

THIS PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT IS DATED MARCH 28, 2024

NEW ISSUE - BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY

RATINGS[†]: S&P Global Ratings: AA
Michigan School Bond Qualification and Loan Program

In the opinion of Thrun Law Firm, P.C., Bond Counsel, under existing law (i) the Bonds and the interest thereon are exempt from all taxation in the State of Michigan, except inheritance and estate taxes and taxes on gains realized from the sale, payment or other disposition thereof, (ii) interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes to the extent and subject to the conditions described herein, and (iii) interest on the Bonds is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax to the extent and subject to the conditions described herein. See "TAX MATTERS" herein.



\$58,000,000*
WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON AND CLINTON, STATE OF MICHIGAN
2024 SCHOOL BUILDING AND SITE BONDS, SERIES II
(GENERAL OBLIGATION - UNLIMITED TAX)

DATE OF SALE: April 8, 2024

TIME: 10:00 A.M., E.T.

DATE AND TIME OF AWARD: April 8, 2024, 5:00 P.M., E.T.
BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED AT:

Municipal Advisory Council, Email: munibids@macmi.com

PURPOSE AND SECURITY: The 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (the "Bonds") were authorized by the electors of Waverly Community Schools, Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton, State of Michigan (the "School District") at an election duly called and held on May 4, 2021 and by the Board of Education of the School District by resolutions adopted on February 12, 2024 and expected to be adopted on April 15, 2024 (collectively, the "Resolution"). The Bonds will be issued for school building and site purposes. The Bonds will pledge the full faith, credit and resources of the School District for the payment of principal and interest on the Bonds, and will be payable from ad valorem taxes, which may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount as provided by Article IX, Section 6, and Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963.

STATE QUALIFICATION: The Bonds are expected to be fully qualified as of the date of delivery for the Michigan School Bond Qualification and Loan Program pursuant to Act 92, Public Acts of Michigan, 2005, as amended, enacted pursuant to Article IX, Section 16 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963. Under the terms of said constitutional and statutory provisions, if for any reason the School District will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on the Bonds when due, the School District shall borrow and the State of Michigan shall lend to it an amount sufficient to enable the School District to make the payment. See "QUALIFICATION BY THE STATE OF MICHIGAN" and APPENDIX A, "STATE QUALIFICATION," herein.

BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY: The Bonds are issued only as fully registered bonds without coupons, and when issued, will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as Bondholder and nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"). DTC will act as a securities depository for the Bonds. Purchasers will not receive certificates representing their beneficial interest in Bonds purchased. So long as Cede & Co. is the Bondholder, as nominee of DTC, references herein to the Bondholders or registered owners shall mean Cede & Co., as aforesaid, and shall not mean the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds. See "THE BONDS - Book-Entry-Only System" herein.

PAYMENT OF BONDS: Interest on the Bonds will be payable semiannually on November 1 and May 1 each year, commencing on November 1, 2024, to the Bondholders of record as of the applicable record dates as stated in the Bonds. The principal and interest shall be payable at the corporate trust office of The Huntington National Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan (the "Paying Agent"). So long as DTC or its nominee, Cede & Co., is the Bondholder, such payments will be made directly to such Bondholder. Disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners is the responsibility of the DTC Participants and Indirect Participants, as more fully described herein. Interest shall be paid by check or draft mailed to the registered owner as shown on the registration books as of the fifteenth day of the month preceding the payment date for each interest payment.

MATURITY SCHEDULE

(Base CUSIP#: _____)

Dated: Date of Delivery

Principal Due: May 1 and November 1, as shown below

Maturity Date	Amount*	Interest Rate	Yield	Maturity Date	Amount*	Interest Rate	Yield
11/01/24	\$1,185,000	%	%	11/01/39	\$660,000	%	%
05/01/25	440,000			05/01/40	870,000		
11/01/25	225,000			11/01/40	705,000		
05/01/26	675,000			05/01/41	915,000		
11/01/26	165,000			11/01/41	750,000		
05/01/27	495,000			05/01/42	955,000		
11/01/27	230,000			11/01/42	785,000		
05/01/28	495,000			05/01/43	1,005,000		
11/01/28	265,000			11/01/43	835,000		
05/01/29	520,000			05/01/44	1,050,000		
11/01/29	315,000			11/01/44	885,000		
05/01/30	555,000			05/01/45	1,095,000		
11/01/30	355,000			11/01/45	935,000		
05/01/31	585,000			05/01/46	1,140,000		
11/01/31	390,000			11/01/46	1,005,000		
05/01/32	625,000			05/01/47	1,165,000		
11/01/32	405,000			11/01/47	1,060,000		
05/01/33	650,000			05/01/48	1,210,000		
11/01/33	435,000			11/01/48	1,110,000		
05/01/34	665,000			05/01/49	1,260,000		
11/01/34	470,000			11/01/49	1,170,000		
05/01/35	685,000			05/01/50	1,310,000		
11/01/35	510,000			11/01/50	1,225,000		
05/01/36	710,000			05/01/51	1,365,000		
11/01/36	545,000			11/01/51	2,635,000		
05/01/37	750,000			05/01/52	2,900,000		
11/01/37	580,000			11/01/52	2,760,000		
05/01/38	795,000			05/01/53	3,025,000		
11/01/38	625,000			11/01/53	2,890,000		
05/01/39	825,000			05/01/54	3,155,000		

OPTIONAL REDEMPTION: The Bonds or portions of the Bonds in multiples of \$5,000 maturing on or after November 1, 2034 are subject to redemption at the option of the School District by lot on any date occurring on or after May 1, 2034 at par plus accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption. See "THE BONDS - Optional Redemption" herein.

TERM BONDS: Term Bonds are permitted. See "THE BONDS - Term Bonds" herein.

ANTICIPATED DELIVERY DATE: The anticipated delivery date is May 2, 2024.

BOND COUNSEL: The Bonds will be offered when, as and if issued by the School District subject to the approving legal opinion of Thrun Law Firm, P.C., East Lansing, Michigan.

Additional information relative to this Bond Issue may be obtained from

Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC
2852 Eyde Parkway, Suite 150
East Lansing, Michigan 48823
517-321-0110

The date of this Official Statement is _____, 2024

This cover page contains certain information for quick reference only. It is not a summary of this issue. Investors must read the entire official statement and notice of sale to obtain information essential to the making of an informed investment decision.

[†] For an explanation of the rating, see "RATINGS" herein.

¹ As of the date of delivery.

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This Preliminary Official Statement and the information contained herein are subject to completion and amendment. Under no circumstances shall this Preliminary Official Statement constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy, nor shall there be any sale of the Bonds in any jurisdiction in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful prior to registration or qualification under the securities laws of any such jurisdiction. As of this date, this Preliminary Official Statement has been deemed "final" by the School District for purposes of SEC Rule 15c2-12(b)(1) except for the omission of certain information permitted by SEC Rule 15c2-12(b)(1).

No dealer, broker, salesperson or other person has been authorized by Waverly Community Schools, Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton, State of Michigan, to give any information or to make any representation other than as contained in this Official Statement, and, if given or made, such other information or representation must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the School District. This Official Statement does not constitute an offer to sell or the solicitation of an offer to buy nor shall there be any sale of the securities described herein by any person in any jurisdiction in which it is unlawful for such person to make such offer, solicitation or sale.

The information set forth herein has been obtained from the School District and other sources which are believed to be reliable, but is not guaranteed as to accuracy or completeness. The information and expressions of opinion herein are subject to change without notice and neither the delivery of the Official Statement nor any sale of the securities described herein shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the School District since the date of the Official Statement. However, upon delivery of the securities, the School District will provide a certificate stating the information in the Official Statement, and any supplement to the Official Statement, relating to the Issuer and the Bonds is true and correct in all material respects, and the Official Statement does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact which would make the statements therein misleading.

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OFFICIAL STATEMENT

**WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON AND CLINTON, STATE OF MICHIGAN
\$58,000,000*
2024 SCHOOL BUILDING AND SITE BONDS, SERIES II
(General Obligation – Unlimited Tax)**

SALE INFORMATION

DATE OF SALE: Monday, April 8, 2024
TIME OF SALE: 10:00 A.M., E.T.
DATE AND TIME OF AWARD: Monday, April 8, 2024, 5:00 P.M., E.T.
LOCATION OF SALE: Municipal Advisory Council
Email: munibids@macmi.com

BIDS MAY BE SUBMITTED ELECTRONICALLY VIA BID COMP/PARITY OR EMAILED TO MAC

DATED: Date of delivery **MAXIMUM INTEREST RATE:** 6.00%

FIRST INTEREST: November 1, 2024 **MINIMUM INTEREST RATE:** 1.00%

MULTIPLES: 1/8th or 1/100th of 1%, or both.

DENOMINATIONS: \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof not exceeding for each maturity the principal amount of such maturity.

PURCHASE PRICE: Not less than 99% nor greater than 118% of par.

PAYING AGENT: The Huntington National Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan

GOOD FAITH DEPOSIT: No Good Faith Deposit Required. *See “APPENDIX F – DRAFT OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE” for further information regarding this issue.*

PRINCIPAL DUE: May 1st and November 1st as shown on the inside cover.

MATURITY ADJUSTMENT: The Issuer reserves the right to decrease the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds after receipt of bids and before final award. Such adjustment, if necessary, will be made in increments of \$5,000.

ISSUE PRICE: The winning bidder shall assist the School District in establishing the issue price of the Bonds, in accordance with the requirements set forth in APPENDIX H concerning the Certification Regarding Issue Price and the Draft Official Notice of Sale in APPENDIX F attached hereto, and shall deliver to the School District at closing an “Issue Price Certificate” prepared by Bond Counsel setting forth the reasonably expected issue price to the public and/or the sales prices of the Bonds. See APPENDICES F and H herein for additional information.

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INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this Official Statement, which includes the cover page and Appendices, is to set forth information concerning the Waverly Community Schools, Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton, State of Michigan (the “School District”), and its 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (General Obligation - Unlimited Tax) (the “Bonds”), in connection with the sale of the Bonds and for the information of those who may become holders of the Bonds.

PURPOSE

The Bonds are the second series of bonds issued from a total authorized amount of \$125,000,000 approved by the School District's electors on May 4, 2021. The Bonds are authorized by the Board of Education of the School District by resolutions adopted on February 12, 2024 and expected to be adopted on April 15, 2024 (collectively, the “Resolution”). The Bonds will be issued for school building and site purposes, and to pay the costs of issuance for the Bonds.

ESTIMATED SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS

SOURCES¹:

Par amount of Bonds
Reoffering Premium/Discount
Total Sources

USES¹:

Deposit to Capital Projects Fund
Underwriter’s Discount
Costs of Issuance
Total Uses

THE BONDS

Term Bonds

The Bonds are eligible for designation by the original purchaser as serial bonds or term bonds, or both. However, principal maturities designated as term bonds shall be subject to mandatory redemption, in part, by lot, at par and accrued interest on the date on which the Bonds are presently scheduled to mature. Each maturity of term bonds and serial bonds must carry the same interest rate. Any such designation must be made within one (1) hour from the time bids are submitted.

Optional Redemption

The Bonds or portions of the Bonds in multiples of \$5,000 maturing on or after November 1, 2034 are subject to redemption at the option of the School District by lot on any date occurring on or after May 1, 2034 at par plus accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption.

Description of the Bonds

The Bonds will be issued in book-entry-only form as one fully registered Bond per maturity, without coupons, in the aggregate principal amount for each maturity set forth on the cover page of this Official Statement and may be purchased in denominations of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof. The Bonds will be dated as of date of delivery and bear interest from their dated date. Interest on the Bonds shall be payable on November 1, 2024 and semiannually each May 1 and November 1 thereafter prior to

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maturity or prior redemption. Interest on the Bonds shall be computed using a 360-day year with twelve 30-day months, and the Bonds will mature on the dates and in the principal amounts and will bear interest at the rates as set forth on the cover of this Official Statement.

The Huntington Nation Bank, Grand Rapids, Michigan, or its successor will serve as the paying agent (the "Paying Agent") and also as bond registrar and transfer agent if the Bonds cease to be held in book-entry form. Interest on the Bonds shall be payable when due by check or draft to the person or entity who or which is, as of the fifteenth (15th) day of the month preceding each interest payment date, the registered owner of record, at the registered owner's registered address. For a description of payment of principal and interest, transfers and exchanges and notice of redemption on the Bonds, see "Book-Entry-Only System," "Transfer Outside the Book-Entry-Only System," and "Notice of Redemption and Manner of Selection" below.

Book-Entry-Only System

The information in this section has been furnished by The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"). No representation is made by the School District or the Paying Agent as to the completeness or accuracy of such information or as to the absence of material adverse changes in such information subsequent to the date hereof. No attempt has been made by the School District, the Paying Agent, or the Underwriter to determine whether DTC is or will be financially or otherwise capable of fulfilling its obligations. Neither the School District nor the Paying Agent will have any responsibility or obligation to Direct Participants, Indirect Participants (both as defined below) or the persons for which they act as nominees with respect to the Bonds, or for any principal, premium, if any, or interest payment thereof.

DTC will act as securities depository for the Bonds. The 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 maturity of the Bonds, each in the aggregate principal amount of such maturity and will be deposited with DTC.

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

Purchases of Bonds under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Bonds on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each Bond ("Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase. Beneficial Owners

are, however, expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transaction, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owner entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interests in the Bonds are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Direct and Indirect Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in the Bonds, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the Bonds is discontinued.

To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Bonds deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co. or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of Bonds with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co. or such other nominee do not affect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Bonds; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such Bonds are credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Direct and Indirect Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers.

Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to take certain steps to augment transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the Bonds, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults and proposed amendments to the Bond documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of Bonds may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the Bonds for their benefit has agreed to obtain and transmit notices to Beneficial Owners. In the alternative, Beneficial Owners may wish to provide their names and addresses to the registrar and request that copies of the notices be provided directly to them.

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

Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor such other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to the 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 School 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 the Bonds are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).

Payments of principal and interest and redemption amounts, if any, on the Bonds will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detailed information from the School District or Paying Agent, on the 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 nor its nominee, Paying Agent, or the School District, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payments of principal, interest and redemption amounts, if any, to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) are the responsibility of the School District or 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 securities depository with respect to the Bonds at any time by giving reasonable notice to the School District or Paying Agent. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor securities depository is not obtained, Bond certificates are required to be printed and delivered.

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

Transfer Outside the Book-Entry-Only System

In the event that the book-entry-only system is discontinued, the following provisions would apply to the Bonds. The Paying Agent shall keep the registration books for the Bonds (the "Bond Register") at its corporate trust office. Subject to the further conditions contained in the Resolution, the Bonds may be transferred or exchanged for one or more Bonds in different authorized denominations upon surrender thereof at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent by the registered owners or their duly authorized attorneys; upon surrender of any Bonds to be transferred or exchanged, the Paying Agent shall record the transfer or exchange in the Bond Register and shall authenticate replacement bonds in authorized denominations; during the fifteen (15) days immediately preceding the date of mailing of any notice of redemption or any time following the mailing of any notice of redemption, the Paying Agent shall not be required to effect or register any transfer or exchange of any bond which has been selected for such redemption, except the Bonds properly surrendered for partial redemption may be exchanged for new Bonds in authorized denominations equal in the aggregate to the unredeemed portion; the School District and the Paying Agent shall be entitled to treat the registered owners of the Bonds, as their names appear in the Bond Register as of the appropriate dates, as the owners of such Bonds for all purposes under the Resolution. No transfer or exchange made other than as described above and in the Resolution shall be valid or effective for any purposes under the Resolution.

Notice of Redemption and Manner of Selection

Notice of redemption of any Bond shall be given not less than 30 days and not more than 60 days prior to the date fixed for redemption by mail to the registered owner at the registered address shown on the registration books kept by the Paying Agent. The Bonds shall be called for redemption in multiples of \$5,000 and Bonds of denominations of more than \$5,000 shall be treated as representing the number of Bonds obtained by dividing the face amount of the Bond by \$5,000 and such Bonds may be redeemed in part. The notice of redemption for Bonds redeemed in part shall state that upon surrender of the Bond to be redeemed a new Bond or Bonds in an aggregate face amount equal to the unredeemed portion of the Bond surrendered shall be issued to the registered owner of such Bond.

If less than all of the Bonds of any maturity shall be called for redemption prior to maturity, unless otherwise provided, the particular Bonds or portions of Bonds to be redeemed shall be selected by lot by the Paying Agent, in the principal amounts designated by the School District. Any Bonds selected for redemption will cease to bear interest on the date fixed for redemption provided funds are on hand with the Paying Agent to redeem said Bonds. Upon presentation and surrender of such Bonds at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent, such Bonds shall be paid and redeemed.

QUALIFIED BY THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TREASURY

The School District has received a letter from the Michigan Department of Treasury stating that the School District is in material compliance with the criteria of the Revised Municipal Finance Act No. 34, Public Acts of Michigan, 2001 ("Act 34") for a municipality to be granted "qualified status" to issue municipal securities without further approval by the Michigan Department of Treasury.

QUALIFICATION BY THE STATE OF MICHIGAN

An application will be submitted to the Michigan Department of Treasury to obtain, and it is the School District's expectation that the Bonds will receive, full qualification as of the date of delivery pursuant to Act 92 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 2005, as amended ("Act 92"), enacted pursuant to Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, for participation in the School Bond Qualification

and Loan Program. Under the terms of said constitutional and statutory provisions, if for any reason the School District will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on the Bonds when due, the School District shall borrow and the State of Michigan (the "State") shall lend to it from the School Loan Revolving Fund (the "School Loan Revolving Fund") established by the State, an amount sufficient to enable the School District to make the payment. Article IX, Section 16 of the State Constitution as implemented by Act 112 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1961, as amended, authorizes the State, without approval of its electors, to borrow from time to time such amounts as shall be required, to pledge the State's full faith and credit and to issue its notes or bonds, for the purpose of making loans to school districts as provided under such section. Loans to school districts for such purposes are made from the proceeds of such State borrowing. See APPENDIX A - "STATE QUALIFICATION."

Complete financial statements of all of the State's funds as included in the State's Annual Comprehensive Financial Report ("ACFR") prepared by the State's Office of the State Budget are available upon request from the Budget website, www.michigan.gov/budget. The State has agreed to file its ACFR with the Nationally Recognized Municipal Securities Information Repositories and the State Information Depository (as described in Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) of the Securities and Exchange Commission) annually, so long as any bonds qualified for participation in the School Loan Revolving Fund remain outstanding.

TAX MATTERS

State of Michigan

In the opinion of Thrun Law Firm, P.C., East Lansing, Michigan ("Bond Counsel"), based on its examination of the documents described in its opinion, under existing State of Michigan statutes, regulations and court decisions, the Bonds and the interest thereon are exempt from all taxation in the State of Michigan, except inheritance and estate taxes and taxes on gains realized from the sale, payment or other disposition thereof.

Federal

In the opinion of Bond Counsel based upon its examination of the documents described in its opinion, under existing statutes, regulations, rulings and court decisions, the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes and is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on individuals; however, interest on the Bonds held by an "applicable corporation" (as defined in Section 59(k) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code")) is included in annual "adjusted financial statement income" for purposes of calculating the alternative minimum tax imposed on an applicable corporation. The opinions set forth in the preceding sentence are subject to the condition that the School District comply with all requirements of the Code that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in order that interest thereon be, or continue to be, excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. The School District has covenanted to comply with such requirements. Failure to comply with certain of such requirements may cause the inclusion of interest on the Bonds in gross income for federal income tax purposes to be retroactive to the date of issuance of the Bonds. Bond Counsel will express no opinion regarding other federal tax consequences arising with respect to the Bonds.

There are additional federal tax consequences relative to the Bonds and the interest thereon. The following is a general description of some of these consequences but is not intended to be complete or exhaustive and investors should consult with their tax advisors with respect to these matters. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should be aware that (i) interest on the Bonds is included in the effectively connected earnings and profits of certain foreign corporations for purposes of calculating the branch profits tax imposed by Section 884 of the Code, (ii) interest on the Bonds may be subject to a tax on excess net passive income of certain S Corporations imposed by Section 1375 of the Code, (iii) interest on the Bonds is included in the calculation of modified adjusted gross income for purposes of determining the taxability of social security or railroad retirement benefits, (iv) the receipt of interest on the Bonds by life insurance companies may affect the federal tax liability of such companies, (v) in the case of property and casualty

insurance companies, the amount of certain loss deductions otherwise allowed is reduced by a specific percentage of, among other things, interest on the Bonds, (vi) holders of the Bonds may not deduct interest on indebtedness incurred or continued to purchase or carry the Bonds, and (vii) commercial banks, thrift institutions and other financial institutions may not deduct their costs of carrying certain obligations such as the Bonds.

Original Issue Premium¹

For federal income tax purposes, the initial offering prices to the public (excluding bond houses and brokers) of certain Bonds, as set forth on the cover of this Official Statement, may be greater than the stated redemption prices at maturity (the "Premium Bonds") and constitutes for the original purchasers of the Premium Bonds an amortizable bond premium. Such amortizable bond premium is not deductible from gross income. The amount of amortizable bond premium allocable to each taxable year is generally determined on the basis of a taxpayer's yield to maturity determined by using the taxpayer's basis (for purposes of determining loss on sale or exchange) of such Premium Bonds and compounding at the close of each six-month accrual period. The amount of amortizable bond premium allocable to each taxable year is deducted from the taxpayer's adjusted basis of such Premium Bonds to determine taxable gain upon disposition (including sale, redemption or payment on maturity) of such Premium Bonds.

Original Issue Discount¹

The initial public offering prices of certain Bonds, as set forth on the cover page of this Official Statement, may be less than the stated redemption prices at maturity (the "OID Bonds"), and, to the extent properly allocable to each owner of such OID Bond, such original issue discount is excludable from gross income for federal income tax purposes with respect to such owner. Original issue discount is the excess of the stated redemption price at maturity of an OID Bond over the initial offering price to the public (excluding bond houses and brokers) at which price a substantial amount of the OID Bonds were sold. Under Section 1288 of the Code, original issue discount on tax-exempt bonds accrues on a compound basis. For an owner who acquires an OID Bond in this offering, the amount of original issue discount that accrues during any accrual period generally equals (i) the issue price of such OID Bond plus the amount of original issue discount accrued in all prior accrual periods, multiplied by (ii) the yield to maturity on such OID Bond (determined on the basis of compounding at the close of each accrual period and properly adjusted for the length of the accrual period), less (iii) any interest payable on such OID Bond during such accrual period. The amount of original issue discount so accrued in a particular accrual period will be considered to be received ratably on each day of the accrual period, will be excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, and will increase the owner's tax basis in such OID Bond. Any gain realized by an owner from a sale, exchange, payment or redemption of an OID Bond would be treated as gain from the sale or exchange of such OID Bond. Owners of OID Bonds should consult with their individual tax advisors to determine whether the application of the original issue discount federal regulations will require them to include, for state and local income tax purposes, an amount of interest on the OID Bonds as income even though no corresponding cash interest payment is actually received during the tax year.

Future Developments

No assurance can be given that any current or future legislation, if enacted into law, clarifications or amendments to the Code, or court decisions, will not cause the interest on the Bonds to be subject directly or indirectly to federal or State income taxation, adversely affect the market price or marketability of the Bonds, or otherwise prevent bondholders from realizing the full current benefit of the status of the interest thereon. The School District cannot predict the outcome of any such federal or State proposals as to passage, ultimate content or impact if passed, or timing of consideration or passage. Purchasers of the Bonds should reach their own conclusions regarding the impact of any such federal or State proposals and regulations.

¹ Preliminary, subject to change.

It is to be understood that the rights of the holders of the Bonds and the enforceability thereof may be subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights heretofore or hereafter enacted to the extent constitutionally applicable and that their enforcement may also be subject to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

INVESTORS SHOULD CONSULT WITH THEIR TAX ADVISORS AS TO THE TAX CONSEQUENCES OF THEIR ACQUISITION, HOLDING OR DISPOSITION OF THE BONDS, INCLUDING THE TREATMENT OF ORIGINAL ISSUE DISCOUNT AND ORIGINAL ISSUE PREMIUM, IF ANY.

TAX PROCEDURES

Article IX, Section 3, of the Michigan Constitution provides that the proportion of true cash value at which property shall be assessed shall not exceed 50% of true cash value. The Michigan Legislature by statute has provided that property shall be assessed at 50% of its true cash value, except as described below. The Michigan Legislature or the electorate may at some future time reduce the percentage below 50% of true cash value.

On March 15, 1994, the electors of the State approved an amendment to the Michigan Constitution permitting the Legislature to authorize ad valorem taxes on a non-uniform basis. The legislation implementing this constitutional amendment added a new measure of property value known as "Taxable Value." Beginning in 1995, taxable property has two valuations - State Equalized Valuation ("SEV") and Taxable Value. Property taxes are levied on Taxable Value. Generally, Taxable Value of property is the lesser of (a) the Taxable Value of the property in the immediately preceding year, adjusted for losses, and increased or reduced by the lesser of the inflation rate or 5%, plus additions, or (b) the property's current SEV. Under certain circumstances, therefore, the Taxable Value of property may be different from the same property's SEV.

When property is sold or transferred, Taxable Value is adjusted to the SEV, which under existing law is 50% of the current true cash value. The Taxable Value of new construction is equal to current SEV. Taxable Value and SEV of existing property are also adjusted annually for additions and losses.

Responsibility for assessing taxable property rests with the local assessing officer of each township and city. Any property owner may appeal the assessment to the local board of review, to the Michigan Tax Tribunal and, ultimately, to the Michigan appellate courts.

The Michigan Constitution also mandates a system of equalization of assessments. Although the assessors for each local unit of government within a county are responsible for actually assessing at 50% of true cash value, adjusted for Taxable Value purposes, the final SEV and Taxable Value are arrived at through several steps. Assessments are established initially by the municipal assessor. Municipal assessments are then equalized to the 50% levels as determined by the county's department of equalization. Thereafter, the State equalizes the various counties in relation to each other. SEV is important, aside from its use in determining Taxable Value, for the purpose of levying ad valorem property taxes, because of its role in the spreading of taxes between overlapping jurisdictions, the distribution of various State aid programs, State revenue sharing, and in the calculation of debt limits.

Property that is exempt from property taxes, e.g., churches, government property, public schools, is not included in the SEV and Taxable Value data in this Official Statement. Property granted tax abatements under Act 198, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, amended, is recorded on separate tax rolls while subject to tax abatement. The valuation of tax-abated property is based upon SEV but is not included in either the SEV or Taxable Value data in the Official Statement except as noted. Under limited circumstances, other state laws permit the partial abatement of certain taxes for other types of property for periods of up to 12 years.

**LEVY AND COLLECTION OF TAXES FOR PAYMENT OF THE BONDS
AND BONDHOLDERS' REMEDIES**

The Resolution authorizing the issuance of the Bonds and State law obligate the School District to levy a tax annually in an amount sufficient so that the estimated collections therefrom, together with amounts, if any, to be borrowed from the School Loan Revolving Fund for the Bonds, will be sufficient to pay promptly when due the principal of and interest on the Bonds becoming due prior to the time of the next tax levy. The tax levy shall not be subject to limitation as to rate or amount. Taxes for the payment of the principal of or interest on the Bonds are certified for collection each year with the school tax levies. In the event of the failure of the proper officials to certify taxes for the payment of the principal and interest requirements, a timely action in the nature of mandamus could compel certification and collection of adequate taxes or could compel the School District to make application to borrow the necessary funds from the School Loan Revolving Fund and thus prevent default. However, if a paying agent for any bonds of the School District qualified for State loans as provided in Article IX, Section 16, of the State Constitution notifies the State Treasurer that the School District has failed to deposit sufficient funds to pay principal and interest on the qualified bonds when due or if a bond holder notifies the State Treasurer that the School District has failed to pay principal or interest on such qualified bonds when due, whether or not the School District has filed a draw request with the State Treasurer, the State Treasurer shall promptly pay the principal or interest on the qualified bonds when due.

If sufficient funds for full payment of debt service on the Bonds do not reach the Paying Agent five business days prior to the debt service payment due date, the Paying Agent will notify the School District of the amount of insufficient funds four business days prior to the due date. In the event that the School District does not immediately resolve the insufficient funds situation, the Paying Agent will notify the Michigan Department of Treasury of the deficiency three business days before the payment due date and the State Treasurer shall make the payment.

Any amount paid by the State Treasurer as described in the preceding paragraphs shall be deemed a loan made to the School District pursuant to the requirements of said Article IX, Section 16, of the State Constitution. Registered owners of the Bonds may attempt to obtain a money judgment against the School District for the principal amount of the Bonds or interest not paid when due and may periodically attempt to enforce the collection of the money judgment by requiring the tax assessing officers for the School District to place the amount of such judgment on the next tax rolls of the School District. The rights of the holders of the Bonds and the enforceability thereof are subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, fraudulent conveyance, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights heretofore or hereafter enacted and their enforcement may be subject to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases. See APPENDIX A, "STATE QUALIFICATION", in this Official Statement.

SOURCES OF SCHOOL OPERATING REVENUE

On March 15, 1994, the electors of the State of Michigan approved a ballot proposition to amend the State Constitution of 1963, in part, to increase the State sales tax from 4% to 6% as part of a complex plan to restructure the source of funding of public education (K-12) in order to reduce reliance on local property taxes for school operating purposes and to reduce the per pupil finance resource disparities among school districts. The State school aid package passed by the Legislature as part of the school finance reform legislation instituted a per pupil foundation allowance beginning in fiscal year 1994/95. With the passage of Public Act 48 of 2021 ("PA 48"), the Legislature eliminated the foundation allowance range in 2021/22 that had been in place since the passage of the school finance reform legislation in 1994. In Public Act 103 of 2023 ("PA 103"), the Legislature established a 2023/24 target foundation allowance of \$9,608 per pupil. In the future, the foundation allowance may be adjusted annually by an index based upon the change in revenues to the State school aid fund and change in the total number of pupils statewide. The foundation allowance is funded by locally raised property taxes plus State school aid. The revenues for the State's contribution to the foundation allowance are derived from a mix of taxing sources, including, but not limited

to, a statewide property tax of 6 mills on all taxable property¹, a State sales and use tax, a real estate transfer tax and a cigarette tax.

Generally, school districts are required to levy a local property tax of not more than 18 mills or the number of mills levied in 1993 for school operating purposes, whichever is less, on non-homestead properties² in order for the school district to receive its per pupil foundation allowance. Furthermore, school districts whose per pupil foundation allowance in 2023/24 calculates to an amount in excess of \$9,608 are authorized to levy additional millage to obtain the foundation allowance, first by levying such amount of the 18 mills against homestead property³ as is necessary to hold themselves harmless and, if the 18 mills is insufficient, to then levy such additional mills against all property uniformly as is necessary to obtain the foundation allowance. The School District's 2023/24 per pupil foundation allowance exceeds \$9,608 and the School District levies such additional millage.

State aid appropriations and the payment schedule for State school aid may be changed by the Legislature at any time. If the amount appropriated from the State School Aid Fund exceeds the amount available for expenditure for a fiscal year, in the absence of overriding legislative action by the Legislature, the School Aid Act subjects most state aid payable to school districts for that fiscal year to an automatic proration on a per pupil basis in an amount necessary to eliminate the portion of the overage attributable to the appropriation to all school districts. See "State Aid Payments" in APPENDIX B.

Public Act 144 of 2022 ("PA 144") amended the State School Aid Act for the 2022/23 fiscal year increasing the School District's foundation allowance to \$9,534 per pupil.

PA 103 amended the State School Aid Act for the 2023/24 fiscal year increasing the School District's foundation allowance to \$9,992 per pupil.

Pursuant to PA 144, the School District may be eligible to receive various categorical grants for specific purposes, such as special education, "at-risk" students, meal programs, early education, career and technical education programs, and other instructional and non-instructional programs. The annual amendments to the State School Aid Act determine the type and amount of those categorical funds. For further information regarding the School District's receipt of categorical funds for the 2022/23 fiscal year, see the School District's audited financial statements in APPENDIX D.

In 2020 and 2021 the U.S. Congress passed three stimulus bills providing financial support to public schools through the Elementary and Secondary Emergency Relief Fund ("ESSER Funds"). Based on the three separate federal stimulus bills, the ESSER funding is generally referred to as "ESSER I Funds," "ESSER II Funds," and "ESSER III Funds," respectively.

As required under Michigan law, available ESSER Funds have been appropriated and allocated to qualifying school districts. The School District has been awarded \$451,366 of the ESSER I Funds; \$1,601,466 of the ESSER II Funds; and \$3,599,224 of the ESSER III Funds. ESSER funds already received by the School District are incorporated into the information in APPENDICES C and D. The School District may have received additional payments related to the ESSER Funds.

THE SOURCES OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S OPERATING REVENUE DO NOT IMPACT THE TAXING AUTHORITY OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR PAYMENT OF GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX SCHOOL BONDS AND DO NOT AFFECT THE OBLIGATION OF

¹ "Taxable property" in this context does not include industrial personal property.

² "Non-homestead property" includes all taxable property other than principal residence, qualified agricultural property, qualified forestry property, supportive housing property, property occupied by a public school academy, and industrial personal property. Commercial personal property, to the extent not otherwise exempt, is exempt from the first 12 mills of not more than 18 mills levied by school districts.

³ "Homestead property," in this context, means principal residence, qualified agricultural property, qualified forestry property, supportive housing property, property occupied by a public school academy, certain industrial personal property and certain commercial personal property, to the extent not otherwise exempt.

THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TO LEVY TAXES FOR PAYMENT OF DEBT SERVICE ON GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BONDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, INCLUDING THE BONDS OFFERED HEREIN.

MICHIGAN PROPERTY TAX REFORM

On November 5, 2013, March 28, 2014, April 1, 2014 and June 27, 2018, a package of bills amended and replaced legislation enacted in 2012 to phase-out most personal property taxes in Michigan. The bills were contingent on Michigan voters approving a ballot question authorizing a new municipal entity, the Local Community Stabilization Authority (“LCSA”) to levy a local component of the statewide use tax and distribute that revenue to local units of government to offset their revenue losses resulting from the personal property tax reform. On August 5, 2014, voters approved that ballot question.

The bill package, together with the original 2012 legislation, created two new exemptions from the personal property tax. Under the “small taxpayer exemption”, the commercial and industrial personal property of each owner with a combined true cash value in a local tax collecting unit of less than \$80,000 is exempt from ad valorem taxes in that collecting unit beginning in 2014. For businesses that do not qualify for the “small taxpayer exemption”, all “eligible manufacturing personal property” (personal property used more than 50% of the time in industrial processing or direct integrated support) purchased and placed into service before 2006 or during or after 2013 became exempt beginning in 2016. Taxation on “eligible manufacturing personal property” placed into service after 2006 but before 2013 phased out over time, with the exemption taking effect after the property has been in service for the immediately preceding 10 years. The legislation extends certain personal property tax exemptions and tax abatements for technology parks, industrial facilities and enterprise zones that were to expire after 2012, until the voter-approved personal property tax exemptions take effect.

Pursuant to voter approval in August 2014, the legislation also includes a formula to reimburse school districts for 100% of their lost operating millage revenue and lost sinking fund millage revenue. To provide the reimbursement, the legislation reduces the state share of the use tax and authorizes the LCSA to levy a local component of the use tax and distribute that revenue to qualifying local units. However, the reimbursement for the school district’s operating millage will come from the State use tax component, which is deposited into the school state aid fund¹. While the legislation provides reimbursement for prospective school operating losses, the reimbursement shall be for either (a) debt losses attributable to debt obligations that voters approved before January 1, 2015 or were incurred before January 1, 2015, or (b) debt millage calculated pursuant to a statutory formula.

LITIGATION

To the knowledge of the appropriate officials of the School District, after due inquiry, no litigation, administrative action or proceeding is pending or threatened, restraining or enjoining, or seeking to restrain or enjoin, the issuance and delivery of the Bonds, or questioning or contesting the validity of the Bonds or the proceedings or authorities under which they are authorized to be issued, sold, executed and delivered. A certificate to such effect will be delivered to the original purchaser of the Bonds (the “Purchaser”) at the time of the original delivery of the Bonds.

¹ Because the reimbursement funds are deposited into the state school aid fund, the legislature may, in the future, change the funding formulas in the State School Aid Act of 1979 or appropriate funds therein for other purposes.

APPROVAL OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

Legal matters incident to the authorization, issuance and sale by the School District of the Bonds and with regard to the tax-exempt status of the Bonds are subject to the approving opinion of Thrun Law Firm, P.C., East Lansing, Michigan, Bond Counsel, and will be furnished without expense to the Purchaser, a copy of such opinion, the form of which is set forth in APPENDIX E, will be available at the time of the delivery of the Bonds.

Except to the extent necessary to issue its approving opinion as to the validity of the Bonds, Bond Counsel has made no inquiry as to any financial information, statements or materials contained in any financial documents, statements or materials that have been or may be furnished in connection with the authorization, issuance or marketing of the Bonds, and accordingly will not express any opinion with respect to the accuracy or completeness of any such financial information, statements or materials.

RATINGS

The School District has applied for a rating of the Bonds from S&P Global Ratings (“S&P”). No application was made to any other agency.

S&P will assign, as of the date of delivery of the Bonds, its municipal bond rating of "AA" to the Bonds based upon the fact that each Bond will be fully qualified for participation in the Michigan School Bond Qualification and Loan Program as of its date of delivery. See "QUALIFICATION BY THE STATE OF MICHIGAN," "LEVY AND COLLECTION OF TAXES FOR PAYMENT OF THE BONDS AND BONDHOLDERS' REMEDIES" and APPENDIX A, "STATE QUALIFICATION," herein.

S&P will also assign, as of the date of delivery of the Bonds, its underlying municipal bond rating of “A+” to the Bonds without regard to qualification of the Bonds for participation in the Michigan School Bond Qualification and Loan Program.

The School District furnished to S&P certain materials and information in addition to that provided herein. Generally, rating agencies base their ratings on such information and materials, and on investigations, studies and assumptions. There is no assurance that such ratings will prevail for any given period of time or that they will not be revised downward or withdrawn entirely by S&P 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 Bonds. Any ratings assigned represent only the views of S&P. Further information is available upon request from S&P Global Ratings, 55 Water Street, New York, New York 10014, Telephone: (212) 438-1000.

UNDERWRITING

The Bonds are being purchased by _____ (the “Underwriter”) at a purchase price of \$_____, which is the par amount of the Bonds of \$_____ less the underwriter’s discount of \$_____, plus the original issue premium of \$_____, less the original discount of \$_____. The Official Notice of Sale for the Bonds provides that all of the Bonds will be purchased by the Underwriter if any of such Bonds are purchased.

The Underwriter intends to offer the Bonds to the public at the offering prices set forth on the inside cover page of this Official Statement. The Underwriter may allow concessions to certain dealers (including dealers in a selling group of the Underwriter and other dealers depositing the Bonds into investment trusts), who may reallow concessions to other dealers. After the initial public offering, the public offering price may be varied from time to time by the Underwriter.

MUNICIPAL ADVISOR'S OBLIGATION

The School District has retained Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC as municipal advisor in connection with certain aspects of the issuance of Bonds (the “Municipal Advisor” or “BTMA”). BTMA is a registered municipal advisor and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Baker Tilly US, LLP (“BTUS”), an accounting firm and has been retained by the School District to provide certain financial advisory services including, among other things, preparation of the deemed “nearly final” Preliminary Official Statement and the Official Statement (the “Official Statements”). The information contained in the Official Statements has been compiled from records and other materials provided by School District officials and other sources deemed to be reliable. The Municipal Advisor has not and will not independently verify the completeness and accuracy of the information contained in the Official Statements.

The Municipal Advisor’s duties, responsibilities and fees arise solely as Municipal Advisor to the School District and they have no secondary obligations or other responsibility. The Municipal Advisor’s fees are expected to be paid from proceeds of the Bonds pursuant to the respective engagements.

Municipal Advisor Registration:

BTMA is a Municipal Advisor registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board. As such, BTMA is providing certain specific municipal advisory services to the School District, but is neither a placement agent to the School District nor a broker/dealer and cannot participate in the underwriting of the Bonds.

The offer and sale of the Bonds shall be made by the School District, in the sole discretion of the School District, and under its control and supervision. The School District has agreed that BTMA does not undertake to sell or attempt to sell the Bonds, and will take no part in the sale thereof.

Other Financial Industry Activities and Affiliations:

BTUS is an advisory, tax and assurance firm headquartered in Chicago, Illinois. BTUS and its affiliated entities, have operations in North America, South America, Europe, Asia and Australia. BTUS is an independent member of Baker Tilly International, a worldwide network of independent accounting and business advisory firms in 47 territories, with 33,600 professionals.

Baker Tilly Investment Services, LLC (“BTIS”), a division of Baker Tilly Wealth Management, LLC, is registered as an investment adviser with the Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC”) under the Federal Investment Advisers Act of 1940. BTIS provides discretionary and non-discretionary investment management services to government and municipal entities. BTIS may provide advisory services to the clients of BTMA.

Baker Tilly Capital, LLC (“BTC”), a wholly owned subsidiary of BTUS, is a limited purpose broker/dealer registered with the SEC and member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (“FINRA”). BTC provides merger & acquisition, capital sourcing and corporate finance advisory services. BTC may provide transaction advisory services to clients of BTMA.

Baker Tilly Financial, LLC (“BTF”), a wholly owned subsidiary of BTUS, is an investment adviser registered with the SEC. BTF provides both discretionary and non-discretionary portfolio management, consulting and retirement plan management services to individuals and retirement plans. BTF may provide advisory services to the clients of BTMA.

BTMA has no other activities or arrangements that are material to its advisory business or its clients with a related person who is a broker-dealer, investment company, other investment adviser or financial planner, bank, law firm or other financial entity.

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE

Prior to delivery of the Bonds, the School District will execute a Continuing Disclosure Agreement (the "Agreement") for the benefit of the holders of the Bonds and the Beneficial Owners (as hereinafter defined under this caption only) to send certain information annually and to provide notice of certain events to certain information repositories pursuant to the requirements of Rule 15c2-12(b)(5) (the "Rule") adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. "Beneficial Owner" means, under this caption only, any person, who has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bonds (including any person holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or any other intermediaries). The information to be provided on an annual basis, the events which will be noticed on an occurrence basis and the other terms of the Agreement, are set forth in "APPENDIX G - FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT." Additionally, the School District shall provide certain annual financial information and operating data generally consistent with the information contained within the tables under the headings "Enrollments - Enrollment History," "Labor Relations," "Retirement Plan - Contributions to MPSERS," "History of Valuations – State Equalized Valuation and Taxable Valuation," "Tax Levies and Collections," "State Aid Payments", "School District Tax Rates (Per \$1,000 of Valuation)," "Largest Taxpayers," "School Bond Qualification and Loan Program" if any balance, and "Direct Debt" in APPENDIX B and General Fund Budget Summary in APPENDIX C.

A failure by the School District to comply with the Agreement will not constitute an event of default under the Resolution and holders of the Bonds or Beneficial Owners are limited to the remedies described in the Agreement. A failure by the School District to comply with the Agreement must be reported by the School District in accordance with the Rule and must be considered by any broker, dealer or municipal securities dealer before recommending the purchase or sale of the Bonds in the secondary market. Consequently, such a failure may adversely affect the transferability and liquidity of the Bonds and their market price.

The School District has not, in the previous five years, failed to comply, in any material respect, with any agreement or undertaking executed by the School District pursuant to the Rule.

FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information concerning the Bonds may be secured from Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC, 2852 Eyde Parkway, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, phone: (517) 321-0110, Municipal Advisor to the School District, or from the School District's administration offices, 515 Snow Road, Lansing, Michigan 48917, Phone: (517) 321-7265.

OTHER MATTERS

All information contained in this Official Statement is subject, in all respects, to the complete body of information contained in the original sources of such information. In particular, no opinion or representation is rendered as to whether any projection will approximate actual results, and all opinions, estimates and assumptions, whether expressly identified as such, should not be considered statements of facts.

The School District certifies to the best of its knowledge and belief that this Official Statement, as of its date and as it relates to the School District and its economic and financial condition, (i) is complete and accurate; (ii) does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact; and (iii) does not omit any material facts or information which would make the statements contained herein misleading.

This Official Statement has been duly approved, executed and delivered by the School District.

WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON AND CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN

By: _____
Its: Superintendent

**APPENDIX A
STATE QUALIFICATION**

**ARTICLE IX, SECTION 16 OF THE
1963 STATE OF MICHIGAN CONSTITUTION**

State loans to school districts.

Sec. 16. The state, in addition to any other borrowing power, may borrow from time to time such amounts as shall be required, pledge its faith and credit and issue its notes or bonds therefor, for the purpose of making loans to school districts as provided in this section.

Amount of loans.

If the minimum amount which would otherwise be necessary for a school district to levy in any year to pay principal and interest on its qualified bonds, including any necessary allowances for estimated tax delinquencies, exceeds 13 mills on each dollar of its assessed valuation as finally equalized, or such lower millage as the legislature may prescribe, then the school district may elect to borrow all or any part of the excess from the state. In that event the state shall lend the excess amount to the school district for the payment of principal and interest. If for any reason any school district will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on its qualified bonds when due, then the school district shall borrow and the state shall lend to it an amount sufficient to enable the school district to make the payment.

Qualified bonds.

The term "qualified bonds" means general obligation bonds of school districts issued for capital expenditures, including refunding bonds, issued prior to May 4, 1955, or issued thereafter and qualified as provided by law pursuant to Section 27 or Section 28 of Article X of the Constitution of 1908 or pursuant to this section.

Repayment of loans, tax levy by school district.

After a school district has received loans from the state, each year thereafter it shall levy for debt service, exclusive of levies for nonqualified bonds, not less than 13 mill or such lower millage as the legislature may prescribe, until the amount loaned has been repaid, and any tax collections therefrom in any year over and above the minimum requirements for principal and interest on qualified bonds shall be used toward the repayment of state loans. In any year when such levy would produce an amount in excess of the requirements and the amount due to the state, the levy may be reduced by the amount of the excess.

Bonds, state loans, repayment.

Subject to the foregoing provisions, the legislature shall have the power to prescribe and to limit the procedure, terms and conditions for the qualification of bonds, for obtaining and making state loans, and for the repayment of loans.

Power to tax unlimited.

The power to tax for the payment of principal and interest on bonds hereafter issued which are the general obligations of any school district, including refunding bonds, and for repayment of any state loans made to school districts, shall be without limitations as to rate or amount.

Rights and obligations to remain unimpaired.

All rights acquired under Sections 27 and 28 of Article X of the Constitution of 1908, by holders of bonds heretofore issued, and all obligations assumed by the state or any school district under these sections, shall remain unimpaired.

SCHOOL BOND QUALIFICATION, APPROVAL, AND LOAN ACT
Act 92 of 2005

AN ACT to prescribe the procedures, terms, and conditions for the qualification or approval of school bonds and other bonds; to authorize this state to make loans to certain school districts for the payment of certain bonds and to authorize schools to borrow from this state for that purpose; to prescribe the terms and conditions of certain loans to school districts; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state agencies and certain state and local officials; to provide for certain fees; to prescribe certain penalties; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

The People of the State of Michigan enact:

388.1921 Short title.

Sec. 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the "school bond qualification, approval, and loan act".

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1922 Purpose of act.

Sec. 2. The purpose of this act is to implement section 16 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963 and to provide for loans to school districts.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1923 Definitions.

Sec. 3. As used in this act:

(a) "Computed millage" means the number of mills in any year, not less than 7 mills and not more than 13 mills, determined on the date of issuance of the order qualifying the bonds or on a later date if requested by the school district and approved by the state treasurer, that, if levied by the school district, will generate sufficient annual proceeds to pay principal and interest on all the school district's qualified bonds plus principal and interest on all qualified loans related to those qualified bonds no later than the final mandatory repayment date. Based on changes of circumstances, including, but not limited to, additional bond qualification, refundings, changes in qualified loan interest rates, changes in taxable values, and assumptions contained in any then currently effective guidelines issued by the state treasurer pursuant to section 5(2)(c), the school district shall not less than annually, beginning on October 1, 2013, using methods prescribed in this act, recalculate the computed millage necessary to generate sufficient annual levy proceeds to pay principal and interest on all of the school district's qualified bonds and principal and interest on all qualified loans related to those qualified bonds not later than the final mandatory repayment date. If the school district determines that the recalculated computed millage is lower than its current millage levy rate, the school district shall promptly notify the state treasurer in writing of the recalculated computed millage. Immediately thereafter, the school district shall decrease its millage levy rate to the recalculated computed millage, but not below the computed millage established pursuant to the most recent order qualifying bonds for that school district, or to the minimum levy prescribed by law for receipt of qualified loans, whichever rate is higher. If the school district determines that the recalculated computed millage is higher than its current millage levy rate, the school district shall promptly notify the state treasurer in writing of the recalculated computed millage. Immediately thereafter, the school district shall increase its millage levy rate to the recalculated computed millage, subject to 1 of the following exceptions, and subject to any maximum millage levy rate otherwise prescribed for by law:

(i) For each school district's first recalculated computed millage required as of October 1, 2013, increase its millage levy by a percentage amount equal to the equivalent percentage of taxable value change for that school district over the immediately preceding 5 years, but not higher than the recalculated computed millage.

(ii) For each school district's subsequent recalculated computed millage beginning October 1, 2014 and each year thereafter, increase its millage levy by a percentage amount equal to the percentage of taxable value decline for the immediately preceding year ending September 30, but not to a rate higher than the recalculated computed millage.

(iii) If it is determined that a district's current computed millage is sufficient to pay all qualified loans by the mandatory final loan repayment date, no recalculation of the computed millage is required.

(b) "Final mandatory repayment date" means the final mandatory repayment date determined by the state treasurer under section 9.

(c) "Michigan finance authority" means the Michigan finance authority created under Executive

Reorganization Order No. 2010-2, MCL 12.194.

(d) "Qualified bond" means a bond that is qualified under this act for state loans as provided in section 16 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963. A qualified bond includes the interest amount required for payment of a school district's net interest obligation under an interest rate exchange or swap, hedge, or other agreement entered into pursuant to the revised municipal finance act, 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 to 141.2821, but does not include a termination payment or similar payment related to the termination or cancellation of an interest rate exchange or swap, hedge, or other similar agreement. A qualified bond may include a bond issued to refund loans owed to the state under this act.

(e) "Qualified loan" means a loan made under this act or former 1961 PA 108 from this state to a school district to pay debt service on a qualified bond.

(f) "Revolving loan fund" means the school loan revolving fund created under section 16c of the shared credit rating act, 1985 PA 227, MCL 141.1066c.

(g) "School district" means a general powers school district organized under the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1 to 380.1852, or a school district of the first class as described in the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1 to 380.1852, having the power to levy ad valorem property taxes.

(h) "State treasurer" means the state treasurer or his or her duly authorized designee.

(i) "Taxable value" means the value determined under section 27a of the general property tax act, 1893 PA 206, MCL 211.27a.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1924 Qualification of new bonds; terms and conditions applicable to outstanding qualified bonds; application for prequalification.

Sec. 4. (1) A school district may issue and market bonds as qualified bonds if the state treasurer has issued an order granting qualification under this act.

(2) Except with regard to qualification of new bonds, nothing in this act shall be construed to alter the terms and conditions applicable to outstanding qualified bonds issued in accordance with former 1961 PA 108. Unless otherwise amended as permitted by this act, outstanding qualified loans incurred in association with outstanding qualified bonds described in this subsection shall bear interest as provided in section 9(8) but otherwise shall be due and payable as provided in the repayment agreements entered into between the school district and the state before the effective date of this act.

(3) The state treasurer may qualify bonds for which the state treasurer has received an application for prequalification on or before May 25, 2005 without regard to the requirements of section 5(2)(f) if the electors of the school district approve the bonds at an election held during 2005.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1925 Preliminary qualification; application.

Sec. 5. (1) A school district may apply to the state treasurer for preliminary qualification of a proposed school bond issue by filing an application in the form and containing the information required by this act.

(2) An application for preliminary qualification of a school bond shall contain all of the following information:

(a) The proposed ballot language to be submitted to the electors.

(b) A description of the project or projects proposed to be financed.

(c) A pro forma debt service projection showing the estimated mills the school district will levy to provide revenue the school district will use to pay the qualified bonds, any outstanding qualified bonds, and any outstanding or projected qualified loans of the school district. For the purpose of the pro forma debt service projection, the school district may assume for the first 5 years following the date of the application the average growth or decline in taxable value for the 5 years or such other period of time requested by the school district if approved by the state treasurer preceding the date of the application and the average growth or decline rate for the 20 years immediately preceding the date of the application but not more than 3% or less than 0% growth rate, for the remaining term of the proposed bonds.

(d) Evidence that the rate of utilization of each project to be financed will be at least 85% for new buildings and 60% for renovated facilities. If the projected enrollment of the district would not otherwise support utilization at the rates described in this subsection, the school district may include an explanation of the actions the school district intends to take to address the underutilization, including, if applicable, actions to close school buildings or other actions designed to assure continued assured use of the facilities being financed.

(e) Evidence that the cost per square foot of the project or projects will be reasonable in light of economic conditions applicable to the geographic area in which the school district is located.

(f) Evidence that the school district will repay all outstanding qualified bonds, the proposed qualified bonds, all outstanding qualified loans, and all qualified loans expected to be incurred with respect to all qualified bonds of the school district, including the proposed qualified bond issue, not later than the applicable final mandatory repayment date.

(g) The overall utilization rate of all school buildings in the school district, excluding special education purposes.

(h) The total bonded debt outstanding of the school district and the total taxable value of property in the school district for the school district fiscal year in which the application is filed.

(i) A statement describing any environmental or usability problems to be addressed by the project or projects.

(j) An architect's analysis of the overall condition of the facilities to be renovated or replaced as a part of the project or projects.

(k) An amortization schedule demonstrating that the weighted average maturity of the qualified bond issue does not exceed 120% of the average reasonably expected useful life of the facilities, excluding land and site improvements, being financed or refinanced with the proceeds of the qualified bonds, determined as of the later of the date on which the qualified bonds will be issued or the date on which each facility is expected to be placed in service.

(l) An agreement that the school district will keep books and records detailing the investment and expenditure of the proceeds of the qualified bonds and, at the request of the state treasurer, the school district will promptly, but not later than the date specified in the request, which date shall be not less than 5 business days after the date of the request, submit information requested by the state treasurer related to the detailed information maintained by the school district as to the investment and expenditure of the proceeds of its qualified bonds.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1926 Prequalification of bonds; determination by state treasurer.

Sec. 6. The state treasurer shall prequalify bonds of a school district if the state treasurer determines all of the following:

(a) The issuance of additional qualified bonds will not prevent the school district from repaying its outstanding qualified bonds, the proposed bonds, all outstanding qualified loans, and all qualified loans expected to be incurred with respect to all qualified bonds of the school district, including the proposed bond issue, not later than the applicable final mandatory repayment date.

(b) The form and language of the ballot conforms with the requirements of this act.

(c) The school district has filed an application complying with the requirements of section 5.

(d) If the proposed bond issue is approved by the voters after September 30, 2012 and will result in additional qualified loans, the outstanding balance of all qualified loans on the most recent May 1 or November 1 did not exceed \$1,800,000,000.00. The \$1,800,000,000.00 limitation described in the immediately preceding sentence does not apply after June 30, 2016.

(e) The issuance of additional qualified bonds approved by voters after September 30, 2012 will not have an adverse financial impact on the school district, this state, or the school loan revolving fund. In making this determination, the state treasurer shall consider relevant factors, including, but not limited to, whether the issuance of the proposed bond issue will cause the aggregate outstanding amount of qualified and nonqualified bonds, including the proposed bond issue, and currently outstanding qualified loans of the school district to exceed 25% of the taxable value of the school district at the time the proposed bonds are issued.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1927 Qualification of bonds; determination by state treasurer; order; specifications; loan agreement; reapplication; qualification of refunding bonds; requirements.

Sec. 7. (1) The state treasurer shall qualify bonds of a school district if the state treasurer determines all of the following:

(a) A majority of the school district electors have approved the bonds.

(b) The terms of the bond issue comply with applicable provisions of the revised school code, 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1 to 380.1852.

(c) The school district is in compliance with the revised municipal finance act, 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 to 141.2821.

(d) The weighted average maturity of the qualified bond issue does not exceed 120% of the average reasonably expected useful life of the facilities, excluding land and site improvements, being financed or refinanced with the proceeds of the bonds, determined as of the later of the date on which the qualified bonds

will be issued or the date on which each facility is expected to be placed in service.

(e) The school district has filed any information necessary to update the contents of the original application to reflect changes in any of the information approved in the preliminary qualification process.

(f) The school district has agreed that the school district will keep books and records detailing the investment and expenditure of the proceeds of the qualified bonds and, at the request of the state treasurer, the school district will promptly, but not later than the date specified in the request, which date shall be not less than 5 business days after the date of the request, submit information requested by the state treasurer related to the detailed information maintained by the school district as to the investment and expenditure of the proceeds of its qualified bonds.

(2) An order qualifying bonds shall specify the principal and interest payment dates for all the bonds, the maximum principal amount of and maximum interest rate on the bonds, the computed millage, if any, the final mandatory repayment date, and other matters as the state treasurer shall determine or as are required by this act.

(3) If the application for prequalification demonstrates that the school district will borrow from this state in accordance with this act, the state treasurer and the school district shall enter into a loan agreement setting forth the terms and conditions of any qualified loans to be made to the school district under this act.

(4) If a school district does not issue its qualified bonds within 180 days after the date of the order qualifying bonds, the order shall no longer be effective. However, the school district may reapply for qualification by filing an application and information necessary to update the contents of the original application for prequalification or qualification.

(5) The state treasurer shall qualify refunding bonds issued to refund qualified loans or qualified bonds if the state treasurer finds that all of the following are met:

(a) The refunding bonds comply with the provisions of the revised municipal finance act, 2001 PA 34, MCL 141.2101 to 141.2821.

(b) That the school district will repay all outstanding qualified bonds, the proposed qualified bonds, all outstanding qualified loans, and all qualified loans expected to be incurred with respect to all qualified bonds of the school district, including the proposed qualified bond issue, not later than the applicable final mandatory repayment date.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1928 Submission of ballot to electors; ballot.

Sec. 8. A ballot submitted to the school electors of a school district after November 8, 2005 requesting authorization to issue unlimited tax general obligations that will be guaranteed by this state in accordance with section 16 of article IX of the state constitution of 1963 shall inform the electors that if the school district expects to borrow from this state to pay debt service on the bonds, the estimated total amount of the principal of that borrowing and the interest to be paid on that borrowing, the estimated duration of the millage levy, and the estimated computed millage rate for that levy. The ballot shall also inform the electors of the total amount of qualified bond and loan debt currently outstanding and that the estimated computed millage rate may change based on changes in certain circumstances.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1929 Amount of borrowing; limitation; payment date for outstanding qualified loans; order; maintenance of separate accounts for each school district; duration of millage levy; amended and restated repayment agreements; waiver of portion of millage levy; findings; interest; final or later mandatory repayment date.

Sec. 9. (1) Except as otherwise provided in this act, a school district may borrow from the state an amount not greater than the difference between the proceeds of the school district's computed millage and the amount necessary to pay principal and interest on its qualified bonds, including any necessary allowances for estimated tax delinquencies.

(2) For school districts having qualified loans outstanding as of July 20, 2005, the state treasurer shall review information relating to each school district regarding the taxable value of the school district and the actual debt service of outstanding qualified bonds as of July 20, 2005 and shall issue an order establishing the payment date for all those outstanding qualified loans and any additional qualified loans expected to be incurred by those school districts related to qualified bonds issued before July 20, 2005. The payment date shall be not later than 72 months after the date on which the qualified bonds most recently issued by the school district are due and payable. The payment date established pursuant to this subsection for a school district is a final mandatory repayment date.

(3) For qualified loans related to qualified bonds issued after July 20, 2005, the qualified loans shall be due

72 months after the date on which the qualified bonds for which the school borrowed from this state are due and payable. The due date determined pursuant to this subsection for a school district is a final mandatory repayment date. This section does not preclude early repayment of qualified bonds or qualified loans.

(4) The state treasurer shall maintain separate accounts for each school district on the books and accounts of this state noting the qualified bond, the related qualified loans, the final payment date of the bonds, the final mandatory repayment date of the qualified loans, and the interest rate accrued on the loans.

(5) For qualified loans relating to qualified bonds issued after July 20, 2005, a school district shall continue to levy the computed millage until it has completely repaid all principal and interest on its qualified loans.

(6) For qualified loans relating to qualified bonds issued before July 20, 2005, a school district shall continue to comply with the levy and repayment requirements imposed before July 20, 2005. Not less than 90 days after July 20, 2005, the state treasurer and the school district shall enter into amended and restated repayment agreements to incorporate the levy and repayment requirements applicable to qualified loans issued before July 20, 2005.

(7) Upon the request of a school district made before June 1 of any year, the state treasurer annually may waive all or a portion of the millage required to be levied by a school district to pay principal and interest on its qualified bonds or qualified loans under this section if the state treasurer finds all of the following:

(a) The school board of the school district has applied to the state treasurer for permission to levy less than the millage required to be levied to pay the principal and interest on its qualified bonds or qualified loans under subsection (1).

(b) The application specifies the number of mills the school district requests permission to levy.

(c) The waiver will be financially beneficial to this state, the school district, or both.

(d) The waiver will not reduce the millage levied by the school district to pay principal and interest on qualified bonds or qualified loans under this act to less than 7 mills.

(e) The board of the school district, by resolution, has agreed to comply with all conditions that the state treasurer considers necessary.

(8) All qualified loans shall bear interest at 1 of the following rates:

(a) The greater of 3% or the average annual cost of funds used to make qualified loans plus 0.125%, but not less than the cost of funds on outstanding qualified notes and bonds issued by the Michigan finance authority to finance loans computed by the state treasurer not less often than annually.

(b) A lesser rate determined by the state treasurer to be necessary to maintain the exemption from federal income tax of interest on any bonds or notes issued to fund qualified loans.

(c) A higher rate determined by the state treasurer to be necessary to prevent the impairment of any contract of this state or the Michigan finance authority in existence on the effective date of the amendatory act that added this subdivision.

(9) A payment date determined under subsection (2) or a due date determined under subsection (3) is a final mandatory repayment date. Once established for a school district as provided in this section, a final mandatory repayment date shall apply to all qualified loans of the school district, whenever made, until 30 days after the date the school district has no outstanding qualified loans and no outstanding debt incurred to refund qualified loans. Notwithstanding this subsection, the state treasurer may determine a later mandatory repayment date for a school district that agrees to levy a higher millage, acceptable to the state treasurer, not to exceed 13 mills, than its existing computed millage.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2006, Act 71, Imd. Eff. Mar. 20, 2006;—Am. 2009, Act 50, Imd. Eff. June 18, 2009;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1930 Certificates of qualification or approval; file; delivery.

Sec. 10. The state treasurer shall keep all certificates of qualification or approval in a permanent file and shall deliver copies of the certificates to the school district.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1931 Rules; bulletins.

Sec. 11. The state treasurer may promulgate rules to implement this act pursuant to the administrative procedures act of 1969, 1969 PA 306, MCL 24.201 to 24.328, and may issue bulletins as authorized by this act.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1932 Failure to apply for prequalification, qualification, or approval of bond before issuance.

Sec. 12. If a school district does not apply for prequalification or qualification or approval of a bond issue

before the issuance of those bonds, the state treasurer shall not approve or qualify those bonds as qualified bonds under this act.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1933 School district owing revolving loan fund; filing annual loan activity application required; borrowing for debt service on qualified bonds; draw request; duties of state treasurer upon receipt of qualified loan confirmation; notification of no need to borrow by school district; invoice for repayment amount; remittance.

Sec. 13. (1) If a school district owes a balance due to the revolving loan fund or has been identified as a potential borrower, the school district shall file an annual loan activity application with the state treasurer not less than 60 days before certifying its annual tax levy. The annual loan activity application shall be submitted in a format prescribed by the state treasurer and shall provide the taxable value, debt service, and any other information necessary to determine the proper required millage levy required under this act. The application shall contain a resolution passed by the local school board authorizing a designated school district official to complete all necessary documents to obtain a loan from the revolving loan fund or for making repayment to the revolving loan fund for the year.

(2) If a school district is eligible to borrow for debt service on qualified bonds, the school district shall file a draw request with the state treasurer not less than 30 days before each date on which the school district owes the debt service. The draw request shall include all of the following:

(a) A statement of the debt service owed in the next 6 months.

(b) A copy of the most recent bank statement showing the amount on hand in the debt service accounts for all qualified bonds.

(c) A statement of any revenue received for payment of the debt service since the date of the bank statement.

(d) A statement of any withdrawals made from the debt service account since the date of the bank statement.

(3) Not more than 7 days before the date established by the state treasurer for making qualified loans, the school district shall confirm in writing the final qualified loan amount to be drawn on a certificate in the form prescribed by the state treasurer.

(4) Upon receipt of a qualified loan confirmation described in subsection (3), the state treasurer shall determine the amount of the draw, which shall be the difference between the funds on hand in all debt service accounts and the amount of the debt service, and shall make a qualified loan in that amount to the school district no later than 6 days before the date the debt service is due.

(5) When a school district's current computed millage levy is sufficient to pay principal and interest on its qualified bonds, a school district shall notify the state treasurer in writing of no need to borrow no later than 30 days before the date set for payment of the qualified bonds.

(6) Within 30 days after receipt of the annual activity application under subsection (1), the state treasurer shall send an invoice to the school district for the amount of repayment the school district owes on its outstanding qualified loans, which shall be the difference between the debt service payable or paid to bondholders and the funds on hand at the school district, less a reasonable amount of funds on hand, as determined by the state treasurer, to cover minimum balance requirements or potential tax disputes. The school district shall remit the amount specified in the invoice within 30 days after the dated date of the invoice.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1934 Failure of school district to pay principal and interest due on qualified bonds; notice; payment by state treasurer; billing of school district for amount paid; remittance.

Sec. 14. (1) If any paying agent for a school district's qualified bonds notifies the state treasurer that the school district has failed to deposit sufficient funds to pay principal and interest due on the qualified bonds when due, or if a bondholder notifies the state treasurer that the school district has failed to pay principal or interest on qualified bonds when due, whether or not the school district has filed a draw request with the state treasurer, the state treasurer shall promptly pay the principal or interest on the qualified bond when due.

(2) If the state treasurer pays any amount described in this section, the state treasurer shall bill the school district for the amount paid and the school district shall immediately remit the amount to the state treasurer. If the school district would have been eligible to borrow the debt service in accordance with the terms of this act, the school district shall enter into a loan agreement establishing the terms of the qualified loan as provided in this act. If the state treasurer directs the Michigan municipal bond authority to pay any amount described in this section, the state treasurer shall cause the Michigan municipal bond authority to bill the

school district for the amount paid and the school district shall immediately remit the amount to the Michigan municipal bond authority.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1935 Default; repayment.

Sec. 15. (1) If a school district that owes this state loan repayments relating to qualified bonds fails to levy at least the computed millage upon its taxable value for debt retirement purposes for qualified bonds and for repayment of a qualified loan made under this act while any part of the qualified loan is unpaid or defaults in its agreement to repay a qualified loan or any installment of a qualified loan, the school district shall increase its debt levy in the next succeeding year to obtain the amount necessary to repay this state the amount of the default plus a late charge of 3% and shall pay that amount to this state together with any other amounts owed during the next tax year. The school district may use other funds to repay this state including a transfer of general funds of the school district, if approved by the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall not disburse state school aid to the school district until the school district has made satisfactory arrangements with the state treasurer for the payment of the amount in default.

(2) If a school district fails to process any report, application, confirmation, or repayment as required under this act, the state treasurer may withhold a school district's state aid funds until the school district complies with the requirements under this act.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1936 Charging and disposition of fees.

Sec. 16. (1) The state treasurer may charge a prequalification application fee, a qualification application fee, and an annual loan activity fee in the amounts determined by the state treasurer to be required to pay the estimated administrative expenses incurred under this act for the fiscal year in which the state treasurer imposes the fee.

(2) The state treasurer shall deposit all fees collected under this act into a separate fund established within the state treasury, and shall use the proceeds of the fees solely for the purpose of administering and enforcing this act. The unexpended and unobligated balance of this fund at the end of each state fiscal year shall be carried forward over to the succeeding state fiscal year and shall not lapse to the general fund but shall be available for reappropriation for the next state fiscal year.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1937 False statement or unauthorized use of proceeds; violation as felony; penalty.

Sec. 17. A person who knowingly makes a false statement or conceals material information for the purpose of obtaining qualification of a bond issue under this act or for the purpose of obtaining a qualified loan under this act, or who knowingly uses all or part of the proceeds of a qualified loan obtained under this act for any purpose not authorized by this act, is guilty of a felony punishable by imprisonment for not more than 4 years or a fine of not more than \$5,000.00, or both.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

388.1938 Use of remaining proceeds.

Sec. 18. If a school district has completed the projects approved by the school electors of the school district to be funded from proceeds of qualified bonds, a school district may use any remaining proceeds of the qualified bonds as follows:

(a) To pay debt service on the qualified bonds.

(b) To repay this state.

(c) If in the opinion of the school district's bond counsel use of the remaining proceeds for the purposes described in subdivisions (a) and (b) would adversely affect the federal tax treatment of interest on the qualified bonds, to pay for enhancements to the projects approved by the school electors as described in the ballot language proposing the qualified bonds.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005;—Am. 2012, Act 437, Eff. Mar. 28, 2013.

388.1939 Actions by designee.

Sec. 19. The state treasurer may designate in writing a person or persons to take any actions required to be taken by the state treasurer under this act. The signature of any designee shall have the same force and effect as the signature of the state treasurer for all purposes of this act.

History: 2005, Act 92, Imd. Eff. July 20, 2005.

**OPINION #4422 OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, STATE OF MICHIGAN
DATED MARCH 12, 1965**

CONSTITUTIONAL LAW:
SCHOOL BONDS:
MUNICIPAL FINANCE COMMISSION:

Article 9, § 16, Michigan Constitution of 1963, requires school districts to borrow and State to lend sufficient sum to cover debt service payments on qualified bonds of school districts. Although this is not a pledge of full faith and credit of the State, the Municipal Finance Commission may and must enforce the duty of the district to borrow and the State to lend such sum.

No. 4422

March 12, 1965.

Hon. Sanford A. Brown
State Treasurer
Lansing, Michigan

You have asked in your letter of February 5 whether Article IX, § 16 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 pledges the full faith and credit of the State to the payment of principal and interest of qualified school bonds.

Article IX, § 16 of the Michigan Constitution of 1963 provides in pertinent part as follows:

"The state * * * may borrow from time to time such amounts as shall be required, pledge its faith and credit and issue its notes or bonds therefor, for the purpose of making loans to school districts as provided in this section.

"If the minimum amount which would otherwise be necessary for a school district to levy in any year to pay principal and interest on its qualified bonds, including any necessary allowances for estimated tax delinquencies, exceeds 13 mills on each dollar of its assessed valuation as finally equalized, or such lower millage as the legislature may prescribe, then the school district may elect to borrow all or any part of the excess from the state. In that event the state shall lend the excess amount to the school district for payment of principal and interest. If for any reason any school district will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on its qualified bonds when due, then the school district shall borrow and the state shall lend to it an amount sufficient to enable the school district to make the payment.

"The term 'qualified bonds' means general obligation bonds of school districts issued for capital expenditures, including refunding bonds, issued prior to May 4, 1955, or issued thereafter and qualified as provided by law pursuant to Section 27 or Section 28 of Article X of the Constitution of 1908 or pursuant to this section."

Thus, the school district is required to borrow and the State to lend an amount sufficient to enable the school district to make payments of principal and interest due on qualified bonds, and the state is empowered to borrow and to issue its notes or bonds for the purpose of making such loans, and to pledge its full faith and credit for such state bonds or notes.

The constitutional provision quoted does not pledge the full faith and credit of the state to all qualified bonds. The state is not primarily liable on qualified bonds of a school district. Rather, the state is required to lend whatever the school district needs, from time to time, to meet debt service requirements on such bonds.

You ask what remedies are available to enforce the obligation of the state.

The quoted language makes it mandatory upon the school district to borrow and upon the state to lend "an amount necessary to enable the school district to make the payment." Under Chapter II, Section 2(f) of the Municipal Finance Act [C.L. 1948 § 132.2; M.S.A. 1958 Rev. Vol. § 5.3188(4)f], the Municipal Finance Commission has power to enforce compliance with any law by, inter alia, the "institution of appropriate proceedings in the courts of the state, including those for writs of mandamus and injunction."

The Commission could and indeed must enforce the duty of the district to borrow and the state to lend. The bondholders also would have an action to enforce the duty of the district to borrow and of the state to lend.

Thus the bondholders are assured of the availability of state funds where needed to meet debt service requirements on qualified bonds. This is not a pledge of full faith and credit, but gives the bondholders as much or more protection as would such a pledge.

FRANK J. KELLEY,
Attorney General

**OPINION #4508 OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL, STATE OF MICHIGAN
DATED AUGUST 29, 1966**

BONDS: Qualified bonds of school districts.

CONSTITUTION OF 1963: School Bond Loan Fund.

SCHOOLS: Bond Loans.

STATE TREASURER: Payment of principal and interest on qualified school district bonds.

Authority of State Treasurer and procedures to be followed in paying from the School Bond Loan Fund principal and interest on qualified school bonds upon presentment by a bondholder.

No. 4508 Hon. Allison Green
 State Treasurer
 Capitol Building
 Lansing, Michigan

August 29, 1966.

You have requested my opinion on what procedures should be followed by the state treasurer preparatory to making loans to local school districts which are unable to make payments on principal and interest of qualified school district bonds.¹

Loans to bonded school districts are authorized by Article IX, Section 16, Constitution of 1963, which in part contains pertinent language:

"If the minimum amount which would otherwise be necessary for a school district to levy in any year to pay principal and interest on its qualified bonds, including any necessary allowances for estimated tax delinquencies, exceeds 13 mills on each dollar of its assessed valuation as finally equalized, or such lower millage as the legislature may prescribe, then the school district may elect to borrow all or any part of the excess from the state. In that event the state shall lend the excess amount to the school district for the payment of principal and interest. If for any reason any school district will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on its qualified bonds when due, then the school district shall borrow and the state shall lend to it an amount sufficient to enable the school district to make the payment.

"The term 'qualified bonds' means general obligation bonds of school districts issued for capital expenditures, including refunding bonds, issued prior to May 4, 1955, or issued thereafter and qualified as provided by law pursuant to Section 27 or Section 28 of Article X of the Constitution of 1908 or pursuant to this section."

Article IX, Section 16, Constitution of 1963, is a continuation with minor revisions of the provisions relating to school bond financing which appeared in Sections 27 and 28 of Article X, Constitution of 1908. Section 27, Article X, Constitution of 1908, was proposed by joint resolution of the legislature in 1955 and approved by the people at the regular election of April 4, 1955. The loan provisions of Section 27 ceased to have effectiveness after July 1, 1962, and were replaced by the provisions of Section 28, Article X, Constitution of 1908, which was proposed by joint resolution of the legislature in 1960 and approved by the people at the general election of November 8, 1960. Section 28 by its own terms took effect on July 1, 1962.

Section 28, Article X, Constitution of 1908, was implemented by the legislature by the enactment of Act 108, P.A. 1961, which took effect September 8, 1961. The first section of Act 108, P.A. 1961, stated that the purpose of the act was to implement Section 28 of Article X of the Constitution of 1908. The Constitution of 1963 took effect on January 1, 1964. In anticipation of the effectiveness of that Constitution, the legislature passed Act 33, P.A. 1963, Second Extra Session, such act to take effect on January 1, 1964. Act 33, P.A. 1963, Second Extra Session, amended Sections 1, 3, 8 and 9 of Act 108, P.A. 1961, and further amended section 7 of Act 108, P.A. 1961, as amended by Act 131, P.A. 1962. The first section of amendatory Act 33 stated that the act's purpose was to implement Section 16 of Article IX of the Constitution of 1963. Subsequent amendment has been made to Sections 2, 4, 6, 9 and 10 of Act 108, P.A. 1961, by Act 169, P.A. 1964, which act also added a new Section 4a.²

¹In your letter of request you stated that you were familiar with Opinion No. 4422 issued by me on March 12, 1965, in which it was ruled that Article IX, Section 16, Constitution of 1963, requires school districts to borrow and the state to lend sufficient sums to cover debt service payments on qualified bonds of school districts but that this requirement is not a pledge of the full faith and credit of the state; the Municipal Finance Commission however may and must enforce the duty of the school district to borrow and have the state to lend the necessary amounts.

²Act 108, P.A. 1961, in its present amended form appears in M.S.A. 1965 Cum. Supp. § S 3.424(111) et seq.

Answer to your question is to be found in amended Sections 6, 7 and 8 of the act. These sections present two situations in which you may become involved as state treasurer. The first situation is where a loan is to be made to the school district to permit the district to meet the principal and interest requirements on its bonds without a default in payment; the second is where the principal or interest on the bonds has not been paid when due upon proper presentation because of inadequate funds resulting in a default in payment.

Under amended Section 6 of the act, in any school district where the amount necessary to be levied in any year for principal and interest on qualified bonds exceeds 7 mills on each dollar of the assessed valuation of the school district as last equalized by the state, such school district on or before 60 days prior to the time of certification of its tax levy to the assessing officer shall file with the superintendent of public instruction³ a preliminary application for a loan from the state in the amount of any part of such excess over 7 mills which the school district does not propose to levy in such year.⁴ Amended Section 6 specifies the information to be supplied in the application. The superintendent of public instruction if he finds the application in proper form shall approve or deny the application in whole or in part and notify the school district of his action. Amended Section 7 of the act provides that if a loan from the state shall become necessary for the payment of principal and interest on qualified bonds in accordance with an approved preliminary application to the superintendent of public instruction or by virtue of a supplemental application, it shall be the duty of the superintendent of public instruction after audit to forward to the state treasurer a statement setting forth the amount to be loaned to the school district for the payment of principal and interest and the date on or before which loan shall be made.⁵ The superintendent shall prepare a voucher as a basis for the issuance of a warrant and upon receipt of such statement and warrant, it shall be the duty of the state treasurer to loan to the school district from the school bond loan fund the amount set forth in the statement of the superintendent of public instruction on or before the date specified therein. The state treasurer upon making such loan shall obtain from the school district a receipt for the amount so loaned which receipt shall specify the terms of repayment in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of Article IX, Constitution of 1963 and the act. The school district treasurer upon receipt of the loan is required to deposit the same in the debt retirement fund to be used solely for the payment of principal and interest on qualified bonds.

The foregoing summaries of the procedures prescribed by amended Section 6 and 7 relate to the first situation above-described where the loan to the school district is to be made before the school district has defaulted in the payment of the principal or interest on its bonds.

The second situation described above is covered by amended Section 8 of the act which prescribes that in the event the principal or interest on any qualified bond is not paid when due, upon proper presentation of the bond or interest coupon to the agent or officer charged with making payment thereof, the state treasurer shall forthwith pay such principal or interest upon presentation of the bond or coupon to him. Any amount so paid by the state treasurer shall be deemed a loan to the school district made pursuant to the requirements of Section 16, Article IX, Constitution of 1963, and the act and the school district shall give a receipt therefor and repay the loan in the manner provided in the act for the repayment of loans.

The method of processing loans to school districts under amended Sections 6 and 7 before default in payment of principal or interest is adequately spelled out in those sections and no additional comment from me is necessary. Your real concern is in regard to the applicable procedures which you should follow in the situation where the school district has defaulted in the payment of principal or interest on its bonds and the bond or bonds and the interest coupons have not been paid when due by the paying agent because of lack of funds. In the event of such a happening it is assumed for the purposes of this opinion that the holder of the bond or of the interest coupon will make demand on you as state treasurer for the prompt payment of the obligation thereunder. Should such demand be made on you as state treasurer, you would be entitled to take the following action before making payment:

- a. Ascertaining from the superintendent of public instruction or from the records in your own office that the bonds involved are duly qualified bonds as defined and described in amended Section 3 of the act;
- b. Requiring proof reasonably satisfactory to you that the bond or bonds or the interest coupons have been properly presented for payment to the paying agent or officer charged with the responsibility for making payment thereof and that payment has been refused because sufficient monies had not been deposited by the school district for that purpose; such proof of nonpayment may be furnished you in the form of a certificate from the paying agent.

³Article VIII, Section 3, Constitution of 1963 requires the state board of education to appoint a superintendent of public instruction who shall be the principal executive officer of the department of education and who shall have powers and duties provided by law. Section 14 of Act 287, P.A. 1964 (M.S.A. 1965 Cum. Supp. § 15.1023(14)) specifies that after June 30, 1965, a reference in any law to the powers and duties of the superintendent of public instruction shall be deemed to be made to the state board of education, subject to exceptions not pertinent here, and that the state board of education may delegate any of its functions to the superintendent. Section 300 of Act 380, P.A. 1965, creates a department of education. Section 301 of that act provides that the head of the department of education is the state board of education. Section 303 of that act transfers by a Type III transfer all powers, duties and functions then vested by law in the superintendent of public instruction to the department of education. Section 305 of the act specifies that the principal executive officer of the department of education is the superintendent of public instruction. Act 380 appears in M.S.A. 1965 Cum. Supp. at § 3.29(1) et seq. Act 380, P.A. 1965, was amended without regard to the sections involved here by Act 407, P.A. 1965. Without doubt, under the foregoing provisions the state board of education could delegate to the superintendent of public instruction the performance of all of the functions and duties imposed on the board in connection with the School Bond Loan Fund.

⁴Other details set forth in amended Section 6 have been omitted.

⁵Other details set forth in amended Section 7 have been omitted.

c. Notification to the school district given by you or your designee of the action taken by paying agent in refusing payment of the bonds or interest coupons on presentment because of the failure of the school district to have deposited funds with the paying agent for that purpose and verification from the school district of the fact of such failure to supply the required funds; notification to the school district by you or your designee that payment of the required amounts were to be made from the school bond loan fund by you as state treasurer and that such payment would be in the form of a loan to the school district which the school district would be required to be repay to the school bond loan fund in the manner required by law; the school district will be required to furnish you as state treasurer with a receipt evidencing the loan and specifying the terms of repayment, as required by law.

Upon the fulfillment of the above conditions in a manner reasonably acceptable to you, you would be authorized to make payment of the amounts due on the bonds and interest coupons and thereupon to demand their surrender and delivery to you as state treasurer.

Because of the safeguards built into the Michigan Constitution and statutes there should be no default of Michigan qualified school bonds. The School Loan Fund Program will have afforded the school district access to loan funds prior to the due date of the principle [sic] and interest on such bonds. In order to advise of the procedures in the remote possibility of nonpayment, however, I have set forth the foregoing guide lines [sic].

FRANK J. KELLEY,
Attorney General

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APPENDIX B¹
SCHOOL DISTRICT DATA

Location and Area

Waverly Community Schools, Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton, State of Michigan (the “School District”) is a K-12 school district located in the central portion of Michigan’s lower peninsula. The School District covers an area of approximately 16.83 square miles. The School District is comprised of portions of Delta Charter Township and Windsor Charter Township in Eaton County, a portion of Lansing Charter Township and a small portion of the City of Lansing in Ingham County, and a portion of Watertown Charter Township in Clinton County. The School District serves the suburban area directly west of the City of Lansing.

Population²

The School District’s historical estimated populations within its boundaries are as follows:

2000	20,785
2010	20,625
2020	20,092

The following is a record of the 2010 and 2020 populations for the municipal units that comprise the School District, without regard to the School District boundaries.

	<u>2010</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>% Change</u>
<i>Clinton County</i>			
Watertown Charter Township	4,836	5,563	15.03%
<i>Eaton County</i>			
Delta Charter Township	32,408	33,119	2.19%
Windsor Charter Township	6,838	7,140	4.42%
<i>Ingham County</i>			
Lansing Charter Township	8,126	8,143	0.21%
City of Lansing	114,297	112,644	-1.45%

Board of Education

The School District is governed by seven elected Board of Education members who serve staggered four-year terms.

Enrollments

The following tables show total enrollments as of the Fall pupil count day at the School District for the current and past nine years and the 2023/2024 enrollment by grade.

Enrollment History

2023/24	2,703 ³	2018/19	3,009
2022/23	2,871	2017/18	3,042
2021/22	2,817	2016/17	2,882
2020/21	2,888	2015/16	2,805
2019/20	2,992	2014/15	2,770

Projected enrollment for 2024/25 is 2,721 as estimated by the School District.

¹ Unless otherwise noted, the information contained in Appendix B was provided by the School District.

² Sources: U.S. Census of Population.

³ Unaudited.

2023/24 Enrollment by Grade¹

PPI	17	7 th	210
K	172	8 th	212
1 st	187	9 th	252
2 nd	185	10 th	258
3 rd	180	11 th	217
4 th	174	12 th	<u>234</u>
5 th	202		
6 th	203		
		TOTAL	<u>2,703</u>

School District Facilities

<u>Facility</u>	<u>Grades Served</u>	<u>Year Constructed</u>	<u>Last Addition/ Remodeling</u>
<i>Elementary:</i>			
Colt Early Childhood Ed. School	PK-K	1961	2002
Elmwood Elementary School	1-4	1975	2003
Winans Elementary School	1-4	1965	2003
<i>Intermediate</i>			
East Intermediate School	5-6	1960	2023
<i>Middle School:</i>			
Waverly Middle School	7-8	1966	2014
<i>High School:</i>			
Waverly High School	9-12	1965	2014
<i>Non-Instructional</i>			
School Services Bldg. - Bus Garage	n/a	1963	2004
Administration Bldg.	n/a	1974	2004

Other Schools

The following schools are located within the School District's boundaries.

<u>School</u>	<u>Grades Served²</u>
St. Gerard Catholic	K-8 th
New Covenant Christian	K-12 th
Greater Lansing Seventh Day Adventist	PreK – 10 th
Windemere Park Charter Academy	K-8 th

¹ Unaudited.

² Per listed schools' websites.

Labor Relations

<u>Class</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Affiliation</u>	<u>Contract Expires</u>
Teacher	218	MEA/NEA	6/30/2026 ²
Custodians	27	Local 243, Teamsters	6/30/2024 ³
Secretaries, Cafeteria, Lunch Assistants, Media Specialist, Paraprofessionals	128	MEA/NEA	6/30/2024
Bus Drivers	18	Local 214, Teamsters	6/30/2025
Building Administrators	15	Organized but not-affiliated	6/30/2024
Central Office Administrators	7	Not Affiliated	n/a
Preschool/Child Care	14	Not Affiliated	n/a
Supervisors	4	Not Affiliated	n/a
Central Office Support	<u>7</u>	Not Affiliated	n/a
Total	<u>438</u>		

During the past ten years, the School District has not experienced a strike by any of its bargaining units.

Retirement Plan

For the period October 1 through September 30, the School District pays an amount equal to a percentage of its employees’ wages to the Michigan Public School Employees Retirement System (“MPSERS”), which is a statewide retirement plan for employees of Michigan public schools administered by the State of Michigan. These contributions are established and required by law and are calculated by using the contribution rates as determined annually by the State.

Public Act 75 of 2010 (“Act 75”) significantly modified MPSERS and among other provisions required all employees hired after July 1, 2010 to participate in a new Pension Plus Plan which provides a combined defined benefit and defined contribution benefit structure. Public Act 92 of 2017 (“Act 92”) further modified MPSERS for all employees hired on or after February 1, 2018. Act 92 requires all employees hired on or after February 1, 2018 to elect to participate in a new 401(k) style defined contribution plan or a new hybrid plan with different assumptions and cost sharing.

Contributions to MPSERS

<u>Fiscal Year Ending June 30</u>	<u>Contribution to MPSERS¹</u>
2024	\$11,660,149 (est.)
2023	11,795,954
2022	9,038,570
2021	8,029,416
2020	7,617,431

Note: GASB Statement 68 requires all reporting units in a multi-employer cost sharing pension plan to record a balance sheet liability for their proportionate share of the net pension liability of the plan. Please refer to the audit for the pension liability.

¹ Sources: Audited Financial Statements and School District.

² School District expects to meet with the unit to discuss potential limited contract issues prior to contract expiration.

³ Currently in negotiations.

Other Post-Employment Benefits

MPSERS is a cost-sharing, multi-employer, statewide plan. Pension benefits and retiree health benefits are established by law and funded through employer contributions. The cost of retiree benefits is funded annually on a pay-as-you-go basis, with retirees paying some of the costs. Current year liability for retiree health benefits is reflected in the figures provided above. Further information regarding MPSERS, including retiree health benefits, can be found at www.michigan.gov/orsschools.

GENERAL FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Assessed Valuations¹

Taxable property in the School District is assessed by the respective municipal assessors and is subject to review by the County Equalization Departments. Tax levies on property in Michigan are applied against the taxable value of all property on the ad valorem tax roll as finally equalized by the State of Michigan.

In accordance with Act 539, Public Acts of Michigan, 1982, as amended, and Article IX, Section 3, of the 1963 Michigan Constitution, the ad valorem state equalized valuation ("SEV") represents 50 percent of true cash value. SEV does not include any value of tax-exempt property (e.g. churches, governmental property and public schools) or property granted tax abatements under Act 198, Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended. The assessed values of Industrial Facilities Tax (IFT) properties are maintained on a separate tax roll. Beginning in 1994, ad valorem property taxes are levied on the basis of taxable value, which is subject, in the case of some property, to assessment caps.

The following tables show a history of assessed valuations for the School District and an analysis of the 2023 taxable value by class and by municipal unit.

History of Valuations – State Equalized Valuation and Taxable Valuation^{1,2,3}

	State Equalized <u>Valuation</u>	Taxable <u>Valuation</u>
2023	\$1,131,169,800	\$979,584,504
2022	1,042,008,450	885,326,641
2021	985,400,700	878,539,900
2020	946,958,050	859,435,643
2019	902,467,400	836,152,629

2023 Taxable Value by Class^{1,2}

	<u>Taxable Value</u>	<u>% of Total Taxable Value</u>
Agriculture	\$1,336,094	0.14%
Commercial	294,292,149	30.04%
Industrial	98,903,793	10.10%
Residential	483,122,318	49.32%
Developmental	1,510,400	0.15%
Commercial Personal	47,136,750	4.81%
industrial Personal	36,077,600	3.68%
Utility Personal	<u>17,205,400</u>	<u>1.76%</u>
Total	<u>\$979,584,504</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

¹ See "MICHIGAN PROPERTY TAX REFORM" herein for information regarding changes to certain tax classifications effective in the 2014 and 2016 tax years.

² Sources: Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties Equalization Departments.

³ The School District's debt millage is levied on the taxable valuation plus the IFT equivalent taxable valuation.

2023 Taxable Valuation by Municipal Unit^{1,2,3}

<u>Name of Unit</u>	<u>Homestead</u> ¹	<u>Non-Homestead</u> ³	<u>Total Taxable Valuation</u>	<u>% of Total Valuation</u>
<i>Clinton County</i>				
Watertown Charter Township	\$8,980,950	\$71,860,178	\$80,841,128	8.61%
<i>Eaton County</i>				
Delta Charter Township	406,483,152	305,286,974	711,770,127	71.58%
Windsor Charter Township	11,325,828	24,646,136	35,971,964	3.74%
<i>Ingham County</i>				
Lansing Charter Township	74,448,699	73,855,935	148,304,634	15.78%
City of Lansing	<u>2,548,417</u>	<u>148,235</u>	<u>2,696,652</u>	<u>0.29%</u>
Total	<u>\$503,787,046</u>	<u>\$475,797,458</u>	<u>\$979,584,504</u>	<u>100.00%</u>

Industrial Facilities Tax (IFT) Valuation¹

Under the provisions of Act 198 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1974, as amended ("Act 198"), plant rehabilitation districts and/or industrial development districts may be established. Businesses in these districts are offered certain property tax incentives to encourage restoration or replacement of obsolete facilities and to attract new facilities to the area. An industrial facilities tax ("IFT") is paid, at a lesser effective rate and in lieu of ad valorem property taxes, on such facilities for a period of up to 12 years. Qualifying facilities are issued abatement certificates for specific periods.

After expiration of the abatement certificate, the then-current SEV of the facility is returned to the ad valorem tax roll. The owner of such facility may obtain a new certificate, provided it has complied with the provisions of Act 198. The 2023 Taxable Value for the properties which have been granted IFT abatements within the School District's boundaries is \$13,932,855, which is taxed at one-half rate of the total IFT valuations.

As part of the phase-out of Michigan's property tax on personal property, if a facility and personal property within that facility is subject to an industrial facilities exemption on December 31, 2013, that property would continue to be subject to the industrial facilities tax until the expiration of said tax at which time the property tax exemption would remain intact until the "eligible personal property" is exempt under the new law. See "MICHIGAN PROPERTY TAX REFORM" herein.

Tax Levies and Collections

The School District's fiscal year begins July 1 and ends June 30. School District property taxes are due July 1 and December 1 of each fiscal year and are payable without penalty or interest on or before the following September 14 and February 14, respectively, and without penalty on or before the following February 14. Taxes in Delta Charter Township, Lansing Charter Township and City of Lansing are payable without interest on or before September 14 and February 14, respectively, and without penalty on or before February 14. Taxes in Watertown Charter Township and Windsor Charter Township are payable without interest or penalty on or before February 14. All real property taxes remaining unpaid on March 1st of the year following the levy are turned over to the County Treasurers for Collection. Clinton, Eaton and Ingham Counties (the "Counties") annually pay from their Tax Payment Funds delinquent taxes on real property to all taxing units in the Counties, including the School District, shortly after the date delinquent taxes are returned to the County Treasurers for collection. The payments from these funds have resulted in collections of taxes approaching 100% for all taxing units. Delinquent personal property taxes are negligible. To date, the Counties have purchased and paid from their Tax Payment Funds the delinquent taxes on all real property of all taxing units in the Counties. The decision to make such payments is determined on an annual basis by the Counties. There is no guarantee that the payments will continue in future years. If the delinquent taxes which are due and payable to the

¹ Source: Ingham, Eaton, and Clinton Counties Equalization Departments.

² See "MICHIGAN PROPERTY TAX REFORM" herein for information regarding changes to certain tax classifications effective in the 2014 and 2016 tax years.

³ Until 2008 all personal property was included in non-homestead valuations. Beginning in 2008, all industrial personal property is included in the homestead tax base. While commercial personal property continues to be included in the non-homestead tax base, it is exempt from the first 12 mills levied on non-homestead property only.

Counties are not received by the Counties for any reason, the Counties have full rights of recourse against the School District to recover the amount of uncollected delinquent taxes, together with interest thereon, at the rate of one percent per month or fraction of a month until repaid to the Counties by the School District.

A history of the operating tax levies and collections for the School District is as follows:

School Year	Operating Tax Levy	Current collections to March 1, Each Year		Collections Plus Funding to June 30, Each Year	
2023/24	\$9,470,376 est.	In Process of Collections		In Process of Collections	
2022/23	8,919,753	\$8,632,476	96.78%	\$8,908,900	99.88%
2021/22	8,693,329	8,329,410	95.81%	8,671,888	99.75%
2020/21	9,379,555	9,051,309	96.50%	9,340,580	99.58%
2019/20	9,210,054	8,983,712	97.54%	9,177,011	99.64%

State Aid Payments

The School District's primary source of funding for operating costs is the State aid foundation allowance per pupil. The target foundation allowance for all school districts in the State of Michigan is \$9,608 per pupil for fiscal year 2023/24. The School District's foundation allowance exceeds the target foundation allowance and for 2023/24 is set at \$9,992 per pupil. In future years, this allowance may be adjusted by an index based upon the change in revenues to the State school aid fund and the change in the total number of pupils statewide. The School District has a foundation allowance in excess of that base. See "SOURCES OF SCHOOL OPERATING REVENUE" herein for additional information.

The following table shows a history of the School District's Foundation Allowance Per Pupil, Total State Aid Payments including categoricals, and Blended Pupil Count.

Fiscal Year End June 30 th	Foundation Allowance Per Pupil	Total State Aid Payments	Blended Pupil Count
2023/24 ¹	\$9,992	\$28,168,619	2,720
2022/23	9,534	30,345,282	2,871
2021/22	9,023	22,750,609	2,818
2020/21 ²	8,913	22,929,102	2,977
2019/20	8,913	23,326,124	3,004

¹Preliminary estimate, subject to change.

² Public Act 165 of 2020 restored the State school aid reductions contained in Public Act 146 of 2020 for the 2020/21 fiscal year, added a onetime \$65 per pupil payment and added other appropriations for qualifying school districts.

School District Tax Rates (Per \$1,000 of Valuation)

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
Operating – Voted Non-Homestead ¹	18.0000	17.9946	17.9946	17.9946	17.9946
Operating – Voted Homestead ²	2.0949	1.9522	2.4140	4.1764	4.4692
Debt	6.4000	6.4000	6.4000	6.4000	6.9000
Sinking Fund	<u>1.0000</u>	<u>1.0000</u>	<u>1.0000</u>	<u>1.0000</u>	<u>1.0000</u>
Total Non-Homestead	25.4000	25.3946	25.3946	25.3946	25.8946
Total Homestead	9.4949	9.3522	9.8140	11.5764	12.3692

Other Tax Rates (Per \$1,000 of Valuation)⁴

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2019</u>
State Education Tax	6.0000	6.0000	6.0000	6.0000	6.0000
Clinton County Operating	5.8000	5.7189	5.7408	6.6149	5.7976
Watertown Charter Township	4.3814	4.3814	4.4013	4.4199	4.4823
Eaton County - Operating	5.2096	5.2096	5.2096	5.2096	5.2149
Delta Charter Township - Operating	4.9287	4.9287	5.9183	4.9287	4.9287
Windsor Charter Township	3.6000	3.8000	3.8000	3.8000	3.8000
Ingham County - Operating	6.7479	6.7479	6.7479	6.7615	6.7670
City of Lansing	23.2000	19.4400	19.4400	19.4400	19.7000
Lansing Charter Township	8.7491	8.2634	8.7491	8.7615	9.0065
Lansing Community College	3.7692	3.7692	3.7692	3.7777	3.8072
Ingham ISD	6.2290	6.2290	6.2297	6.0386	5.9987

Largest Taxpayers¹

Shown below are the ten largest identifiable taxpayers in the School District based on their 2023 taxable valuations. The taxpayers listed below represent 19.40% of the School District’s 2023 Taxable Valuation of \$979,584,505.

<u>Taxpayer</u>	<u>Product or Service</u>	<u>2023 Taxable Valuation</u>
Auto Owners Insurance	Commercial	\$72,290,693
Meijer, Inc.	Commercial	53,610,737
Consumers Energy Company	Utility	15,232,196
General Motors Corp.	Industrial	9,161,052
Plumtree Apartments	Residential	8,045,409
John Henry Co.	Industrial	7,211,458
IIP-MI LLC	Commercial	6,326,015
VG of Lansing LLC	Commercial	6,066,635
Brixmor GA Delta Center	Commercial	6,057,200
Lansing Mall LLC	Commercial	<u>6,024,270</u>
TOTAL		<u>\$190,025,665</u>

¹ The School District levies voted operating millage on non-homestead property (all taxable property other than principal residences, qualified agricultural property, qualified forestry property, supportive housing property, property occupied by a public school academy and industrial personal property), provided that the levy on the portion of non-homestead property constituting commercial personal property will be exempt from the first 12 mills of the millage rate. The current operating millage expires with the 2032 levy.

² The School District levies voted operating millage on homestead property (principal residences, qualified agricultural property, qualified forestry property, supportive housing property, property occupied by a public school academy and industrial personal property). Commercial personal property is also subject to this millage. The current operating millage expires with the 2032 levy.

³ Sinking Fund expires in 2025.

⁴ Sources: Ingham, Eaton and Clinton County Equalization Departments.

Debt History

The School District has no record of default on its obligations.

Future Financing

The School District does not anticipate issuing additional capital financing bonds in the next twelve months. The School District has authorization remaining from the May 2021 election that it anticipates issuing in 2026. The School District also has a ballot proposal on the May 2024 ballot that it anticipates issuing in 2026 upon a successful election.

School Bond Qualification and Loan Program¹

As of March 28, 2024, the School District does not have an outstanding balance in the School Bond Loan Fund or the School Loan Revolving Fund.

Direct Debt (as of March 28, 2024)²

03/01/22	2022 School Building and Site Bonds, Series I (UTQ)	\$53,820,000
Plus:	2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (UTQ)	<u>58,000,000</u>
NET DIRECT DEBT (as of date of delivery)		<u>\$111,820,000</u>

Overlapping Debt (as of March 28, 2024)²

<u>% Applicable</u>	<u>Municipality</u>	<u>Amount Outstanding</u>	<u>School District Share</u>
0.09%	Lansing, City of	\$348,030,827	\$313,228
38.94	Delta Charter Township	102,591,098	39,948,973
41.06	Lansing Charter Township	34,428,927	14,136,517
20.74	Watertown Charter Township	2,077,852	430,946
11.33	Windsor Charter Township	570,928	64,686
2.21	Clinton County	23,864,386	527,403
16.35	Eaton County	13,063,006	2,135,802
1.48	Ingham County	91,959,484	1,361,000
8.14	Ingham ISD	11,621,000	945,949
6.56	Lansing Community College	66,875,000	<u>4,387,000</u>
Net overlapping debt in the School District			<u>\$64,251,504</u>
NET DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING DEBT			<u>\$176,071,504</u>

Debt Ratios*

2023 State Equalized Valuation (SEV)	\$1,131,169,800
2023 Taxable Valuation	\$979,584,504
2020 Population	20,092
Direct Debt (Including New Issue)	\$111,820,000
Direct/Overlapping Debt	\$176,071,504
Direct Debt Per Capita	\$5,565.40
Direct/Overlapping Debt Per Capita	\$8,763.26
Per Capita 2023 SEV	\$56,299
Ratio of Direct Debt to 2023 SEV	9.89%
Ratio of Direct/Overlapping Debt to 2023 SEV	15.57%

¹ Source: Michigan Department of Treasury

²Source: Municipal Advisory Council of Michigan.

Per Capita 2023 Taxable Valuation	\$48,755
Ratio of Direct Debt to 2023 Taxable Valuation	11.42%
Ratio of Direct/Overlapping Debt to 2023 Taxable Valuation	17.97%

Legal Debt Margin

2023 State Equalized Valuation		\$1,131,169,800
Debt Limit (15% of 2023 State Equalized Valuation)		\$169,675,470
Debt Outstanding	\$111,820,000	
Less bonds not subject to Debt Limit ¹	<u>(111,820,000)</u>	
Total Subject to Debt Limit		<u>0</u>
Additional Debt Which Could Be Legally Incurred		<u>\$169,675,470</u>

ECONOMIC PROFILE

The School District is located the following distances from these cities:

- 50 miles southwest of Flint
- 50 miles northeast of Ann Arbor
- 65 miles southeast of Grand Rapids
- 69 miles west of Pontiac
- 90 miles northwest of downtown Detroit

Unemployment²

The following table shows the historical annual average unemployment rates (not seasonally adjusted) for Clinton, Eaton, Ingham Counties and the State of Michigan.

	<u>Clinton County</u>	<u>Eaton County</u>	<u>Ingham County</u>	<u>State of Michigan</u>
Jan. 2024	3.4%	3.8%	3.7%	4.0%
2023	3.3	3.6	3.9	3.9
2022	3.9	4.4	4.4	4.2
2021	4.5	5.3	5.6	5.8
2020	6.7	7.9	7.8	10.0
2019	3.0	3.4	3.6	4.1

¹ Section 1351(3) of Act 451, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, as amended, provides that bonds not included in the computation of the legal debt margin are (1) any bond qualified under Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963, and (2) deficit budget bonds authorized under Section 1356. In addition, Section 605 of Act 34, Public Acts of Michigan, 2001, as amended, provides, in relevant part, that debt evidenced by a refunding security shall not be deemed to be within any statutory or charter limitation of outstanding debt limit.

² Source: State of Michigan Office of Labor Market Information.

Major Employers¹

<u>Company</u>	<u>Product or service</u>	<u>Approximate # of employees</u>
<i>Within the Area of School District</i>		
Michigan Department of Insurance Services	Insurance	5,064
Michigan Department of State Police	Police	2,600
Lansing Community College	Education	2,500
Auto Owners Insurance Company	Insurance	1,400
Peckham Vocational Industries, Inc.	Social Services	1,000
Waverly Community Schools	Education	438
Compu-Link Corporation	Banking	310
Quest Software, LLC	Software	300
<i>Ingham County (1,500 or more)</i>		
Department of State Michigan	Government	14,500
Michigan State University	Higher education	11,100
Michigan Department of Insurance	Government	5,064
SF Holdings Group, Inc.	Holding company	4,530
Sparrow Health System	Health care	3,400
Dart Container of Michigan LLC	Mfg. paper products	2,716
Lansing Community College	Higher education	2,500
McLaren Health	Health care	2,400
Lansing School District	Education	2,000
Jackson National Life Insurance Company	Insurance	1,500
<i>Eaton County (380 or more employees)</i>		
State Police Department	Government	2,600
Spartan Motors Chassis, Inc. (HQ)	Fire trucks, motor homes, & parts	1,515
Auto-Owners Insurance Company	Insurance	1,400
Kendall Duhadway & Associates Inc.	Investigation & security services	1,071
Eaton County	Government	825
Walmart	Retail	505
Charlotte Public Schools	Education	450
Grand Ledge Public Schools	Education	429
Farm Bureau Insurance	Insurance	384
Meijer, Inc.	Retail	380
<i>Clinton County (200 or more employees)</i>		
Peckham Vocational Industries, Inc.	Social Services	1,000
Lansing MPS Inc	Printing	800
Saint Johns Public Schools	Education	500
DeWitt Public Schools	Education	300
Quest Software, LLC	Software	300
Centennial Healthcare Corporation	Health care	265
Saylor-Beall Manufacturing Company	Machine Manufacturer	254
Romanow Sales Company, Inc	Building Services	242
County of Clinton	Government	219
Clinton Area Care Center, Inc.	Health care	200

¹ Sources: D&B Hoovers, Lansing Economic Development, 2020 Harris Michigan Services and Industrial Directories, 2020 Michigan Manufacturers Directory.

APPENDIX C

WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

General Fund Budget Summary
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2024

	Amended <u>2023/24</u>
<u>REVENUES</u>	
Local Sources	\$9,973,532
State Sources	31,433,087
Federal Sources	2,807,276
Intergovernmental	3,886,251
Transfers In	<u>125,000</u>
 TOTAL REVENUES	 <u>\$48,189,146</u>
 <u>EXPENDITURES</u>	
Current	
Instruction	
Basic Programs	17,667,547
Added Needs	8,716,887
Support Services	
Pupil	4,146,873
Instructional Staff	2,975,930
General Administration	448,029
School Administration	3,357,753
Business	671,045
Operations and maintenance	4,300,972
Pupil transportation services	1,322,040
Central	1,049,559
Other	328,032
Athletics	737,773
Community Services	5,050
Welfare Activities	10,000
Payments to other public schools	1,607,305
Debt Service:	
Principal	0
Interest	0
Capital Outlay	<u>29,558</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	<u>\$47,374,353</u>
 Excess of Revenue (Under) Over Expenditures	 814,793
Transfers Out	<u>(1,100,000)</u>
Projected Change in Fund Balance	(285,207)
 Fund Balance - July 1	 <u>\$8,140,837</u>
Estimated Fund Balance - June 30	<u>\$7,855,630</u>

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The School District has not obtained the written consent of its auditor for the inclusion of the portions of the annual financial report contained in this Official Statement. Therefore, the auditor has not conducted a post-audit review of such information.

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**Financial Report
with Supplementary Information
June 30, 2023**

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Education
 Waverly Community Schools

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Waverly Community Schools (the "School District") as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023 and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the School District as of June 30, 2023 and the respective changes in its financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

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

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the School District's ability to continue as a going concern for 12 months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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



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

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

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

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and other required supplementary information, as identified in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, which 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 Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information, as identified in the table of contents, is presented for the purpose of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The 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 other supplementary information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

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Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 22, 2023 on our consideration of the School 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 solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the School District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



September 22, 2023

Waverly Community Schools

Management's Discussion and Analysis

This section of the annual financial report for Waverly Community Schools (the "School District") presents our discussion and analysis of the School District's financial performance during the year ended June 30, 2023. Please read it in conjunction with the School District's financial statements, which immediately follow this section.

Using This Annual Report

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those financial statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand Waverly Community Schools financially as a whole. The government-wide financial statements provide information about the activities of the whole School District, presenting both an aggregate view of the School District's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. The fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For governmental activities, these statements tell how services were financed in the short term and what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements look at the School District's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements by providing information about the School District's most significant funds, the General Fund, the Debt Service Fund, and the 2022 Building and Site Series I capital project fund, with all other funds presented in one column as nonmajor funds. The remaining statements, the statement of fiduciary net position and statement of changes in fiduciary net position, present financial information about activities for which the School District acts solely as an agent for donor-sponsored scholarships. This report is composed of the following elements:

**Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A)
(Required Supplementary Information)**

Basic Financial Statements

Government-wide Financial Statements

Fund Financial Statements

Notes to Financial Statements

Required Supplementary Information

Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund

Schedule of the School District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability

Schedule of Pension Contributions

Schedule of the School District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability

Schedule of OPEB Contributions

Other Supplementary Information

Reporting the School District as a Whole - Government-wide Financial Statements

One of the most important questions asked about the School District is, "As a whole, what is the School District's financial condition as a result of the year's activities?" The statement of net position and the statement of activities, which appear first in the School District's financial statements, report information on the School District as a whole and its activities in a way that helps you answer this question. We prepare these statements to include all assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources using the accrual basis of accounting, which is similar to the accounting used by most private sector companies. All of the current year's revenue and expenses are taken into account, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

These two statements report the School District's net position - the difference between assets plus deferred outflows of resources and liabilities plus deferred inflows of resources, as reported in the statement of net position - as one way to measure the School District's financial health or financial position. Over time, increases or decreases in the School District's net position, as reported in the statement of activities, are indicators of whether its financial health is improving or deteriorating. The relationship between revenue and expenses is the School District's operating results. However, the School District's goal is to provide services to our students, not to generate profits as commercial entities do. One must consider many other nonfinancial factors, such as the quality of the education provided and the safety of the schools, to assess the overall health of the School District.

The statement of net position and the statement of activities report the governmental activities for the School District, which encompass all of the School District's services, including instruction, support services, community services, athletics, and food services. Property taxes, unrestricted state aid (foundation allowance revenue), and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.

Reporting the School District's Fund Financial Statements

The School District's fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds, not the School District as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by state law and by bond covenants. However, the School District establishes many other funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes (the Food Services and Community Services funds are an example) or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using certain taxes, grants, and other money (such as bond-funded construction funds used for voter-approved capital projects).

Governmental Funds

Governmental fund reporting focuses on showing how money flows into and out of funds and the balances left at year end that are available for spending. They are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the operations of the School District and the services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the School District's programs. We describe the relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the statement of net position and the statement of activities) and governmental funds in a reconciliation.

Fiduciary Funds

The School District has certain fiduciary responsibilities for its custodial funds. All of the School District's fiduciary activities are reported in the separate statement of fiduciary net position and statement of changes in fiduciary net position. We exclude these activities from the School District's other financial statements because the School District cannot use these assets to finance its operations. The School District is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in these funds are used for their intended purposes.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The School District as a Whole

Recall that the statement of net position provides the perspective of the School District as a whole. The following table provides a summary of the School District's net position as of June 30, 2023 and 2022:

	Governmental Activities	
	2023	2022
	(in millions)	
Assets		
Current and other assets	\$ 71.0	\$ 78.2
Capital assets	56.0	45.1
Total assets	127.0	123.3
Deferred Outflows of Resources	30.2	16.2
Liabilities		
Current liabilities	7.6	6.3
Noncurrent liabilities	62.1	65.7
Net pension liability	79.4	50.1
Net OPEB liability	4.5	3.2
Total liabilities	153.6	125.3
Deferred Inflows of Resources	15.8	32.6
Net Position (Deficit)		
Net investment in capital assets	44.8	43.0
Restricted	2.0	0.5
Unrestricted	(59.0)	(61.9)
Total net position (deficit)	\$ (12.2)	\$ (18.4)

The above analysis focuses on net position. The change in net position of the School District's governmental activities is discussed below. The School District's net position was \$(12.2) million at June 30, 2023. Net investment in capital assets totaling \$44.8 million compares the original cost, less depreciation of the School District's capital assets, to long-term debt used to finance the acquisition of those assets. Most of the debt will be repaid from voter-approved property taxes collected as the debt service comes due. Restricted net position is reported separately to show legal constraints from debt covenants and enabling legislation that limit the School District's ability to use that net position for day-to-day operations. The remaining amount of net position, \$(59.0) million, was unrestricted.

The \$(59.0) million in unrestricted net position of governmental activities represents the accumulated results of all past years' operations, net of the pension and OPEB liabilities.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

The results of this year's operations for the School District as a whole are reported in the condensed statement of activities below, which shows the changes in net position for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022:

	Governmental Activities	
	2023	2022
	(in millions)	
Revenue		
Program revenue:		
Charges for services	\$ 0.8	\$ 0.7
Operating grants	18.8	15.2
General revenue:		
Taxes	15.9	15.1
State aid not restricted to specific purposes	18.0	16.9
Other	2.1	0.1
Total revenue	55.6	48.0
Expenses		
Instruction	26.5	22.6
Support services	17.3	15.5
Athletics	1.0	1.0
Food services	1.8	1.5
Community services	0.4	0.3
Debt service	2.4	1.2
Total expenses	49.4	42.1
Change in Net Position	6.2	5.9
Net Position (Deficit) - Beginning of year	(18.4)	(24.3)
Net Position (Deficit) - End of year	\$ (12.2)	\$ (18.4)

As reported in the statement of activities, the cost of all of our governmental activities this year was \$49.4 million. Certain activities were partially funded from those who benefited from the programs (\$0.8 million) or by other governments and organizations that subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions (\$18.8 million). We paid for the remaining public benefit portion of our governmental activities with \$15.9 million in taxes, \$18.0 million in state foundation allowance, and other revenue (i.e., interest and general entitlements).

The School District experienced an increase in net position of \$6.2 million. The key reason for this change was the increased funding due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

As discussed above, the net cost shows the financial burden that was placed on the State and the School District's taxpayers by each of these functions. Since property taxes for operations and unrestricted state aid constitute the vast majority of district operating revenue sources, the Board of Education and administration must annually evaluate the needs of the School District and balance those needs with state-prescribed available unrestricted resources.

The School District's Funds

As we noted earlier, the School District uses funds to help it control and manage money for particular purposes. Looking at funds helps the reader consider whether the School District is being accountable for the resources taxpayers and others provide to it and may provide more insight into the School District's overall financial health.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

As the School District completed this year, the governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$63.8 million, which is a decrease of \$8.5 million from last year. The primary reason for the decrease is related to an increase in capital outlay expenditures due to the first full year of spending 2022 Building and Site Series I Bond proceeds.

Fund balance of our General Fund and special revenue funds remained stable. The School District continues to maintain a General Fund fund balance in excess of 10 percent of current operating expenditures as a strategic effort to absorb significant changes in state funding or a significant decline in enrollment and to minimize the cost of borrowing to meet current cash obligations.

The fund balance of the 2022 Building and Site Series I Fund decreased by \$12.0 million, as the School District continued to spend proceeds from the 2022 Building and Site Series I bond issuance.

The fund balance of our debt service fund remained stable. The School District maintains a fund balance less than or equal to one-twelfth of annual debt service for the immediately preceding bond year to ensure the School District can maintain sufficient resources to continue the biannual principal and interest payments on the outstanding bond issue-related debt service. The biannual principal and interest payments in November and May allow the School District to reduce overall borrowing costs on the outstanding bond issues.

Combined, the fund balance of our non-major capital project funds increased by \$1.9 million. This increase is primarily due to funds transferred into the Board Designated Capital Projects Fund for various school construction projects designated by the Board of Education. The School District collected \$1.0 million in voter-approved Sinking Fund millage. This millage is available to fund specific capital projects allowed by state law and approved by the voters.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the School District revises its budget as it attempts to deal with unexpected changes in revenue and expenditures. State law requires that the budget be amended to ensure that expenditures do not exceed appropriations. The final amendment to the budget was adopted in June 2023. A schedule showing the School District's original and final budget amounts compared with amounts actually paid and received is provided in the required supplementary information of these financial statements.

There were no significant variances between the final budget and actual amounts.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

As of June 30, 2023, the School District had \$56.0 million invested in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, vehicles, furniture, equipment, and construction in progress. This represents a net increase (including additions, disposals, and depreciation) of approximately \$10.9 million, or 24.3 percent, from last year.

	2023	2022
Land	\$ 100,500	\$ 100,500
Construction in progress	12,413,904	2,193,212
Buildings and improvements	82,367,807	79,615,507
Furniture and equipment	8,528,740	7,665,108
Buses and other vehicles	2,223,717	2,519,208
Total capital assets	105,634,668	92,093,535
Less accumulated depreciation	49,645,146	47,037,388
Total capital assets - Net of accumulated depreciation	\$ 55,989,522	\$ 45,056,147

This year's additions of \$14.0 million included technology, classroom furniture, food service equipment, buses, site improvements, and building renovations. We present more detailed information about our capital assets in the notes to the financial statements.

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Management's Discussion and Analysis (Continued)

Debt

At the end of this year, the School District had \$55.6 million in bonds outstanding versus \$58.9 million in the previous year. Those bonds consisted of the following:

	2023	2022
2013 School Facility Improvement Bonds	\$ -	\$ 70,000
2021 Building and Site Series IV Bonds	-	1,990,000
2022 Building and Site Series I Bonds	55,580,000	56,850,000
Total	\$ 55,580,000	\$ 58,910,000

Other obligations include accrued vacation pay and sick leave. We present more detailed information about our long-term liabilities in the notes to the financial statements.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

Our elected officials and administration consider many factors when setting the School District's 2023-2024 fiscal year budget. One of the most important factors affecting the budget is our student count. The state foundation revenue is determined by multiplying the blended student count by the foundation allowance per pupil. The 2023-2024 budget was adopted in June 2023 based on an estimate of students who will enroll in August 2023.

Contacting the School District's Management

This financial report is intended to provide our taxpayers, parents, and investors with a general overview of the School District's finances and to show the School District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact the business office.

Waverly Community Schools

Statement of Net Position

June 30, 2023

	Governmental Activities
Assets	
Cash and investments (Note 4)	\$ 7,407,656
Receivables:	
Accrued interest receivable	100,879
Other receivables	63,121
Due from other governments	6,483,041
Inventories	38,081
Prepaid expenses	180,750
Restricted assets - Unspent bond proceeds and taxes levied	56,674,434
Capital assets:	
Assets not subject to depreciation (Note 6)	12,514,404
Assets subject to depreciation - Net (Note 6)	43,475,118
Total assets	126,937,484
Deferred Outflows of Resources	
Deferred pension costs (Note 9)	24,183,405
Deferred OPEB costs (Note 9)	6,044,506
Total deferred outflows of resources	30,227,911
Liabilities	
Accounts payable	2,431,449
Due to other governmental units	1,037,397
Accrued liabilities and other	3,506,019
Unearned revenue (Note 10)	646,882
Noncurrent liabilities:	
Due within one year (Note 7)	3,858,267
Due in more than one year (Note 7)	58,235,026
Net pension liability (Note 9)	79,406,174
Net OPEB liability (Note 9)	4,453,161
Total liabilities	153,574,375
Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Revenue in support of pension contributions made subsequent to the measurement date (Note 9)	5,703,115
Deferred pension costs (Note 9)	732,223
Deferred OPEB costs (Note 9)	9,322,431
Total deferred inflows of resources	15,757,769
Net Position (Deficit)	
Net investment in capital assets	44,817,617
Restricted:	
Debt service	755,023
Capital projects	1,219,207
Unrestricted	(58,958,596)
Total net position (deficit)	\$ (12,166,749)

Waverly Community Schools

Statement of Activities

Year Ended June 30, 2023

Functions/Programs	Program Revenue			Governmental
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
Primary government - Governmental activities:				
Instruction	\$ 26,509,542	\$ 12,442	\$ 16,370,051	\$ (10,127,049)
Support services	17,296,046	12,100	493,951	(16,789,995)
Athletics	979,542	94,547	-	(884,995)
Food services	1,791,377	78,625	1,929,443	216,691
Community services	403,839	645,778	-	241,939
Interest	2,345,899	-	-	(2,345,899)
Other debt costs	7,330	-	-	(7,330)
Total primary government	\$ 49,333,575	\$ 843,492	\$ 18,793,445	(29,696,638)
General revenue:				
Taxes:				
Property taxes, levied for general purposes				9,025,720
Property taxes, levied for debt service				5,903,053
Property taxes, levied for capital projects				922,278
State aid not restricted to specific purposes				17,951,376
Interest and investment earnings				1,664,512
Penalties, interest, and other taxes				14,477
Gain on sale of capital assets				12,528
Other				412,059
Total general revenue				35,906,003
Change in Net Position				6,209,365
Net Position (Deficit) - Beginning of year				(18,376,114)
Net Position (Deficit) - End of year				\$ (12,166,749)

See notes to financial statements.

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Waverly Community Schools

Governmental Funds

Balance Sheet

June 30, 2023

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	2022 Building and Site Series I Fund	Nonmajor Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Assets					
Cash and investments (Note 4)	\$ 6,430,608	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 977,048	\$ 7,407,656
Receivables:					
Accrued interest receivable	-	-	100,879	-	100,879
Other receivables	25,453	-	-	35,268	60,721
Due from other governments	6,404,866	-	-	78,175	6,483,041
Due from other funds (Note 5)	2,515,427	237,860	-	2,428,211	5,181,498
Inventories	-	-	-	38,081	38,081
Prepaid expenses	180,750	-	-	-	180,750
Restricted assets - Unspent bond proceeds and taxes levied (Note 4)	-	980,330	51,560,620	4,133,484	56,674,434
Total assets	\$ 15,557,104	\$ 1,218,190	\$ 51,661,499	\$ 7,690,267	\$ 76,127,060
Liabilities					
Accounts payable	\$ 180,467	\$ -	\$ 2,155,531	\$ 95,451	\$ 2,431,449
Due to other governmental units	1,037,397	-	-	-	1,037,397
Due to other funds (Note 5)	2,541,280	-	2,258,319	379,499	5,179,098
Accrued liabilities and other	3,014,389	-	-	28,463	3,042,852
Unearned revenue	642,734	-	-	4,148	646,882
Total liabilities	7,416,267	-	4,413,850	507,561	12,337,678
Fund Balances					
Nonspendable:					
Inventories	-	-	-	38,081	38,081
Prepays	180,750	-	-	-	180,750
Restricted:					
Debt service	-	1,218,190	-	-	1,218,190
Capital projects	-	-	47,247,649	3,791,142	51,038,791
Food service	-	-	-	552,823	552,823
Committed:					
Capital projects	-	-	-	2,068,613	2,068,613
Community service	-	-	-	431,801	431,801
Student activities	-	-	-	300,246	300,246
Assigned - Subsequent year's budget	939,963	-	-	-	939,963
Unassigned	7,020,124	-	-	-	7,020,124
Total fund balances	8,140,837	1,218,190	47,247,649	7,182,706	63,789,382
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 15,557,104	\$ 1,218,190	\$ 51,661,499	\$ 7,690,267	\$ 76,127,060

See notes to financial statements.

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Waverly Community Schools

Governmental Funds
Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position

June 30, 2023

Fund Balances Reported in Governmental Funds	\$ 63,789,382
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are not reported in the funds:	
Cost of capital assets	105,634,668
Accumulated depreciation	<u>(49,645,146)</u>
Net capital assets used in governmental activities	55,989,522
Bonds payable and related premiums are not due and payable in the current period and are not reported in the funds	(60,991,489)
Accrued interest is not due and payable in the current period and is not reported in the funds	(463,167)
Some employee fringe benefits are payable over a long period of years and do not represent a claim on current financial resources; therefore, they are not reported as fund liabilities:	
Employee compensated absences	(1,101,804)
Net pension liability and related deferred inflows and outflows	(55,954,992)
Net OPEB liability and related deferred inflows and outflows	(7,731,086)
Revenue in support of pension contributions made subsequent to the measurement date is reported as a deferred inflow of resources in the statement of net position and is not reported in the funds	<u>(5,703,115)</u>
Net Position (Deficit) of Governmental Activities	<u><u>\$ (12,166,749)</u></u>

See notes to financial statements.

Waverly Community Schools

Governmental Funds
Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances

Year Ended June 30, 2023

	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	2022 Building and Site Series I Fund	Nonmajor Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenue					
Local sources	\$ 9,458,090	\$ 5,947,141	\$ 1,364,053	\$ 2,016,307	\$ 18,785,591
State sources	29,941,775	94,416	-	88,668	30,124,859
Federal sources	2,466,130	-	-	2,473,036	4,939,166
Interdistrict sources	4,088,377	-	-	2,724	4,091,101
Total revenue	45,954,372	6,041,557	1,364,053	4,580,735	57,940,717
Expenditures					
Current:					
Instruction	25,378,583	-	-	332,815	25,711,398
Support services	17,798,474	-	-	204,870	18,003,344
Athletics	703,910	-	-	-	703,910
Food services	-	-	-	1,854,871	1,854,871
Community services	7,579	-	-	417,648	425,227
Debt service:					
Principal (Note 7)	70,000	3,260,000	-	-	3,330,000
Interest	700	2,454,222	-	-	2,454,922
Other debt costs	-	6,830	500	-	7,330
Capital outlay	197,824	-	13,332,072	481,906	14,011,802
Total expenditures	44,157,070	5,721,052	13,332,572	3,292,110	66,502,804
Excess of Revenue Over (Under) Expenditures	1,797,302	320,505	(11,968,519)	1,288,625	(8,562,087)
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	22,413	-	-	-	22,413
Transfers in (Note 5)	137,349	-	-	1,350,000	1,487,349
Transfers out (Note 5)	(1,350,000)	-	-	(137,349)	(1,487,349)
Total other financing (uses) sources	(1,190,238)	-	-	1,212,651	22,413
Net Change in Fund Balances	607,064	320,505	(11,968,519)	2,501,276	(8,539,674)
Fund Balances - Beginning of year	7,533,773	897,685	59,216,168	4,681,430	72,329,056
Fund Balances - End of year	<u><u>\$ 8,140,837</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,218,190</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 47,247,649</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 7,182,706</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 63,789,382</u></u>

See notes to financial statements.

Waverly Community Schools

Governmental Funds
 Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in
 Fund Balances to the Statement of Activities

Year Ended June 30, 2023

Net Change in Fund Balances Reported in Governmental Funds	\$ (8,539,674)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; however, in the statement of activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation:	
Capitalized capital outlay	13,977,413
Depreciation expense	(3,034,153)
Net book value of assets disposed of	(9,885)
Revenue in support of pension contributions made subsequent to the measurement date	(2,410,305)
Repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but not in the statement of activities (where it reduces long-term debt); amortization of premium/discounts and inflows/outflows related to bond refundings are not expenses in the governmental funds	3,523,267
Interest expense is recognized in the government-wide statements as it accrues	(84,244)
Some employee costs (pension, OPEB, and compensated absences) do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds	2,786,946
Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 6,209,365</u>

See notes to financial statements.

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Waverly Community Schools

Fiduciary Funds
 Statement of Fiduciary Net Position

June 30, 2023

	Custodial Funds
Assets - Cash (Note 4)	\$ 8,064
Liabilities - Due to other funds (Note 5)	<u>2,400</u>
Net Position - Restricted for individuals, organizations, and other governments	<u>\$ 5,664</u>

See notes to financial statements.

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Waverly Community Schools

Fiduciary Funds
Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position

Year Ended June 30, 2023

	Custodial Funds
Additions - Fundraising and contributions	\$ 2,571
Deductions	
Scholarships	500
Other	1,596
Total deductions	2,096
Net Change in Fiduciary Net Position	475
Net Position - Beginning of year	5,189
Net Position - End of year	\$ 5,664

See notes to financial statements.

Waverly Community Schools

Notes to Financial Statements

June 30, 2023

Note 1 - Nature of Business

Waverly Community Schools (the "School District") is a school district in the state of Michigan that provides educational services to students.

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies

Accounting and Reporting Principles

The School District follows accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), as applicable to governmental units. Accounting and financial reporting pronouncements are promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by the School District:

Reporting Entity

The School District is governed by an elected seven-member Board of Education. In accordance with government accounting principles, there are no separate legal entities appropriate to be reported within these financial statements.

Report Presentation

Governmental accounting principles require that financial reports include two different perspectives - the government-wide perspective and the fund-based perspective. The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units, as applicable. The government-wide financial statements are presented on the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Property taxes are recognized as revenue 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. The statements also present a schedule reconciling these amounts to the modified accrual-based presentation found in the fund-based statements.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenue. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenue includes: (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided; (2) operating grants and contributions; and (3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Taxes, unrestricted intergovernmental receipts, and other items not properly included among program revenue are reported instead as general revenue.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from the government-wide financial statements.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**Fund Accounting**

The School District accounts for its various activities in several different funds in order to demonstrate accountability for how it spends certain resources; separate funds allow the School District to show the particular expenditures for which specific revenue is used. The various funds are aggregated into three broad fund types:

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds include all activities that provide general governmental services that are not business-type activities. Governmental funds can include the General Fund, special revenue funds, debt service funds, capital project funds, and permanent funds. The School District reports the following funds as major governmental funds:

- The General Fund is the primary operating fund because it accounts for all financial resources used to provide government services other than those specifically assigned to another fund.
- The Debt Service Fund is used to record tax, interest, and other revenue for payment of interest, principal, and other expenditures on long-term debt.
- The 2022 Building and Site Series I capital project fund is used to record bond proceeds and the disbursement of invoices specifically designated for acquiring new school sites, buildings, equipment, and technology upgrades. The fund will operate until the purpose for which it was created is accomplished.

Additionally, the School District reports the following nonmajor governmental fund types:

- Special revenue funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes. The School District's special revenue funds are the Food Services, Community Services, and Student Activities funds. Revenue sources for the Food Services Fund include sales to customer and dedicated grants from federal sources. Revenue sources for the Community Services Fund include preschool and child care revenue. Revenue sources for the Student Activities Fund include fundraising revenue and donations earned and received by student groups. Any operating deficit generated by these activities is the responsibility of the General Fund.
- Capital project funds are used to record bond proceeds or other revenue and the disbursement of invoices specifically designated for acquiring new school sites, buildings, equipment, and technology upgrades and for remodeling and repairs. The funds operate until the purpose for which they were created is accomplished.

Fiduciary Funds

Fiduciary funds include amounts held in a fiduciary capacity. These amounts are not used to operate the School District's programs. The School District maintains a custodial fund to record the transactions of scholarship funds.

Interfund Activity

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

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

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

Basis of Accounting

The governmental funds use the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. This basis of accounting is intended to better demonstrate accountability for how the School District has spent its resources.

Expenditures are reported when the goods are received or the services are rendered. Capital outlays are reported as expenditures (rather than as capital assets) because they reduce the ability to spend resources in the future; conversely, employee benefit costs that will be funded in the future (such as pension and retiree health care-related costs or sick and vacation pay) are not counted until they come due for payment. In addition, debt service expenditures, claims, and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Revenue is not recognized until it is collected or collected soon enough after the end of the year that it is available to pay for obligations outstanding at the end of the year. For this purpose, the School District considers amounts collected within 60 days of year end to be available for recognition. Revenue not meeting this definition is classified as a deferred inflow of resources.

Fiduciary funds use the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recorded when earned, and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

Specific Balances and Transactions**Cash and Investments**

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value except for investments in external investment pools, which are valued at amortized cost.

Inventories and Prepaid Items

Inventories are valued at cost on a first-in, first-out basis. Inventories accounted for using the purchase method are recorded as expenditures when purchased and include all inventories of governmental funds other than commodities within the Food Services Fund. Inventories accounted for using the consumption method are recorded as expenditures when consumed rather than when purchased and include commodities within the Food Services Fund. Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future fiscal years and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements, when applicable.

Restricted Assets

The following amounts are reported as restricted assets:

- Unspent bond proceeds and related interest of the bonded capital project funds required to be set aside for construction or other allowable bond purchases
- Unspent property taxes levied held in the Debt Service Fund required to be set aside for future bond principal and interest payments
- Unspent property taxes levied and held in the Sinking Fund required to be set aside for construction or allowable purchases

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Capital Assets

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

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

	<u>Depreciable Life - Years</u>
Buildings and improvements	20 to 50
Furniture and equipment	10 to 20
Buses and other vehicles	7 to 10

Long-term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements and the 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 are deferred and amortized over the lives of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are expensed at the time they are incurred. In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond issuances and premiums as other financing sources and bond discounts as other financing uses. The General Fund and Debt Service Fund are generally used to liquidate governmental long-term debt.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of net position and/or balance sheet will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net position that applies to future periods and will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then.

The School District reports deferred outflows related to deferred pension and OPEB costs.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of net position and/or balance sheet will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents an acquisition of net position that applies to future periods and will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

The School District reports deferred inflows related to revenue in support of pension contributions made subsequent to the measurement date and deferred pension and OPEB cost reductions.

Net Position

Net position of the School District is classified in three components. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and is reduced by the current balances of any outstanding borrowings used to finance the purchase or construction of those assets. The restricted component of net position consists of restricted assets reduced by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources related to those assets. Unrestricted net position is the remaining net position that does not meet the definition of invested in capital or restricted.

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Net Position Flow Assumption

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

Fund Balance Flow Assumptions

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

Fund Balance Policies

Fund balance of governmental funds is reported in various categories based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. The nonspendable fund balance component represents amounts that are not in spendable form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. Restricted fund balance represents amounts that are legally restricted by outside parties, constitutional provisions, or enabling legislation for use for a specific purpose. The School District itself can establish limitations on the use of resources through either a commitment (committed fund balance) or an assignment (assigned fund balance).

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

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

The fund balance policy prescribes the minimum fund balance as 10 percent of operating expenditures in the General Fund. This is deemed to be the prudent amount to maintain the School District's ability to meet obligations as they come due throughout the year.

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**Property Tax Revenue**

Properties are assessed as of December 31, and the related property taxes become a lien on July 1 of the following year. Tax collections are forwarded to the School District as collected by the assessing municipalities through March 1, at which time they are considered delinquent and added to county tax rolls. Any delinquent taxes collected by the county are remitted to the School District by June 30. The School District considers all receivables to be fully collectible; accordingly, no allowance for uncollectible amounts is recorded.

Grants and Contributions

The School District receives federal, state, and local grants, as well as contributions from individuals and private organizations. Revenue from grants and contributions (including contributions of capital assets) is recognized when all eligibility requirements, including time requirements, are met. Grants and contributions may be restricted for either specific operating purposes or for capital purposes. Amounts that are unrestricted or that are restricted to a specific operating purpose are reported as nonoperating revenue. Amounts restricted to capital acquisitions are reported after nonoperating revenue and expenses.

Pension and Other Postemployment Benefit (OPEB) Plans

For the purpose of measuring the net pension and OPEB liabilities, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions and OPEB, and pension and OPEB expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (MPERS) and additions to/deductions from the MPERS fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by MPERS. MPERS uses the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Contribution revenue is recorded as contributions are due, pursuant to legal requirements. Benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized as expenses when due and payable in accordance with the plan benefit terms. Related plan investments are reported at fair value.

Compensated Absences (Vacation and Sick Leave)

It is the School District's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused sick and vacation pay benefits. Sick pay is accrued for the estimated amount that the School District will pay upon employment termination; vacation pay is accrued when incurred. Both of these are reported in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only for employee terminations as of year end. Generally, the funds that report each employee's compensation are used to liquidate the obligations.

Use of Estimates

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

Tax Abatements

The School District evaluated tax abatements under the provisions of GASB Statement No. 77 and considered the total property tax abatements to be insignificant.

Note 2 - Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**Upcoming Accounting Pronouncement**

In June 2022, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board issued Statement No. 101, *Compensated Absences*, which updates the recognition and measurement guidance for compensated absences under a unified model. This statement requires that liabilities for compensated absences be recognized for leave that has not been used and leave that has been used but not yet paid in cash or settled through noncash means and establishes guidance for measuring a liability for leave that has not been used. It also updates disclosure requirements for compensated absences. The provisions of this statement are effective for the School District's financial statements for the year ending June 30, 2025.

Note 3 - Stewardship, Compliance, and Accountability**Budgetary Information**

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles and state law for the General Fund and all special revenue funds except that capital outlay expenditures are budgeted within the functions. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end. The budget document presents information by fund and function. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the governing body (i.e., the level at which expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations) is the function level. State law requires the School District to have its budget in place by July 1. Expenditures in excess of amounts budgeted are a violation of Michigan law. State law permits districts to amend their budgets during the year. During the year, the budget was amended in a legally permissible manner. The School District increased budgeted state revenue sources and related expenditure amounts during the year in response to increases in 147c(2) and at-risk funding.

Encumbrance accounting is employed in governmental funds. Encumbrances (e.g., purchase orders and contracts) are not tracked during the year. Budget appropriations are considered to be spent once the goods are delivered or the services rendered. At June 30, 2023, encumbrances totaled approximately \$590,000 in the 2021 Building and Site Series IV capital project fund and \$32,850,000 in the 2022 Building and Site Series I capital project fund.

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations in Budgeted Funds

The School District did not have significant expenditure budget variances.

Capital Project Fund Compliance

The 2021 Building and Site Series IV and 2022 Building and Site Series I capital project funds include project activities funded or that will be funded with bonds issued after May 1, 1994. For these capital projects, the School District has complied with the applicable provisions of §1351a of the State of Michigan's School Code.

The Sinking Fund records capital project activities funded with Sinking Fund millage. For this fund, the School District has complied with the applicable provisions of §1212 of the State of Michigan Revised School Code.

Note 4 - Deposits and Investments

State statutes and the School District's investment policy authorize the School District to make deposits in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations that have offices in Michigan. The School District is allowed to invest in U.S. Treasury or agency obligations, U.S. government repurchase agreements, bankers' acceptances, certificates of deposit, commercial paper rated prime at the time of purchase that matures no more than 270 days after the date of purchase, mutual funds, and investment pools that are composed of authorized investment vehicles. The School District's deposits and investments are in accordance with statutory authority.

The School District has designated two banks for the deposit of its funds.

Note 4 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

There are no limitations or restrictions on participant withdrawals for the investment pools that are recorded at amortized cost except for a one-day minimum investment period on the MILAF cash management funds and a 14-day redemption limitation on MILAF MAX Class funds.

The School District's cash and investments are subject to several types of risk, which are examined in more detail below:

Custodial Credit Risk of Bank Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the School District's deposits may not be returned to it. The School District's investment policy requires that financial institutions be evaluated and only those with an acceptable risk level be used for the School District's deposits for custodial credit risk. At year end, the School District had bank deposits totaling \$10,020,626 (checking and savings accounts) that were uninsured and uncollateralized. The School District believes that, due to the dollar amounts of cash deposits and the limits of FDIC insurance, it is impractical to insure all deposits.

Custodial Credit Risk of Investments

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the School District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The School District's investment policy states that custodial credit risk will be minimized by limiting investments to the types of securities allowed by state law and by prequalifying the financial institutions, broker/dealers, intermediaries, and advisors with which the School District will do business using the criteria established in the investment policy. At June 30, 2023, the School District does not have investments with custodial credit risk.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of investments will decrease as a result of a rise in interest rates. The School District's investment policy does not restrict investment maturities other than commercial paper, which can only be purchased with a 270-day maturity. The School District's policy minimizes interest rate risk by structuring the investment portfolio so that securities mature to meet cash requirements for ongoing operations, thereby avoiding the need to sell securities in the open market and investing operating funds primarily in shorter-term securities, liquid asset funds, money market mutual funds, or similar investment pools and limiting the average maturity in accordance with the School District's cash requirements.

At year end, the School District had the following investments and maturities:

Primary Government	Carrying Value	Less Than 1 Year
U.S. Treasury notes	\$ 42,003,278	\$ 42,003,278

Primary Government	Carrying Value	Weighted-average Maturity (Years)
U.S. Treasury notes	\$ 42,003,278	0.47

Note 4 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Credit Risk

State law limits investments in commercial paper to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. The School District's investment policy does not further limit its investment choices. At June 30, 2023, the credit quality ratings of debt securities (other than the U.S. government) are as follows:

Investment	Carrying Value	Rating	Rating Organization
Primary Government			
Michigan liquid asset fund (MILAF) - Cash management class	\$ 6,947,732	AAAm	Standard & Poor's
MILAF Plus MAX class funds	5,172,412	AAAm	Standard & Poor's
Total	\$ 12,120,144		

Concentration of Credit Risk

The School District places no limit on the amount it may invest in any one issuer. The School District's policy minimizes concentration of credit risk by requiring diversification of the investment portfolio so that the impact of potential losses from any one type of issuer will be minimized. At June 30, 2023, the School District did not have any investments subject to concentration of credit risk.

Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that an investment denominated in the currency of a foreign country could reduce its U.S. dollar value as a result of changes in foreign currency exchange rates. State law and the School District's investment policy prohibit investments in foreign currency.

Fair Value Measurements

The School District categorizes 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, and Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. Investments that are measured at fair value using net asset value per share (or its equivalent) as a practical expedient are not classified in the fair value hierarchy below.

In instances where inputs used to measure fair value fall into different levels in the above fair value hierarchy, fair value measurements in their entirety are categorized based on the lowest level input that is significant to the valuation. The School District's assessment of the significance of particular inputs to these fair value measurements requires judgment and considers factors specific to each asset or liability.

The School District has the following recurring fair value measurements as of June 30, 2023:

Assets Measured at Carrying Value on a Recurring Basis at June 30, 2023	Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1)			Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)	Balance at June 30, 2023
Assets - Debt securities - U.S. Treasury notes	\$ -	\$ 42,003,278	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 42,003,278	

Note 4 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

The fair value of U.S. Treasury securities at June 30, 2023 was determined primarily based on Level 2 inputs. The School District estimates the fair value of these investments using other inputs, such as interest rates and yield curves, that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

Note 5 - Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances is as follows:

Fund Due To	Fund Due From					Total
	General Fund	2022 Building and Site Series I Fund	Nonmajor Funds	Total	Fiduciary Funds	
General Fund	\$ -	\$ 2,258,319	\$ 254,708	\$ 2,513,027	\$ 2,400	\$ 2,515,427
Nonmajor Funds	2,303,420	-	124,791	2,428,211	-	2,428,211
Debt Service Fund	237,860	-	-	237,860	-	237,860
Total	\$ 2,541,280	\$ 2,258,319	\$ 379,499	\$ 5,179,098	\$ 2,400	\$ 5,181,498

Interfund balances owed to the General Fund represent routine and temporary cash flow assistance from the General Fund until amounts are transferred from fund accounts. Interfund balances owed to the nonmajor funds represent reimbursements for allocated expenditures. Interfund balances owed to the Debt Service Fund relate to property tax revenue collected and due from the General Fund.

Interfund transfers reported in the fund financial statements are composed of the following:

Paying Fund (Transfer Out)	Receiving Fund (Transfer In)	Amount
General Fund	Board Designated Capital Projects Fund	\$ 1,350,000
Food Services Fund	General Fund	124,995
Student Activities Fund	General Fund	12,354
	Total	\$ 1,487,349

The transfers from the Food Services Fund and the Student Activities Fund to the General Fund were for overhead cost reimbursement. The transfer from the General Fund to the Board Designated Capital Projects Fund was to fund improvement projects as authorized by the Board of Education.

Note 6 - Capital Assets

Capital asset activity of the School District's governmental activities was as follows:

Governmental Activities

	Balance July 1, 2022	Reclassifications	Additions	Disposals and Adjustments	Balance June 30, 2023
Capital assets not being depreciated:					
Land	\$ 100,500	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100,500
Construction in progress	2,193,212	(30,300)	10,250,992	-	12,413,904
Subtotal	2,293,712	(30,300)	10,250,992	-	12,514,404
Capital assets being depreciated:					
Buildings and improvements	79,615,507	30,300	2,798,545	(76,545)	82,367,807
Furniture and equipment	7,665,108	-	898,810	(35,178)	8,528,740
Buses and other vehicles	2,519,208	-	29,066	(324,557)	2,223,717
Subtotal	89,799,823	30,300	3,726,421	(436,280)	93,120,264
Accumulated depreciation:					
Buildings and improvements	40,043,847	-	2,194,632	(76,545)	42,161,934
Furniture and equipment	5,056,015	-	681,065	(35,178)	5,701,902
Buses and other vehicles	1,937,526	-	158,456	(314,672)	1,781,310
Subtotal	47,037,388	-	3,034,153	(426,395)	49,645,146
Net capital assets being depreciated	42,762,435	30,300	692,268	(9,885)	43,475,118
Net governmental activities capital assets	<u>\$ 45,056,147</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 10,943,260</u>	<u>\$ (9,885)</u>	<u>\$ 55,989,522</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to programs of the School District (primary government) as follows:

Governmental activities:	
Instruction	\$ 2,427,323
Support services	303,415
Athletics	303,415
Total governmental activities	\$ 3,034,153

Construction Commitments

The School District has active construction projects at year end. At year end, the School District's commitments with contractors are as follows:

	Spent to Date	Remaining Commitment
2021 Building and Site Bonds Series IV	\$ 2,699,217	\$ 592,104
2022 Building and Site Bonds Series I	13,355,646	32,854,418
Total	\$ 16,054,863	\$ 33,446,522

Note 7 - Long-term Debt

Long-term debt activity for the year ended June 30, 2023 can be summarized as follows:

Governmental Activities

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance	Due within One Year
Bonds payable - Other debt:					
General obligations	\$ 58,910,000	\$ -	\$ (3,330,000)	\$ 55,580,000	\$ 3,665,000
Unamortized bond premiums	5,604,756	-	(193,267)	5,411,489	193,267
Total bonds payable - other debt	64,514,756	-	(3,523,267)	60,991,489	3,858,267
Compensated absences	1,103,594	153,398	(155,188)	1,101,804	-
Total governmental activities long-term debt	\$ 65,618,350	\$ 153,398	\$ (3,678,455)	\$ 62,093,293	\$ 3,858,267

General Obligation Bonds and Contracts

The School District issues general obligation bonds to provide for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities. General obligations have been issued for governmental activities. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the School District. The primary source of any required repayment is from the School District's property tax levy; however, the State of Michigan may withhold the School District's state aid funding in order to recover amounts it has paid on behalf of the School District. General obligations outstanding at June 30, 2023 are as follows:

Purpose	Remaining Annual Installments	Interest Rates (Percent)	Maturing	Outstanding
Governmental Activities				
\$55,580,000 Building and Site Series I Bonds (2022)	\$1,360,000 - \$3,665,000	3.0 - 5.0	May 1, 2051	\$ 55,580,000

Debt Service Requirements to Maturity

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the above bonds are as follows:

Years Ending June 30	Governmental Activities - Other Debt		
	Principal	Interest	Total
2024	\$ 3,665,000	\$ 2,144,700	\$ 5,809,700
2025	1,360,000	1,989,075	3,349,075
2026	1,380,000	1,920,950	3,300,950
2027	1,395,000	1,851,700	3,246,700
2028	1,420,000	1,781,700	3,201,700
2029-2033	7,555,000	7,813,600	15,368,600
2034-2038	8,795,000	6,061,850	14,856,850
2039-2043	10,185,000	4,197,725	14,382,725
2044-2048	11,840,000	2,233,125	14,073,125
2049-2051	7,985,000	426,300	8,411,300
Total	\$ 55,580,000	\$ 30,420,725	\$ 86,000,725

Note 8 - Risk Management

The School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors and omissions, and employee injuries (workers' compensation), as well as medical benefits provided to employees. The School District has purchased commercial insurance for property loss, torts, errors and omissions, and medical benefits claims. The School District participates in the SEG Self-insurers Workers' Disability Compensation Fund (risk pool) for claims relating to workers' compensation. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The shared-risk pool program in which the School District participates operates as a common risk-sharing management program for school districts in Michigan; member premiums are used to purchase commercial excess insurance coverage and to pay member claims in excess of deductible amounts.

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System

Plan Description

The School District participates in the Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (the "System"), a statewide, cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit public employee retirement system governed by the State of Michigan that covers substantially all employees of the School District. Certain school district employees also receive defined contribution retirement and health care benefits through the System. The System provides retirement, survivor, and disability benefits to plan members and their beneficiaries. The System also provides postemployment health care benefits to retirees and beneficiaries who elect to receive those benefits.

The System is administered by the Office of Retirement Services (ORS). The Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the pension and postemployment health care plans. That report is available on the web at <http://www.michigan.gov/orsschools>.

Benefits Provided

Benefit provisions of the defined benefit (DB) pension plan and the postemployment health care plan are established by state statute, which may be amended. Public Act 300 of 1980, as amended, establishes eligibility and benefit provisions for the defined benefit pension plan and the postemployment health care plan.

Depending on the plan option selected, member retirement benefits are calculated as final average compensation times years of services times a pension factor ranging from 1.25 percent to 1.50 percent. The requirements to retire range from attaining the age of 46 to 60 with years of service ranging from 5 to 30 years, depending on when the employee became a member. Early retirement is computed in the same manner as a regular pension but is permanently reduced 0.50 percent for each full and partial month between the pension effective date and the date the member will attain age 60. There is no mandatory retirement age.

Depending on the member's date of hire, MPSERS offers the option of participating in the defined contribution (DC) plan that provides a 50 percent employer match (up to 3 percent of salary) on employee contributions.

Members are eligible for nonduty disability benefits after 10 years of service and for duty-related disability benefits upon hire. Disability retirement benefits are determined in the same manner as retirement benefits but are payable immediately without an actuarial reduction. The disability benefits plus authorized outside earnings are limited to 100 percent of the participant's final average compensation, with an increase of 2 percent each year thereafter.

Benefits may transfer to a beneficiary upon death and are determined in the same manner as retirement benefits but with an actuarial reduction.

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

Benefit terms provide for annual cost of living adjustments to each employee's retirement allowance subsequent to the employee's retirement date. The annual adjustment, if applicable, is 3 percent. Some members who do not receive an annual increase are eligible to receive a supplemental payment in those years when investment earnings exceed actuarial assumptions.

MPSERS provides medical, prescription drug, dental, and vision coverage for retirees and beneficiaries. A subsidized portion of the premium is paid by MPSERS, with the balance deducted from the monthly pension of each retiree health care recipient. Depending on the member's date of hire, this subsidized portion ranges from 80 percent to the maximum allowed by the statute.

Contributions

Public Act 300 of 1980, as amended, required the School District to contribute amounts necessary to finance the coverage of pension benefits of active and retired members. Contribution provisions are specified by state statute and may be amended only by action of the state Legislature. Under these provisions, each school district's contribution is expected to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year, with an additional amount to finance a portion of the unfunded accrued liability.

Under the OPEB plan, retirees electing this coverage contribute an amount equivalent to the monthly cost for Part B Medicare and 10 percent, or 20 percent for those not Medicare eligible, of the monthly premium amount for the health, dental, and vision coverage at the time of receiving the benefits. The MPSERS board of trustees annually sets the employer contribution rate to fund the benefits. Participating employers are required to contribute at that rate.

Under Public Act 300 of 2012, members were given the choice between continuing the 3 percent contribution to the retiree health care and keeping the premium subsidy benefit described above or choosing not to pay the 3 percent contribution and, instead, opting out of the subsidy benefit and becoming a participant in the Personal Healthcare Fund (PHF), a portable tax-deferred fund that can be used to pay health care expenses in retirement. Participants in the PHF are automatically enrolled in a 2 percent employee contribution into their 457 account as of their transition date, earning them a 2 percent employer match into a 401(k) account. Members who selected this option stopped paying the 3 percent contribution to retiree health care as of the day before their transition date, and their prior contributions were deposited into their 401(k) account.

The School District's contributions are determined based on employee elections. There are multiple different pension and health care benefit options included in the plan available to employees based on date of hire and the elections available at that time. Contribution rates are adjusted annually by the ORS.

The ranges of rates are as follows:

	Pension	OPEB
October 1, 2021 - September 30, 2022	13.73% - 20.14%	7.23% - 8.09%
October 1, 2022 - September 30, 2023	13.75% - 20.16%	7.21% - 8.07%

Depending on the plan selected, member pension contributions range from 0 percent up to 7.0 percent of gross wages. For certain plan members, a 4 percent employer contribution to the defined contribution pension plan is required. In addition, for certain plan members, a 3 percent employer match is provided to the defined contribution pension plan.

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

The School District's required and actual pension contributions to the plan for the year ended June 30, 2023 were \$10,334,253, which includes the School District's contributions required for those members with a defined contribution benefit. For the year ended June 30, 2023, the School District's required and actual pensions contributions include an allocation of \$3,604,119 in revenue received from the State of Michigan and remitted to the System to fund the MPSERS unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) stabilization rate and \$2,098,996 of a one-time state payment received and remitted to the System for the purpose of contributing additional assets to the System.

The School District's required and actual OPEB contributions to the plan for the year ended June 30, 2023 were \$1,912,046, which includes the School District's contributions required for those members with a defined contribution benefit.

Net Pension Liability

At June 30, 2023, the School District reported a liability of \$79,406,174 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of September 30, 2022, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of September 30, 2021, which used update procedures to roll forward the estimated liability to September 30, 2022. The School District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of its long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating reporting units, actuarially determined. At September 30, 2022 and 2021, the School District's proportion was 0.21 and 0.21 percent, respectively, representing a change of (0.32) percent.

Net OPEB Liability

At June 30, 2023, the School District reported a liability of \$4,453,161 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The net OPEB liability for fiscal year 2023 was measured as of September 30, 2022, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of September 30, 2021, which used update procedures to roll forward the estimated liability to September 30, 2022. The School District's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on a projection of its long-term share of contributions to the OPEB plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating reporting units, actuarially determined. At September 30, 2022 and 2021, the School District's proportion was 0.21 and 0.21 percent, respectively, representing a change of 0.32 percent.

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For 2023, the School District recognized pension expense of \$10,308,853, inclusive of payments to fund the MPSERS UAAL stabilization rate. At June 30, 2023, the School District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ 794,339	\$ (177,544)
Changes in assumptions	13,644,826	-
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	186,208	-
Changes in proportion and differences between the School District's contributions and proportionate share of contributions	549,192	(554,679)
The School District's contributions to the plan subsequent to the measurement date	9,008,840	-
Total	\$ 24,183,405	\$ (732,223)

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

The \$5,703,115 reported as deferred inflows of resources resulting from the pension portion of state aid payments received pursuant to the UAAL payment will be recognized as state appropriations revenue for the year ending June 30, 2024. Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Years Ending	Amount
2024	\$ 4,387,887
2025	2,988,576
2026	2,523,523
2027	4,542,356
Total	\$ 14,442,342

In addition, the contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be included as a reduction of the net pension liability in the next year.

OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the School District recognized OPEB recovery of \$1,494,773.

At June 30, 2023, the School District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ -	\$ (8,722,037)
Changes in assumptions	3,969,246	(323,199)
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan investments	348,050	-
Changes in proportionate share or difference between amount contributed and proportionate share of contributions	395,464	(277,195)
Employer contributions to the plan subsequent to the measurement date	1,331,746	-
Total	\$ 6,044,506	\$ (9,322,431)

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows (note that employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date will reduce the net OPEB liability and, therefore, will not be included in future OPEB expense):

Years Ending	Amount
2024	\$ (1,517,783)
2025	(1,468,947)
2026	(1,371,043)
2027	(169,705)
2028	(84,305)
Thereafter	2,112
Total	\$ (4,609,671)

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability and total OPEB liability as of September 30, 2022 are based on the results of an actuarial valuation as of September 30, 2021 and rolled forward. The total pension liability and OPEB liability were determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Actuarial cost method		Entry age normal
Investment rate of return - Pension	6.00%	Net of investment expenses based on the groups
Investment rate of return - OPEB	6.00%	Net of investment expenses based on the groups
Salary increases	2.75% - 11.55%	Including wage inflation of 2.75%
Health care cost trend rate - OPEB	5.25% - 7.75%	Year 1, graded to 3.5% in year 15, 3.0% in year 120
Mortality basis		RP-2014 Male and Female Employee Annuitant Mortality tables, scaled 100% (retirees: 82% for males and 78% for females) and adjusted for mortality improvements using projection scale MP-2017 from 2006
Cost of living pension adjustments	3.00%	Annual noncompounded for MIP members

Assumption changes as a result of an experience study for the periods from 2012 to 2017 have been adopted by the System for use in the annual pension and OPEB valuations beginning with the September 30, 2018 valuation.

Significant assumption changes since the prior measurement date, September 30, 2021, for the pension and OPEB plans include a decrease in the discount rate used in the September 30, 2022 measurement date by 0.80 percentage points in the pension plan and 0.95 percentage points in the OPEB plan. The investment rate of return used in the September 30, 2022 measurement date decreased by 0.80 percentage points in the pension plan and 0.95 percentage points in the OPEB plan. There were no significant benefit terms changes for the pension or OPEB plans since the prior measurement date of September 30, 2021.

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension and OPEB liability was 6.00 percent as of September 30, 2022. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that district contributions will be made at statutorily required rates.

Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position and the OPEB plan's fiduciary net position were 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 and OPEB plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability and total OPEB liability.

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

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

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-term Expected Real Rate of Return
Domestic equity pools	25.00 %	5.10 %
Private equity pools	16.00	8.70
International equity pools	15.00	6.70
Fixed-income pools	13.00	(0.02)
Real estate and infrastructure pools	10.00	5.30
Absolute return pools	9.00	2.70
Short-term investment pools	10.00	5.80
Real return/opportunistic pools	2.00	(0.50)
Total	100.00 %	

Long-term rates of return are net of administrative expense and inflation of 2.2 percent.

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the net pension liability of the School District, calculated using the discount rate depending on the plan option. The following also reflects what the School District's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current rate:

	1 Percentage Point Decrease (5.00%)	Current Discount Rate (6.00%)	1 Percentage Point Increase (7.00%)
Net pension liability of the School District	\$ 104,786,649	\$ 79,406,174	\$ 58,491,518

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the net OPEB liability of the School District, calculated using the current discount rate. It also reflects what the School District's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current rate:

	1 Percentage Point Decrease (5.00%)	Current Discount Rate (6.00%)	1 Percentage Point Increase (7.00%)
Net OPEB liability of the School District	\$ 7,469,750	\$ 4,453,161	\$ 1,912,820

Note 9 - Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System (Continued)

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Health Care Cost Trend Rate

The following presents the net OPEB liability of the School District, calculated using the current health care cost trend rate. It also reflects what the School District's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a health care cost trend rate that is 1 percentage point lower or 1 percentage point higher than the current rate:

	1 Percentage Point Decrease	Current Rate	1 Percentage Point Increase
Net OPEB liability of the School District	\$ 1,864,771	\$ 4,453,161	\$ 7,358,681

Pension Plan and OPEB Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued MPSERS financial report.

Payable to the Pension Plan and OPEB Plan

At June 30, 2023, the School District reported a payable of \$1,401,507 and \$146,686 for the outstanding amount of contributions to the pension plan and OPEB plan, respectively, required for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Note 10 - Unavailable/Unearned Revenue

Governmental funds report unavailable revenue in connection with receivables for revenue that is not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also report unearned revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received but not yet earned.

At June 30, 2023, the School District had no unavailable revenue and \$646,882 of unearned revenue, primarily related to tuition/fees not yet earned and grant/categorical aid payment received prior to meeting all eligibility requirements.

Required Supplementary Information

Waverly Community Schools

Required Supplementary Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund

Year Ended June 30, 2023				
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Over (Under) Final Budget
Revenue				
Local sources	\$ 9,139,585	\$ 9,386,578	\$ 9,458,090	\$ 71,512
State sources	24,998,428	30,009,531	29,941,775	(67,756)
Federal sources	2,469,835	2,741,472	2,466,130	(275,342)
Interdistrict sources	3,634,780	4,057,720	4,088,377	30,657
Total revenue	40,242,628	46,195,301	45,954,372	(240,929)
Expenditures				
Current:				
Instruction:				
Basic programs	16,836,804	18,652,460	18,076,430	(576,030)
Added needs	6,659,145	6,946,408	7,320,581	374,173
Total instruction	23,495,949	25,598,868	25,397,011	(201,857)
Support services:				
Pupil	4,842,304	4,844,237	4,845,510	1,273
Instructional staff	2,646,899	2,753,485	2,632,337	(121,148)
General administration	393,623	411,658	408,163	(3,495)
School administration	2,655,358	2,556,333	2,562,021	5,688
Business	757,823	749,515	774,822	25,307
Operations and maintenance	3,847,304	4,142,808	3,972,158	(170,650)
Pupil transportation services	1,195,740	1,172,250	1,242,824	70,574
Central	1,298,864	1,280,893	1,313,671	32,778
Other	248,645	268,413	211,112	(57,301)
Total support services	17,886,560	18,179,592	17,962,618	(216,974)
Athletics	710,256	734,407	719,162	(15,245)
Community services	3,484	4,665	7,579	2,914
Debt service	70,700	70,700	70,700	-
Total expenditures	42,166,949	44,588,232	44,157,070	(431,162)
Excess of Expenditures (Under) Over Revenue	(1,924,321)	1,607,069	1,797,302	190,233
Other Financing Sources (Uses)				
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	-	-	22,413	22,413
Transfers in	125,000	137,354	137,349	(5)
Transfers out	(457,291)	(1,350,000)	(1,350,000)	-
Total other financing uses	(332,291)	(1,212,646)	(1,190,238)	22,408
Net Change in Fund Balance	(2,256,612)	394,423	607,064	212,641
Fund Balance - Beginning of year	7,533,773	7,533,773	7,533,773	-
Fund Balance - End of year	\$ 5,277,161	\$ 7,928,196	\$ 8,140,837	\$ 212,641

Waverly Community Schools

Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of the School District's Proportionate
Share of the Net Pension Liability
Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System

	Last Nine Plan Years								
	Years Ended September 30								
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
School District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.21114 %	0.21181 %	0.21392 %	0.21044 %	0.20231 %	0.19595 %	0.19448 %	0.18841 %	0.19694 %
School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 79,406,174	\$ 50,146,065	\$ 73,483,734	\$ 69,691,226	\$ 60,817,605	\$ 50,780,227	\$ 48,522,117	\$ 46,018,023	\$ 43,379,599
School District's covered payroll	\$ 20,389,653	\$ 18,895,255	\$ 18,997,113	\$ 18,516,731	\$ 17,729,779	\$ 16,322,786	\$ 16,578,967	\$ 15,684,300	\$ 16,735,115
School District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	389.44 %	265.39 %	386.82 %	376.37 %	343.03 %	311.10 %	292.67 %	293.40 %	259.21 %
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability	60.77 %	72.32 %	59.49 %	60.08 %	62.12 %	63.96 %	63.01 %	62.92 %	66.15 %

See notes to required supplementary information.

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Waverly Community Schools

Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of Pension Contributions
Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System

	Last Nine Fiscal Years								
	Years Ended June 30								
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Statutorily required contribution	\$ 10,109,645	\$ 7,285,143	\$ 6,411,953	\$ 5,961,088	\$ 5,592,189	\$ 5,157,127	\$ 4,577,160	\$ 4,394,123	\$ 3,447,307
Contributions in relation to the statutorily required contribution	10,109,645	7,285,143	6,411,953	5,961,088	5,592,189	5,157,127	4,577,160	4,394,123	3,447,307
Contribution Excess (Deficiency)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
School District's Covered Payroll	\$ 22,073,816	\$ 20,104,556	\$ 18,590,639	\$ 19,093,685	\$ 18,266,919	\$ 17,408,712	\$ 16,219,099	\$ 15,836,354	\$ 15,893,807
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	45.80 %	36.24 %	34.49 %	31.22 %	30.61 %	29.62 %	28.22 %	27.75 %	21.69 %

See notes to required supplementary information.

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Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of the School District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability
Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System

	Last Six Plan Years					
	Plan Years Ended September 30					
	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
School District's proportion of the net OPEB liability	0.21025 %	0.20957 %	0.21452 %	0.21215 %	0.20756 %	0.19555 %
School District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 4,453,161	\$ 3,198,790	\$ 11,492,402	\$ 15,227,338	\$ 16,498,661	\$ 17,316,480
School District's covered payroll	\$ 20,389,653	\$ 18,895,255	\$ 18,997,113	\$ 18,516,731	\$ 17,729,779	\$ 16,322,786
School District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	21.84 %	16.93 %	60.50 %	82.24 %	93.06 %	106.09 %
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of total OPEB liability	83.09 %	88.87 %	59.76 %	48.67 %	43.10 %	36.53 %

See notes to required supplementary information.

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Required Supplementary Information
Schedule of OPEB Contributions
Michigan Public School Employees' Retirement System

	Last Six Fiscal Years					
	Years Ended June 30					
	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Statutorily required contribution	\$ 1,776,766	\$ 1,638,360	\$ 1,547,066	\$ 1,534,292	\$ 1,434,871	\$ 1,257,383
Contributions in relation to the statutorily required contribution	1,776,766	1,638,360	1,547,066	1,534,292	1,434,871	1,257,383
Contribution Excess (Deficiency)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
School District's Covered Payroll	\$ 22,073,816	\$ 20,104,556	\$ 18,590,639	\$ 19,093,685	\$ 18,266,919	\$ 17,408,712
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	8.05 %	8.15 %	8.32 %	8.04 %	7.86 %	7.22 %

See notes to required supplementary information.

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Notes to Required Supplementary Information

June 30, 2023

Pension Information

Ultimately, 10 years of data will be presented in both of the pension-related schedules. The number of years currently presented represents the number of years since the accounting standard requiring these schedules first became applicable.

The required contributions for the year ended June 30, 2023 include a one-time contribution of \$2,098,996, referred to as 147c(2), related to funding received from the State and remitted to the System for the purpose of contributing additional assets to the System.

Benefit Changes

There were no changes of benefit terms in for each of the reported plan years ended September 30.

Changes in Assumptions

There were no changes of benefit assumptions each of the reported plan years ended September 30, except for the following:

- 2022 - The discount rate and investment rate of return used in the September 30, 2021 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.80 percentage points.
- 2019 - The discount rate used in the September 30, 2018 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.25 percentage points.
- 2018 - The discount rate used in the September 30, 2017 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.45 percentage points. The valuation also includes the impact of an updated experience study for periods from 2012 to 2017.
- 2017 - The discount rate used in the September 30, 2016 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.50 percentage points.

OPEB Information

Ultimately, 10 years of data will be presented in both of the OPEB-related schedules. The number of years currently presented represents the number of years since the accounting standard requiring these schedules first became applicable.

Benefit Changes

There were no changes of benefit terms in for each of the reported plan years ended September 30.

Changes in Assumptions

There were no changes of benefit assumptions each of the reported plan years ended September 30, except for the following:

- 2022 - The discount rate and investment rate of return used in the September 30, 2021 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.95 percentage points. This resulted in a lower than projected per person health benefit costs to reduce the plan's total OPEB liability by an additional \$1.1 billion in 2022.
- 2021 - The health care cost trend rate used in the September 30, 2020 actuarial valuation increased by 0.75 percentage points for members under 65 and decreased by 1.75 percentage points for members over 65. In addition, actual per person health benefit costs were lower than projected. This reduced the plan's total OPEB liability by \$1.3 billion in 2021.
- 2020 - The health care cost trend rate used in the September 30, 2019 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.50 percentage points. This, in addition to actual per person health benefit costs being lower than expected, reduced the plan's total OPEB liability by an additional \$1.8 billion in 2020.

Waverly Community Schools

Notes to Required Supplementary Information

June 30, 2023

- 2019 - The discount rate used in the September 30, 2018 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.20 percentage points. The valuation also includes the impact of an updated experience study for periods from 2012 to 2017. This resulted in a lower than projected per person health benefit costs to reduce the plan's total OPEB liability by an additional \$1.4 billion in 2019.

- 2018 - The discount rate used in the September 30, 2017 actuarial valuation decreased by 0.35 percentage points. The valuation also includes the impact of an updated experience study for periods from 2012 to 2017. This resulted in a lower than projected per person health benefit costs to reduce the plan's total OPEB liability by \$1.4 billion in 2018.

Other Supplementary Information

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June 30, 2023

	Special Revenue Funds				Capital Project Funds				Total
	Food Services Fund	Community Services Fund	Student Activities Fund	Total Special Revenue Funds	Sinking Fund	Board Designated Capital Projects Fund	2021 Building and Site Series IV Fund	Total Capital Project Funds	
Assets									
Cash and investments	\$ 160	\$ 97,411	\$ 160,864	\$ 258,435	\$ -	\$ 718,613	\$ -	\$ 718,613	\$ 977,048
Receivables:									
Other receivables	-	35,268	-	35,268	-	-	-	-	35,268
Due from other governments	78,175	-	-	78,175	-	-	-	-	78,175
Due from other funds	615,141	323,688	139,382	1,078,211	-	1,350,000	-	1,350,000	2,428,211
Inventories	38,081	-	-	38,081	-	-	-	-	38,081
Restricted assets	-	-	-	-	3,141,054	-	992,430	4,133,484	4,133,484
Total assets	\$ 731,557	\$ 456,367	\$ 300,246	\$ 1,488,170	\$ 3,141,054	\$ 2,068,613	\$ 992,430	\$ 6,202,097	\$ 7,690,267
Liabilities									
Accounts payable	\$ 367	\$ 7,450	\$ -	\$ 7,817	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 87,634	\$ 87,634	\$ 95,451
Due to other funds	124,791	-	-	124,791	26,126	-	228,582	254,708	379,499
Accrued liabilities and other	12,747	15,716	-	28,463	-	-	-	-	28,463
Unearned revenue	2,748	1,400	-	4,148	-	-	-	-	4,148
Total liabilities	140,653	24,566	-	165,219	26,126	-	316,216	342,342	507,561
Fund Balances									
Nonspendable	38,081	-	-	38,081	-	-	-	-	38,081
Restricted:									
Capital projects	-	-	-	-	3,114,928	-	676,214	3,791,142	3,791,142
Food service	552,823	-	-	552,823	-	-	-	-	552,823
Committed	-	431,801	300,246	732,047	-	2,068,613	-	2,068,613	2,800,660
Total fund balances	590,904	431,801	300,246	1,322,951	3,114,928	2,068,613	676,214	5,859,755	7,182,706
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$ 731,557	\$ 456,367	\$ 300,246	\$ 1,488,170	\$ 3,141,054	\$ 2,068,613	\$ 992,430	\$ 6,202,097	\$ 7,690,267

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Year Ended June 30, 2023

	Special Revenue Funds				Capital Project Funds				Total
	Food Services Fund	Community Services Fund	Student Activities Fund	Total Special Revenue Funds	Sinking Fund	Board Designated Capital Projects Fund	2021 Building and Site Series IV Fund	Total Capital Project Funds	
Revenue									
Local sources	\$ 78,625	\$ 645,601	\$ 271,538	\$ 995,764	\$ 981,100	\$ 12,137	\$ 27,306	\$ 1,020,543	\$ 2,016,307
State sources	88,668	-	-	88,668	-	-	-	-	88,668
Federal sources	1,849,038	623,998	-	2,473,036	-	-	-	-	2,473,036
Interdistrict sources	-	-	2,724	2,724	-	-	-	-	2,724
Total revenue	2,016,331	1,269,599	274,262	3,560,192	981,100	12,137	27,306	1,020,543	4,580,735
Expenditures									
Current:									
Instruction	-	332,815	-	332,815	-	-	-	-	332,815
Support services	48	-	203,756	203,804	1,066	-	-	1,066	204,870
Food services	1,854,871	-	-	1,854,871	-	-	-	-	1,854,871
Community services	-	417,648	-	417,648	-	-	-	-	417,648
Capital outlay	24,703	-	-	24,703	-	-	457,203	457,203	481,906
Total expenditures	1,879,622	750,463	203,756	2,833,841	1,066	-	457,203	458,269	3,292,110
Other Financing Sources (Uses)									
Transfers in	-	-	-	-	-	1,350,000	-	1,350,000	1,350,000
Transfers out	(124,995)	-	(12,354)	(137,349)	-	-	-	-	(137,349)
Total other financing (uses) sources	(124,995)	-	(12,354)	(137,349)	-	1,350,000	-	1,350,000	1,212,651
Net Change in Fund Balances	11,714	519,136	58,152	589,002	980,034	1,362,137	(429,897)	1,912,274	2,501,276
Fund Balances (Deficit) - Beginning of year	579,190	(87,335)	242,094	733,949	2,134,894	706,476	1,106,111	3,947,481	4,681,430
Fund Balances - End of year	\$ 590,904	\$ 431,801	\$ 300,246	\$ 1,322,951	\$ 3,114,928	\$ 2,068,613	\$ 676,214	\$ 5,859,755	\$ 7,182,706

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Waverly Community Schools

**Other Supplementary Information
Schedule of Bonded Indebtedness**

		June 30, 2023	
		2022 Building and Site Series I	
Years Ending June 30		Principal	
2024	\$	3,665,000	
2025		1,360,000	
2026		1,380,000	
2027		1,395,000	
2028		1,420,000	
2029		1,455,000	
2030		1,470,000	
2031		1,500,000	
2032		1,530,000	
2033		1,600,000	
2034		1,660,000	
2035		1,705,000	
2036		1,760,000	
2037		1,810,000	
2038		1,860,000	
2039		1,920,000	
2040		1,980,000	
2041		2,035,000	
2042		2,095,000	
2043		2,155,000	
2044		2,220,000	
2045		2,300,000	
2046		2,370,000	
2047		2,440,000	
2048		2,510,000	
2049		2,585,000	
2050		2,660,000	
2051		2,740,000	
Total remaining payments		\$	55,580,000
Interest rate		3.0% - 5.0%	
Original issue		\$	55,850,000

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Principal and interest payments for the bond issues are due on May 1 and November 1 of each year.



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DRAFT LEGAL OPINION

Waverly Community Schools
 Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton
 State of Michigan

We have acted as bond counsel in connection with the issuance by Waverly Community Schools, Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton, State of Michigan (the “Issuer”), of its bonds in the aggregate principal amount of \$_____ designated 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (General Obligation - Unlimited Tax) (the “Bonds”). The Bonds are in fully registered form and issued without coupons, are dated _____, 2024, are of \$5,000 denomination or any integral multiple thereof, are subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Issuer in the manner and at the times as set forth in the Bonds, mature on the dates listed, and bear interest payable on November 1, 2024, and semiannually thereafter on May 1 and November 1 of each year in the amounts and at the rates as follows:

<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Rate</u>
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The Bonds maturing on _____, 20__, are term Bonds subject to mandatory redemption in part, by lot, on the redemption dates and at the redemption price equal to the principal amount thereof as provided in the Bonds.

We have examined the documents which we deem authentic and pertinent to the validity of the Bonds, including the certified record evidencing the authorization of the Bonds by the electors and board of education of the Issuer, a copy of the approval of the Department of Treasury of the State of Michigan to issue the Bonds, a signed copy of the certificate of the Treasurer of the State of Michigan qualifying the Bonds for purposes of Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution, and a specimen of the Bond certificate of said issue.

Based upon the foregoing, we are of the opinion that under existing law:

- (1) the Bonds have been lawfully authorized and issued and are enforceable obligations of the Issuer in accordance with their terms;
- (2) the Bonds are the general obligation of the Issuer for which its full faith, credit and resources have been irrevocably pledged;



Waverly Community Schools
Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton
State of Michigan

_____, 2024

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(3) the Issuer has the power, and is obligated, to levy taxes on all taxable property now situated within the corporate boundaries of the Issuer, without limitation as to rate or amount, sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds;

(4) the Bonds have been fully qualified pursuant to Act 92, Public Acts of Michigan, 2005, as amended, enacted pursuant to Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963. Under the terms of said constitutional and statutory provisions, if for any reason the Issuer will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on the Bonds when due, then the Issuer shall borrow, and the State of Michigan shall lend to it, an amount sufficient to enable the Issuer to make the payment;

(5) the Bonds and the interest thereon are exempt from all taxation in the State of Michigan, except inheritance and estate taxes and taxes on gains realized from the sale, payment or other disposition thereof; and

(6) the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes and is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on individuals; however, interest on the Bonds held by an “applicable corporation” as defined in Section 59(k) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), is included in annual “adjusted financial statement income” for purposes of calculating the alternative minimum tax imposed on an applicable corporation. The opinions set forth in the preceding sentence are subject to the condition that the Issuer comply with all requirements of the Code that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in order that interest thereon be, or continue to be, excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. The Issuer has covenanted to comply with such requirements. Failure to comply with certain of such requirements may cause the inclusion of interest on the Bonds in gross income for federal income tax purposes to be retroactive to the date of issuance of the Bonds. We express no opinion regarding other federal tax consequences arising with respect to the Bonds.

The rights of the owners of the Bonds and the enforceability thereof may be subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors’ rights heretofore or hereafter enacted to the extent constitutionally applicable and that their enforcement of such rights may also be subject to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

THRUN LAW FIRM, P.C.

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OPTIONAL DTC BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY**OFFICIAL NOTICE OF SALE****\$58,000,000****WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON AND CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN
2024 SCHOOL BUILDING AND SITE BONDS, SERIES II
(GENERAL OBLIGATION - UNLIMITED TAX)**

BIDS for the purchase of the above 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (the “Bond” or “Bonds”) will be received electronically on behalf of Waverly Community Schools, Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties, Michigan (the “Issuer”), on Monday, the 8th day of April, 2024, until 10:00 a.m., prevailing Eastern Time, by the Municipal Advisory Council of Michigan (the “MAC”) via email at munibids@macmi.com. The bids will be opened and read at the MAC at that time. Award of the bid will be made on behalf of the Issuer by an authorized officer of the Issuer by 5:00 o’clock in the p.m., prevailing Eastern Time, on that date.

ELECTRONIC BIDS: Bidders submitting signed bids electronically must ensure their bids are received prior to the time and date fixed for receipt of bids. Bidders submitting bids electronically bear the full risk of failed or untimely transmission of their bids, and bidders are encouraged to confirm the timely receipt of their full and complete bids by telephoning the MAC at (313) 963-0420.

PARITY: Bids may be presented via *PARITY* on the date and at the time shown above. To the extent any instructions or directions set forth in *PARITY* conflict with this Notice, the terms of this Notice shall control. For further information about *PARITY*, potential bidders may contact Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC, at (517) 321-0110 or *PARITY* at (212) 849-5021.

OPTIONAL DTC BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY: Unless otherwise requested by the winning bidder (the “Purchaser”), the Bonds will be initially offered as registered in the name of Cede & Co., as registered owner and nominee for The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York (“DTC”) under DTC’s Book-Entry-Only system of registration. If DTC Book-Entry-Only is used, purchasers of interests in the Bonds (the “Beneficial Owners”) will not receive physical delivery of bond certificates, and ownership by the Beneficial Owners of the Bonds will be evidenced by book-entry-only. As long as Cede & Co. is the registered owner of the Bonds as nominee of DTC, payments of principal and interest payments will be made directly to such registered owner which will in turn remit such payments to the DTC participants for subsequent disbursement to the Beneficial Owners.

BOND DETAILS: Said Bonds will be fully registered Bonds, of the denomination of \$5,000 each or multiples thereof up to the amount of a single maturity, shall be dated the date of delivery, numbered in order of issue from 1 upwards and will bear interest from their dated date payable on November 1, 2024, and semiannually thereafter.

The Bonds will mature on the dates as follows:

<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Maturity Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
November 1, 2024	\$1,185,000	November 1, 2039	\$660,000
May 1, 2025	440,000	May 1, 2040	870,000
November 1, 2025	225,000	November 1, 2040	705,000
May 1, 2026	675,000	May 1, 2041	915,000
November 1, 2026	165,000	November 1, 2041	750,000
May 1, 2027	495,000	May 1, 2042	955,000
November 1, 2027	230,000	November 1, 2042	785,000
May 1, 2028	495,000	May 1, 2043	1,005,000
November 1, 2028	265,000	November 1, 2043	835,000
May 1, 2029	520,000	May 1, 2044	1,050,000
November 1, 2029	315,000	November 1, 2044	885,000
May 1, 2030	555,000	May 1, 2045	1,095,000
November 1, 2030	355,000	November 1, 2045	935,000
May 1, 2031	585,000	May 1, 2046	1,140,000
November 1, 2031	390,000	November 1, 2046	1,005,000
May 1, 2032	625,000	May 1, 2047	1,165,000
November 1, 2032	405,000	November 1, 2047	1,060,000
May 1, 2033	650,000	May 1, 2048	1,210,000
November 1, 2033	435,000	November 1, 2048	1,110,000
May 1, 2034	665,000	May 1, 2049	1,260,000
November 1, 2034	470,000	November 1, 2049	1,170,000
May 1, 2035	685,000	May 1, 2050	1,310,000
November 1, 2035	510,000	November 1, 2050	1,225,000
May 1, 2036	710,000	May 1, 2051	1,365,000
November 1, 2036	545,000	November 1, 2051	2,635,000
May 1, 2037	750,000	May 1, 2052	2,900,000
November 1, 2037	580,000	November 1, 2052	2,760,000
May 1, 2038	795,000	May 1, 2053	3,025,000
November 1, 2038	625,000	November 1, 2053	2,890,000
May 1, 2039	825,000	May 1, 2054	3,155,000

MATURITY ADJUSTMENT: The Issuer reserves the right to decrease the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds after receipt of the bids and prior to final award. Such adjustment, if necessary, will be made in increments of \$5,000 and may be made in any maturity.

ADJUSTMENT TO PURCHASE PRICE: In the event of a maturity adjustment, the purchase price of the Bonds will be adjusted proportionately to the adjustment in principal amount of the Bonds and in such manner as to maintain as comparable an underwriter spread as possible to the winning bid.

TERM BOND OPTION: Bidders shall have the option of designating bonds maturing in any year as serial bonds or term bonds, or both. The bidder must designate whether each of the

principal amounts shown above represent a serial maturity or a mandatory redemption requirement for a term bond maturity. There may be more than one term bond maturity. In any event, the above principal amount schedule shall be represented by either serial bond maturities or mandatory redemption requirements, or a combination of both. Any such designation must be made within one (1) hour of the Bond sale.

PAYING AGENT: Principal and interest shall be payable at a bank or trust company qualified to act as a paying agent in Michigan (the “Paying Agent”), or such other Paying Agent as the Issuer may hereafter designate by notice mailed to the registered owner not less than sixty (60) days prior to any change in Paying Agent. In the event the Bonds cease to be held in book entry form only, the Paying Agent will serve as bond registrar and transfer agent, interest shall be paid by check mailed to the owner as shown by the registration books of the Issuer as of the close of business on the 15th day of the month preceding any interest payment date and the Bonds will be transferable only upon the registration books of the Issuer kept by the Paying Agent. See “Optional DTC Book-Entry-Only” above.

PRIOR REDEMPTION:

A. Mandatory Redemption - Term Bonds.

Principal designated by the Purchaser as a term maturity shall be subject to mandatory redemption, in part, by lot, at par and accrued interest on the redemption dates corresponding to the maturities hereinbefore scheduled. When term Bonds are purchased by the Issuer and delivered to the Paying Agent for cancellation or are redeemed in a manner other than by mandatory redemption, the principal amount of the term Bonds affected shall be reduced by the principal amount of the Bonds so redeemed or purchased in the order determined by the Issuer.

B. Optional Redemption.

Bonds of this issue maturing from November 1, 2024 through May 1, 2034, shall not be subject to redemption prior to maturity. The Bonds or portions of Bonds maturing on or after November 1, 2034, are subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the Issuer in multiples of \$5,000 in such order as the Issuer may determine, by lot within any maturity, on any date occurring on or after May 1, 2034, at par and accrued interest to the date fixed for redemption.

Notice of redemption of any Bond shall be given not less than thirty (30) days and not more than sixty (60) days prior to the date fixed for redemption by mail to the Registered Owner at the registered address shown on the registration books kept by the Paying Agent. Bonds shall be called for redemption in multiples of \$5,000 and Bonds of denominations of more than \$5,000 shall be treated as representing the number of Bonds obtained by dividing the denomination of the Bond by \$5,000 and such Bonds may be redeemed in part. The notice of redemption for Bonds redeemed in part shall state that upon surrender of the Bond to be redeemed a new Bond or Bonds in an aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed portion of the Bond surrendered shall be issued to the Registered Owner thereof. No further interest payment on the Bonds or portions of Bonds called for redemption shall accrue after the date fixed for redemption, whether presented for redemption, provided funds are on hand with the Paying Agent to redeem the same.

If less than all of the Bonds of any maturity shall be called for redemption prior to maturity unless otherwise provided, the particular Bonds or portions of Bonds to be redeemed shall be

selected by the Paying Agent, in such manner as the Paying Agent in its discretion may deem proper, in the principal amounts designated by the Issuer. Upon presentation and surrender of such Bonds at the corporate trust office of the Paying Agent, such Bonds shall be paid and redeemed.

INTEREST RATE AND BIDDING DETAILS: The Bonds shall bear interest at a rate or rates not less than one percent (1%) per annum and not exceeding six percent (6%) per annum, to be fixed by the bids therefor, expressed in multiples of 1/8 or 1/100 of 1%, or both. The interest on any one Bond shall be at one rate only. All Bonds maturing in any one year must carry the same interest rate. No proposal for the purchase of less than all of the Bonds or at a price less than 99% or greater than 118% of the par value, or at a price which will cause the true interest cost on the Bonds to be less than one percent (1%) per annum and not to exceed six percent (6%) per annum, will be considered.

PURPOSE AND SECURITY: The Bonds are the second series of bonds that were authorized at an election on May 4, 2021, for the purpose of erecting additions to, remodeling, including security improvements to, furnishing and refurbishing, and equipping and re-equipping school buildings; acquiring and installing instructional technology and instructional technology equipment for school buildings; purchasing school buses; and developing, equipping and improving playgrounds, play fields, athletic fields, parking areas and sites. The Bonds will pledge the full faith, credit and resources of the Issuer for payment of the principal and interest thereon, and will be payable from ad valorem taxes, which may be levied without limitation as to rate or amount as provided by Article IX, Section 6, and Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963.

STATE QUALIFICATION: The Bonds are expected to be fully qualified pursuant to Act 92, Public Acts of Michigan, 2005, as amended, enacted pursuant to Article IX, Section 16, of the Michigan Constitution of 1963. Under the terms of said constitutional and statutory provisions, if for any reason the Issuer will be or is unable to pay the principal and interest on the Bonds when due, then the Issuer shall borrow, and the State of Michigan shall lend to it, an amount sufficient to enable the Issuer to make the payment.

AWARD OF BONDS: The Bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose bid produces the lowest true interest cost which is the rate that will discount all future cash payments so that the sum of the present value of all cash flows will equal the Bond proceeds computed from May 2, 2024 (the anticipated date of delivery).

LEGAL OPINION: Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified approving opinion of Thrun Law Firm, P.C., East Lansing, Michigan, bond counsel, the original of which will be furnished without expense to the Purchaser of the Bonds at the delivery thereof. The fees of Thrun Law Firm, P.C. for services rendered in connection with such approving opinion are expected to be paid from Bond proceeds. Except to the extent necessary to issue its approving opinion as to the validity of the above Bonds, Thrun Law Firm, P.C. has not been requested to examine or review, and has not examined or reviewed, any financial documents, statements or other materials that have been or may be furnished in connection with the authorization, marketing or issuance of the Bonds and, therefore, has not expressed and will not express an opinion with respect to the accuracy or completeness of any such financial documents, statements or materials.

TAX MATTERS: In the opinion of bond counsel, assuming continued compliance by the Issuer with certain requirements of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”), interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, as described in the opinion, and the Bonds and interest thereon are exempt from all taxation in the State of Michigan, except inheritance and estate taxes and taxes on gains realized from the sale, payment or other disposition thereof. The Issuer has covenanted to comply with certain requirements of the Code necessary to continue the exclusion of interest on the Bonds from gross income for federal income tax purposes.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT: Upon the sale of the Bonds, the Issuer will publish an Official Statement in substantially the same form as the Preliminary Official Statement, subject to minor additions, deletions and revisions as required to complete the Preliminary Official Statement. Promptly after the sales date, but in no event later than seven (7) business days after such date, the Issuer will provide the Purchaser with either a reasonable number of final Official Statements or a reasonably available electronic version of the same. The Issuer will determine which format will be provided. The Purchaser agrees to supply to the Issuer all necessary pricing information and any underwriter identification necessary to complete the Official Statement within twenty-four (24) hours after the award of Bonds. Additional copies of the final Official Statement may be obtained up to three months following the sale of the Bonds by a request and payment of costs to the financial consultant. The Issuer agrees to provide to the Purchaser at closing a certificate executed by appropriate officers of the Issuer acting in their official capacities, to the effect that as of the date of delivery the information contained in the Official Statement, and any supplement to the Official Statement, relating to the Issuer and the Bonds are true and correct in all material respects, and that the Official Statement does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements therein, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading.

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE: As more particularly described in the Official Statement, the Issuer will agree in the bond resolution or sales resolution to provide or cause to be provided, in accordance with the requirements of Rule 15c2-12 (the “Rule”) promulgated by the Securities and Exchange Commission, (i) on or prior to the end of the sixth month after the end of the fiscal year of the Issuer, commencing with the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, certain annual financial information and operating data, including audited financial statements for the preceding fiscal year, generally consistent with the information contained or cross-referenced in the Official Statement relating to the Bonds, (ii) timely notice of the occurrence of certain significant events with respect to the Bonds and (iii) timely notice of a failure by the Issuer to provide the required annual financial information on or before the date specified in (i) above.

BOND INSURANCE: In the event the Purchaser elects to obtain bond insurance for the Bonds, all costs and expenses related to such bond insurance shall be the responsibility of the Purchaser. The failure of such bond insurance to be issued at or before delivery of the Bonds shall not be a basis for the Purchaser to refuse to accept delivery of the Bonds. In the event the Purchaser obtains bond insurance, the bond insurer shall not be entitled to be designated as an addressee of any bond counsel opinion related to the Bonds, nor shall the bond insurer be entitled to a reliance letter associated with the same. If the Purchaser obtains bond insurance, the Issuer agrees only to insert any reasonable and necessary insurance language in the Bonds.

CERTIFICATION REGARDING “ISSUE PRICE”: Please see Appendix H to the Preliminary Official Statement for the Bonds, dated March 28, 2024, for information and requirements concerning establishing the issue price for the Bonds.

CLOSING DOCUMENTS: Drafts of all closing documents, including the form of Bond and bond counsel’s legal opinion, may be requested from Thrun Law Firm, P.C. Final closing documents will be in substantially the same form as the drafts provided. Closing documents will not be modified at the request of a bidder, regardless of whether the bidder’s proposal is accepted.

DELIVERY OF BONDS: The Issuer will furnish Bonds ready for execution at its expense. Bonds will be delivered without expense to the Purchaser at a place to be mutually agreed upon with the Purchaser. The usual closing documents, including a certificate that no litigation is pending affecting the issuance of the Bonds, will be delivered at the time of the delivery of the Bonds. If the Bonds are not tendered for delivery by twelve o’clock, noon, prevailing Eastern Time, on the 45th day following the date of sale, or the first business day thereafter if the 45th day is not a business day, the Purchaser may on that day, or any time thereafter until delivery of the Bonds, withdraw the proposal by serving notice of cancellation in writing, on the undersigned. Accrued interest to the date of delivery of the Bonds shall be paid by the Purchaser at the time of delivery. Payment for the Bonds shall be made in federal reserve funds. Unless the Purchaser furnishes the Paying Agent with a list giving the denominations and names in which it wishes to have the certificates issued at least five (5) business days prior to delivery of the Bonds, the Bonds will be delivered in the form of a single certificate for each maturity registered in the name of the Purchaser, subject to the election under the “Optional DTC Book-Entry-Only” provisions herein.

CUSIP NUMBERS: CUSIP numbers will be printed on the Bonds at the option of the Purchaser; however, neither the failure to print CUSIP numbers nor any improperly printed CUSIP numbers shall be cause for the Purchaser to refuse to take delivery of and pay the purchase price for the Bonds. Application for CUSIP numbers will be made by Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC, municipal advisor to the Issuer. The CUSIP Service Bureau’s charge for the assignment of CUSIP identification numbers shall be paid by the Purchaser.

BIDDER CERTIFICATION - NOT “IRAN-LINKED BUSINESS”: By submitting a bid, the bidder shall be deemed to have certified that it is not an “Iran-Linked Business” as defined in Act 517, Public Acts of Michigan, 2012; MCL 129.311, et seq.

FURTHER INFORMATION may be obtained from Baker Tilly Municipal Advisors, LLC, 2852 Eyde Parkway, Suite 150, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, telephone: (517) 321-0110.

THE RIGHT IS RESERVED TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS.

Vincent C. Perkins
Secretary, Board of Education

**FORM OF
CONTINUING DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT**

\$ _____
**WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON AND CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN
2024 SCHOOL BUILDING AND SITE BONDS, SERIES II
(GENERAL OBLIGATION - UNLIMITED TAX)**

This Continuing Disclosure Agreement (the “Agreement”) is executed and delivered by Waverly Community Schools, Counties of Ingham, Eaton and Clinton, State of Michigan (the “Issuer”), in connection with the issuance of its \$ _____ 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (General Obligation - Unlimited Tax) (the “Bonds”). The Bonds are being issued pursuant to resolutions adopted by the Board of Education of the Issuer on February 12, 2024 and _____, 2024 (together, the “Resolution”). The Issuer covenants and agrees as follows:

SECTION 1. Purpose of the Disclosure Agreement. This Agreement is being executed and delivered by the Issuer for the benefit of the Bondholders and in order to assist the Participating Underwriter in complying with the Rule. The Issuer acknowledges that this Agreement does not address the scope of any application of Rule 10b-5 promulgated by the SEC pursuant to the 1934 Act to the Annual Reports or notices of the Listed Events provided or required to be provided by the Issuer pursuant to this Agreement.

SECTION 2. Definitions. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Resolution, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Agreement 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 Agreement.

“Bondholder” means the registered owner of a Bond or any person which (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bonds (including any person holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries), or (b) is treated as the owner of any Bond for federal income tax purposes.

“Dissemination Agent” means any agent designated as such in writing by the Issuer and which has filed with the Issuer a written acceptance of such designation, and such agent’s successors and assigns.

“EMMA” shall mean the MSRB’s Electronic Municipal Market Access which provides continuing disclosure services for the receipt and public availability of continuing disclosure documents and related information required by Rule 15c2-12 promulgated by the SEC.

“Financial Obligation” shall mean (a) a debt obligation, (b) a derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation, or (c) a guarantee of (a) or (b) provided; however, that a “Financial Obligation” shall not include any municipal security for which a final official statement has been provided to the MSRB consistent with the Rule.

“Listed Events” shall mean any of the events listed in Section 5(a) of this Agreement.

“MSRB” shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board.

“1934 Act” shall mean the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

“Official Statement” shall mean the final Official Statement for the Bonds dated _____, 2024.

“Participating Underwriter” shall mean any of the original underwriters of the Bonds required to comply with the Rule in connection with the offering of the Bonds.

“Resolution” shall mean the resolutions duly adopted by the Issuer authorizing the issuance, sale and delivery of the Bonds.

“Rule” shall mean Rule 15c2-12 promulgated by the SEC pursuant to the 1934 Act, as the same may be amended from time to time.

“SEC” shall mean the Securities and Exchange Commission.

“State” shall mean the State of Michigan.

SECTION 3. Provision of Annual Reports.

(a) Each year, the Issuer shall provide, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent to provide, on or prior to the end of the sixth month after the end of the fiscal year of the Issuer commencing with the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, to EMMA an Annual Report for the preceding fiscal year which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 of this Agreement. Currently, the Issuer’s fiscal year ends on June 30. In each case, the Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may include by specific reference other information as provided in Section 4 of this Agreement; provided, however, that if the audited financial statements of the Issuer are not available by the deadline for filing the Annual Report, they shall be provided when and if available, and unaudited financial statements in a format similar to the financial statements contained in the Official Statement shall be included in the Annual Report.

(b) The Annual Report shall be submitted to EMMA either through a web-based electronic submission interface or through electronic computer-to-computer data connections with EMMA in accordance with the submission process, document format and configuration requirements established by the MSRB. The Annual Report shall also include all related information required by MSRB to accurately identify: (i) the category of information being provided; (ii) the period covered by the Annual Report; (iii) the issues or specific securities to which the Annual Report is related (including CUSIP number, Issuer name, state, issue description/securities name, dated date, maturity date, and/or coupon rate); (iv) the name of any obligated person other than the Issuer; (v) the name and date of the document; and (vi) contact information for the Dissemination Agent or the Issuer’s submitter.

(c) If the Issuer is unable to provide to EMMA an Annual Report by the date required in subsection (a), the Issuer shall send a notice in a timely manner to the MSRB in substantially the form attached as Appendix A.

(d) If the Issuer’s fiscal year changes, the Issuer shall send a notice of such change to the MSRB in substantially the form attached as Appendix B. If such change will result in the Issuer’s fiscal year ending on a date later than the ending date prior to such change, the Issuer shall provide notice of such change to the MSRB on or prior to the deadline for filing the Annual Report in effect when the Issuer operated under its prior fiscal year. Such notice may be provided to the MSRB along with the Annual Report, provided that it is filed at or prior to the deadline described above.

SECTION 4. Content of Annual Reports. The Issuer’s Annual Report shall contain or include by reference the following:

(a) audited financial statements of the Issuer prepared pursuant to State laws, administrative rules and guidelines and pursuant to accounting and reporting policies conforming in all material respects to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units as such principles are prescribed, in part, by the Financial Accounting Standards Board and modified by the Government Accounting Standards Board and in effect from time to time; and

(b) additional annual financial information and operating data as set forth in the Official Statement under “CONTINUING DISCLOSURE”.

Any or all of the items listed above may be included by specific reference to other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the Issuer or related public entities, which previously have been provided to each of the Repositories or filed with the SEC. If the document included by specific reference is a final official statement, it must be available from the MSRB. The Issuer shall clearly identify each such other document so included by reference.

SECTION 5. Reporting of Significant Events.

(a) The Issuer covenants to provide, or cause to be provided, notice in a timely manner not in excess of ten business days of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds in accordance with the Rule:

- (1) principal and interest payment delinquencies;
- (2) non-payment related defaults, if material;
- (3) unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties;
- (4) unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties;
- (5) substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform;
- (6) adverse tax opinions, 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 security, or other material events affecting the tax status of the security;
- (7) modifications to rights of security holders, if material;
- (8) bond calls, if material, and tender offers;
- (9) defeasances;
- (10) release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the securities, if material;
- (11) rating changes;
- (12) bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Issuer or other obligated person;
- (13) the consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Issuer or other obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Issuer or other 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;
- (14) appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material;
- (15) incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the Issuer or other obligated person, if material, or agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the Issuer or other obligated person, any of which affect security holders, if material;

(16) default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the Issuer or other obligated person, any of which reflect financial difficulties.

(b) Whenever the Issuer obtains knowledge of the occurrence of a Listed Event, the Issuer shall as soon as possible determine if such event would constitute material information for the Bondholders, provided that any event other than those listed under Section 5(a)(2), (6), (7), (8), (10), (13), (14) or (15) above will always be deemed to be material. Events listed under Section 5(a)(6) and (8) above will always be deemed to be material except with respect to that portion of those events which must be determined to be material.

(c) The Issuer shall promptly cause a notice of the occurrence of a Listed Event, determined to be material in accordance with the Rule, to be electronically filed with EMMA, together with a significant event notice cover sheet substantially in the form attached as Appendix C. In connection with providing a notice of the occurrence of a Listed Event described in Section 5(a)(9) above, the Issuer shall include in the notice explicit disclosure as to whether the Bonds have been escrowed to maturity or escrowed to call, as well as appropriate disclosure of the timing of maturity or call.

(d) The Issuer acknowledges that the “rating changes” referred to above in Section 5(a)(11) of this Agreement may include, without limitation, any change in any rating on the Bonds or other indebtedness for which the Issuer is liable, or on any indebtedness for which the State is liable.

(e) The Issuer acknowledges that it is not required to provide a notice of a Listed Event with respect to credit enhancement when the credit enhancement is added after the primary offering of the Bonds, the Issuer does not apply for or participate in obtaining such credit enhancement, and such credit enhancement is not described in the Official Statement.

SECTION 6. Termination of Reporting Obligation.

(a) The Issuer’s obligations under this Agreement shall terminate upon the legal defeasance of the Resolution or the prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Bonds.

(b) This Agreement, or any provision hereof, shall be null and void in the event that the Issuer (i) receives an opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, addressed to the Issuer, to the effect that those portions of the Rule, which require such provisions of this Agreement, do not or no longer apply to the Bonds, whether because such portions of the Rule are invalid, have been repealed, amended or modified, or are otherwise deemed to be inapplicable to the Bonds, as shall be specified in such opinion, and (ii) delivers notice to such effect to the MSRB.

SECTION 7. Dissemination Agent. The Issuer, from time to time, may appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Agreement, and may discharge any such Dissemination Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent.

SECTION 8. Amendment. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement, this Agreement may be amended, and any provision of this Agreement may be waived to the effect that:

(a) such amendment or waiver is made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, a change in law or a change in the identity, nature or status of the Issuer, or the types of business in which the Issuer is engaged;

(b) this Agreement as so amended or taking into account such waiver, would have complied with the requirements of the Rule at the time of the primary offering of the Bonds, after taking into account

any amendments or interpretations of the Rule, as well as any change in circumstances, in the opinion of independent legal counsel; and

(c) such amendment or waiver does not materially impair the interests of the Bondholders, in the opinion of independent legal counsel.

If the amendment or waiver results in a change to the annual financial information required to be included in the Annual Report pursuant to Section 4 of this Agreement, the first Annual Report that contains the amended operating data or financial information shall explain, in narrative form, the reasons for the amendment and the impact of such change in the type of operating data or financial information being provided. If the amendment or waiver involves a change in the accounting principles to be followed in preparing financial statements, the Annual Report for the year in which the change is made shall present a comparison between the financial statements or information prepared based on the new accounting principles and those prepared based on the former accounting principles. The comparison should include a qualitative discussion of such differences and the impact of the changes on the presentation of the financial information. To the extent reasonably feasible, the comparison should also be quantitative. A notice of the change in the accounting principles should be sent by the Issuer to the MSRB. Further, if the annual financial information required to be provided in the Annual Report can no longer be generated because the operations to which it related have been materially changed or discontinued, a statement to that effect shall be included in the first Annual Report that does not include such information.

SECTION 9. Additional Information. Nothing in this Agreement shall be deemed to prevent the Issuer from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Agreement or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Agreement. If the Issuer chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Agreement, the Issuer shall have no obligation under this Agreement to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

SECTION 10. Default. In the event of a failure of the Issuer to comply with any provision of this Agreement, any Bondholder may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandamus or specific performance by court order, to cause the Issuer to comply with its obligations under this Agreement. A default under this Agreement shall not be deemed an Event of Default under the Resolution or the Bonds, and the sole remedy under this Agreement in the event of any failure of the Issuer to comply with the Agreement shall be an action to compel performance.

SECTION 11. Duties of Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Agreement.

SECTION 12. Beneficiaries. This Agreement shall inure solely to the benefit of the Issuer, the Dissemination Agent, the Participating Underwriter, and the Bondholders and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

SECTION 13. Governing Law. This Agreement shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State, and any suits and actions arising out of this Agreement shall be instituted in a court of competent jurisdiction in the State. Notwithstanding the foregoing, to the extent this Agreement addresses matters of federal securities laws, including the Rule, this Agreement shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with such federal securities laws and official interpretations thereof.

WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON
AND CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN

By: _____
Its: Superintendent

Dated: _____, 2024



APPENDIX A

NOTICE TO THE MSRB OF FAILURE TO FILE ANNUAL REPORT

Name of Issuer: Waverly Community Schools, Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties, Michigan

Name of Bond Issue: 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (General
 Obligation - Unlimited Tax)

Date of Bonds: _____, 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Issuer has not provided an Annual Report with respect to the above-named Bonds as required by Section 3 of its Continuing Disclosure Agreement with respect to the Bonds. The Issuer anticipates that the Annual Report will be filed by _____.

WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON
AND CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN

By: _____
 Its: Superintendent

Dated: _____



APPENDIX B

NOTICE TO THE MSRB OF CHANGE IN ISSUER'S FISCAL YEAR

Name of Issuer: Waverly Community Schools, Ingham, Eaton and Clinton Counties, Michigan

Name of Bond Issue: 2024 School Building and Site Bonds, Series II (General
 Obligation - Unlimited Tax)

Date of Bonds: _____, 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Issuer's fiscal year has changed. Previously, the Issuer's fiscal year ended on _____. It now ends on _____.

WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON
AND CLINTON
STATE OF MICHIGAN

By: _____
 Its: Superintendent

Dated: _____



APPENDIX C

SIGNIFICANT EVENT NOTICE COVER SHEET

This cover sheet and significant event notice should be provided in an electronic format to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board pursuant to Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12(b)(5)(i)(C) and (D).

Issuer's and/or other Obligated Person's Name: _____

Issuer's Six-Digit CUSIP Number(s): _____

or Nine-Digit CUSIP Number(s) to which this significant event notice relates: _____

Number of pages of attached significant event notice: _____

Description of Significant Events Notice (Check One):

1. _____ Principal and interest payment delinquencies
2. _____ Non-payment related defaults
3. _____ Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties
4. _____ Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties
5. _____ Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform
6. _____ Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the 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 security, or other material events affecting the tax status of the security
7. _____ Modifications to rights of security holders
8. _____ Bond calls
9. _____ Tender offers
10. _____ Defeasances
11. _____ Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the securities
12. _____ Rating changes
13. _____ Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the Issuer or other obligated person
14. _____ The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving the Issuer or other obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the Issuer or other 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
15. _____ Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee
16. _____ Incurrence of a financial obligation of the Issuer or other obligated person
17. _____ Agreement to covenants, events of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a financial obligation that affect security holders
18. _____ Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a financial obligation of the Issuer or other obligated person that reflect financial difficulties
19. _____ Other significant event notice (specify) _____

I hereby represent that I am authorized by the issuer or its agent to distribute this information publicly:

Signature: _____

Name: _____ Title: _____

Employer: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip Code: _____

Voice Telephone Number: (_____) _____

The MSRB Gateway is www.msrb.org or through the EMMA portal at emma.msrb.org/submission/Submission_Portal.aspx. Contact the MSRB at (703) 797-6600 with questions regarding this form or the dissemination of this notice. The cover sheet and notice may also be faxed to the MAC at (313) 963-0943.



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CERTIFICATION REGARDING “ISSUE PRICE”: The initial Purchaser of the Bonds (the “Purchaser”) must assist the Issuer in establishing the issue price of the Bonds and will be required to furnish, at least ten (10) days prior to the delivery of the Bonds, a certificate in a form acceptable to bond counsel as to the “issue price” of the Bonds within the meaning of Section 1273 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

The certificate will set forth the reasonably expected initial offering price to the public or the sales price or prices of the Bonds, together with the supporting pricing wires or equivalent communications with such modifications as may be appropriate or necessary in the sole judgment of bond counsel. The Issuer intends that the provisions of Treasury Regulation Section 1.148-1(f)(3)(i) (defining “competitive sale” for purposes of establishing the issue price of the Bonds) will apply to the initial sale of the Bonds (the “competitive sale requirements”) because:

- (i) the Issuer shall disseminate the Notice of Sale to potential underwriters in a manner that is reasonably designed to reach potential underwriters;
- (ii) all bidders shall have an equal opportunity to bid;
- (iii) the Issuer may receive bids from at least three underwriters of municipal bonds who have established industry reputations for underwriting new issuances of municipal bonds; and
- (iv) the Issuer anticipates awarding the sale of the Bonds to the bidder who submits a firm offer to purchase the Bonds at the highest price (or lowest interest cost), as set forth in the Notice of Sale.

Any bid submitted pursuant to the Notice of Sale shall be considered a firm offer for the purchase of the Bonds, as specified in the bid. Bids will not be subject to cancellation in the event that the competitive sale requirements are not satisfied. Unless the bidder intends to hold the Bonds for its own account with no intention to offer the Bonds to the public, the bidder, by submitting a bid, represents to the Issuer that the bidder has an established industry reputation for underwriting new issuances of municipal bonds.

In the event that the competitive sale requirements are not satisfied, the Issuer shall so advise the Purchaser. In that case, the Purchaser shall have the option to designate whether the issue price will be calculated upon either (a) the first price at which 10% of each maturity of the Bonds (the “10% test”) is sold to the public as the issue price of that maturity, applied on a maturity-by-maturity basis, or (b) a commitment to neither offer nor sell any of the Bonds of any maturity to any person at a price that is higher than the initial offering price referenced in the Purchaser’s bid (the “initial offering price”) during the holding period as defined herein.

If the 10% test is selected, the Purchaser shall advise the Issuer if any maturity of the Bonds satisfies the 10% test as of the date and time of the award of the Bonds, and bidders should prepare their bids on the assumption that all of the maturities of the Bonds will be subject to the 10% test in order to establish the issue price of the Bonds. If the competitive sale requirements are not satisfied and the 10% test is selected, then until the 10% test has been satisfied as to each maturity of the Bonds, the Purchaser agrees to promptly report to the Issuer the prices at which the unsold Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public. That reporting obligation shall continue, whether or not the Closing Date has occurred, until the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or until all Bonds of that maturity have been sold.

In the event the “hold-the-offering-price” method is selected, for each maturity of the Bonds the Purchaser shall (a) neither offer nor sell any of the Bonds of such maturity to any person at a price that is higher than the initial offering price for such maturity during the holding period for such maturity (the “hold-the-offering-price rule”), and (b) verify that any selling group agreement shall contain the agreement of each dealer who is a member of the selling group, and any retail distribution agreement shall contain the agreement of each broker-dealer who is a party to the retail distribution agreement, to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule. Pursuant to such agreement, no underwriter (as defined below) shall offer or sell any maturity of the Bonds at a price that is higher than the respective initial offering price for that maturity of the Bonds during the holding period.

By submitting a bid, each bidder confirms that: (i) any agreement among underwriters, any selling group agreement and each retail distribution agreement (to which the bidder is a party) relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each underwriter, each dealer who is a member of the selling group, and each broker-dealer that is a party to such retail distribution agreement, as applicable, to either abide by the hold-the-offering-price limitations stated herein or to report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the Purchaser that the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public, if and for so long as directed by the Purchaser and as set forth in the related pricing wires, depending on whether the hold-the-offering-price method or the 10% test is selected by the Purchaser, and (ii) any agreement among underwriters relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each underwriter that is a party to a retail distribution agreement to be employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the public to require each broker-dealer that is a party to such retail distribution agreement to either abide by the hold-the-offering-price limitations stated herein or to report the prices at which it sells to the public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the Purchaser or such underwriter that the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the public, if and for so long as directed by the Purchaser or such underwriter and as set forth in the related pricing wires, depending on whether the hold-the-offering-price method or the 10% test is selected by the Purchaser.

Sales of any Bonds to any person who is a related party to an underwriter shall not constitute sales to the public for purposes of the Notice of Sale. Further, for purposes of this section of the Notice of Sale:

- (i) “public” means any person other than an underwriter or a related party,
- (ii) “underwriter” means (A) any person who agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Issuer (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public and (B) any person who agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (A) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public),
- (iii) a purchaser of any of the Bonds is a “related party” to an underwriter if the underwriter and the purchaser are subject, directly or indirectly, to (i) at least 50%

common ownership of the voting power or the total value of their stock, if both entities are corporations (including direct ownership by one corporation of another), (ii) more than 50% common ownership of their capital interests or profit interests, if both entities are partnerships (including direct ownership by one partnership of another), or (iii) more than 50% common ownership of the value of the outstanding stock of the corporation or the capital interests or profit interests of the partnership, as applicable, if one entity is a corporation and the other entity is a partnership (including direct ownership of the applicable stock or interests by one entity of the other),

- (iv) “sale date” means the date that the Bonds are awarded by the Issuer to the Purchaser,
- (v) “holding period” means, for each maturity of the Bonds, the period starting on the Sale Date and ending on the earlier of (i) the close of the fifth business day after the Sale Date, or (ii) the date on which the Underwriter has sold at least 10% of each maturity to the Public at prices that are no higher than the Initial Offering Price for such maturity, and
- (vi) “maturity” means Bonds with the same credit and payment terms. Bonds with different maturity dates, or Bonds with the same maturity date but different stated interest rates, are treated as separate maturities.

In addition, if the Purchaser will obtain a municipal bond insurance policy or other credit enhancement for the Bonds in connection with their original issuance, the Purchaser will be required, as a condition of delivery of the Bonds, to certify whether the premium therefor representing the transfer of credit risk will be less than the present value of the interest expected to be saved as a result of such insurance or other credit enhancement. The form of an acceptable certificate will be provided by bond counsel.

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**APPENDIX I
WAVERLY COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
COUNTIES OF INGHAM, EATON AND CLINTON, STATE OF MICHIGAN
\$58,000,000*
2024 SCHOOL BUILDING AND SITE BONDS, SERIES II
(General Obligation – Unlimited Tax)**

OPTIONAL BID FORM

Date: April 8, 2024

Time: 10:00 A.M. E.T.

Municipal Advisory Council
26211 Central Park Blvd
Suite 508
Southfield, MI 48076
Phone: (313) 963-0420
Email: munibids@macmi.com

Reference is made to your "Official Notice of Sale" for the above stated bonds as printed in the Bond Buyer. For your legally issued bonds, as described in said notice, we will pay you par plus a premium of \$_____ or less a discount of \$_____ for bonds maturing and bearing interest rates as follows:

<u>Maturity</u>		<u>Interest</u>		<u>Maturity</u>		<u>Interest</u>	
<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount*</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount*</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Yield</u>
11/01/24	\$1,185,000	%	%	11/01/39	\$660,000	%	%
05/01/25	440,000			05/01/40	870,000		
11/01/25	225,000			11/01/40	705,000		
05/01/26	675,000			05/01/41	915,000		
11/01/26	165,000			11/01/41	750,000		
05/01/27	495,000			05/01/42	955,000		
11/01/27	230,000			11/01/42	785,000		
05/01/28	495,000			05/01/43	1,005,000		
11/01/28	265,000			11/01/43	835,000		
05/01/29	520,000			05/01/44	1,050,000		
11/01/29	315,000			11/01/44	885,000		
05/01/30	555,000			05/01/45	1,095,000		
11/01/30	355,000			11/01/45	935,000		
05/01/31	585,000			05/01/46	1,140,000		
11/01/31	390,000			11/01/46	1,005,000		
05/01/32	625,000			05/01/47	1,165,000		
11/01/32	405,000			11/01/47	1,060,000		
05/01/33	650,000			05/01/48	1,210,000		
11/01/33	435,000			11/01/48	1,110,000		
05/01/34	665,000			05/01/49	1,260,000		
11/01/34	470,000			11/01/49	1,170,000		
05/01/35	685,000			05/01/50	1,310,000		
11/01/35	510,000			11/01/50	1,225,000		
05/01/36	710,000			05/01/51	1,365,000		
11/01/36	545,000			11/01/51	2,635,000		
05/01/37	750,000			05/01/52	2,900,000		
11/01/37	580,000			11/01/52	2,760,000		
05/01/38	795,000			05/01/53	3,025,000		
11/01/38	625,000			11/01/53	2,890,000		
05/01/39	825,000			05/01/54	3,155,000		

* Preliminary, subject to change

The following maturities have been designated as term bonds:

Mandatory Redemptions

From _____ To _____

From _____ To _____

THIS BID IS FOR ALL OR NONE OF THE BONDS.

Respectfully Submitted,

Please attach list of account members

By: _____
Authorized Representative

The following is a computation of the interest cost on the above bid.
This computation is not to be considered as a part of the bid and is subject to verification.

Gross Interest Cost	\$ _____	Premium / Discount	\$ _____
Net Interest Cost	\$ _____	Average Interest Rate	_____ %
True Interest Cost	_____ %	Net Interest Rate	_____ %

BIDDER CERTIFICATION - NOT "IRAN-LINKED BUSINESS": By submitting a bid, the bidder shall be deemed to have certified that it is not an "Iran-Linked Business" as defined in Act 517, Public Acts of Michigan, 2012; MCL 129.311, et seq.

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