# **Mineral Springs School District No. 3**

**Howard County, Arkansas** 

# Regulatory Basis Financial Statements and Other Reports

June 30, 2021



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# LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Mineral Springs School District No. 3 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

# **Report on the Financial Statements**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Mineral Springs School District No. 3 (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's regulatory basis financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) as provided in Act 2201 of 2005, as described in Note 1, to meet the requirements of the State of Arkansas. Management is also responsible 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.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

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

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the District's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

#### Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described in Note 1 to the financial statements, to meet the financial reporting requirements of the State of Arkansas, the financial statements are prepared by the District on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) as provided in Act 2201 of 2005, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

#### Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles paragraphs, the financial statements referred to above do not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the District as of June 30, 2021, or the changes in financial position for the year then ended.

#### Unmodified Opinions on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective regulatory basis financial position of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District as of June 30, 2021, and the respective regulatory basis changes in financial position thereof and the respective regulatory basis budgetary comparison for the general and special revenue funds for the year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) as provided in Act 2201 of 2005 described in Note 1.

#### **Emphasis of Matter**

As discussed in Note 1C to the financial statements, in 2021 the District adopted new accounting guidance, Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement no. 84, Fiduciary Activities. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### Other Matters

Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's regulatory basis financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, the Schedule of Capital Assets, and the Schedule of Selected Information for the Last Five Years - Regulatory Basis are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the regulatory basis financial statements.

The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory basis financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the regulatory basis financial statements or to the regulatory basis financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the regulatory basis financial statements as a whole.

The Schedule of Capital Assets and the Schedule of Selected Information for the Last Five Years - Regulatory Basis have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the regulatory basis financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

# Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated April 13, 2022 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Little Rock, Arkansas April 13, 2022 EDSD16521



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# LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Mineral Springs School District No. 3 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Mineral Springs School District No. 3 (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's regulatory basis financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated April 13, 2022. We issued an adverse opinion because the District prepared the financial statements on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of Arkansas Code, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effects on the financial statements of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material. However, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective regulatory basis financial position of each major governmental fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District as of June 30, 2021, and the respective regulatory basis changes in financial position thereof and the respective regulatory basis budgetary comparison for the general and special revenue funds for the year then ended, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

#### **Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the regulatory basis financial statements, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the regulatory basis financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the District's regulatory basis financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

#### **Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's regulatory basis financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of the state constitution, state and federal laws and regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We noted certain matters that we reported to management of the District in a separate letter dated April 13, 2022.

# **Purpose of this Report**

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Little Rock, Arkansas April 13, 2022



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# LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Mineral Springs School District No. 3 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

#### Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Mineral Springs School District No. 3's (the "District") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021. The District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

#### Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the District's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance.

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the District complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2021.

# **Report on Internal Control Over Compliance**

Management of the District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the District's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

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Little Rock, Arkansas April 13, 2022



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# LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

#### MANAGEMENT LETTER

Mineral Springs School District No. 3 and School Board Members Legislative Joint Auditing Committee

We would like to communicate the following items that came to our attention during this audit. The purpose of such comments is to provide constructive feedback and guidance, in an effort to assist management to maintain a satisfactory level of compliance with the state constitution, laws and regulations, and to improve internal control. These matters were discussed previously with District officials during the course of our audit fieldwork and at the exit conference.

- 1. Five unauthorized withdrawals totaling \$3,556 were made from District bank accounts between July 27, 2020 and November 17, 2020. Entity personnel discovered the unauthorized withdrawals upon review of the affected bank accounts, and the funds were recovered by the bank.
- 2. The District could not document that procedures were followed to select a construction manager for construction of a Pre-K pavilion and Field House addition as set forth in <u>Rules and Regulations Governing the Use of Construction Management as a Project Delivery Method</u> as promulgated pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. §§ 19-11-801 19-11-805. Additionally, the District did not have documentation of a construction manager contract.
- 3. The District did not comply with bid requirements for self-construction renovations to two buildings, as outlined in Ark. Code Ann. §§ 22-9-203, 6-21-304. Additionally, the District was unable to provide documentation that the contractor provided a construction (performance) bond at the time of the project for electrical work totaling \$42,380, as required by Ark. Code Ann. § 18-44-503. The District obtained a bond after the project was completed.

This letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee, the local school board and District management, state executive and oversight management, federal regulatory and oversight bodies, the federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities, and other parties as required by Arkansas Code, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. However, pursuant to Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-417, all reports presented to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee are matters of public record and distribution is not limited.

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE AUDIT

Matt Fink, CPA

**Deputy Legislative Auditor** 

Little Rock, Arkansas April 13, 2022

# MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS BALANCE SHEET - REGULATORY BASIS JUNE 30, 2021

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# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

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	General	Special Revenue	Other Aggregate
REVENUES			
Property taxes (including property tax relief trust distribution)	\$ 6,281,444		
State assistance	952,187	\$ 2,077	
Federal assistance	00.040	1,456,630	
Activity revenues	80,040	22 244	
Meal sales Investment income	16,055	32,311	\$ 9,257
Other revenues	275,551		Ψ 3,231
	210,001		
TOTAL REVENUES	7,605,277	1,491,018	9,257
EXPENDITURES			
Regular programs	3,000,713	177,534	
Special education	302,861	97,285	
Career education programs	146,403	6,285	
Compensatory education programs	240,273	69,562	
Other instructional programs	46,150	1,179	
Student support services	193,061	49,351	
Instructional staff support services	197,855	91,689	
General administration support services	240,895	111,736	
School administration support services Central services support services	281,139 388,044	12,708 281,991	
Operation and maintenance of plant services	874,068	171,487	
Student transportation services	306,072	6,100	
Other support services	5,826	4,131	
Food services operations	23,982	321,211	
Facilities acquisition and construction services	4,824	24,690	389,661
Non-programmed costs		58,377	
Activity expenditures	72,349		
Debt Service:			
Principal retirement	216,476		60,000
Interest and fiscal charges	10,391		316,207
Net debt issuance costs			63,983
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	6,551,382	1,485,316	829,851
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	1,053,895	5,702	(820,594)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Transfers in			1,860,566
Transfers out	(1,860,566)		
Proceeds from refunding bond issues			19,885,000
Payments to refunding bond escrow agents	70.405		(19,815,816)
Compensation for loss of capital assets	70,195		
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	(1,790,371)		1,929,750
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER			
SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES			
AND OTHER USES	(736,476)	5,702	1,109,156
FUND BALANCES - JULY 1	2,236,730	18,284	2,439,718
FUND BALANCES - JUNE 30	\$ 1,500,254	\$ 23,986	\$ 3,548,874

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

#### Exhibit C

## MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	General					Special Revenue						
		Budget		Actual	ļ	Variance Favorable Infavorable)		Budget		Actual	F	Variance avorable nfavorable)
REVENUES						,						,
Property taxes (including property tax relief trust distribution)	\$	6,210,500	\$	6,281,444	\$	70,944						
State assistance		980,938		952,187		(28,751)	\$	1,800	\$	2,077	\$	277
Federal assistance								955,754		1,456,630		500,876
Activity revenues				80,040		80,040						
Meal sales								47,750		32,311		(15,439)
Investment income		22,000		16,055		(5,945)						
Other revenues		239,713		275,551		35,838				_		
TOTAL REVENUES		7,453,151		7,605,277		152,126		1,005,304		1,491,018		485,714
EXPENDITURES												
Regular programs		2,637,893		3,000,713		(362,820)		60,000		177,534		(117,534)
Special education		310,653		302,861		7,792		66,330		97,285		(30,955)
Career education programs		204,135		146,403		57,732				6,285		(6,285)
Compensatory education programs		181,967		240,273		(58,306)		146,401		69,562		76,839
Other instructional programs		67,753		46,150		21,603				1,179		(1,179)
Student support services		191,768		193,061		(1,293)		52,823		49,351		3,472
Instructional staff support services		233,377		197,855		35,522		139,650		91,689		47,961
General administration support services		267,525		240,895		26,630		114,260		111,736		2,524
School administration support services		266,640		281,139		(14,499)				12,708		(12,708)
Central services support services		335,662		388,044		(52,382)		35,000		281,991		(246,991)
Operation and maintenance of plant services		717,858		874,068		(156,210)		25,000		171,487		(146,487)
Student transportation services		233,141		306,072		(72,931)				6,100		(6,100)
Other support services		5,750		5,826		(76)				4,131		(4,131)
Food services operations				23,982		(23,982)		369,923		321,211		48,712
Community services operations								3,003				3,003
Facilities acquisition and construction services				4,824		(4,824)				24,690		(24,690)
Non-programmed costs								15,000		58,377		(43,377)
Activity expenditures				72,349		(72,349)						
Debt Service:												
Principal retirement		6,200		216,476		(210,276)						
Interest and fiscal charges		1,000		10,391		(9,391)						
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		5,661,322		6,551,382		(890,060)		1,027,390		1,485,316		(457,926)

# Exhibit C

## MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL AND SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

	General					Special Revenue						
		Budget		Actual		Variance Favorable Jnfavorable)		Budget		Actual	F	/ariance avorable nfavorable)
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$	1,791,829	\$	1,053,895	\$	(737,934)	\$	(22,086)	\$	5,702	\$	27,788
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)												
Transfers in		7,825,900				(7,825,900)		59,783				(59,783)
Transfers out		(9,023,679)		(1,860,566)		7,163,113		(12,783)				12,783
Compensation for loss of capital assets				70,195		70,195						
TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		(1,197,779)		(1,790,371)		(592,592)		47,000				(47,000)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES												
AND OTHER USES		594,050		(736,476)		(1,330,526)		24,914	\$	5,702		(19,212)
FUND BALANCES - JULY 1		2,255,378		2,236,730		(18,648)		18,953		18,284		(669)
FUND BALANCES - JUNE 30	\$	2,849,428	\$	1,500,254	\$	(1,349,174)	\$	43,867	\$	23,986	\$	(19,881)

#### 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### A. Reporting Entity

The Board of Education, a seven member group, is the level of government, which has responsibilities over all activities related to public elementary and secondary school education within the jurisdiction of the Mineral Springs School District (District). There are no component units.

#### B. Description of Funds

Major governmental funds (per the regulatory basis of accounting) are defined as General and Special Revenue.

<u>General Fund</u> - The General Fund is used to account for and report all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.

<u>Special Revenue Fund</u> - The Special Revenue Fund is used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The Special Revenue Fund includes federal revenues and related expenditures, restricted for specific educational programs or projects, including the District's food services operations. The Special Revenue Fund also includes required matching for those federal programs, program income required to be used to further the objectives of those programs, and transfers from the general fund to supplement such programs.

Other governmental funds, presented in the aggregate, consist of the following:

<u>Capital Projects Fund</u> – The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. The Capital Projects Fund excludes those types of capital-related outflows financed by proprietary funds or for assets that will be held in trust for individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

<u>Debt Service Fund</u> – The Debt Service Fund is used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for principal and interest.

Fiduciary Fund types include the following:

<u>Private-purpose Funds</u> – Private-purpose funds are used to report all other arrangements under which principal and income benefit individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

# C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with a regulatory basis of accounting (RBA). This basis of accounting is prescribed by Ark. Code Ann. § 10-4-413(c) and requires that financial statements be presented on a fund basis with, as a minimum, the general fund and special revenue fund presented separately and all other funds included in the audit presented in the aggregate. The law also stipulates that the financial statements consist of a balance sheet; a statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances; a comparison of the final adopted budget to the actual expenditures for the general fund and special revenue funds of the entity; notes to financial statements; and a supplemental schedule of capital assets, including land, buildings, and equipment. The law further stipulates that the State Board of Education shall promulgate the rules necessary to administer the regulatory basis of presentation.

#### 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

The RBA is not in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). GAAP require that basic financial statements present government-wide financial statements. Additionally, GAAP require the following major concepts: Management's Discussion and Analysis, accrual basis of accounting for government-wide financial statements, including depreciation expense, modified accrual basis of accounting for fund financial statements, separate financial statements for fiduciary fund types and other requirements for fiduciary fund types, separate identification of special and extraordinary items, inclusion of capital assets and debt in the financial statements, inclusion of the net pension liability in the financial statements, specific procedures for the identification of major governmental funds, and applicable note disclosures. The RBA does not require government-wide financial statements or the previously identified concepts.

The accompanying financial statements are presented on a fund basis. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts, which are segregated for purposes of recording specific activities or attaining certain objectives. Major governmental funds are defined as general and special revenue, and such funds are presented separately in the financial statements. All other governmental funds are presented in the aggregate. Fiduciary fund types are presented in a separate column in the Balance Sheet – Regulatory Basis. Revenues are reported by major sources and expenditures are reported by major function. Other transactions, which are not reported as revenues or expenditures, are reported as other financing sources and uses. Transactions related to the recording of installment contracts and capital leases are reported as other financing sources. Changes in private-purpose funds will be reflected in the notes to financial statements.

# D. Revenue Recognition Policies

Revenues are recognized when they become susceptible to accrual in accordance with the RBA, except for property taxes (see Note 1 F below).

#### E. Capital Assets

Information on capital assets and related depreciation is reported at Schedule 1. Capital assets are capitalized at historical cost or estimated historical cost, if actual data is not available. Capital assets purchased are recorded as expenditures in the applicable fund at the time of purchase. Donated capital assets are reported at acquisition value when received. The District maintains a threshold level of \$1,000 for capitalizing equipment. Library holdings are not capitalized.

No salvage value is taken into consideration for depreciation purposes. All capital assets, other than land and construction in progress, are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Asset Class	Estimated Useful Life in Years					
	-					
Improvements/infrastructure	20					
Buildings	50					
Equipment	5-20					

# F. Property Taxes

Property taxes are levied (tax rates are established) in November of each year based on property assessment (real and personal) that occurred within a specific period of time beginning January 1 of the same year. Property taxes are collectible beginning the first business day of March of the year following the levy date and are considered delinquent after October 15 of the same calendar year.

#### 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### F. Property Taxes (Continued)

Amendment no. 74 to the Arkansas Constitution established a uniform minimum property tax millage rate of 25 mills for maintenance and operation of public schools. Ark. Code Ann. § 26-80-101 provides the uniform rate of tax (URT) shall be assessed and collected in the same manner as other school property taxes, but the net revenues from the URT shall be remitted to the State Treasurer and distributed by the State to the county treasurer of each county for distribution to the school districts in that county. For reporting purposes, URT revenues are considered property taxes.

#### G. Interfund Receivables and Payables

Interfund receivables and payables result from services rendered from one fund to another or from interfund loans.

#### H. Fund Balance Classifications

- 1. Nonspendable fund balance represents amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.
- Restricted fund balance represents amounts that are restricted to specific purposes when constraints
  placed on the use of resources are either (a) externally imposed by creditors (such as through bond
  covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) imposed by law
  through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- 3. Assigned fund balance represents amounts that are constrained by the District's *intent* to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.
- 4. Unassigned fund balance represents amounts that have not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. This classification can also include negative amounts in other governmental funds, if expenditures incurred for specific purposes exceeded the amounts restricted, committed, or assigned to those purposes.

#### Budget and Budgetary Accounting

The District is required by state law to prepare an annual budget. The annual budget is prepared on a fiscal year basis. The District does not prepare and submit amended budgets during the fiscal year. The State Department of Education's regulations allow for the cash basis or the modified accrual basis. However, the majority of the school districts employ the cash basis method.

The District budgets intra-fund transfers. Significant variances may result in the comparison of transfers at the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances – Budget and Actual – General and Special Revenue Funds – Regulatory Basis because only interfund transfers are reported at the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds – Regulatory Basis. Additionally, the District routinely budgets restricted federal programs as part of the special revenue fund. Significant variances may result in the budgetary comparison of the revenues and expenditures of the special revenue fund because of the reclassification of those federal programs primarily utilized for capital projects to the other aggregate funds for reporting purposes.

Budgetary perspective differences are not considered to be significant, because the structure of the information utilized in preparing the budget and the applicable fund financial statements is essentially the same.

#### 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### J. Stabilization Arrangements

The District's Board of Education has not formally set aside amounts for use in emergency situations or when revenue shortages or budgetary imbalances arise.

#### K. Minimum Fund Balance Policies

The District's Board of Education has not formally adopted a minimum fund balance policy.

#### Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures

The Superintendent, in conjunction with other management and accounting personnel, is authorized to assign amounts to a specific purpose. The District's Board of Education has not adopted a formal policy addressing this authorization.

The District's revenues, expenditures, and fund balances are tracked in the accounting system by numerous sources of funds. The fund balances of these sources of funds are combined to derive the District's total fund balances by fund. It is uncommon for an individual source of funds to contain restricted and unrestricted (committed, assigned, or unassigned) funds. The District does not have a policy addressing whether it considers restricted or unrestricted amounts to have been spent when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted amounts are available. District personnel decide which resources (source of funds) to use at the time expenditures are incurred. For classification of fund balance amounts, restricted resources are considered spent before unrestricted. The District does not have a policy addressing which resources to use within the unrestricted fund balances when committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available. When expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used, committed amounts are reduced first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts.

# M. Encumbrances

The District does not utilize encumbrance accounting.

#### 2: CASH DEPOSITS WITH FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Cash deposits are carried at cost (carrying value). A comparison of the bank balance and carrying value is as follows:

		_	Bank Balance		
Insured (FDIC)	\$	250,000		\$	250,000
Collateralized:					
Collateral held by the District's agent, pledging bank or pledging bank's trust department or					
agent in the District's name		4,393,258			4,736,798
Total Deposits	\$	4,643,258	_	\$	4,986,798

The above total deposits include certificates of deposit of \$2,370,417 reported as investments and classified as nonparticipating contracts.

# 3: ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable at June 30, 2021 were comprised of the following:

	Governmental Funds						
		Ma	jor				
				Special			
Description		Seneral	F	Revenue			
State assistance Federal assistance Activity fund accounts Other	\$	1,184 7,994 14,340	\$	448,598			
Totals	\$	23,518	\$	448,598			

# 4: COMMITMENTS

The District was contractually obligated for the following at June 30, 2021:

# A. Construction Contracts

Project Name	Estimated Completion Date	Contract Balance			
Pre-K Pavilion	June 30, 2022	\$	380,000		
Field House Addition	June 30, 2022		121,320		
LED Lighting Upgrade	October 31, 2021		56,647		

# B. Long-term Debt Issued and Outstanding

The District is presently paying on the following long-term debt:

Date of Issue	Date of Final Maturity	Rate of Interest	Amount Authorized and Issued		Authorized		Authorized		Authorized		Authorized		Authorized		Authorized		Authorized		Authorized			Debt Outstanding ne 30, 2021	faturities To e 30, 2021
<u>Bonds</u>																							
5/1/13	2/1/29	1 - 2.35%	\$	435,000	\$	245,000	\$ 190,000																
12/15/20	6/1/33	.35 - 1.05%		1,260,000		1,230,000	30,000																
3/24/21	6/1/47	1.2 - 5%		18,625,000		18,625,000																	
Total B	onds		20,320,000		20,100,000		220,000																
Direct Borro	<u>owings</u>																						
6/20/12	11/1/21	4.95%		62,000		6,200	55,800																
4/1/19	7/1/21	2.9%		205,962		69,132	136,830																
Total Direct Borrowings			267,962		75,332	192,630																	
Total	I Long-Term De	ebt	\$	20,587,962	\$	20,175,332	\$ 412,630																

# 4: COMMITMENTS (Continued)

# B. Long-term Debt Issued and Outstanding (Continued)

Changes in Long-term Debt

	Balance July 1, 2020	lssued	Retired	Balance June 30, 2021
Bonds payable	\$ 19,245,000	\$ 19,885,000	\$ 19,030,000 *	\$ 20,100,000
<u>Direct Borrowings</u> Certificate of				
indebtedness	12,400		6,200	6,200
Capital lease	143,093		143,093	
Installment contract	136,315		67,183	69,132
Total Direct Borrowings	291,808		216,476	75,332
Total Long-Term Debt	\$ 19,536,808	\$ 19,885,000	\$ 19,246,476	\$ 20,175,332

<sup>\*</sup> Includes \$18,970,000 early retirement of debt – See Note 6.

Future Principal and Interest Payments

		Bonds			Direct Borrowings						
Year Ended June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total		rincipal	Interest			Total		
2022	\$ 125,000	\$ 585,321	\$ 710,321	\$	75,332	\$	2,160	\$	77,492		
2023	660,000	494,900	1,154,900								
2024	675,000	467,355	1,142,355								
2025	705,000	438,818	1,143,818								
2026	735,000	408,872	1,143,872								
2027-2031	3,865,000	1,782,410	5,647,410								
2032-2036	3,780,000	1,454,010	5,234,010								
2037-2041	4,005,000	1,033,140	5,038,140								
2042-2046	4,560,000	503,980	5,063,980								
2047	990,000	26,730	1,016,730								
Totals	\$ 20,100,000	\$ 7,195,536	\$ 27,295,536	\$	75,332	\$	2,160	\$	77,492		

# Security for Debt Payments

Ark. Code Ann. § 6-20-1204 specifies procedures to be followed if a school district is delinquent in a payment to the paying agent for bonded debt. As additional security, any delinquent payment for bonded debt will be satisfied by the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE). Depending on the date of the bond issue, DESE will recover the full amount of any delinquency payment through the withholding of a school district's state funding or a direct payment from the school district. There were no delinquent bond payments incurred by the District during the audit period.

# 5: ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities at June 30, 2021 were comprised of the following:

	Governmental Fund							
		M						
			5	Special	Other			
Description	G	eneral	R	evenue	Aggregate			
Vendor payables Payroll withholdings	\$	16,829	\$	16,224	\$	10,476		
and matching		442						
Totals	\$	17,271	\$	16,224	\$	10,476		

#### 6: DEBT REFUNDINGS

On December 15, 2020, the District issued refunding bonds of \$1,260,000 with interest rates of .35 to 1.05 percent to refund \$1,210,000 of outstanding bonds dated April 15, 2013. The interest rates of the bonds refunded were 1.0 to 2.75 percent. Net bond proceeds of \$1,215,114 were remitted to an escrow agent to provide all future debt service payments for the bonds refunded. These bonds were called on January 15, 2021. The remaining proceeds of \$277 (after payment of \$44,609 net bond issuance costs) will be utilized for subsequent debt payments. The issuance of these bonds will result in a savings of \$90,711 to the District over the life of the bonds.

On March 24, 2021, the District issued refunding bonds of \$18,625,000 with interest rates of 1.2 to 5.0 percent to refund \$17,760,000 of outstanding bonds dated December 6, 2016. The interest rates of the bonds refunded were 3.0 to 3.5 percent. Net bond proceeds of \$18,600,702 were remitted to an escrow agent to provide all future debt service payments for the bonds refunded. These bonds will be called on June 1, 2022. The remaining proceeds of \$4,924 (after payment of \$19,374 net bond issuance costs) will be utilized for subsequent debt payments. The issuance of these bonds will result in a savings of \$1,229,344 to the District over the life of the bonds.

The outstanding principal of the bonds refunded was \$17,320,000 at June 30, 2021. U.S. Government securities of \$17,872,274, purchased by the escrow agent, were pledged for the retirement of these bonds.

# 7: INTERFUND TRANSFERS

The District transferred \$1,860,566 from the general fund to the other aggregate funds for debt related payments of \$375,630 and future construction expenditures of \$1,484,936.

#### 8: RETIREMENT PLAN

Arkansas Teacher Retirement System

Plan Description

The District contributes to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System (ATRS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that covers employees of schools and education-related agencies, except certain non-teaching school employees. ATRS, administered by a Board of Trustees, provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost-of-living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State law and can be amended only by the Arkansas General Assembly. The Arkansas Teacher Retirement System issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for ATRS. That report may be obtained by writing to Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, 1400 West Third Street, Little Rock, Arkansas 72201, by calling 1-800-666-2877, or by visiting the ATRS website at www.artrs.gov.

#### 8: RETIREMENT PLAN (Continued)

# **Funding Policy**

ATRS has contributory and noncontributory plans. Contributory members are required by State law to contribute 6.50% of their salaries. Each participating employer is required by State law to contribute at a rate determined by the Board of Trustees, based on the annual actuarial valuation. The current employer rate is 14.50% of covered salaries. The District's contributions to ATRS for the year ended June 30, 2021 were \$622,418, equal to the required contributions.

#### Net Pension Liability

The Division of Elementary and Secondary Education has stipulated that, under the regulatory basis of accounting, the requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement no. 68 would be limited to disclosure of the District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability. The District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability at June 30, 2020 (actuarial valuation date and measurement date) was \$7,353,307.

#### 9: CHANGES IN PRIVATE-PURPOSE FUNDS

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ADDITIONS Donations	\$ 250
DEDUCTIONS Scholarships	 500
CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	(250)
FUND BALANCE - JULY 1	 1,250
FUND BALANCE - JUNE 30	\$ 1,000

# 10: DEFICIT FUND BALANCE

The deficit unassigned fund balance of \$3,146 in the special revenue fund, as displayed in the table at Note 14 below, pertains to the child nutrition program. The temporary deficit was caused by the recognition of minor accounts payable at year-end.

## 11: PLEDGED REVENUES

The District has pledged a portion of its property taxes to retire bonds of \$20,320,000 issued from May 1, 2013 through March 24, 2021. The bonds were issued for various capital projects. Total principal and interest remaining on the bonds is \$27,295,536, payable through June 1, 2047. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total property taxes pledged for debt service were \$374,189 and \$1,662,735, respectively. The percentage of property taxes pledged for the current year for principal and interest payments was 22.50 percent.

#### 12: RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters.

The District carries commercial insurance for board liability, student accidents, accidental death, and air medical.

#### 12: RISK MANAGEMENT (Continued)

The District participates in the Arkansas School Boards Association – Workers' Compensation Trust (the Trust), a self-insurance trust voluntarily established on July 1, 1994 pursuant to state law. The Trust is responsible for obtaining and administering workers' compensation insurance coverage for its members, as well as obtaining reinsurance coverage for those claims that exceed the standard policy limits. In its administrative capacity, the Trust is responsible for monitoring, negotiating and settling claims that have been filed on behalf of and against member districts. The District contributes annually to this program.

Additionally, the District participates in the Arkansas School Boards Association – Risk Management Program (the Association), a self-insurance program voluntarily established on February 1, 1984 pursuant to state law. The Association is responsible for obtaining and administering insurance coverage for property and vehicles for its members, as well as obtaining reinsurance coverage for those claims that exceed the standard policy limits. In its administrative capacity, the Association is responsible for monitoring, negotiating, and settling claims that have been filed against member districts. The District pays an annual premium for its coverage of buildings, contents, vehicles, and mobile equipment.

The District participates in the Arkansas Fidelity Bond Trust Fund administered by the Governmental Bonding Board. This program provides coverage for actual losses sustained by its members through fraudulent or dishonest acts committed by officials or employees. Each loss is limited to \$300,000 with a \$2,500 deductible. Premiums for coverage are paid by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State of Arkansas from funds withheld from the Public School Fund.

Settled claims have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three fiscal years. There were no significant reductions in insurance coverage from the prior year in the major categories of risk.

#### 13: ON-BEHALF PAYMENTS

The allocation of the health insurance premiums paid by the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education to the Employee Benefits Division, on-behalf of the District's employees, totaled \$130,796 for the year ended June 30, 2021.

# 14: DETAILS OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE CLASSIFICATIONS DISPLAYED IN THE AGGREGATE

	Governmental Funds							
	Ma							
	•	Special	Other					
Description	General	Revenue	Aggregate					
Fund Balances:								
Nonspendable:								
Deposit with paying agent			\$ 2,711					
Restricted for:								
Alternative learning environment	\$ 1,201							
Enhanced student achievement								
funding	24,629							
English-language learners	19,449							
Professional development	23,362							
Debt service			4,925					
Medical services		\$ 27,132						
Special education programs	27,537							
Other purposes	10,928							
Total Restricted	107,106	27,132	4,925					
Assigned to:								
Capital projects			3,541,238					
Student activities	88,035		-,- ,					
Total Assigned	88,035		3,541,238					
Unassigned	1,305,113	(3,146)						
		(3,:10)						
Totals	\$1,500,254	\$ 23,986	\$3,548,874					

# 15: COMPENSATION FOR LOSS OF CAPITAL ASSETS

The compensation for loss of capital assets of \$70,195 consisted of insurance proceeds for losses sustained on September 6, 2019 from lightning to the fire alarm system in multiple buildings.

Schedule 1

# MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF CAPITAL ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 (Unaudited)

	Balance June 30, 2021				
Nondepreciable capital assets: Land Construction in progress Total nondepreciable capital assets	\$ 391,969 110,662 502,631				
Depreciable capital assets: Buildings Improvements/infrastructure Equipment Total depreciable capital assets	24,561,932 2,222,959 2,647,511 29,432,402				
Less accumulated depreciation for: Buildings Improvements/infrastructure Equipment Total accumulated depreciation	4,513,185 968,910 1,595,525 7,077,620				
Total depreciable capital assets, net	22,354,782				
Capital assets, net	\$ 22,857,413				

#### MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Provided to Subrecipients	Total Federal Expenditures
U. S. Department of Agriculture				
Arkansas Department of Education - School Breakfast Program	10.553	3104		\$ 74,501
National School Lunch Program (Note 3) Arkansas Department of Education - National School Lunch	10.555			9,999
Program  Arkansas Department of Human Services - National School	10.555	3104		145,937
Lunch Program (Note 4)	10.555	3104000		14,074
Total for National School Lunch Program				170,010
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture				244,511
TOTAL CHILD NUTRITION CLUSTER				244,511
SPECIAL EDUCATION CLUSTER (IDEA) <u>U. S. Department of Education</u> Arkansas Department of Education - Special Education -				
Grants to States Arkansas Department of Education - Special Education -	84.027A	3104		126,662
Preschool Grants	84.173A	3104		3,383
Total U. S. Department of Education				130,045
TOTAL SPECIAL EDUCATION CLUSTER (IDEA)				130,045
OTHER PROGRAMS <u>U. S. Department of Agriculture</u> Arkansas Department of Education - Fresh Fruit and  Vegetable Program	10.582	3104		7,583
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture				7,583
<u>U.S. Department of the Treasury</u> Arkansas Department of Education - COVID-19 - Coronavirus  Relief Fund  Total U.S. Department of the Treasury	21.019	3104		120,599 120,599
U. S. Department of Education  Arkansas Department of Education - COVID-19 - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund Total Education Stabilization Fund	84.425D	3104		695,978 695,978
Arkansas Department of Education - Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies Rural Education	84.010A 84.358A	3104		158,082 21,253
Arkansas Department of Education - Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants	84.367A	3104		16,127
Arkansas Department of Education - Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program Total U. S. Department of Education	84.424A	3104		12,839 904,279
U. S. Department of Health and Human Services				
Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance - Temporary Assistance				
for Needy Families	93.558	not available		6,000
Total U. S. Department of Health and Human Services	20.000			6,000
TOTAL OTHER PROGRAMS				1,038,461
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS			\$ 0	\$ 1,413,017

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

#### MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

#### NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

- Note 1: Basis of Presentation The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "Schedule") includes the federal award activity of Mineral Springs School District No. 3 (District) under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2021. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position or changes in financial position of the District.
- Note 2: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the regulatory basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.
- Note 3: Nonmonetary assistance is reported at the approximate value as provided by the U. S. Department of Defense through an agreement with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.
- Note 4: Nonmonetary assistance is reported at the approximate value as provided by the Arkansas Department of Human Services.
- Note 5: The District has elected not to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.
- Note 6: During the year ended June 30, 2021, the District received Medicaid funding of \$13,995 from the Arkansas Department of Human Services. Such payments are not considered Federal awards expended, and therefore, are not included in the above Schedule.

# MINERAL SPRINGS SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 3 HOWARD COUNTY, ARKANSAS SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

# SECTION I - SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS									
Types of auditor's reports issued on whether the financial statements aud	lited were prepared in accordance with:								
Generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) - adverse Regulatory basis - unmodified									
Internal control over financial reporting:									
Material weakness(es) identified?	yes X no								
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	yes X none reported								
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	yes X no								
FEDERAL AWARDS									
Internal control over major federal programs:									
Material weakness(es) identified?	yes X no								
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	yes X none reported								
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major federal programs	: unmodified								
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?	yes X no								
Identification of major federal programs:									
AL Number(s)	Name of Federal Program or Cluster								
84.425D	COVID-19 - Education Stabilization Fund								
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs	* 750,000								
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	yes X no								
SECTION II - FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS									
No matters were reported.									
SECTION III - FEDERAL AWARD FIN	SECTION III - FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS								
No matters were reported.									

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Stacy Jones- K-6 Principal
Jondavid Amerson- 7-12 Principal

Schedule 4

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED June 30, 2021

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

There were no findings in the prior audit.

# FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

There were no findings in the prior audit.

# **Mission Statement**

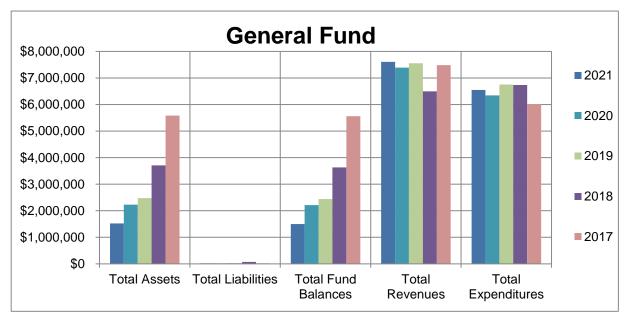
The staff of the Mineral Springs High School, working with parents and community members, will provide an environment conductive to learning where honesty, integrity, and achievement are sources of pride for all students.

# SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

(Unaudited)

Year Ended June 30,

General Fund	2021		2020		2019		2018		2017	
Total Assets	\$	1,522,450	\$	2,231,838	\$	2,476,192	\$	3,708,084	\$	5,584,992
Total Liabilities		22,196		18,912		33,106		76,042		22,376
Total Fund Balances		1,500,254		2,212,926		2,443,086		3,632,042		5,562,616
Total Revenues		7,605,277		7,387,489		7,553,614		6,494,706		7,482,423
Total Expenditures		6,551,382		6,345,145		6,754,487		6,738,021		6,016,807
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		(1,790,371)		(1,272,504)		(1,988,083)		(1,687,259)		(2,741,127)

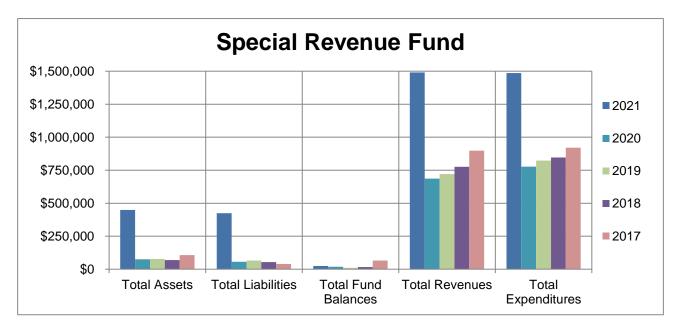


# SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

(Unaudited)

Year Ended June 30,

Special Revenue Fund		2021		2020		2019		2018		2017	
Total Assets	\$	448,598	\$	74,696	\$	76,806	\$	69,559	\$	106,187	
Total Liabilities		424,612		56,412		66,081		53,267		40,024	
Total Fund Balances		23,986		18,284		10,725		16,292		66,163	
Total Revenues		1,491,018		686,369		720,857		775,247		898,477	
Total Expenditures		1,485,316		777,308		823,269		846,032		919,820	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)				98,498		96,845		20,914			



# SCHEDULE OF SELECTED INFORMATION FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS - REGULATORY BASIS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021

(Unaudited)

Year Ended June 30,

Other Aggregate Funds		2021		2020		2019		2018		2017	
Total Assets	\$	3,559,350	\$	2,439,718	\$	2,438,287	\$	8,258,566	\$	19,557,260	
Total Liabilities		10,476						723,290		801,500	
Total Fund Balances		3,548,874		2,439,718		2,438,287		7,535,276		18,755,760	
Total Revenues		9,257		962		13,761		82,159		55,834	
Total Expenditures		829,851		1,173,537		7,207,950		13,311,378		2,857,799	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		1,929,750		1,174,006		2,097,200		2,008,735		20,710,100	

