Purpose of the Disclosure Certificate</u>. This Disclosure Certificate is being executed and delivered by the Issuer for the benefit of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC").

SECTION 2. <u>Definitions</u>. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Resolutions or parenthetically defined herein, which apply to any capitalized terms used in this Disclosure Certificate unless otherwise defined in this Section, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:

"Annual Report" shall mean any Annual Report provided by the Issuer pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Certificate.

"Dissemination Agent" shall mean, initially, the Issuer, or any successor Dissemination Agent designated in writing by the Issuer and which has filed with the Issuer a written acceptance of such designation.

"Material Events" shall mean any of the events listed in Section 5 of this Disclosure Certificate.

"MSRB" shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board. As of the date hereof, the MSRB's required method of filing is electronically via its Electronic Municipal Market Access (EMMA) system available on the Internet at http://emma.msrb.org.

"Participating Underwriter" shall mean any of the original underwriters of the Bonds required to comply with the Rule in connection with an offering of the Bonds.

"Rule" shall mean Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) adopted by the SEC under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.

### SECTION 3. <u>Provision of Annual Reports</u>.

(a) The Issuer shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to, not later than March 31 following the end of the Issuer's fiscal year for each year, commencing March 31 following the end of the Issuer's fiscal year ending 2017, provide to the MSRB in an electronic

format as prescribed by the MSRB, an Annual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 of this Disclosure Certificate. Not later than five (5) business days prior to said date, the Issuer shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent (if other than the Issuer). The Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may cross-reference other information as provided in Section 4 of this Disclosure Certificate; <u>provided</u> that the audited financial statements of the Issuer may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report.

- (b) If the Issuer is unable to provide to the MSRB an Annual Report by the date required in subsection (a), the Issuer shall file or cause to be filed in a timely manner a notice in substantially the form attached as Exhibit A to the MSRB.
  - (c) The Dissemination Agent shall:
    - (i) determine each year prior to the date for providing the Annual Report the appropriate electronic format prescribed by the MSRB;
    - (ii) if the Dissemination Agent is other than the Issuer, send written notice to the Issuer at least 45 days prior to the date the Annual Report is due stating that the Annual Report is due as provided in Section 3(a) hereof; and
    - (iii) if the Dissemination Agent is other than the Issuer, file a report with the Issuer certifying that the Annual Report has been provided pursuant to this Disclosure Certificate, stating the date it was provided and listing all the entities to which it was provided.

SECTION 4. <u>Content of Annual Reports</u>. The Issuer's Annual Report shall contain or incorporate by reference the following:

- (a) A copy of its annual financial statements prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles audited by a firm of certified public accountants. If audited annual financial statements are not available by the time specified in Section 3(a) above, unaudited financial statements will be provided as part of the Annual Report and audited financial statements will be provided when and if available.
- (b) An update of the type of information identified in Exhibit B hereto, which is contained in the tables in the Official Statement with respect to the Bonds.

Any or all of the items listed above may be incorporated by reference from other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the Issuer or related public entities, which are available to the public on the MSRB's Internet Web Site or filed with the SEC. The Issuer shall clearly identify each such document incorporated by reference.

SECTION 5. <u>Reporting of Material Events</u>. The Issuer shall file or cause to be filed with the MSRB, in a timely manner, not in excess of ten business days after the occurrence of the event, notice of any of the events listed below with respect to the Bonds:

- (a) Principal and interest payment delinquencies;
- (b) Non-payment related defaults, if material;
- (c) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
- (d) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
- (e) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
- (f) Adverse tax opinions, 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;
  - (g) Modifications to rights of bondholders, if material;
  - (h) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
  - (i) Defeasances;
- (j) Release, substitution or sale of property securing repayment of the Bonds, if material:
  - (k) Rating changes;
- (l) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the obligated person;<sup>1</sup> annual financial information and operating data is included in the final official statement;
- (m) The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving an obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the obligated person, 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 material*; and

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> For the purposes of the event identified in subparagraph (b)(5)(i)(C)(12) of the Rule, the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. 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 obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and official 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 obligated person.

(n) Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material.

SECTION 6. <u>Format; Identifying Information</u>. All documents provided to the MSRB pursuant to this Disclosure Certificate shall be in the format prescribed by the MSRB and accompanied by identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.

As of the date of this Disclosure Certificate, all documents submitted to the MSRB must be in portable document format (PDF) files configured to permit documents to be saved, viewed, printed and retransmitted by electronic means. In addition, such PDF files must be word-searchable, provided that diagrams, images and other non-textual elements are not required to be word-searchable.

SECTION 7. <u>Termination of Reporting Obligation</u>. The Issuer's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the earliest of: (i) the date of legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Bonds; (ii) the date that the Issuer shall no longer constitute an "obligated person" within the meaning of the Rule; or (iii) the date on which those portions of the Rule which require this written undertaking are held to be invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction in a non-appealable action, have been repealed retroactively or otherwise do not apply to the Bonds.

SECTION 8. <u>Dissemination Agent</u>. The Issuer may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist the Issuer in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent.

SECTION 9. Amendment; Waiver. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Certificate, the Issuer may amend this Disclosure Certificate, and may waive any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, without the consent of the holders and beneficial owners of the Bonds, if such amendment or waiver does not, in and of itself, cause the undertakings herein (or action of any Participating Underwriter in reliance on the undertakings herein) to violate the Rule, but taking into account any subsequent change in or official interpretation of the Rule; provided that prior to any such amendment or waiver the Issuer shall receive an opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel to the effect that the amendment or waiver will not, in and of itself, cause the undertakings herein (or action of any Participating Underwriter in reliance on the undertakings herein) to violate the Rule, but taking into account any subsequent change in or official interpretation of the Rule. The Issuer will provide notice of such amendment or waiver to the MSRB.

SECTION 10. <u>Additional Information</u>. Nothing in this Disclosure Certificate shall be deemed to prevent the Issuer from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Certificate or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Material Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Certificate. If the Issuer chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Material Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Certificate, the Issuer shall have no obligation

under this Disclosure Certificate to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Material Event.

SECTION 11. <u>Default</u>. In the event of a failure of the Issuer to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, any holder or beneficial owner of the Bonds may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the Issuer to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate. A default under this Disclosure Certificate shall not be deemed an event of default under the Resolutions, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Certificate in the event of any failure of the Issuer to comply with this Disclosure Certificate shall be an action to compel performance under this Disclosure Certificate and all rights and remedies shall be limited to those expressly stated herein.

SECTION 12. <u>Beneficiaries</u>. This Disclosure Certificate shall inure solely to the benefit of the Issuer, the Dissemination Agent, the Participating Underwriter, and the holders and beneficial owners from time to time of the Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

DATE: June 28, 2017

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA

**Authorized Officer** 

### **EXHIBIT A**

# NOTICE TO MUNICIPAL SECURITIES RULEMAKING BOARD OF FAILURE TO FILE ANNUAL REPORT

Name of Issuer:	Clark County School District, Nevada
Name of Bond Issue:	General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2017A and General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B
Date of Issuance:	June 28, 2017
with respect to the ab 2017 and the Continui anticipates that the Ar	CE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Issuer has not provided an Annual Report ove-named Bonds as required by the Bond Resolutions adopted on May 11, ing Disclosure Certificate executed on June 28, 2017 by the Issuer. The Issuer nnual Report will be filed by
	CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, NEVADA
	By: Its:

## **EXHIBIT B**

## SEE INDEX OF TABLES TO BE UPDATED FROM OFFICIAL STATEMENT



# APPENDIX E FORMS OF BOND COUNSEL OPINIONS



#### APPENDIX E

### FORMS OF APPROVING OPINIONS OF BOND COUNSEL

Clark County School District, Nevada 5100 West Sahara Avenue Las Vegas, Nevada 89146

> \$407,900,000 Clark County School District, Nevada General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds Series 2017A

### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as bond counsel to the Clark County School District (the "District"), Nevada (the "State"), in connection with the issuance of its General Obligation (Limited Tax) Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2017A, in the aggregate principal amount of \$407,900,000 (the "Bonds") pursuant to an authorizing resolution of the Board of Trustees of the District adopted and approved on May 11, 2017 (the "Bond Resolution"). In such capacity, we have examined the District's certified proceedings and such other documents and such law of the State and of the United States of America as we have deemed necessary to render this opinion letter. Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Bond Resolution.

Regarding questions of fact material to our opinions, we have relied upon the District's certified proceedings and other representations and certifications of public officials and others furnished to us without undertaking to verify the same by independent investigation.

Based upon such examination, it is our opinion as bond counsel that:

- 1. The Bonds constitute valid and binding limited tax general obligations of the District.
- 2. All of the taxable property in the District is subject to the levy of annual general (ad valorem) taxes to pay the Bonds, subject to the limitations imposed by the Constitution and laws of the State.
- 3. As provided in the Bond Resolution and in accordance with the provisions of NRS 361.463, taxes levied for the payment of the bonded indebtedness (including the Bonds) of all overlapping units within the boundaries of the District (i.e., the State, the District, and any other political subdivision in the District) and for the payment of interest on such indebtedness enjoy a priority over taxes levied by each such unit (including, without limitation, the State and the District) for all other purposes (subject to any exception implied by law in the exercise of the police power) where reduction is necessary in order to comply with NRS 361.453.

- 4. Interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income under federal income tax laws pursuant to Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date hereof (the "Tax Code"), and interest on the Bonds is excluded from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code, except that such interest is required to be included in calculating the adjusted current earnings adjustment applicable to corporations for purposes of computing the alternative minimum taxable income of corporations. The opinions expressed in this paragraph assume continuous compliance with the covenants and continued accuracy of the representations contained in the District's certified proceedings and in certain other documents and certain other certifications furnished to us.
- 5. Under the laws of the State in effect on the date hereof, the Bonds, their transfer, and the income therefrom are free and exempt from taxation by the State or any subdivision thereof, except for the tax on estates imposed pursuant to Chapter 375A of NRS and the tax on generation skipping transfers imposed pursuant to Chapter 375B of NRS.

The opinions expressed in this opinion letter are subject to the following:

The obligations of the District pursuant to the Bonds and the Bond Resolution are subject to the application of equitable principles, to the reasonable exercise in the future by the State and its governmental bodies of the police power inherent in the sovereignty of the State, and to the exercise by the United States of America of the powers delegated to it by the Federal Constitution, including, without limitation, bankruptcy powers.

In expressing the opinions above, we are relying, in part, on a report of independent certified public accountants verifying (i) the mathematical computations of the adequacy of the maturing principal amounts of and interest on the investments and moneys included in the Escrow Account to pay when due, at stated maturity or upon prior redemption, all principal of, any prior redemption premiums, and interest on the Refunded Bonds; and (ii) the mathematical calculations of the yield of the Bonds and the yield of certain investments made with the proceeds of the Bonds and other moneys deposited in the Escrow Account.

In this opinion letter rendered in our capacity as bond counsel, we are opining only upon those matters set forth herein. We are not passing upon the accuracy, adequacy or completeness of the Official Statement or any other statements made in connection with any offer or sale of the Bonds or upon any federal or state tax consequences arising from the receipt or accrual of interest on or the ownership or disposition of the Bonds, except those specifically addressed herein.

This opinion letter is rendered as of the date hereof and we assume no obligation to revise or supplement this opinion letter to reflect any facts or circumstances that may hereafter come to our attention or any changes in laws that may hereafter occur.

Respectfully submitted,

Clark County School District, Nevada 5100 West Sahara Avenue Las Vegas, Nevada 89146

### \$59,315,000

### Clark County School District, Nevada General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues) Series 2017B

### Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as bond counsel to the Clark County School District (the "District"), Nevada (the "State"), in connection with the issuance of its General Obligation (Limited Tax) Refunding Bonds (Additionally Secured by Pledged Revenues), Series 2017B, in the aggregate principal amount of \$59,315,000 (the "Bonds") pursuant to an authorizing resolution of the Board of Trustees of the District adopted and approved on May 11, 2017 (the "Bond Resolution"). In such capacity, we have examined the District's certified proceedings and such other documents and such law of the State and of the United States of America as we have deemed necessary to render this opinion letter. Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Bond Resolution.

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Based upon such examination, it is our opinion as bond counsel that:

- 1. The Bonds constitute valid and binding limited tax general obligations of the District.
- 2. All of the taxable property in the District is subject to the levy of annual general (ad valorem) taxes to pay the Bonds, subject to the limitations imposed by the Constitution and laws of the State.
- 3. As provided in the Bond Resolution and in accordance with the provisions of NRS 361.463, taxes levied for the payment of the bonded indebtedness (including the Bonds) of all overlapping units within the boundaries of the District (i.e., the State, District, and any other political subdivision in the District) and for the payment of interest on such indebtedness enjoy a priority over taxes levied by each such unit (including, without limitation, the State and the District) for all other purposes (subject to any exception implied by law in the exercise of the police power) where reduction is necessary in order to comply with NRS 361.453.
- 4. The Bonds are additionally secured by and payable from the Pledged Revenues. The Bond Resolution creates a valid lien on the Pledged Revenues and on the Bond Fund pledged therein for the security of the Bonds on a parity with any Parity Securities outstanding and hereafter issued which have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is on a parity with the lien thereon

of the Bonds, and subordinate to any Superior Securities hereafter issued which have a lien on the Pledged Revenues that is superior to the lien thereon of the Bonds. Except as described in this paragraph, we express no opinion regarding the priority of the lien on the Pledged Revenues or on the Bond Fund created by the Bond Resolution.

- 5. Interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income under federal income tax laws pursuant to Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended to the date hereof (the "Tax Code"), and interest on the Bonds is excluded from alternative minimum taxable income as defined in Section 55(b)(2) of the Tax Code except that such interest is required to be included in calculating the adjusted current earnings adjustment applicable to corporations for purposes of computing the alternative minimum taxable income of corporations. The opinions expressed in this paragraph assume continuous compliance with the covenants and continued accuracy of the representations contained in the District's certified proceedings and in certain other documents and certain other certifications furnished to us.
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In this opinion letter rendered in our capacity as bond counsel, we are opining only upon those matters set forth herein, and we are not passing upon the accuracy, adequacy or completeness of the Official Statement or any other statements made in connection with any offer or sale of the Bonds or upon any federal or state tax consequences arising from the receipt or accrual of interest on or the ownership or disposition of the Bonds, except those specifically addressed herein.

This opinion letter is rendered as of the date hereof and we assume no obligation to revise or supplement this opinion letter to reflect any facts or circumstances that may hereafter come to our attention or any changes in laws that may hereafter occur.

Respectfully submitted,