

Financial Statements June 30, 2023

# Santa Barbara Community College District





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#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

To the Board of Trustees Santa Barbara Community College District Santa Barbara, California

#### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of the business-type activities of the Santa Barbara Community College District (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the business-type activities of Santa Barbara Community College District (the District), as of June 30, 2023, and the respective changes in financial position, and cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*). 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 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 opinion.

#### Adoption of New Accounting Standard

As discussed in Note 2 and Note 12 to the financial statements, the District has adopted the provisions of Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements, for the year ending June 30, 2023. Accordingly, a restatement has been made to the business-type activities net position as of July 1, 2022, to restate beginning net position. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### 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 District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

#### 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.

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 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 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 on pages 5 through 16 and other required supplementary schedules, as listed 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, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with GAAS, 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.

#### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The accompanying supplementary information, including the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by 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), and other supplementary information listed in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are 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 GAAS. In our opinion, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and other supplementary information listed in the table of contents are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 7, 2023 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.

Rancho Cucamonga, California

Esde Saelly LLP

December 7, 2023



#### **INTRODUCTION**

This introduction to the District-wide financial statements provides background information regarding the financial position and activities of the Santa Barbara Community College District (the District) for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022. We encourage readers to consider the information presented in this Management's Discussion and Analysis in conjunction with the financial statements and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

#### **Overview of the District-Wide Basic Financial Statements**

The focus of the Statement of Net Position is designed to be similar to the bottom-line results of the District. This statement combines and consolidates current financial resources with capital assets and long-term liabilities. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position focuses on the costs of the District's operational activities, which are supported primarily by local property taxes and State apportionment revenues. The Statement of Cash Flows provides an analysis of the sources and uses of cash within the operations of the District. The Notes to the Financial Statements provide additional information that is essential to the full understanding of the data provided in the District-wide financial statements.

#### **This Annual Report**

This annual report consists of the following sections:

- Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) utilizing a current year/prior year format;
- District-Wide Basic Financial Statements, including required Notes to the Financial Statements; and
- Supplementary Information.

#### **FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS**

This section provides condensed information for each of the three basic financial statements, as well as illustrative charts, graphs, and tables.

- The District's primary funding is based upon an apportionment allocation made by the State of California, Community Colleges Chancellor's Office (Chancellor's Office). In 2018-19, a new funding formula was implemented by the Chancellor's Office which modified the funding formula from relying solely on Full Time Equivalent Students (FTES) to determine funding for a district. The new funding formula, now called the Student-Centered Funding Formula (SCFF), includes three factors: the Base Funding Allocation (70%), a Supplemental Allocation (20%), and a Student Success Allocation (10%). The rates are subject to change based on the District's success metrics. For 2022-23, the District was funded as detailed below:
  - o The Base Funding factor (75.0%) continues to be based on the FTES generated by the District.
  - o The Supplemental Allocation (13.0%) is calculated based on a count of the District's Pell Grant recipients, California College Promise Grant Recipients, and AB 540 Students.

- The Student Success Allocation (12.0%) is based on the number outcomes a district achieves in the following measures:
  - Associate degrees granted
  - Associate degrees for transfer granted
  - Baccalaureate degrees granted
  - Credit certificates (16 units or more)
  - Completion of transfer-level mathematics and English courses within first academic year of enrollment
  - Successful transfer to four-year university
  - Completion of nine or more CTE units
  - Attainment of a regional living wage

As noted above, the District's reported FTES remain the District's primary source of funding (70%) under the SCFF. During fiscal years 2022-2023 and 2021-2022, the District's total resident FTES were 10,589 and 10,618, respectively. The decline in FTES was incurred across various types of enrollment, including credit, noncredit, and dual enrollment programs. The graph below depicts the District's five-year trend for FTES:



After the Chancellor's Office calculates the District's base apportionment, it reduces the net amount to be distributed by the amount of property taxes, Education Protection Act funds, and enrollment fees expected to be paid directly to the District. The matrix below lists the four components and illustrates the net effect of the actual receipts for fiscal year 2022-2023 as compared to fiscal year 2021-2022:

	2023	2022	Difference		
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Property Tax	\$ 41,226,026	\$ 37,573,375	\$ 3,652,651		
Enrollment Fees	7,064,488	6,506,303	558,185		
Apportionment	40,794,799	16,855,353	23,939,446		
Education Protection Act	6,201,622	25,294,567	(19,092,945)		
Total	\$ 95,286,935	\$ 86,229,598	\$ 9,057,337		

#### CONDENSED DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL INFORMATION IS AS FOLLOWS:

Condensed Statement of Net Position as of June 30, 2023 and 2022:

	2023	2022, as restated	Change
Assets			
Cash and investments	\$ 134,363,856	\$ 105,060,130	\$ 29,303,726
Receivables, net	16,039,286	18,628,055	(2,588,769)
Other current assets	2,529,680	5,531,282	(3,001,602)
Capital assets, right-to-use leased assets,			
and right-to-use subscription IT assets, net	135,373,292	140,163,507	(4,790,215)
Total assets	288,306,114	269,382,974	18,923,140
Deferred Outflows of Resources	30,039,518	21,962,503	8,077,015
Liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	80,106,631	64,355,378	15,751,253
Current portion of long-term liabilities	3,372,623	3,399,039	(26,416)
Noncurrent portion of long-term liabilities	156,172,150	132,637,477	23,534,673
Total liabilities	239,651,404	200,391,894	39,259,510
Deferred Inflows of Resources	23,152,597	51,640,551	(28,487,954)
Net Position			
Net investment in capital assets	79,028,667	81,000,484	(1,971,817)
Restricted	39,695,679	26,007,745	13,687,934
Unrestricted deficit	(63,182,715)	(67,695,197)	4,512,482
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Total net position	\$ 55,541,631	\$ 39,313,032	\$ 16,228,599

The preceding schedule has been prepared from the District's Statement of Net Position (page 17) which is presented on the accrual basis of accounting whereby assets are capitalized and depreciated. Cash and investments (above) consist primarily of funds held in the Santa Barbara County Treasury.

Current assets increased by \$23.7 million while net capital assets decreased by \$4.8 million. The increase in cash and investments is due primarily to the receipt of funding related scheduled maintenance and COVID-19 Recovery Block Grant, and the timing of expenditures. Current liabilities increased by \$15.7 million primarily due to unearned revenues, related to categorical programs. Long-term liabilities increased by \$23.5 million due to the increase in the net pension liability calculated as part of the GASB Statement No. 68 actuarial report.

The changes in the deferred inflows and outflows related to pensions and OPEB are calculated as part of the GASB Statement No. 68 and No. 74 implementations, and will continue to fluctuate from year to year based on the changes in actuarial valuations for the CalPERS and CalSTRS systems, as well as the District's OPEB plan.

Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022:

	2023	2022*	Change
Operating Revenues Tuition and fees, net Grants and contracts, noncapital Auxiliary enterprise sales and charges	\$ 17,954,743 62,729,268 4,263,113	\$ 17,518,668 61,816,725 3,241,598	\$ 436,075 912,543 1,021,515
Total operating revenues	84,947,124	82,576,991	2,370,133
Operating Expenses Salaries and benefits Supplies, services, equipment, and maintenance Student financial aid Depreciation and amortization	106,583,508 59,362,469 20,734,298 5,852,596	96,900,273 45,151,493 36,365,804 5,433,830	9,683,235 14,210,976 (15,631,506) 418,766
Total operating expenses	192,532,871	183,851,400	8,681,471
Operating loss	(107,585,747)	(101,274,409)	(6,311,338)
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses) State apportionments, noncapital Property taxes Student financial aid grants State revenues Net interest expense Other nonoperating revenues	46,996,421 46,221,862 16,922,506 4,939,276 (1,289,549) 5,790,596	42,149,920 42,292,911 18,412,914 4,055,969 (4,941,305) 5,666,296	4,846,501 3,928,951 (1,490,408) 883,307 3,651,756 124,300
Total nonoperating revenue (expenses)	119,581,112	107,636,705	11,944,407
Other Revenues State and local capital income Change in net position	4,233,234 \$ 16,228,599	8,092,953 \$ 14,455,249	(3,859,719)
change in het position	7 10,220,333	7 17,733,243	7 1,773,330

<sup>\*</sup> The revenues and expenses for the year ended June 30, 2022 were not restated to show the effects of the implementation of GASB Statement No. 96 for comparative purposes.

The schedule presented above has been prepared from the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position. State general apportionment, while budgeted for operations, is considered nonoperating revenue according to the Governmental Accounting Standards Board's (GASB) prescribed reporting format. Grant and contracts revenue includes student financial aid, as well as specific Federal and State grants received for programs serving the students of the District.

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Overall, the District saw a net increase in revenues and tuition due largely to a 6.56% COLA adjustment to funding rates used in the calculation of the Student Centered Fund Formula (SCFF).

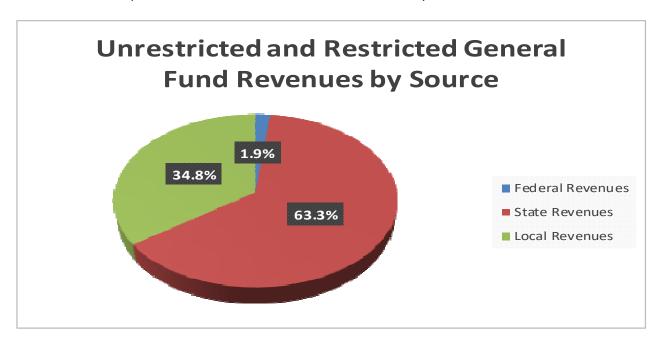
Operating expenses increased in 2022-2023 primarily due primarily due to the increases in costs, due to inflation, and increases in salaries and benefits.

#### **General Fund**

While this Management's Discussion and Analysis and the District-wide financial statements report the financial position and results of operations for the District as a whole, the following pie charts are intended to give the reader information specific to the General Fund.

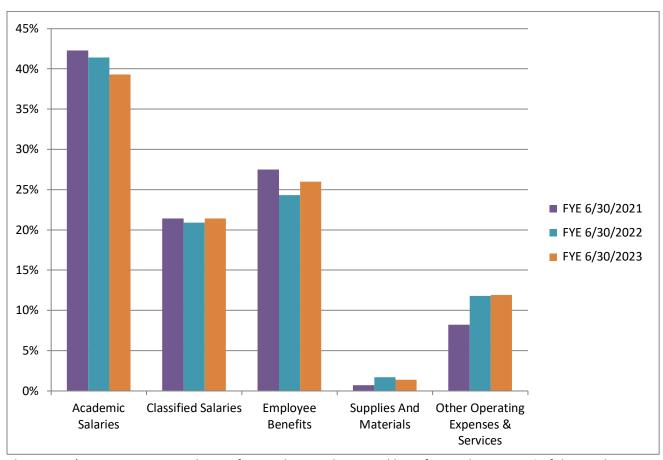
General Fund Revenues by Source

The chart below depicts the District's General Fund total revenues by source:



#### **General Fund Expenditures by Type**

The chart below depicts a three-year review of the District's Unrestricted General Fund expenditures by type as a percentage of total expenditures before transfers:



The District's 2022-2023 expenditures for employee salaries and benefits made up 86.3% of the total Unrestricted General Fund expenditures before transfers, compared to 89.4% in 2021-2022, and 91.5% in 2020-2021. All other 2022-2023 expenditure types made up 13.7% of total expenditures, which has increased from 2020-2021 and 2021-2022.

Employee benefits increased in 2022-2023 due primarily to significant increases in CalPERS and CalSTRS rates. These rates are projected to continue increasing through 2026-2027. Salaries, on the other hand, went down in 2022-2023 as a percent of total, but increased overall. Supplies and materials and other operating expenses/services, as a whole, increased during 2022-2023 due to the impact of inflation, especially in the area of utilities.

#### **Expenditures by Activity**

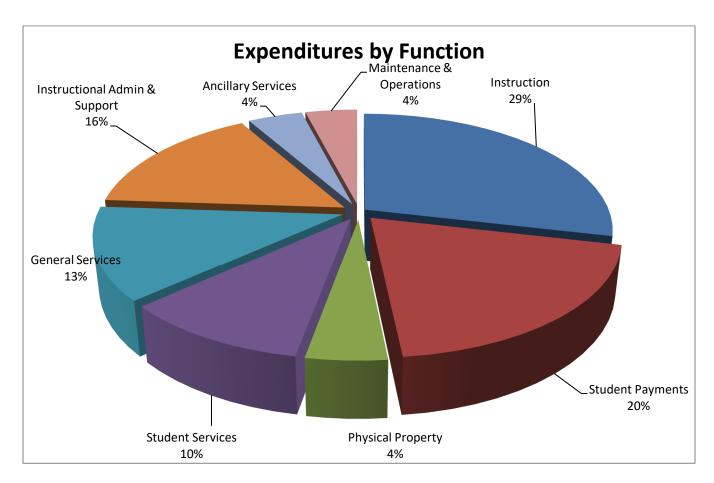
The following table summarizes the District's expenditures by activity for the year ended June 30, 2023:

	Salaries and Employee Benefits	upplies, Materials, nd Other Operating Expenses and and Services	<u>_</u> F	Student inancial Aid	Ma	quipment, aintenance, nd Repairs	epreciation and nortization	Total
Instructional activities	\$ 55,692,069	\$ 2,079,626	\$	-	\$	475,567	\$ -	\$ 58,247,262
Instructional administration	8,470,428	28,035,305		-		1,521,813	-	38,027,546
Instructional support services	2,443,506	88,809		-		250,565	-	2,782,880
Student services	16,604,082	3,493,141		-		113,620	-	20,210,843
Plant operations and								
maintenance	4,142,851	3,939,564		-		334,549	-	8,416,964
Planning, policymaking and								
coordinations	1,612,971	1,373,160		-		-	-	2,986,131
Institutional support services	12,354,433	8,078,938		-		370,141	-	20,803,512
Community services	917,270	47,341		-		-	-	964,611
Ancillary services and								
auxiliary operations	4,345,898	5,271,800		-		33,564	-	9,651,262
Physical property and related								
acquisitions		220,858		-		3,634,108	-	3,854,966
Student aid	-	-		20,734,298		-	-	20,734,298
Unallocated depreciation								
and amortization	 	 -		_			5,852,596	 5,852,596
Total	\$ 106,583,508	\$ 52,628,542	\$	20,734,298	\$	6,733,927	\$ 5,852,596	\$ 192,532,871

The following pie chart groups the District's expenditures by activity into major functional areas. The chart definitions below identify which activities are included in each major functional area.

#### **Chart Definitions:**

- Instruction: Consists of direct instructional expenses.
- Student Payments: Primarily consists of financial aid payments to students.
- Physical Property: Depreciation, Non-capitalized construction, and purchases of small equipment.
- Student Services: Includes admissions and records, counseling, and other student service-related expenses.
- General Services: Includes planning and policy making, general institutional services, and community services.
- Instructional Admin & Support: Includes administrative expenses related to instruction, the library, and the learning resource center.
- Ancillary Services: Includes expenses related to the child development center, food service, parking, and co-curricular related expenses.
- Maintenance & Operations: Includes building maintenance, grounds maintenance, and custodial services.



Condensed Statement of Cash Flows for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2022:

	2023	2022	Change
Net Cash Flows from			
Operating activities  Noncapital financing activities	\$ (92,705,303) 118,341,338	\$ (82,052,814) 112,225,436	\$ (10,652,489) 6,115,902
Capital financing activities	3,565,348	5,146,938	(1,581,590)
Investing activities	102,343	(2,858,855)	2,961,198
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and cash equivalents	29,303,726	32,460,705	(3,156,979)
Cash and cash equivalents, Beginning of Year	105,060,130	72,599,425	32,460,705
Cash and cash equivalents, End of Year	\$ 134,363,856	\$ 105,060,130	\$ 29,303,726

The previous schedule has been prepared from the Statement of Cash Flows presented on pages 19 and 20. This statement provides information about cash receipts and cash payments during the fiscal year. It also helps users assess the District's ability to generate positive net cash flows and its ability to meet its obligations as they come due.

The primary operating activities contributing to cash flow are student tuition and fees and Federal, State, and local grants and contracts, while the primary operating activity using cash flow throughout the year is the payment of salaries and benefits.

Even though State apportionment and property taxes are the primary source of District revenue (and cash flow), GASB accounting standards require that these sources of revenue be shown as nonoperating revenue since they come from the general resources of the State and not from the primary users of the District's programs and services (students). Nevertheless, the District depends upon this funding as the primary source of funds to continue operations.

#### **Capital and Right-to-Use Assets**

As of June 30, 2023, the District had approximately \$135.4 million invested in net capital and right-to-use leased, and right-to-use subscription IT assets. Total capital and right-to-use assets of \$244.9 million consist of land, construction in progress, buildings and improvements, vehicles, other office equipment, right-to-use leased assets, and right-to-use Subscription IT assets. These assets have accumulated depreciation/amortization of \$109.5 million. In fiscal year 2022-2023, there were net capital and right-to-use asset additions in the amount of \$1.1 million and depreciation/amortization expense of \$5.9 million.

Note 6 to the financial statements provides additional information on capital assets, right-to-use leased assets, and right-to-use subscription IT assets. A comparison of capital assets, right-to-use leased assets, and right-to-use subscription IT assets, net of depreciation and amortization, is summarized below:

	2023	2022, as restated	Net Change
Land and construction in progress Buildings and improvements, net Furniture and equipment, net Right-to-use leased assets, net Right-to-use subscription IT assets, net	\$ 8,939,113 123,610,637 2,384,130 285,514 153,898	\$ 8,826,958 128,344,537 2,206,462 472,569 312,981	\$ 112,155 (4,733,900) 177,668 (187,055) (159,083)
Total capital assets, right-to-use leased assets, and right-to-use subscription IT assets, net	\$ 135,373,292	\$ 140,163,507	\$ (4,790,215)

#### **Long-Term Liabilities including OPEB and Pensions**

At the end of the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the District had \$58,459,439 in General Obligation Bonds and loans payable outstanding. The bonds are repaid in annual installments, in accordance with the obligation requirements for each debt issuance, by way of property tax assessments on property within the District's boundaries.

The District is also obligated to employees of the District for compensated absences, load banking, supplemental employee retirement plan, retiree health payments, leases, subscription-based IT arrangements, and pension liabilities.

Notes 7-9 in the financial statements provides additional information on long-term liabilities. A summary of long-term liabilities is presented below.

	2023			2022, as restated	Net Change		
General obligation bonds Loans payable Leases Subscription-based IT arrangements Aggregate net OPEB liability Aggregate net pension liability Other liabilities	\$	58,275,593 183,846 290,221 166,898 6,634,173 88,164,253 5,829,789	\$	60,968,469 363,097 480,520 325,981 6,329,530 61,361,113 6,207,806	\$	(2,692,876) (179,251) (190,299) (159,083) 304,643 26,803,140 (378,017)	
Total long-term liabilities	\$	159,544,773	\$	136,036,516	\$	23,508,257	
Amount due within one year	\$	3,372,623	\$	3,399,039	\$	(26,416)	

#### **Fund Balances**

Fund balance is the difference between fund assets and fund liabilities in the District's funds.

Fund Type	Ending Fund Balance 6/30/22	Ending Fund Balance 6/30/23	Change in Fund Balance
General Funds	\$ 38,358,330	\$ 44,019,200	\$ 5,660,870
Bond Interest and Redemption Fund	4,158,103	4,716,573	558,470
Capital Projects Funds	19,817,603	22,024,627	2,207,024
Enterprise Funds	6,941,746	7,287,525	345,779
Special Revenue Funds	2,708,169	2,832,899	124,730
Internal Service	123,388	127,970	4,582
Student Financial Aid	480,356	762,094	281,738
Total	72,587,695	81,770,888	9,183,193

Total ending fund balances increased \$9.2 million (12.7%) from \$72.6 million to \$81.8 million. The majority of changes is due to a return to normal operations, after the impact of the pandemic. This has led to increase in variable operating expenditures in the General Fund for the District.

In accordance with Board Policy 6305, the District's Board of Trustees has designated a portion of the Unrestricted General Fund balance as reserves. A reserve fund is an established prudent fiscal management tool, which buffers cash flow fluctuations and provides a resource for contingencies and reasonable yet unforeseen operational needs. The reserve includes 5% of annual projected Unrestricted General Fund expenditures, plus funds equivalent to any deferrals of the college's State apportionment or 15% of annual projected Unrestricted General Fund expenditures, whichever is greater. The Unrestricted General Fund reserve is \$23.8 million, or approximately 19.4% of the annual projected Unrestricted General Fund expenditures for fiscal year 2023-2024.

#### **FACTORS THAT MAY AFFECT THE FUTURE**

#### Accreditation

• The District is accredited every seven years by the Accrediting Commission of Community and Junior Colleges (ACCJC), a branch of the Western Association of Schools and Colleges. Being an accredited college is of critical importance. This status allows the District to provide Federal financial aid to students, receive Federal funding, grant degrees to students with the certification of an accredited institution, and articulate courses with other colleges and universities. In June 2023, the ACCJC reaffirmed the District's accreditation status with the Midterm Report due October 15, 2025.

#### **State Economy**

- The economic position of the District is closely tied to that of the State of California. The District receives over half of its unrestricted general fund revenue through State apportionments, with the remainder of revenues coming primarily from local property taxes, and student enrollment fees. These three sources comprise the District's general apportionment, the main funding support for California community colleges. The 2022-2023 enacted budget will extend the hold harmless (minimum revenue) provision by one year, through 2024-2025, which will guarantee districts the 2017-2018 total computation revenue, adjusted by COLA each year, in years without base reductions.
- In July 2023, the Governor signed the 2023-24 Budget Act, which projects a \$31.5 billion deficit for the upcoming fiscal year. The major driver of the deficit consists of the impact of shortfalls resulting from a downturn in the stock market, particularly in the technology sector. The total 2023-24 budget reflects state expenditures of approximately \$310 billion, a less than one percent increase over the 2022-23 enacted budget.
- State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS). The District and the employee each pay a percentage of the employee's salary into one of these systems. The State of California has contributed to these systems as well. The rates that are paid are set by the CalPERS Board for CalPERS and by the State legislature for CalSTRS. Over the years, the employee rates for both systems have not changed, but the CalPERS Board has decreased or increased the employer contribution rate as deemed necessary. At this time, both systems are underfunded in terms of their total liability. The CalPERS Board projected (subject to change) and the State legislature set (in law) rates that are projected to remain just over 19% for CalSTRS and to increase to approximately 29% for CalPERS by fiscal year 2026-2027. The 2023-2024 State Budget included unspecified ongoing funds to assist in covering increases to CalSTRS and CalPERS. These contributions are expected to mitigate the negative impact of projected rate increases.

Employer Rates	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26	2026-27	2027-28
CalSTRS	16.15%	16.92%	19.10%	19.10%	19.10%	19.10%	19.10%	19.10%
CalPERS	20.70%	22.91%	26.10%	25.37%	27.70%	27.80%	27.60%	27.60%

### **District Budget**

- In 2023-2024, the District expects to maintain its enrollment from the 2022-2023 level. As such, the District does not expect to benefit from full-time equivalent student (FTES) growth funding available within the Student Centered Funding Formula (SCFF).
- The District received approval to use the Emergency Conditions Allowance, provided by the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office. This allowed the District to base its 2022-2023 full-time equivalent student (FTES) based apportionment on 2019-2020 FTES. As part of the approval process, the District has committed to implement measures that will provide for an increase in FTES.
- The Student Centered Funding Formula (SCFF) currently includes a Hold Harmless Provision, which guarantees apportionment funding of at least the 2017-18 Total Computational Revenue (TCR), including adjustments for COLA's, through 2024-25. The hold harmless TCR in 2022-23 was well below the projected 2022-2023 TCR and therefore did not benefit SBCC
  - o The District's TCR in 2022-2023 was \$96.2 million.
  - o The District's hold harmless TCR is \$93.3 million for 2023-2024.
- There was a 6.56% COLA for 2022-2023. For 2023-2024, the COLA is 8.22%.
- In 2022-2023, the District continued to experience declining enrollment. However, the TCR for 2022-2023 included an "emergency conditions allowance" of 2019-2020 FTE. The District continues to maintain sufficient reserves, which strengthens the District's fiscal position.

#### CONTACTING THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, students, and investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need any additional financial information, contact Santa Barbara Community College District, 721 Cliff Drive, Santa Barbara, California 93109.

Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	10,931,374
Investments	*	123,432,482
Accounts receivable		14,726,944
Student receivables, net		1,312,342
Prepaid expenses		1,236,948
Inventories		1,069,169
Lease receivables		223,563
Capital assets, right-to-use leased assets, and right-to-use subscription IT assets		•
Nondepreciable capital assets		8,939,113
Depreciable capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation		125,994,767
Right-to-use leased assets, net of accumulated amortization		285,514
Right-to-use subscription IT assets, net of accumulated amortization		153,898
Total capital assets, right-to-use leased assets,		
and right-to-use subscription IT assets, net		135,373,292
Total assets		288,306,114
Deferred Outflows of Resources		
Deferred outflows of resources related to debt refunding		2,388,087
Deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB		380,078
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions		27,271,353
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Total deferred outflows of resources		30,039,518
Liabilities		
Accounts payable		37,349,744
Accrued interest payable		989,167
Unearned revenue		41,767,720
Long-term liabilities		
Long-term liabilities other than OPEB and pensions, due within one year		3,372,623
Long-term liabilities other than OPEB and pensions, due in more than one year		61,373,724
Aggregate net other postemployment benefits (OPEB) liability		6,634,173
Aggregate net pension liability		88,164,253
Total liabilities		239,651,404
Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB		3,032,218
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions		19,899,820
Deferred inflows of resources related to leases		220,559
Total deferred inflows of resources		23,152,597
Net Position		
Net investment in capital assets		79,028,667
Restricted for		, 3,020,007
Debt service		3,727,406
Capital projects		22,024,627
Educational programs		9,763,473
Other activities		4,180,173
Unrestricted deficit		(63,182,715)
Total net position	\$	55,541,631
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# Santa Barbara Community College District

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position Year Ended June 30, 2023

Operating Revenues Tuition and fees Less: Scholarship discounts and allowances	\$ 22,860,688 (4,905,945)
Net tuition and fees	17,954,743
Grants and contracts, noncapital Federal State Local Total grants and contracts, noncapital	3,361,679 58,765,768 601,821 62,729,268
Auxiliary enterprise sales and charges Bookstore Other enterprise Total operating revenues	3,681,645 581,468 84,947,124
Operating Expenses Salaries Employee benefits Supplies, materials, and other operating expenses and services Student financial aid Equipment, maintenance, and repairs Depreciation and amortization	83,853,552 22,729,956 52,628,542 20,734,298 6,733,927 5,852,596
Total operating expenses	192,532,871
Operating Loss  Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses) State apportionments, noncapital Local property taxes, levied for general purposes Taxes levied for other specific purposes Federal and State financial aid grants State taxes and other revenues Investment income Interest expense on capital related debt Investment income on capital asset-related debt, net Other nonoperating revenue	46,996,421 41,226,026 4,995,836 16,922,506 4,939,276 669,493 (2,006,801) 47,759 5,790,596
Total nonoperating revenues (expenses)	119,581,112
Income Before Other Revenues	11,995,365
Other Revenues State revenues, capital	4,233,234
Change In Net Position	16,228,599
Net Position, Beginning of Year, as Restated	39,313,032
Net Position, End of Year	\$ 55,541,631

Cash Flows from Operating Activities Tuition and fees Federal, state, and local grants and contracts, noncapital Auxiliary sales Payments to or on behalf of employees Payments to vendors for supplies and services Payments to students for scholarships and grants  Net cash flows from operating activities	\$ 17,632,793 68,483,672 4,263,113 (111,777,571) (50,573,012) (20,734,298) (92,705,303)
Net cash hows from operating activities	(92,703,303)
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities State apportionments Federal and state financial aid grants Property taxes - nondebt related State taxes and other apportionments Other nonoperating	53,131,454 16,922,506 41,226,026 4,691,199 2,370,153
Net cash flows from noncapital financing activities	118,341,338
Cash Flows from Capital Financing Activities Purchase of capital assets State revenue, capital Property taxes - related to capital debt Principal paid on capital debt Interest paid on capital debt Interest received on capital asset-related debt	(672,365) 4,233,234 4,995,836 (2,608,633) (2,430,483) 47,759
Net cash flows from capital financing activities	3,565,348
Cash Flows from Investing Activities Change in fair market value of cash in county treasury Interest received from investments	(4,246,385) 4,348,728
Net cash flows from investing activities	102,343
Change In Cash and Cash Equivalents	29,303,726
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Year	105,060,130
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Year	\$ 134,363,856

Reconciliation of Net Operating Loss to Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities		
Operating Loss	\$	(107,585,747)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash flows from		
operating activities		
Depreciation and amortization expense		5,852,596
Changes in assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities,		
and deferred inflows of resources		
Receivables, net		7,591,269
Inventories		73,210
Prepaid expenses and other assets		2,777,555
Lease receivables		150,837
Deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB		46,943
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions		(8,347,818)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		10,656,653
Unearned revenue		(2,162,613)
Compensated absences		141,864
Load banking		99,957
Supplemental early retirement plan		(619,838)
Aggregate net OPEB liability		304,643
Aggregate net pension liability		26,803,140
Deferred inflows of resources related to leases		(147,039)
Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB		(286,533)
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions		(28,054,382)
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Total adjustments		14,880,444
Net cash flows from operating activities	\$	(92,705,303)
Cash and Cash Equivalents Consist of the Following:		
Cash on hand and in banks	\$	10,931,374
Cash with local agency investment fund	*	28,431
Cash in county treasury		123,404,051
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Total cash and cash equivalents	<u> </u>	134,363,856
Noncash Transactions		
Amortization of deferred outflows of resources related to debt refunding	\$	223,860
Amortization of debt premiums	\$	612,876

#### Note 1 - Organization

Santa Barbara Community College District (the District) was established in 1964 as a political subdivision of the State of California and is a comprehensive, public, two-year institution offering educational services to residents of the surrounding area. The District operates under a locally elected seven-member Board of Trustees form of government, which establishes the policies and procedures by which the District operates. The Board must approve the annual budgets for the General Fund, special revenue funds, and capital project funds, but these budgets are managed at the department level. Currently, the District operates one college and two campuses/centers located within Santa Barbara County. While the District is a political subdivision of the State of California, it is legally separate and is independent of other State and local governments, and it is not a component unit of the State in accordance with the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 61. The District is classified as a Public Educational Institution under Internal Revenue Code Section 115 and is, therefore, exempt from Federal taxes.

#### **Financial Reporting Entity**

The District has adopted accounting policies to determine whether certain organizations, for which the District is not financially accountable, should be reported as component units based on the nature and significance of their relationship with the District as defined by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and established by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The District identified no component units that met the criteria listed below.

The District has analyzed the financial and accountability relationship with the Foundation for Santa Barbara City College (the Foundation) in conjunction with the GASB Statement No. 61 criteria and it has been excluded from the District's reporting entity. The Foundation is a separate, not for profit organization, and the District does provide and receive direct benefits to and from the Foundation. The Board of Directors are elected by their own Board and independent of any District Board of Trustees appointments. The Board is responsible for approving its own budget, accounting, and finance related activities. Information on the Foundation may be requested through the Foundation for the Santa Barbara City College office.

#### Note 2 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Basis of Accounting**

For financial reporting purposes, the District is considered a special-purpose government engaged only in business-type activities as defined by GASB. This presentation provides a comprehensive government-wide perspective of the District's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, activities, and cash flows and replaces the fund group perspective previously required. The District's financial statements have been presented using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. The significant accounting policies followed by the District in preparing these financial statements are in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as promulgated by GASB. Additionally, the District's policies comply with the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

Budget and Accounting Manual. Under the accrual basis, revenues are recognized when earned, and expenses are recorded when an obligation has been incurred. All material intra-agency and intra-fund transactions have been eliminated.

Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include State apportionments, property taxes, Federal and State financial aid grants, entitlements, and donations. Property tax revenue is recognized in the fiscal year received. State apportionment revenue is earned based upon criteria set forth from the Community Colleges Chancellor's Office and includes reporting of full-time equivalent students (FTES) attendance. The corresponding apportionment revenue is recognized in the period the FTES are generated. Revenue from Federal and State grants and entitlements is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements may include time and/or purpose requirements.

Expenses are recorded on the accrual basis as they are incurred, when goods are received, or services are rendered.

#### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

The District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition. Cash equivalents also include cash with county treasury balances and local agency investment fund balances for purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows.

#### **Investments**

Investments are stated at fair value. Fair value is estimated based on quoted market prices at year-end. All investments not required to be reported at fair value, including money market investments and participating interest-earning investment contracts with original maturities greater than one year, are stated at cost or amortized cost.

The District's investments in the County treasury is measured at fair value on a recurring basis, which is determined by the fair value per share of the underlying portfolio determined by the program sponsor. Positions in this investment pool is not required to be categorized within the fair value hierarchy.

#### **Accounts Receivable**

Accounts receivable include amounts due from the Federal, State and/or local governments, or private sources, in connection with reimbursement of allowable expenditures made pursuant to the District's grants and contracts. Accounts receivable also consist of tuition and fee charges to students and auxiliary enterprise services provided to students, faculty, and staff. The District provides for an allowance for uncollectible accounts as an estimation of amounts that may not be received. This allowance is based upon management's estimates and analysis. The allowance was estimated at \$1,586,545 for the year ended June 30, 2023.

#### **Prepaid Expenses**

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in the financial statements. The cost of prepaid items is recorded as an expense when consumed rather than when purchased.

#### **Inventories**

Inventories consist primarily of Campus Store merchandise and cafeteria food and supplies held for resale to the students and faculty of the colleges. Inventories are stated at cost, utilizing the lower of cost or market or first-in, first-out (FIFO) method. The cost is recorded as an expense as the inventory is consumed rather than when purchased.

#### **Capital Assets and Depreciation**

Capital assets are long-lived assets of the District as a whole and include land, construction in progress, buildings, building and land improvements, and equipment. The District maintains an initial unit cost capitalization threshold of \$5,000 and an estimated useful life greater than one year. Assets are recorded at historical cost, or estimated historical cost, when purchased or constructed. The District does not possess any infrastructure. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value at the date of donation. Improvements to buildings and land that significantly increase the value or extend the useful life of the asset are capitalized; the costs of routine maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are charged as an operating expense in the year in which the expense was incurred. Major outlays for capital improvements are capitalized as construction in progress as the projects are constructed.

Depreciation of capital assets is computed and recorded utilizing the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives of the various classes of depreciable capital assets are as follows: buildings and improvements, 50 years; portable buildings and building equipment, 15 years; land improvements, 10 years; equipment and vehicles, 8 years; technology equipment, 3 years.

The District records impairments of capital assets when it becomes probable that the carrying value of the assets will not be fully recovered over their estimated useful life. Impairments are recorded to reduce the carrying value of the assets to their net realizable value based on facts and circumstances in existence at the time of the determination. No impairments were recorded during the year ended June 30, 2023.

#### **Right-to-use Lease Assets and Amortization**

The District records the value of intangible right-to-use assets based on the underlying leased asset in accordance with GASB Statement No. 87, *Leases*. The right-to-use intangible asset is amortized each year for the term of the contract or useful life of the underlying asset.

#### **Right-to-use Subscription IT Assets and Amortization**

The District records the value of right-to-use subscription IT assets based on the underlying subscription asset in accordance with GASB Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements (SBITA). The right-to-use subscription IT asset is amortized each year for the term of the contract or useful life of the underlying asset.

#### **Compensated Absences and Load Banking**

Accumulated unpaid employee vacation benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned. The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements. The current portion of unpaid compensated absences is recognized upon the occurrence of relevant events such as employee resignation and retirements that occur prior to year-end that have not yet been paid within the fund from which the employees who have accumulated the leave are paid. The District also participates in "load banking" with eligible academic employees whereby the employee may teach extra courses in one period in exchange for time off in another period. The liability for this benefit is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

Sick leave is accumulated without limit for each employee based upon negotiated contracts. Leave with pay is provided when employees are absent for health reasons; however, the employees do not gain a vested right to accumulated sick leave. Employees are never paid for any sick leave balance at termination of employment or any other time. Therefore, the value of accumulated sick leave is not recognized as a liability in the District's financial statements. However, retirement credit for unused sick leave is applicable to all classified members who retire after January 1, 1999. At retirement, each member will receive 0.004 year of service credit for each day of unused sick leave. Retirement credit for unused sick leave is applicable to all academic employees and is determined by dividing the number of unused sick days by the number of base service days required to complete the last school year, if employed full time.

#### **Debt Premiums**

Debt premiums are amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method, which approximates the effective interest method. All other bond issuance costs are expensed when incurred.

#### **Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources**

In addition to assets, the Statement of Net Position also reports deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an expense until then. The District reports deferred outflows of resources related to debt refunding, for OPEB related items, and for pension related items. The deferred outflows of resources related to debt refunding resulted from the difference between the carrying value of the refunded debt and its reacquisition price. The amount is deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt. The deferred amounts related to OPEB and pension related items are associated with differences between expected and actual earnings on plan investments, changes of assumptions, and other OPEB and pension related changes.

In addition to liabilities, the Statement of Net Position reports a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as revenue until then. The District reports deferred inflows of resources for leases, OPEB, and pension related items.

#### Leases

The District recognizes a lease liability and an intangible right-to-use leased asset in the government-wide financial statements. The District measures the lease liability at the present value of payments expected to be made during the lease term. Subsequently, the lease liability is reduced by the principal portion of lease payments made. The right-to-use leased asset is initially measured as the initial amount of the lease liability, plus certain initial direct costs. Subsequently, the right-to-use leased asset is amortized on a straight-line basis over the shorter of the lease term or the useful life of the underlying asset.

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

#### **Subscription-based IT Arrangements**

The District recognizes a subscription-based IT arrangement liability and an intangible right-to-use subscription IT asset (subscription IT asset) in the government-wide financial statements. The District measures the subscription-based IT arrangement liability at the present value of payments expected to be made during the subscription term. Subsequently, the subscription-based IT arrangement liability is reduced by the principal portion of subscription payments made. The right-to-use subscription IT asset is initially measured as the initial amount of the subscription-based IT arrangement liability, plus certain initial direct costs. Subsequently, the right-to-use subscription IT asset is amortized on a straight-line basis over the subscription term or useful life of the underlying asset.

#### **Pensions**

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows/inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the California State Teachers Retirement System (CalSTRS) and the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) plan for schools (Plans) and additions to/deductions from the Plans' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by CalSTRS and CalPERS. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Member contributions are recognized in the period in which they are earned. Investments are reported at fair value. The aggregate net pension liability attributable to the governmental activities will be paid by the fund in which the employee worked.

#### **Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions (OPEB)**

For purposes of measuring the net OPEB liability, deferred outflows/inflows of resources related to OPEB, and OPEB expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the District Plan and the CalSTRS Medicare Premium Payment (MPP) Program and additions to/deductions from fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the District Plan and the MPP. For this purpose, the District Plan and the MPP recognize benefit payments when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value, except for money market investments and participating interest-earning investment contracts that have a maturity at the time of purchase of one year or less, which are reported at cost. The total OPEB liability will be paid primarily by the General Fund.

#### **Unearned Revenue**

Unearned revenues arise when resources are received by the District before it has a legal claim to them, such as when certain grants are received prior to the occurrence of qualifying expenditures. In the subsequent periods, when the District has a legal claim to the resources, the liability for unearned revenue is removed from the balance sheet and the revenue is recognized. Unearned revenue is primarily composed of (1) amounts received for tuition and fees prior to the end of the fiscal year that are related to the subsequent fiscal year and (2) amounts received from Federal and State grants received before the eligibility requirements are met.

#### **Noncurrent Liabilities**

Noncurrent liabilities include bonds and loans payable, leases, subscription-based IT arrangements, compensated absences, load banking, supplemental employee retirement plan (SERP), aggregate net other postemployment benefits (OPEB) liability, and the aggregate net pension liability with maturities greater than one year.

#### **Net Position**

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources, and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net position related to net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on its use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. The District first applies restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position is available. The government-wide financial statements report \$36,815,246 of restricted net position.

#### **Operating and Nonoperating Revenues and Expenses**

**Classification of Revenues** - The District has classified its revenues as either operating or nonoperating. Certain significant revenue streams relied upon for operation are classified as nonoperating as defined by GASB. Classifications are as follows:

- Operating revenues Operating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of exchange transactions such as tuition and fees, net of scholarship discounts and allowances, Federal, State, and local grants and contracts, and sales and services of auxiliary enterprises.
- **Nonoperating revenues** Nonoperating revenues include activities that have the characteristics of nonexchange transactions such as State apportionments, property taxes, investment income, and other revenue sources defined by GASB.

**Classification of Expenses** - Nearly all the District's expenses are from exchange transactions and are classified as either operating or nonoperating according to the following criteria:

- **Operating expenses** Operating expenses are necessary costs to provide the services of the District and include employee salaries and benefits, supplies, operating expenses, and student financial aid.
- **Nonoperating expenses** Nonoperating expenses include interest expense and other expenses not directly related to the services of the District.

#### **State Apportionments**

Certain current year apportionments from the State are based on financial and statistical information of the previous year. Any corrections due to the recalculation of the apportionment are usually made in February of the subsequent year and are recorded in the District's financial records when received. When known and measurable, these recalculations and corrections are accrued in the year in which the FTES are generated.

#### **Property Taxes**

Secured property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. The County Assessor is responsible for assessment of all taxable real property. Taxes are payable in two installments on November 1 and February 1 and become delinquent on December 10 and April 10, respectively. Unsecured property taxes are payable in one installment on or before August 31. The County of Santa Barbara bills and collects the taxes on behalf of the District. Local property tax revenues are recorded when received.

The voters of the District passed a General Obligation Bond in 2008 for the acquisition, construction, and remodeling of certain District property. As a result of the passage of the Bond, property taxes are assessed on the property within the District specifically for the repayment of the debt incurred. The taxes are assessed, billed, and collected as noted above and remitted to the District when collected.

#### **Scholarship Discounts and Allowances**

Tuition and fee revenue is reported net of scholarships, discounts, and allowances. Fee waivers approved by the California Community College Board of Governors are included within the scholarship discounts, and allowances in the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position. Scholarship discounts and allowances represent the difference between stated charges for enrollment fees and the amount that is paid by students or third parties making payments on the students' behalf.

#### **Federal Financial Assistance Programs**

The District participates in federally funded Pell Grants, Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (SEOG), and Federal Work-Study programs, as well as other programs funded by the Federal government and State of California. Financial aid provided to students in the form of cash is reported as operating expenses in the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position. Federal financial assistance programs are audited in accordance with Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards.

#### **Estimates**

The preparation of the 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 amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates, and those differences could be material.

#### **Interfund Activity**

Interfund receivable and payable balances arise from interfund transactions and are recorded by all funds affected in the period in which transactions are executed. Interfund activity within the primary government has been eliminated in the consolidation process of the basic financial statements.

Operating transfers between funds of the District are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them, (2) move receipts restricted to debt service from the funds collecting the receipts to the debt service fund as debt service payments become due, and (3) use restricted revenues collected in the General Fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations. Operating transfers within the primary government has been eliminated in the consolidation process of the basic financial statements.

#### **Change in Accounting Principles**

#### Implementation of GASB Statement No. 91

As of July 1, 2022, the District adopted GASB Statement No. 91, Conduit Debt Obligations. The objective of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by enhancing the comparability and consistency of conduit debt obligation reporting and reporting of related transactions and other events by state and local government issuers. The implementation of this standard eliminates the option for issuers of conduit debt to recognize a liability for this debt on their financial statements. In addition, it requires issuers to recognize liabilities associated with additional commitments extended by issuers and to recognize assets and deferred inflows of resources related to certain arrangements associated with conduit debt obligations. There was not a significant effect on the District's financial statements as a result of the implementation of the standard.

#### Implementation of GASB Statement No. 94

As of July 1, 2022, the District adopted GASB Statement No. 94, *Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships* (*PPP*) and Availability Payment Arrangements (APA). The implementation of this standard establishes standards of accounting and financial reporting for PPPs and APAs. The standard requires recognition of an asset, receivable, and deferred inflow of resources. {to be modified depending on the structure of the arrangement}. There was not a significant effect on the District's financial statements as a result of the implementation of the standard.

#### Implementation of GASB Statement No. 96

As of July 1, 2022, the District adopted GASB Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements (SBITAs). The implementation of this standard establishes that a SBITA results in a right-to-use subscription IT asset - an intangible asset - and a corresponding liability. The standard provides the capitalization criteria for outlays other than subscription payments, including implementation costs of a SBITA. The Statement requires recognition of certain SBITA assets and liabilities for SBITAs that previously were recognized as outflows of resources based on the payment provisions of the contract. The effect of the implementation of this standard on beginning net position is disclosed in Note 12 and the additional disclosures required by this standard are included in Notes 6 and 7.

#### Note 3 - Deposits and Investments

#### **Policies and Practices**

The District is authorized under California *Government Code* to make direct investments in local agency bonds, notes, or warrants within the State; U.S. Treasury instruments; registered State warrants or treasury notes; securities of the U.S. Government, or its agencies; bankers acceptances; commercial paper; certificates of deposit placed with commercial banks and/or savings and loan companies; repurchase or reverse repurchase agreements; medium term corporate notes; shares of beneficial interest issued by diversified management companies, certificates of participation, obligations with first priority security; and collateralized mortgage obligations.

Investment in County Treasury – In accordance with the *Budget and Accounting Manual*, the District maintains substantially all of its cash in the County Treasury as part of the common investment pool. The District is considered to be the involuntary participant in an external investment pool. The fair value of the District's investment in the pool is reported in the accompanying financial statements at amounts based upon the District's pro-rata share of the fair value provided by the County Treasurer for the entire portfolio (in relation to the amortized cost of that portfolio). The balance available for withdrawal is based on the accounting records maintained by the County Treasurer, which is recorded on the amortized cost basis.

Investment in the State Investment Pool - The District is a voluntary participant in the Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF) that is regulated by California *Government Code* Section 16429 under the oversight of the Treasurer of the State of California. The fair value of the District's investment in LAIF is reported in the accompanying financial statements at amounts based upon the District's pro-rata share of the fair value provided by LAIF for the entire LAIF portfolio (in relation to the amortized cost of that portfolio). The balance available for withdrawal is based on the accounting records maintained by LAIF, which is recorded on the amortized cost basis.

#### **General Authorizations**

Limitations as they relate to interest rate risk, credit risk, and concentration of credit risk are indicated in the schedules below:

Authorized Investment Type	Maximum Remaining Maturity	Maximum Percentage of Portfolio	Maximum Investment in One Issuer
Local Agency Bonds, Notes, Warrants Registered State Bonds, Notes, Warrants U.S. Treasury Obligations U.S. Agency Securities Banker's Acceptance Commercial Paper Negotiable Certificates of Deposit Repurchase Agreements Reverse Repurchase Agreements Medium-Term Corporate Notes Mutual Funds Money Market Mutual Funds Mortgage Pass-Through Securities County Pooled Investment Funds Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF)	5 years 5 years 5 years 5 years 180 days 270 days 5 years 1 year 92 days 5 years N/A N/A N/A N/A N/A	None None None None 40% 25% 30% None 20% of base 30% 20% 20% None None	None None None None 30% 10% None None None 10% 10% 10% None
Joint Powers Authority Pools	N/A	None	None

#### **Authorized Under Debt Agreements**

Investments of debt proceeds held by bond trustees are governed by provisions of the debt agreements rather than the general provisions of the California *Government Code*. These provisions allow for the acquisition of investment agreements with maturities of up to 30 years.

# **Summary of Deposits and Investments**

Deposits and investments as of June 30, 2023, consist of the following:

	Primary Government
Cash on hand and in banks Cash in revolving Investments	\$ 10,917,617 13,757 123,432,482
Total deposits and investments	\$ 134,363,856

#### Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment, the greater the sensitivity of its fair value to changes in market interest rates. The District does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates. The District manages its exposure to interest rate risk by investing in the Santa Barbara County Investment Pool and the state investment pool LAIF.

Information about the sensitivity of the fair values of the District's investments to interest rate risk is provided by the following schedule that shows the distribution of the District's investments by maturity:

		Weighted Average
	Fair	Maturity
Investment Type	Value	in Days
Santa Barbara County investment pool State investment pool (LAIF)	\$ 123,404,051 28,431	643 260
Total	\$ 123,432,482	

#### **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligation to the holder of the investment. This is measured by the assignment of a rating by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization. The District's investments in the Santa Barbara County Investment Pool and LAIF are not required to be rated, nor have they been rated as of June 30, 2023.

#### **Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits**

This is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. The District does not have a policy for custodial credit risk for deposits. However, the California *Government Code* requires that a financial institution secure deposits made by State or local governmental units by pledging securities in an undivided collateral pool held by a depository regulated under State law (unless so waived by the governmental unit). The market value of the pledged securities in the collateral pool must equal at least 110% of the total amount deposited by the public agency. California law also allows financial institutions to secure public deposits by pledging first trust deed mortgage notes having a value of 150% of the secured public deposits and letters of credit issued by the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco having a value of 105% of the secured deposits. As of June 30,2023, the District's bank balance of approximately \$10.1 million was exposed to custodial credit risk because it was uninsured and collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent, but not in the name of the District.

#### Note 4 - Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable as of June 30, 2023 consisted of the following:

Federal Government	
Categorical aid \$ 1,46	52,181
State Government	
Apportionment 76	56,830
Categorical aid 1,75	59,230
Lottery 84	46,656
Other state sources	1,314
Local Sources	
	73,928
	08,509
Other local sources 7,00	08,296
Total \$ 14.72	26 044
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Student receivables \$ 2,89	98,887
· · · · ·	36,545)
Student receivables, net \$ 1,33	12,342

#### Note 5 - Lease Receivables

The District has entered into a lease agreements with Kaplan, Inc. The lease receivable is summarized below:

	Е	Balance,					E	Balance,
Lease Receivables	Jul	ly 1, 2022	Addit	tions	D	eductions	Jun	e 30, 2023
Kaplan, Inc. Facilities Lease	\$	374,400	\$		\$	(150,837)	\$	223,563

#### Kaplan, Inc. Facilities Lease

The District leases portable classroom facilities for English-language educational programs. The lease is for a period of 5 years, ending June 1, 2025. The agreements calls for weekly payments to the District of \$50 per week, per enrolled student with minimum monthly payments of \$13,000. During the fiscal year, the District recognized \$150,837 in lease revenue and \$5,163 in interest revenue related to these agreements. At June 30, 2023, the District recorded \$223,563 in lease receivables and \$220,559 for deferred inflows of resources related to this arrangement. The District used an interest rate of 1.69%, based on the 5-year Treasury Bond rate as of the date the lease went into effect.

# Note 6 - Capital Assets, Right-to-use Leased Assets, and Right-to-use Subscription IT Assets

Capital asset, right-to-use leased asset, and right-to-use subscription IT asset activity for the District for the year ended June 30, 2023, was as follows:

	Balance, July 1, 2022,			Balance,	
	as restated Additions		Deductions	June 30, 2023	
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated					
Land	\$ 5,336,616	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,336,616	
Construction in progress	3,490,342	112,155		3,602,497	
Total capital assets not being depreciated	8,826,958	112,155		8,939,113	
Capital Assets Being Depreciated					
Land improvements	657,403	-	-	657,403	
Buildings and improvements Furniture and equipment	215,150,853 17,565,789	950,226	-	215,150,853 18,516,015	
Total capital assets	17,303,783	930,220		18,310,013	
being depreciated	233,374,045	950,226		234,324,271	
Total capital assets	242,201,003	1,062,381		243,263,384	
Less Accumulated Depreciation					
Land improvements	(657,403)	<del>-</del>	-	(657,403)	
Buildings and improvements	(86,806,316)	(4,733,900)	-	(91,540,216)	
Furniture and equipment	(15,359,327)	(772,558)		(16,131,885)	
Total accumulated depreciation	(102,823,046)	(5,506,458)		(108,329,504)	
•					
Net capital assets	139,377,957	(4,444,077)		134,933,880	
Right-to-use Leased Assets Equipment and vehicles	1,035,205		(136,967)	898,238	
Less Accumulated Amortization					
Equipment and vehicles	(562,636)	(187,055)	136,967	(612,724)	
Net right-to-use leased assets	472,569	(187,055)		285,514	
Right-to-use Subscription IT Assets					
Right-to-use subscription IT assets	747,284	-	-	747,284	
Accumulated amortization	(434,303)	(159,083)		(593,386)	
Net right-to-use subscription IT assets	312,981	(159,083)	-	153,898	
Total capital assets, right-to-use	•	, , ,		· · · ·	
leased assets, and right-to-use					
subscription IT assets, net	\$ 140,163,507	\$ (4,790,215)	\$ -	\$ 135,373,292	

# Note 7 - Long-Term Liabilities other than OPEB and Pensions

#### Summary

The changes in the District's long-term liabilities other than OPEB and pensions during the year ended June 30, 2023 consisted of the following:

	Balance, July 1, 2022 as restated		additions		Ju	Balance, ine 30, 2023		Due in One Year
Conoral obligation bands	¢ 52 425 000	۲.		¢ (2.090.000)	۲	F1 2FF 000	۲.	2 200 000
General obligation bonds Bond premium	\$ 53,435,000 7,533,469	\$	-	\$ (2,080,000) (612,876)	\$	51,355,000 6,920,593	\$	2,260,000
Leases	480,520		-	(190,299)		290,221		142,042
Subscription-based IT				, , ,				
arrangements	325,981		-	(159,083)		166,898		166,898
Loans payable	363,097		-	(179,251)		183,846		183,846
Compensated absences	2,727,874		141,864	-		2,869,738		-
Load banking	1,449,551		99,957	-		1,549,508		-
Supplemental employee								
retirement plan	2,030,381			(619,838)		1,410,543		619,837
Total	\$ 68,345,873	\$	241,821	\$ (3,841,347)	\$	64,746,347	\$	3,372,623

# **Description of Long-Term Liabilities**

Payments on the general obligation bonds are made by the bond interest and redemption fund with local property tax revenues. The loans payable will be paid by the Construction Fund. Payments for the leases will be made by the fund for which the equipment and vehicles was intended for. The compensated absences, load banking, and supplemental employee retirement plan will be paid by the fund for which the employee worked. The subscription-based IT arrangements will be paid by the fund for that utilizes the corresponding asset.

# **General Obligation Bonds**

General obligation bonds were approved by a local election in June 2008. The total amount approved by the voters was \$77,242,012. At June 30, 2023, \$77,240,000 had been issued, and \$51,355,000 was outstanding. Interest rates on the bonds are 1.25% to 5.00%.

# 2008 General Obligation Bonds, Series B

During April 2013, the District issued the 2008 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2008B in the amount of \$15,000,000. The bonds mature beginning on August 1, 2014 through August 1, 2038, with interest rates ranging from 1.25% to 5.00%. At June 30, 2023, the principal outstanding was \$9,575,000 and unamortized premium cost of \$766,363. Premium costs are amortized over the life of the bonds as a component of interest expense on the bonds.

The bonds are being used for the purposes of financing the costs of renovating, acquiring, construction, repairing, and equipping District buildings and to pay all legal, financial, and contingent costs in connection with the issuance of the bonds. The bonds are general obligations of the District payable solely from the proceeds of ad valorem property taxes. Interest with respect of the bonds accrues from the date of their delivery and is payable semiannually on February 1 and August 1 of each year, commencing February 1, 2014.

# 2008 General Obligation Bonds, Series C

During January 2016, the District issued the 2008 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2008C in the amount of \$15,240,000. The bonds mature beginning on August 1, 2017 through August 1, 2040, with interest rates ranging from 3.15% to 5.00%. At June 30, 2023, the principal outstanding was \$11,165,000 and unamortized premium cost of \$1,187,800. Premium costs are amortized over the life of the bonds as a component of interest expense on the bonds.

The bonds are being used for the purposes of financing the costs of renovating, acquiring, construction, repairing, and equipping District buildings and to pay all legal, financial, and contingent costs in connection with the issuance of the bonds. The bonds are general obligations of the District payable solely from the proceeds of ad valorem property taxes. Interest with respect of the bonds accrues from the date of their delivery and is payable semiannually on February 1 and August 1 of each year, commencing August 1, 2016.

### **2016 General Obligation Refunding Bonds**

During January 2016, the District issued the 2016 General Obligation Refunding Bonds in the amount of \$36,275,000. The bonds have a final maturity to occur on August 1, 2033, with interest rates from 3.00% to 5.00%. The net proceeds of \$44,935,468 (representing the principal amount of \$36,275,000 plus premium on issuance of \$8,660,468) from the issuance were used to advance refund a portion of the District's outstanding 2008 General Obligation Bonds, Series 2008A and pay the costs associated with the issuance of the refunding bonds. At June 30, 2023, the principal balance outstanding was \$30,615,000. Unamortized premium received on issuance of the bonds amounted to \$4,966,430 as of June 30, 2023. The issuance resulted in the recognition of deferred charges on refunding of \$4,112,037, with a remaining unamortized balance of \$2,388,087 as of June 30, 2023.

#### **Debt Maturity**

# **General Obligation Bonds**

Issue Date	Maturity Date	Interest Rate	Original Issue	Bonds Outstanding Beginning of Year	Issued	Redeemed	Bonds Outstanding End of Year
4/18/2013 1/12/2016 1/12/2016	8/1/2038 8/1/2040 8/1/2033	1.25%-5.00% 3.15%-5.00% 3.00%-5.00%	\$ 15,000,000 15,240,000 36,275,000	\$ 10,005,000 11,165,000 32,265,000	\$	- \$ (430,000 - - (1,650,000	- 11,165,000
				\$ 53,435,000	\$	- \$ (2,080,000	) \$ 51,355,000

**Debt Service Requirement to Maturity** 

The bonds mature through 2041 as follows:

Fiscal Year	Principal	Current Interest to Maturity	Total		
2024	\$ 2,260,000	\$ 2,319,725	\$ 4,579,725		
2025	2,475,000	2,205,900	4,680,900		
2026	2,740,000	2,080,250	4,820,250		
2027	2,970,000	1,942,400	4,912,400		
2028	3,190,000	1,796,100	4,986,100		
2029-2033	18,615,000	6,473,500	25,088,500		
2034-2038	12,500,000	2,645,225	15,145,225		
2039-2041	6,605,000	388,300	6,993,300		
Total	\$ 51,355,000	\$ 19,851,400	\$ 71,206,400		

# Leases

The District has entered into agreements to lease various equipment and vehicles. The District's liability for lease agreements is summarized below:

Leases	Balance, July 1, 2022		Additions		Deductions		Balance, June 30, 2023	
Equipment and vehicles	\$	480,520	\$	-	\$	(190,299)	\$	290,221

The District entered into various agreements to lease equipment and vehicles, through the 2026-2027 fiscal year. Under the terms of the leases, the District makes monthly payments, which amounted to total principal and interest costs of \$196,468 for the year ending June 30, 2023. At June 30, 2023, the District recognized right-to-use leased assets of \$898,238 and lease liabilities of \$290,221 related to these agreements. During the fiscal year, the District recorded \$190,299 for principal expense and \$6,169 in interest expense. The District used discount rates between 0.36% - 4.61% bases on the 5-year Treasury rate for financing over a similar time period.

The District's liability on lease agreements is summarized below:

Fiscal Year	Princip	al	Interest		Total
2024	\$ 142	2,042 \$	2,633	\$	144,675
2025	80	),176	1,222		81,398
2026	54	1,708	534		55,242
2027	13	3,295	63		13,358
Total	\$ 290	),221 \$	4,452	\$	294,673

# **Loans Payable**

On June 21, 2007, the District signed a Promissory Note and Loan Agreement for \$1,950,000 with the State of California, Energy Resources Conservation and Development Commission (the Commission), in order to finance energy efficiency projects. The principal and interest at 3.95% per annum on the unpaid principal is due and payable in semiannual installments beginning on December 22, 2012. Loan funds are disbursed to the District on a reimbursement basis based on invoices submitted by the District which totaled \$1,950,000. At June 30, 2023, the outstanding principal balance on the loan payable was \$183,846.

At June 30, 2023, future minimum payments were as follows:

	Current						
	Interest to						
Fiscal Year	P	rincipal	M	aturity		Total	
2024	<u> </u>	183,846	\$	5,454	\$	189,300	

# **Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan (SERP)**

The District entered into several agreements with Keenan & Associates and Public Agency Retirement Services (PARS) to provide early retirement incentives for qualifying employees. Each incentive is payable by the District over a five-year period. As of June 30, 2023, the outstanding balance was \$1,410,543.

Year Ending June 30,	
2024 2025 2026	\$ 619,837 619,838 170,868
Total	\$ 1,410,543

# **Subscriptions-Based IT Arrangements (SBITAs)**

The District entered into a SBITA for the use of various software packages. At June 30, 2023, the District has recognized a right-to-use subscriptions IT asset of \$747,284 and a SBITA liability of \$166,898 related to this agreement. During the fiscal year, the District recorded \$159,083 in amortization expense. The District is required to make total principal and interest payments of \$168,807 through June 2024. The subscriptions have an interest rate of 3.0%.

The remaining principal and interest payment requirements for the SBITA obligation debt as of June 30, 2023, are as follows:

Fiscal Year	Pr	rincipal	Int	erest	 Total
2024	\$	166,898	\$	1,909	\$ 168,807

# Note 8 - Aggregate Net Other Postemployment Benefit (OPEB) Liability

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District reported an aggregate net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources, and OPEB expense for the following plans:

OPEB Plan	Aggregate Net OPEB Liability		Deferred Outflows of Resources		Deferred Inflows of Resources		OPEB Expense	
District Plan	\$	6,342,266	\$	380,078	\$	3,032,218	\$	156,476
Medicare Premium Payment (MPP) Program		291,907						(91,423)
Total	\$	6,634,173	\$	380,078	\$	3,032,218	\$	65,053

The details of each plan are as follows:

#### **District Plan**

#### **Plan Administration**

The District's governing board administers the Postemployment Benefits Plan (the Plan). The Plan is a single-employer defined benefit plan that is used to provide postemployment benefits other than pensions (OPEB) for eligible retirees and their spouses. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75.

Management of the Plan is vested in the District management.

# **Plan Membership**

At June 30, 2022, the valuation date, the Plan membership consisted of the following:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits payments	18
Active employees	405
Total	423

#### **Benefits Provided**

The Plan provides medical and dental insurance benefits to eligible retirees and their spouses. Benefits are provided through a third-party insurer, and the full cost of benefits is covered by the Plan. The District's governing board has the authority to establish and amend the benefit terms as contained within the negotiated labor agreements.

#### **Contributions**

The benefit payment requirements of the Plan members and the District are established and may be amended by the District and the District's bargaining units. The benefit payment is based on projected pay-as-you-go financing requirements as determined annually through the agreements with the District. For the measurement period of June 30, 2023, the District paid \$148,211 in benefits.

#### **Total OPEB Liability of the District**

The District's total OPEB liability of \$6,342,266 was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the total OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as June 30, 2022.

# **Actuarial Assumptions**

The total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2023 was determined by applying updated procedures to the financial reporting actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2022 and rolling forward the total OPEB liability to June 30, 2023. The following assumptions were applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	2.50 percent
Salary increases	2.75 percent
Discount rate	3.65 percent
Healthcare cost trend rates	4.00 percent

The discount rate was based on the Bond Buyer 20-Bond General Obligation Index.

Mortality rates were based on the 2020 CalSTRS Mortality Table for certificated employees and the 2017 CalPERS Active Mortality for Miscellaneous Employees Table for classified employees. Mortality rates vary by age and sex. (Unisex mortality rates are not often used as individual OPEB benefits do not depend on the mortality table used.) If employees die prior to retirement, past contributions are available to fund benefits for employees who live to retirement. After retirement, death results in benefit termination or reduction. Although higher mortality rates reduce service costs, the mortality assumption is not likely to vary from employer to employer.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actual experience study as of June 2022.

#### **Changes in the Total OPEB Liability**

	T	otal OPEB Liability
Balance, June 30, 2022	\$	5,946,200
Service cost Interest Changes of assumptions Benefit payments	_	381,920 214,632 (52,275) (148,211)
Net change in total OPEB liability		396,066
Balance, June 30, 2023	\$	6,342,266

There were no changes in benefit terms since the previous valuation.

Changes of assumptions reflect a change in the discount rate from 3.54% to 3.65% since the previous valuation. The rate of inflation assumption changed from 2.75% to 2.50% since the previous valuation.

# Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the District, as well as what the District's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percent lower or higher than the current rate:

Discount Rate	 otal OPEB Liability
1% decrease (2.65%)	\$ 6,785,535
Current discount rate (3.65%)	6,342,266
1% increase (4.65%)	5,930,094

# Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the District, as well as what the District's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a healthcare cost trend rate that is one percent lower or higher than the current healthcare costs trend rate:

	T	otal OPEB
Healthcare Cost Trend Rate	_	Liability
1% decrease (3.00%) Current healthcare cost trend rate (4.00%) 1% increase (5.00%)	\$	5,622,864 6,342,266 7,178,778

#### **Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB**

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

	 red Outflows Resources	erred Inflows f Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience Changes of assumptions	\$ - 380,078	\$ 2,498,594 533,624
Total	\$ 380,078	\$ 3,032,218

The deferred outflows/(inflows) of resources related to differences between expected and actual experience in the measurement of the total OPEB liability and changes of assumptions will be amortized over the Expected Average Remaining Service Life (EARSL) of all members that are provided benefits as of the beginning of the measurement period. The EARSL for the measurement period is 11.2 years and will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Deferred Outflows/(Inflows of Resources
2024	\$ (291,865
2025	(291,865
2026	(291,865
2027	(291,865
2028	(291,865
Thereafter	(1,192,815
Total	_\$ (2,652,140

# **Medicare Premium Payment (MPP) Program**

#### **Plan Description**

The Medicare Premium Payment (MPP) Program is administered by the California State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS). The MPP Program is a cost-sharing multiple-employer other postemployment benefit plan (OPEB) established pursuant to Chapter 1032, Statutes 2000 (SB 1435). CalSTRS administers the MPP Program through the Teachers' Health Benefits Fund (THBF).

A full description of the MPP Program regarding benefit provisions, assumptions (for funding, but not accounting purposes), and membership information is listed in the June 30, 2021 annual actuarial valuation report, Medicare Premium Payment Program Actuarial Valuation. This report and CalSTRS audited financial information are publicly available reports that can be found on the CalSTRS website under Publications at: http://www.calstrs.com/member-publications.

#### **Benefits Provided**

The MPP Program pays Medicare Part A premiums and Medicare Parts A and B late enrollment surcharges for eligible members of the State Teachers Retirement Plan (STRP) Defined Benefit (DB) Program who were retired or began receiving a disability allowance prior to July 1, 2012 and were not eligible for premium free Medicare Part A. The payments are made directly to the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) on a monthly basis.

The MPP Program is closed to new entrants as members who retire after July 1, 2012, are not eligible for coverage under the MPP Program.

The MPP Program is funded on a pay-as-you go basis from a portion of monthly District benefit payments. In accordance with California *Education Code* Section 25930, contributions that would otherwise be credited to the DB Program each month are instead credited to the MPP Program to fund monthly program and administrative costs. Total redirections to the MPP Program are monitored to ensure that total incurred costs do not exceed the amount initially identified as the cost of the program.

# **Net OPEB Liability and OPEB Expense**

At June 30, 2023, the District reported a liability of \$291,907 for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability for the MPP Program. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2022, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021. The District's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the OPEB Plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating entities, actuarially determined. The District's proportionate share for the measurement period June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021, was 0.0886%, and 0.0961%, respectively, resulting in a net decrease in the proportionate share of 0.0075%.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$(91,423).

# **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

The June 30, 2022 total OPEB liability was determined by applying update procedures to the financial reporting actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021, and rolling forward the total OPEB liability to June 30, 2022, using the assumptions listed in the following table:

Measurement Date	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021
Valuation Date	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020
Experience Study	July 1, 2015 through	July 1, 2015 through
	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2018
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry age normal	Entry age normal
Investment Rate of Return	3.54%	2.16%
Medicare Part A Premium Cost Trend Rate	4.50%	4.50%
Medicare Part B Premium Cost Trend Rate	5.40%	5.40%

For the valuation as of June 30, 2021, CalSTRS uses a generational mortality assumption, which involves the use of a base mortality table and projection scales to reflect expected annual reductions in mortality rates at each age, resulting in increases in life expectancies each year into the future. The base mortality tables are CalSTRS custom tables derived to best fit the patterns of mortality among members. The projection scale was set equal to 110% of the ultimate improvement factor from the Mortality Improvement Scale (MP-2019) table, issued by the Society of Actuaries.

Assumptions were made about future participation (enrollment) into the MPP Program because CalSTRS is unable to determine which members not currently participating meet all eligibility criteria for enrollment in the future. Assumed enrollment rates were derived based on past experience and are stratified by age with the probability of enrollment diminishing as the members' age increases. This estimated enrollment rate was then applied to the population of members who may meet criteria necessary for eligibility and are not currently enrolled in the MPP Program. Based on this, the estimated number of future enrollments used in the financial reporting valuation was 209 or an average of 0.14% of the potentially eligible population (145,282).

The MPP Program is funded on a pay-as-you-go basis with contributions generally being made at the same time and in the same amount as benefit payments and expenses coming due. Any funds within the MPP Program as of June 30, 2022, were to manage differences between estimated and actual amounts to be paid and were invested in the Surplus Money Investment Fund, which is a pooled investment program administered by the State Treasurer.

#### **Discount Rate**

The discount rate used to measure the total OPEB liability as of June 30, 2022, is 3.54%. As the MPP Program is funded on a pay-as-you-go basis as previously noted, the OPEB Plan's fiduciary net position was not projected to be sufficient to make projected future benefit payments. Therefore, a discount rate of 3.54%, which is the Bond Buyer 20-Bond GO Index from Bondbuyer.com as of June 30, 2022, was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to measure the total OPEB liability. The discount rate increased 1.38% from 2.16% as of June 30, 2021.

# Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability calculated using the current discount rate, as well as what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percent lower or higher than the current rate:

Discount Rate	Net OPEB Liability		
1% decrease (2.54%)	\$	318,235	
Current discount rate (3.54%)		291,907	
1% increase (4.54%)		269.110	

# Sensitivity of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Medicare Costs Trend Rates

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability calculated using the Medicare costs trend rates, as well as what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using Medicare costs trend rates that are one percent lower or higher than the current rates:

Medicare Costs Trend Rates	Net OPEB Liability		
1% decrease (3.50% Part A and 4.40% Part B)	\$	267,835	
Current Medicare costs trend rates (4.50% Part A and 5.40% Part B) 1% increase (5.50% Part A and 6.40% Part B)		291,907 319,193	

# Note 9 - Employee Retirement Systems

Qualified employees are covered under multiple-employer defined benefit pension plans maintained by agencies of the State of California. Academic employees are members of the California State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS) and classified employees are members of the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS).

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023, the District reported its proportionate share of the net pension liabilities, deferred outflows of resources, deferred inflows of resources, and pension expense for each of the above plans as follows:

Pension Plan	_	gregate Net nsion Liability	 erred Outflows f Resources	_	ferred Inflows f Resources	Pen	sion Expense
CalSTRS CalPERS	\$	41,028,127 47,136,126	\$ 11,316,759 15,954,594	\$	12,781,838 7,117,982	\$	1,068,689 3,879,013
Total	\$	88,164,253	\$ 27,271,353	\$	19,899,820	\$	4,947,702

The details of each plan are as follows:

# California State Teachers' Retirement System (CalSTRS)

# **Plan Description**

The District contributes to the State Teachers' Retirement Plan (STRP) administered by CalSTRS. STRP is a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system defined benefit pension plan. Benefit provisions are established by State statutes, as legislatively amended, within the State Teachers' Retirement Law.

A full description of the pension plan regarding benefit provisions, assumptions (for funding, but not accounting purposes), and membership information is listed in the June 30, 2021, annual actuarial valuation report, Defined Benefit Program Actuarial Valuation. This report and CalSTRS audited financial information are publicly available reports that can be found on the CalSTRS website under Publications at: http://www.calstrs.com/member-publications.

#### **Benefits Provided**

The STRP provides retirement, disability, and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. Benefits are based on members' final compensation, age, and years of service credit. Members hired on or before December 31, 2012, with five years of credited service are eligible for the normal retirement benefit at age 60. Members hired on or after January 1, 2013, with five years of credited service are eligible for the normal retirement benefit at age 62. The normal retirement benefit is equal to 2.0% of final compensation for each year of credited service.

The STRP is comprised of four programs: Defined Benefit Program, Defined Benefit Supplement Program, Cash Balance Benefit Program, and Replacement Benefits Program. The STRP holds assets for the exclusive purpose of providing benefits to members and beneficiaries of these programs. CalSTRS also uses plan assets to defray reasonable expenses of administering the STRP. Although CalSTRS is the administrator of the STRP, the State is the sponsor of the STRP and obligor of the trust. In addition, the State is both an employer and nonemployer contributing entity to the STRP.

The District contributes exclusively to the STRP Defined Benefit Program, thus, disclosures are not included for the other plans.

The STRP Defined Benefit Program provisions and benefits in effect at June 30, 2023, are summarized as follows:

	On or before	On or after
Hire date	December 31, 2012	January 1, 2013
Benefit formula	2% at 60	2% at 62
Benefit vesting schedule	5 years of service	5 years of service
Benefit payments	Monthly for life	Monthly for life
Retirement age	60	62
Monthly benefits as a percentage of eligible compensation	2.0% - 2.4%	2.0% - 2.4%
Required employee contribution rate	10.25%	10.205%
Required employer contribution rate	19.10%	19.10%
Required State contribution rate	10.828%	10.828%

#### **Contributions**

Required member, District, and State of California contribution rates are set by the California Legislature and Governor and are detailed in Teachers' Retirement Law. The contribution rates are expressed as a level percentage of payroll using the entry age normal actuarial method. In accordance with California Assembly Bill 1469, employer contributions into the CalSTRS will be increasing to a total of 19.1% of applicable member earnings phased over a seven-year period. The contribution rates for each plan for the year ended June 30, 2023, are presented above, and the District's total contributions were \$7,857,554.

# Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

At June 30, 2023, the District reported a liability for its proportionate share of the net pension liability that reflected a reduction for State pension support provided to the District. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net pension liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

Total net pension liability, including State share:

District's proportionate share of net pension liability	\$ 41,028,127
State's proportionate share of net pension liability associated with the District	20,546,726
Total	\$ 61,574,853

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating college districts and the State, actuarially determined. The District's proportionate share for the measurement periods of June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021, was 0.0590% and 0.0639%, respectively, resulting in a net decrease in the proportionate share of 0.0049%.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized pension expense of \$1,068,689. In addition, the District recognized pension expense and revenue of \$1,657,080 for support provided by the State. At June 30, 2023, the 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	
Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date Change in proportion and differences between contributions	\$	7,857,554	\$	-	
made and District's proportionate share of contributions  Differences between projected and actual earnings on		1,390,852		7,699,231	
pension plan investments		-		2,006,354	
Differences between expected and actual experience in the measurement of the total pension liability Changes of assumptions		33,656 2,034,697		3,076,253 -	
Total	\$	11,316,759	\$	12,781,838	

The deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the subsequent fiscal year.

The deferred outflows/(inflows) of resources related to the difference between projected and actual earning on pension plan investments will be amortized over a closed five-year period and will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Deferred Outflows/(Inflows) of Resources
2024 2025 2026 2027	\$ (1,473,815) (1,596,630) (2,398,464) 3,462,555
Total	\$ (2,006,354)

The deferred outflows/(inflows) of resources related to the changes in proportion and differences between contributions made and Districts proportionate share of contributions, differences between expected and actual experience in the measurement of the total pension liability, and changes of assumptions will be amortized over the Expected Average Remaining Service Life (EARSL) of all members that are provided benefits (active, inactive, and retirees) as of the beginning of the measurement period. The EARSL for the measurement period is seven years and will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Deferred Outflows/(Inflows) of Resources
2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 Thereafter	\$ (806,846) (1,605,340) (1,253,640) (1,561,573) (1,349,316) (739,564)
Total	\$ (7,316,279)

# **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

Total pension liability for STRP was determined by applying updated procedures to the financial reporting actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021 and rolling forward the total pension liability to June 30, 2022. The financial reporting actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021, used the following methods and assumptions, applied to all prior periods included in the measurement:

Valuation date	June 30, 2021
Measurement date	June 30, 2022
Experience study	July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2018
Actuarial cost method	Entry age normal
Discount rate	7.10%
Investment rate of return	7.10%
Consumer price inflation	2.75%
Wage growth	3.50%

CalSTRS uses a generational mortality assumption, which involves the use of a base mortality table and projection scales to reflect expected annual reductions in mortality rates at each age, resulting in increases in life expectancies each year into the future. The base mortality tables are CalSTRS custom tables derived to best fit the patterns of mortality among its members. The projection scale was set equal to 110% of the ultimate improvement factor from the Mortality Improvement Scale (MP-2019) table, issued by the Society of Actuaries.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension 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 pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. The best estimate ranges were developed using capital market assumptions from CalSTRS general investment consultant as an input to the process. The actuarial investment rate of return assumption was adopted by the board in January 2020 in conjunction with the most recent experience study. For each current and future valuation, CalSTRS' independent consulting actuary (Milliman) reviews the return assumption for reasonableness based on the most current capital market assumptions. Best estimates of 20-year geometrically-linked real rates of return and the assumed asset allocation for each major asset class for the year ended June 30, 2022, are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Assumed Asset Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Public equity	42%	4.8%
Private equity	13%	6.3%
Real estate	15%	3.6%
Inflation sensitive	6%	3.3%
Fixed income	12%	1.3%
Risk mitigating strategies	10%	1.8%
Cash/liquidity	2%	-0.4%

#### **Discount Rate**

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.10%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the contributions from plan members and employers will be made at statutory contribution rates. Projected inflows from investment earnings were calculated using the long-term assumed investment rate of return (7.10%) and assuming that contributions, benefit payments, and administrative expense occurred midyear. Based on these assumptions, the STRP's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members. Therefore, the long-term assumed investment rate of return was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine total pension liability.

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the current discount rate, as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percent lower or higher than the current rate:

Discount Rate		_	Net Pension Liability	
1%	decrease (6.10%)		\$	69,680,976
Cur	rent discount rate (7.10%)			41,028,127
1%	increase (8.10%)			17,237,647

# California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS)

# **Plan Description**

Qualified employees are eligible to participate in the School Employer Pool (SEP) under CalPERS, a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system defined benefit pension plan administered by CalPERS. Benefit provisions are established by State statutes, as legislatively amended, within the Public Employees' Retirement Law.

A full description of the pension plan regarding benefit provisions, assumptions (for funding, but not accounting purposes), and membership information is listed in the June 30, 2021, annual actuarial valuation report, Schools Pool Actuarial Valuation. This report and CalPERS audited financial information are publicly available reports that can be found on the CalPERS website under Forms and Publications at: https://www.calpers.ca.gov/page/forms-publications.

#### **Benefits Provided**

CalPERS provides service retirement and disability benefits, annual cost of living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members who must be public employees and beneficiaries. Benefits are based on years of service credit, a benefit factor, and the member's final compensation. Members hired on or before December 31, 2012, with five years of total service are eligible to retire at age 50 with statutorily reduced benefits. Members hired on or after January 1, 2013, with five years of total service are eligible to retire at age 52 with statutorily reduced benefits. All members are eligible for non-duty disability benefits after five years of service. The Basic Death Benefit is paid to any member's beneficiary if the member dies while actively employed. An employee's eligible survivor may receive the 1957 Survivor Benefit if the member dies while actively employed, is at least age 50 (or age 52 for members hired on or after January 1, 2013), and has at least five years of credited service. The cost of living adjustments for each plan are applied as specified by the Public Employees' Retirement Law.

The CalPERS School Employer Pool provisions and benefits in effect at June 30, 2023, are summarized as follows:

	On or before	On or after
Hire date	December 31, 2012	January 1, 2013
Benefit formula	2% at 55	2% at 62
Benefit vesting schedule	5 years of service	5 years of service
Benefit payments	Monthly for life	Monthly for life
Retirement age	55	62
Monthly benefits as a percentage of eligible compensation	1.1% - 2.5%	1.0% - 2.5%
Required employee contribution rate	7.00%	8.00%
Required employer contribution rate	25.37%	25.37%

#### **Contributions**

Section 20814(c) of the California Public Employees' Retirement Law requires that the employer contribution rates for all public employers be determined on an annual basis by the actuary and shall be effective on July 1 following notice of a change in the rate. Total plan contributions are calculated through the CalPERS annual actuarial valuation process. The actuarially determined rate is the estimated amount necessary to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year, with an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability. The District is required to contribute the difference between the actuarially determined rate and the contribution rate of employees. The contribution rates are expressed as a percentage of annual payroll. The contribution rates for each plan for the year ended June 30, 2023, are presented above, and the total District contributions were \$6,689,208.

# Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

As of June 30, 2023, the District reported net pension liabilities for its proportionate share of the CalPERS net pension liability totaling \$47,136,126. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating college districts, actuarially determined. The District's proportionate share for the measurement periods of June 30, 2022 and June 30, 2021, was 0.1370% and 0.1587%, respectively, resulting in a net decrease in the proportionate share of 0.0217%.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized pension expense of \$3,879,013. At June 30, 2023, the 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	
Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date Change in proportion and differences between contributions	\$	6,689,208	\$	-
made and District's proportionate share of contributions  Differences between projected and actual earnings on		-		5,945,175
pension plan investments Differences between expected and actual experience in		5,565,495		-
the measurement of the total pension liability Changes of assumptions		213,028 3,486,863		1,172,807
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Total	\$	15,954,594	<u>Ş</u>	7,117,982

The deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the subsequent fiscal year.

The deferred outflows/(inflows) of resources related to the difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments will be amortized over a closed five-year period and will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Deferred Outflows/(Inflows) of Resources
2024 2025 2026 2027	\$ 928,148 823,203 420,501 3,393,643
Total	\$ 5,565,495

The deferred outflows/(inflows) of resources related to the changes in proportion and differences between contributions made and the District's proportionate share of contributions, differences between expected and actual experience in the measurement of the total pension liability, and changes of assumptions will be amortized over the Expected Average Remaining Service Life (EARSL) of all members that are provided benefits (active, inactive, and retirees) as of the beginning of the measurement period. The EARSL for the measurement period is 3.9 years and will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	Deferred Outflows/(Inflows) of Resources
2024 2025 2026 2027	\$ (1,451,178) (1,136,569) (662,086) (168,258)
Total	\$ (3,418,091)

#### **Actuarial Methods and Assumptions**

Total pension liability for the SEP was determined by applying updated procedures to the financial reporting actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021 and rolling forward the total pension liability to June 30, 2022. The financial reporting actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2021, used the following methods and assumptions, applied to all prior periods included in the measurement:

June 30, 2021
June 30, 2022
July 1, 1997 through June 30, 2015
Entry age normal
6.90%
6.90%
2.30%
Varies by entry age and service

The mortality table used was developed based on CalPERS-specific data. The rates incorporate Generational Mortality to capture ongoing mortality improvement using 80% of Scale MP-2020 published by the Society of Actuaries.

In determining the long-term expected rate of return, CalPERS took into account long-term market return expectations as well as the expected pension fund cash flows. Projected returns for all asset classes are estimated and, combined with risk estimates, are used to project compound (geometric) returns over the long term. The discount rate used to discount liabilities was informed by the long-term projected portfolio return. The target asset allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Assumed Asset Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Global equity - cap-weighted	30%	4.45%
Global equity - non-cap-weighted	12%	3.84%
Private equity	13%	7.28%
Treasury	5%	0.27%
Mortgage-backed securities	5%	0.50%
Investment grade corporates	10%	1.56%
High yield	5%	2.27%
Emerging market debt	5%	2.48%
Private debt	5%	3.57%
Real assets	15%	3.21%
Leverage	-5%	-0.59%

#### **Discount Rate**

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 6.90%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed the contributions from plan members and employers will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers will be made at statutorily required rates, actuarially determined. Based on these assumptions, the School Employer Pool fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on the School Employer Pool investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine total pension liability.

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the current discount rate, as well as what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percent lower or higher than the current rate:

Discount Rate	Net Pension Liability
1% decrease (5.90%) Current discount rate (6.90%) 1% increase (7.90%)	\$ 68,090,521 47,136,126 29,818,089

#### **On Behalf Payments**

The State of California makes contributions to CalSTRS on behalf of the District. These payments consist of State General Fund contributions to CalSTRS in the amount of \$3,296,122 (10.828% of annual payroll). Contributions are no longer appropriated in the annual Budget Act for the legislatively mandated benefits to CalPERS. Therefore, there is no on behalf contribution rate for CalPERS. Under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, these amounts are to be reported as revenues and expenditures. Accordingly, these amounts have been recorded in these financial statements.

# Note 10 - Participation in Public Entity Risk Pools and Joint Powers Authorities

The District participates in a joint powers agreement (JPA) with the Alliance of Schools for Cooperative Insurance Programs (ASCIP). ASCIP was established to provide services necessary and appropriate for the development, operation, and maintenance of a self-insurance system for primary general and automobile liability coverage protection for claims against the public educational agencies in California who make up the ASCIP membership.

The general and automobile liability coverage provides up to \$5,000,000 in limits less the District's self-insured retention (SIR) of \$25,000 per occurrence. The District has also purchased \$1,000,000 of cyber liability coverage. Each member district is entitled to cast one vote to elect governing board representative(s) to represent the member district on ASCIP's governing board. The governing board is responsible for establishing premium rates and making budget and operational decisions for ASCIP independent of any influence by the District beyond their board member representation. Each member district shares surpluses and deficits proportionate to their participation in ASCIP.

The relationship between the District and ASCIP is such that ASCIP is not a component unit of the District for financial reporting purposes under the criteria of GASB.

#### Southern California Community College Districts Joint Powers Authority (SCCCD)

The District participates in an additional banking JPA for workers' compensation self-insurance coverage through the Southern California Community College Districts Joint Powers Authority (SCCCD). SCCCD provides workers' compensation coverage and a reserve to be used toward funding long-term retiree health insurance liabilities for its six member districts. Payments transferred to funds maintained under the JPA are expensed when made. Based upon an actuarial study, District administrators are of the opinion that the procedures for accumulating and maintaining reserves are sufficient to cover future contingencies under potential workers' compensation claims; however, the reserve for retiree health insurance is not yet sufficient to cover future potential payments. The JPA participates in the Protected Insurance Programs for Schools (PIPS), a pooled risk JPA. The purpose of the program is to provide workers' compensation insurance coverage at competitive group rates.

The relationship between the District and the SCCCD is such that the SCCCD is not a component unit of the District for financial reporting purposes under the criteria of GASB.

#### Schools Excess Liability Fund (SELF)

The District participates in a joint venture under a JPA with the Schools Excess Liability Fund (SELF). SELF was established to provide excess general and automobile liability coverage. The excess liability limits are designed to follow the primary liability limits provided by ASCIP. Coverage under the current program provides for the payment of covered claims incurred by the District up to \$20,000,000 per occurrence. The District absorbs the first \$5,000,000 of liability (which is comprised of the District's SIR, ASCIP, and SELF limits). Each member district is assessed a premium in accordance with the joint powers agreement.

The relationship between the District and SELF is such that SELF is not a component unit of the District for financial reporting purposes under the criteria of GASB.

# Note 11 - Commitments and Contingencies

#### Grants

The District receives financial assistance from Federal and State agencies in the form of grants. The disbursement of funds received under these programs generally requires compliance with terms and conditions specified in the grant agreements and is subject to audit by the grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims resulting from such audits could become a liability of the District. However, in the opinion of management, any such disallowed claims will not have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the District at June 30, 2023.

#### Litigation

The District is involved in various litigation arising from the normal course of business. In the opinion of management and legal counsel, the disposition of all litigation pending is not expected to have a material adverse effect on the overall financial position of the District at June 30, 2023.

# Note 12 - Adoption of New Accounting Standard

As of July 1, 2022, the District adopted GASB Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements (SBITAs). The implementation of this standard establishes that a SBITA results in a right-to-use subscription IT asset – an intangible asset – and a corresponding liability. The standard provides the capitalization criteria for outlays other than subscription payments, including implementation costs of a SBITA. The Statement requires recognition of certain SBITA assets and liabilities for SBITAs that previously were recognized as outflows of resources based on the payment provisions of the contract. Beginning net position was restated to retroactively adopt the provisions of GASB Statement No. 96 as follows:

Primary Government	
Net Position - Beginning Right-to-use subscription IT assets, net of amortization Subscription IT arrangements	\$ 39,326,032 312,981 (325,981)
Net Position - Beginning, as Restated	\$ 39,313,032



Required Supplementary Information June 30, 2023

# Santa Barbara Community College District

Schedule of Changes in the District's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios Year Ended June 30, 2023

	2023		2022		2021		2020			2019
Total OPEB Liability										
Service cost	\$	381,920	\$	537,754	\$	520,044	\$	626,179	\$	582,246
Interest		214,632		179,870		170,796		274,758		248,670
Difference between expected and										
actual experience		-		(2,148,704)		-		(1,091,436)		-
Changes of assumptions		(52,275)		(591,675)		26,257		375,795		177,632
Benefit payments		(148,211)		(179,010)		(145,166)		(292,804)		(277,491)
Net change in total OPEB liability		396,066		(2,201,765)		571,931		(107,508)		731,057
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning		5,946,200		8,147,965		7,576,034		7,683,542		6,952,485
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	\$	6,342,266	\$	5,946,200	\$	8,147,965	\$	7,576,034	\$	7,683,542
Covered Payroll		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>
Total OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>		N/A <sup>1</sup>
Measurement Date	Jui	ne 30, 2023	Ju	ne 30, 2022	Ju	ne 30, 2021	Ju	ne 30, 2020	Jur	ne 30, 2019

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The OPEB Plan is not administered through a trust and contributions are not made based on a measure of pay. Therefore, no measure of payroll is presented.

Schedule of Changes in the District's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios Year Ended June 30, 2023

		2018
Total OPEB Liability		
Service cost	\$	566,663
Interest		248,749
Difference between expected and		
actual experience		-
Changes of assumptions		-
Benefit payments		(266,818)
Net change in total OPEB liability		548,594
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning		6,403,891
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	\$	6,952,485
Covered Payroll		N/A <sup>1</sup>
Total OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		N/A <sup>1</sup>
Measurement Date	Jun	ie 30, 2018

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The OPEB Plan is not administered through a trust and contributions are not made based on a measure of pay. Therefore, no measure of payroll is presented.

Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability – MPP Program Year Ended June 30, 2023

Year ended June 30,	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
Proportion of the net OPEB liability	0.0886%	0.0961%	0.1149%	0.1206%	0.1165%	0.1230%
Proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 291,907	\$ 383,330	\$ 487,080	\$ 449,290	\$ 446,031	\$ 517,617
Covered payroll	N/A <sup>1</sup>					
Proportionate share of the net OPEB liability						
as a percentage of it's covered payroll	N/A <sup>1</sup>					
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	-0.94%	-0.80%	-0.71%	-0.81%	-0.40%	0.01%
Measurement Date	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 30, 2017

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>As of June 30, 2012, active members are no longer eligible for future enrollment in the MPP Program; therefore, the covered payroll disclosure is not applicable.

Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Year Ended June 30, 2023

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
CalSTRS					
Proportion of the net pension liability	0.0590%	0.0639%	0.0660%	0.0682%	0.0649%
Proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 41,028,127	\$ 29,095,805	\$ 63,922,901	\$ 61,596,241	\$ 59,667,530
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the District	20,546,726	14,639,881	32,952,263	33,604,862	34,162,451
Total	\$ 61,574,853	\$ 43,735,686	\$ 96,875,164	\$ 95,201,103	\$ 93,829,981
Covered payroll	\$ 36,958,115	\$ 37,508,700	\$ 39,925,684	\$ 40,032,181	\$ 37,347,256
Proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	111.01%	77.57%	160.10%	153.87%	159.76%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	81%	87%	72%	73%	71%
Measurement Date	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2018
CalPERS					
Proportion of the net pension liability	0.1370%	0.1587%	0.1669%	0.1694%	0.1652%
Proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 47,136,126	\$ 32,265,308	\$ 51,196,622	\$ 49,362,899	\$ 44,046,185
Covered payroll	\$ 23,506,918	\$ 22,203,633	\$ 23,501,978	\$ 23,967,506	\$ 21,791,147
Proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	200.52%	145.32%	217.84%	205.96%	202.13%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	70%	81%	70%	70%	71%
Measurement Date	June 30, 2022	June 30, 2021	June 30, 2020	June 30, 2019	June 30, 2018

Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Year Ended June 30, 2023

	2018	2017	2016	2015
CalSTRS				
Proportion of the net pension liability	0.0680%	0.0764%	0.0808%	0.0798%
Proportionate share of the net pension liability State's proportionate share of the net pension	\$ 62,848,497	\$ 61,801,366	\$ 54,372,346	\$ 46,749,600
liability associated with the District	37,180,640	35,182,415	28,756,977	28,161,175
Total	\$ 100,029,137	\$ 96,983,781	\$ 83,129,323	\$ 74,910,775
Covered payroll	\$ 38,566,280	\$ 39,287,661	\$ 37,716,059	\$ 35,546,073
Proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	162.96%	157.30%	144.16%	131.52%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	69%	70%	74%	77%
Measurement Date	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	June 30, 2015	June 30, 2014
CalPERS				
Proportion of the net pension liability	0.1804%	0.1949%	0.1976%	0.2053%
Proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 43,067,307	\$ 38,489,418	\$ 29,127,988	\$ 23,306,549
Covered payroll	\$ 22,024,726	\$ 23,383,017	\$ 21,319,599	\$ 21,497,297
Proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	195.54%	164.60%	136.63%	108.42%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	72%	74%	79%	83%
Measurement Date	June 30, 2017	June 30, 2016	June 30, 2015	June 30, 2014

Schedule of District Contributions for Pensions Year Ended June 30, 2023

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019
CalSTRS					
Contractually required contribution	\$ 7,857,554	\$ 6,253,313	\$ 6,057,655	\$ 6,827,292	\$ 6,517,239
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(7,857,554)	(6,253,313)	(6,057,655)	(6,827,292)	(6,517,239)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Covered payroll	\$ 41,139,026	\$ 36,958,115	\$ 37,508,700	\$ 39,925,684	\$ 40,032,181
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	19.10%	16.92%	16.15%	17.10%	16.28%
CalPERS					
Contractually required contribution	\$ 6,689,208	\$ 5,385,435	\$ 4,596,152	\$ 4,634,825	\$ 4,329,011
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(6,689,208)	(5,385,435)	(4,596,152)	(4,634,825)	(4,329,011)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Covered payroll	\$ 26,366,606	\$ 23,506,918	\$ 22,203,633	\$ 23,501,978	\$ 23,967,506
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	25.370%	22.910%	20.700%	19.721%	18.062%

Schedule of District Contributions for Pensions Year Ended June 30, 2023

	2018	2017	2016	2015
CalSTRS				
Contractually required contribution Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 5,389,209 (5,389,209)	\$ 4,851,638 (4,851,638)	\$ 4,215,566 (4,215,566)	\$ 3,349,186 (3,349,186)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Covered payroll	\$ 37,347,256	\$ 38,566,280	\$ 39,287,661	\$ 37,716,059
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	14.43%	12.58%	10.73%	8.88%
CalPERS				
Contractually required contribution Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	\$ 3,384,383	\$ 3,058,794 (3,058,794)	\$ 2,770,186 (2,770,186)	\$ 2,509,530
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Covered payroll	\$ 21,791,147	\$ 22,024,726	\$ 23,383,017	\$ 21,319,599
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	15.531%	13.888%	11.847%	11.771%

# Note 1 - Purpose of Schedules

#### Schedule of Changes in the District's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios

This schedule presents information on the District's changes in the total OPEB liability, including beginning and ending balances. As of June 30, 2023, the District had no assets accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria outlined in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75 to related OPEB benefits. In the future, as data becomes available, ten years of information will be presented.

- Changes in Benefit Terms There were no changes in the benefit terms since the previous valuation.
- Changes of Assumptions Changes of assumptions reflect a change in the discount rate from 3.54% to 3.65% since the previous valuation. The rate of inflation assumption changed from 2.75% to 2.50% since the previous valuation.

# Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability - MPP Program

This schedule presents information on the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB Liability – MPP Program and the plans' fiduciary net position. In the future, as data becomes available, ten years of information will be presented.

- Changes in Benefit Terms There were no changes in the benefit terms since the previous valuation.
- Changes of Assumptions The plan rate of investment return assumption was changed from 2.16% to 3.54% since the previous valuation.

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

This schedule presents information on the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (NPL), the Plans' fiduciary net positions and, when applicable, the State's proportionate share of the NPL associated with the District. In the future, as data becomes available, ten years of information will be presented.

- Changes in Benefit Terms There were no changes in benefit terms since the previous valuations for both CalSTRS and CalPERS.
- Changes of Assumptions There were no changes in economic assumptions for the CalSTRS plan from the previous valuations. The CalPERS plan rate of investment return assumption was changed from 7.15% to 6.90% since the previous valuation.

# **Schedule of District Contributions for Pensions**

This schedule presents information on the District's required contribution, the amounts actually contributed, and any excess or deficiency related to the required contribution. In the future, as data becomes available, ten years of information will be presented.



Supplementary Information June 30, 2023

# Santa Barbara Community College District

Santa Barbara Community College District was established in 1964. There were no changes in the boundaries of the District during the current year. The District's college is accredited by the Accrediting Commission for Community and Junior Colleges, Western Association of Schools and Colleges, which is one of six regional associations that accredit public and private schools, colleges, and universities in the United States.

# Board of Trustees as of June 30, 2023

Member	Office	Term Expires
Mr. Jonathan Abboud	President	2026
Dr. Anna Everett	Vice President	2024
Ms. Marsha S. Croninger	Member	2026
Ms. Veronica Gallardo	Member	2024
Dr. Charlotte A. Gullap-Moore	Member	2026
Mr. Robert K. Miller	Member	2024
Ms. Ellen Stoddard	Member	2026

# Administration as of June 30, 2023

Dr. Kindred Murillo	Interim Superintendent/President
Ms. María Villagómez	Assistant Superintendent/Vice President, Academic Affairs
Mr. Brian Fahnestock	Acting Assistant Superintendent/Vice President, Business Services
Ms. Paloma Arnold	Assistant Superintendent/Vice President, Student Affairs
Ms. Deneatrice Lewis	Interim Assistant Superintendent/Vice President, Human Resources
Ms. Carola Smith	Acting Assistant Superintendent/Vice President, School of Extended

# **Auxiliary Organizations in Good Standing**

The Foundation for Santa Barbara City College, established 1976

Master agreement revised June 2022

Geoff Green, Chief Executive Officer

# Santa Barbara Community College District Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Year Ended June 30, 2023

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal Financial Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Federal Expenditures	Amounts Passed through to Subrecipients
U.S. Department of Education				
Student Financial Assistance Cluster				
Federal Pell Grant Program	84.063		\$ 9,040,433	\$ -
Federal Direct Student Loans	84.268		3,965,879	-
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants (FSEOG)	84.007		300,293	-
Federal Work-Study Program	84.033		134,196	
Subtotal Student Financial Assistance Cluster			13,440,801	
Title III - STEM	84.031C		624,422	
Restructuring to Innovate for Student Excellence (RISE)	84.031\$		390,151	-
Student-Ready: Degree Completion for the Flexible Learner	84.0315		429,273	-
Title V - HSI La Experencia en SBCC	84.031S		76,409	
Subtotal			1,520,255	
COVID-19: Higher Education Emergency Relief Funds,				
Institutional Portion	84.425F		50,923	-
Passed through California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office				
Career and Technical Education Act (CTEA), Title I, Part C	84.048A	22-C01-650	799,273	-
Regional Collaboration and Coordination Grant	84.048A	[1]	223,417	214,824
Subtotal			1,022,690	214,824
Passed through California Department of Education (CDE)				
Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act, Title II:		13978,		
Adult Education and Family Literacy Act	84.002A	14508, 14109	315,320	
Total U.S. Department of Education			16,349,989	214,824
U.S. Department of the Treasury				
Passed through California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office				
COVID-19: Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds	21.027	[1]	336,724	
Total U.S. Department of the Treasury			336,724	

<sup>[1]</sup> Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number not available.

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/Program or Cluster Title	Federal Financial Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	E)	Federal spenditures	f th	mounts Passed rough to recipients
Research and Development Cluster						
National Science Foundation						
Passed through the Regents of the University of California,						
Santa Barbara						
ESTEEM -Enhancing Success in Transfer Education						
for Engineering Majors	47.076	KK1729	\$	31,394	\$	-
Collaboration for Opportunities in and Advancement						
of STEM Teaching and Learning	47.076	KK2018		8,069		-
A California Central-Coast Partnership for Industry-focused						
Micro/nanotechnology Education	47.076	KK2018		28,181		-
Computer and Information Science Engineering	47.070	KK2042		12,440		-
Passed through Allan Hancock Community College District						
Louis Stokes B2B Alliance: CA Central Coast						
Community College Collaborative	47.076	NSFC6-06		4,528		
Subtotal Research and Development Cluster				84,612		
U.S. Department of Agriculture						
Passed through CDE		04381-CACFP-42-				
Child and Adult Care Food Program	10.558	CC-IC		13,728		-
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture				13,728		-
U.S. Department of Defense						
Passed through the Regents of the University of California,						
Santa Barbara						
SciTrek Biotech	12.006	K2222		4,441		
Total U.S. Department of Defense				4,441		_
U.S. Department of Labor						
Passed through the County of Santa Barbara						
Pathway Home 2	17.270	[1]		33,755		-
Total U.S. Department of Labor				33,755		_
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Passed through California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office						
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	93.558	[1]		7,100		_
Foster and Kinship Care Education	93.658	[1]		32,019		-
Total U.S. Department of Health and Human Services				39,119		_
Total Federal Financial Assistance			\$	16,862,368	\$	214,824
					_	

<sup>[1]</sup> Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number not available.

	Program Revenues										
	Cash		Prior Year	Accounts		Unearned		Total		Program	
Program	Received		Deferral	Receivable		Revenue		Revenue	Ex	(penditures	
Adult Education Block Grant	\$ 923,193	\$	1,513,761	\$ -	\$	1,028,013	\$	1,408,941	\$	1,408,941	
Basic Needs Center	352,567		254,435	-		469,508		137,494		137,494	
C.A.R.E.	251,447		159,680	-		331,366		79,761		79,761	
CAL Grant	1,466,516		-	-		-		1,466,516		1,321,206	
Cal Works	185,388		110,455	-		144,654		151,189		151,189	
CalFresh Outreach SB85	-		32,565	-		16,263		16,302		16,302	
California College Promise AB19	1,466,725		983,819	-		1,790,519		660,025		660,025	
California State Preschool Program (CSPP)	126,673		-	42,225		-		168,898		168,898	
Child and Adult Care Food Program	547		-	-		-		547		547	
Child Development Training	-		915	-		-		915		915	
CTE Data Unlock Sub Award	-		50,000	-		50,000		-		-	
Culturally Competent Faculty PD	-		50,435	-		50,435		-		-	
Disabled Students Programs	2,089,534		514,205	-		942,148		1,661,591		1,661,591	
Disaster Relief Emergency Student	-		251	-		251		-		-	
EEO Best Practices	-		208,333	-		208,333		-		-	
Emergency Financial Aid Supplemental	7,134,571		-	-		158,590		6,975,981		1,510,646	
Extended Opportunity Program and Services	2,033,776		440,937	-		699,921		1,774,792		1,774,792	
Faculty & Staff Development	-		40,849	-		36,587		4,262		4,262	
Financial Aid Media Campaign (odd year)	-		-	1,717,005		-		1,717,005		1,717,005	
Financial Aid Technology	53,998		97,768	-		151,766		-		-	
Foster Parent Grant (80%)	62,755		-	-		-		62,755		62,755	
Guided Pathways	432,198		269,591	-		299,977		401,812		401,812	
Hunger Free Campus Support Year 2	-		425	-		-		425		425	
K-12 Strong Workforce	9,289,863		10,785,988	-		8,665,282		11,410,569		11,410,569	
K12 Strong Workforce TAP - PCs	1,005,000		435,000	-		476,500		963,500		963,500	
K12 SWP TAP - PC One-Time Unspent	111,319		239,428	-		269,224		81,523		81,523	
Learning-Aligned Employment Program	2,186,419		-	-		2,186,419		-		-	
LGBTQ+	99,603		-	-		93,464		6,139		6,139	
Library Services Platform Prop 98	-		13,269	-		13,269		-		-	
Local and Systemwide Technology and Data Security	100,000		-	-		100,000		-		-	

	Program Revenues						
	Cash	Prior Year	Accounts	Unearned	Total	Program	
Program	Received	Deferral	Receivable	Revenue	Revenue	Expenditures	
Low Cost Auto Insurance Awareness	\$ 1,500	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,500	\$ -	\$ -	
Mathematics, Engineering, Science Achievement (MESA)	419,070		-	459,807	65,440	65,440	
Mental Health Support Allocation	275,629	287,873	-	504,486	59,016	59,016	
NextUp	589,472	-	-	582,756	6,716	6,716	
Nursing Program Support	211,278	-	-	-	211,278	211,278	
Regional Data Unlock Sub Award	-	6,025	-	6,025	-	-	
Regional Employer Engagement Grant	890,081		-	220,947	669,134	669,134	
Retention Enrollment Outreach SB85	989,965	1,063,567	-	-	2,053,532	871,663	
Rising Scholars Grant	154,000	-	-	134,225	19,775	19,775	
Staff Diversity	138,888	147,489	-	240,201	46,176	46,176	
State COVID Block Grant	-	408,470	-	95,104	313,366	313,366	
Strong Workforce - Local SBCC	1,681,714	2,050,056	-	2,074,011	1,657,759	1,657,759	
Strong Workforce - SBCC Regional	996,231	1,158,398	-	1,224,267	930,362	930,362	
Strong Workforce Regional Consortium	9,410,980	9,846,752	-	5,723,731	13,534,001	13,534,001	
<ul> <li>Board Financial Assistance Program</li> </ul>	4,661,832	-	-	334,000	4,327,832	4,327,832	
Student Equity Achievement Even Yr.	-	1,524,691	-	-	1,524,691	1,340,550	
Student Equity Achievement Odd Yr.	-	414,923	-	-	414,923	-	
Student Financial Aid Administration –							
<ul> <li>Board Financial Assistance Program</li> </ul>	543,753	-	-	-	543,753	543,753	
Student Food and Housing Support	263,278	255,418	-	429,318	89,378	89,378	
Student Housing - Planning	150,000	-	-	133,861	16,139	16,139	
Student Success Completion Grant	3,535,087	-	-	1,000,000	2,535,087	1,963,970	
Systemwide Technology and Data Security	150,000	-	-	150,000	-	-	
Textbook Affordability Program	-	21,585	-	12,899	8,686	8,686	
Umoja Community Ed Foundation	-	2,338	-	54	2,284	2,284	
Undocumented Resources Liaisons	116,236	174,859	-	169,912	121,183	121,183	
<ul> <li>Board Financial Assistance Program</li> </ul>	56,642	215,431	-	246,980	25,093	25,093	
Zero Textbook Cost Program	20,000	-	-	20,000	-	-	
Zero Textbook Cost Program One Time	180,000			180,000			
Total state programs	\$ 54,807,728	\$ 33,886,161	\$ 1,759,230	\$ 32,126,573	\$ 58,326,546	\$ 50,363,851	

	*Revised Reported Data	Audit Adjustments	Audited Data
CATEGORIES			
<ul> <li>A. Summer Intersession (Summer 2022 only)</li> <li>1. Noncredit**</li> <li>2. Credit</li> </ul>	124.31 624.45	-	124.31 624.45
<ul> <li>B. Summer Intersession (Summer 2023 - Prior to July 1, 2023)</li> <li>1. Noncredit**</li> <li>2. Credit</li> </ul>	3.02 394.54	- -	3.02 394.54
<ul> <li>C. Primary Terms (Exclusive of Summer Intersession)</li> <li>1. Census Procedure Courses</li> <li>(a) Weekly Census Contact Hours</li> </ul>	2,842.97	-	2,842.97
(b) Daily Census Contact Hours	268.28	-	268.28
<ul><li>2. Actual Hours of Attendance Procedure Courses</li><li>(a) Noncredit**</li><li>(b) Credit</li></ul>	927.11 1,041.49	- -	927.11 1,041.49
<ul> <li>3. Alternative Attendance Accounting Procedure Courses</li> <li>(a) Weekly Census Procedure Courses</li> <li>(b) Daily Census Procedure Courses</li> <li>(c) Noncredit Independent Study/Distance Education Courses</li> </ul>	3,268.38 1,079.92 14.50	- - -	3,268.38 1,079.92 14.50
D. Total FTES	10,588.97		10,588.97
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION (Subset of Above Information)			
E. In-Service Training Courses (FTES)	-	-	-
<ul><li>F. Basic Skills Courses and Immigrant Education</li><li>1. Noncredit**</li><li>2. Credit</li></ul>	232.48 72.55	- -	232.48 72.55
CCFS-320 Addendum CDCP Noncredit FTES	390.51	-	390.51
Centers FTES  1. Noncredit**  2. Credit	780.70 951.21	- -	780.70 951.21

<sup>\*</sup>Annual report revised as of October 17, 2023

<sup>\*\*</sup>Including Career Development and College Preparation (CDCP) FTES.

Reconciliation of *Education Code* Section 84362 (50 Percent Law) Calculation Year Ended June 30, 2023

		ECS 84362 A Instructional Salary Cost AC 0100 - 5900 and AC 6110			ECS 84362 B Total CEE AC 0100 - 6799			
	Object/TOP	Reported	Audit	Revised	Reported	Audit	Revised	
	Codes	Data	Adjustments	Data	Data	Adjustments	Data	
Academic Salaries Instructional Salaries Contract or Regular	1100	\$ 19,950,556	\$ -	\$ 19,950,556	\$ 19,950,556	\$ -	\$ 19,950,556	
Other	1300	17,874,105	-	17,874,105	17,874,105	-	17,874,105	
Total Instructional Salaries		37,824,661	-	37,824,661	37,824,661	-	37,824,661	
Noninstructional Salaries Contract or Regular	1200				5,524,463		5,524,463	
Other	1400	_	_	_ [	1,383,686	_	1,383,686	
Total Noninstructional Salaries	1400	_			6,908,149	_	6,908,149	
Total Academic Salaries		37,824,661	-	37,824,661	44,732,810	-	44,732,810	
<u>Classified Salaries</u> Noninstructional Salaries								
Regular Status	2100	-	-	-	19,305,936	-	19,305,936	
Other	2300	-	ı	-	843,722	-	843,722	
Total Noninstructional Salaries		-	ı	-	20,149,658	-	20,149,658	
Instructional Aides								
Regular Status	2200	2,440,577	-	2,440,577	2,440,577	-	2,440,577	
Other	2400	995,800	-	995,800	995,800	-	995,800	
Total Instructional Aides		3,436,377	-	3,436,377	3,436,377	-	3,436,377	
Total Classified Salaries Employee Benefits	3000	3,436,377 17,722,551	-	3,436,377	23,586,035 29,535,750	-	23,586,035	
Supplies and Material	4000	17,722,551	_	17,722,551	1,034,627	-	29,535,750 1,034,627	
Other Operating Expenses	5000	574,298	_	574,298	13,664,972	_	13,664,972	
Equipment Replacement	6420	374,236	_	374,236	83,446	_	83,446	
Total Expenditures	0420				03,440		03,440	
Prior to Exclusions		59,557,887	-	59,557,887	112,637,640	-	112,637,640	

Reconciliation of Education Code Section 84362 (50 Percent Law) Calculation Year Ended June 30, 2023

			ECS 84362 A ructional Salary 00 - 5900 and A			ECS 84362 B Total CEE AC 0100 - 6799	)
	Object/TOP	Reported	Audit	Revised	Reported	Audit	Revised
	Codes	Data	Adjustments	Data	Data	Adjustments	Data
<u>Exclusions</u>			,				
Activities to Exclude							
Instructional Staff - Retirees' Benefits and							
Retirement Incentives	5900	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Student Health Services Above Amount							
Collected	6441	-	-	-	-	-	-
Student Transportation	6491	-	-	-	-	-	-
Noninstructional Staff - Retirees' Benefits							
and Retirement Incentives	6740	-	-	-	-	-	-
Objects to Exclude							
Rents and Leases	5060	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lottery Expenditures							-
Academic Salaries	1000	1,024,070	-	1,024,070	1,682,507	-	1,682,507
Classified Salaries	2000	-	-	-	-	-	<del>-</del>
Employee Benefits	3000	405,042	-	405,042	665,468	-	665,468
Supplies and Materials	4000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Software	4100	-	-	-	-	-	-
Books, Magazines, and Periodicals	4200	-	=	=	=	-	=
Instructional Supplies and Materials	4300	-	-	-	-	-	=
Noninstructional Supplies and Materials	4400	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Supplies and Materials		-	-	-	_	-	-

Reconciliation of *Education Code* Section 84362 (50 Percent Law) Calculation Year Ended June 30, 2023

			ECS 84362 A ructional Salary 00 - 5900 and A			ECS 84362 B Total CEE AC 0100 - 6799	
	Object/TOP	Reported	Audit	Revised	Reported	Audit	Revised
	Codes	Data	Adjustments	Data	Data	Adjustments	Data
Other Operating Expenses and Services Capital Outlay Library Books Equipment Equipment - Additional Equipment - Replacement Total Equipment Total Capital Outlay	5000 6000 6300 6400 6410 6420	\$ - - - - -	\$ - - - - -	\$ - - - - -	\$ - - - - -	\$ - - - - -	\$ - - - - -
Other Outgo	7000	-	1	-	-	-	-
Total Exclusions		1,429,112	-	1,429,112	2,347,975	-	2,347,975
Total for ECS 84362, 50% Law % of CEE (Instructional Salary		\$ 58,128,775	\$ -	\$ 58,128,775	\$ 110,289,665	\$ -	\$ 110,289,665
Cost/Total CEE) 50% of Current Expense of Education		52.71%		52.71%	100.00% \$ 55,144,833		100.00% \$ 55,144,833

Proposition 30 Education Protection Account (EPA) Expenditure Report Year Ended June 30, 2023

Activity Classification	Object Code			Unres	tricte	ed
EPA Revenue:	8630				\$	6,201,622
		Salaries	Operating			
	Activity	and Benefits	Expenses	Capital Outlay		
Activity Classification	Code	(Obj 1000-3000)	(Obj 4000-5000)	(Obj 6000)		Total
Instructional Activities	1000-5900	\$ 6,201,622	\$ -	\$ -	\$	6,201,622
Total Expenditures for EPA		\$ 6,201,622	\$ -	\$ -	\$	6,201,622
Revenues Less Expenditures					\$	-

Total fund balance					
General Funds		\$	44,019,200		
Special Revenue	e Funds		3,594,993		
Capital Project	Funds		22,024,627		
Debt Service Fu	nds		4,716,573		
Proprietary Fun	ds		7,287,525		
Internal Service	Funds		127,970		
Total fund b	alance - all District funds			\$ ,	81,770,888
The District's investme	nt in the Santa Barbara County Treasurer's Investmen	t			
Pool is reported at fair	market value in the Statement of Net Position.				(4,246,385)
	deferred inflows of resources related to leases are lent of Net Position, but were note reported on report				
Lease receivables	•		223,563		
Deferred inflows of	resources related to leases		(220,559)		
Total					3,004
	use leased assets, and right-to-use subscription nemental activities are not financial resources				

and, therefore, are not reported as assets in governmental funds.	
The cost of capital assets is	243,263,384
Accumulated depreciation is	(108,329,504)
The cost of right-to-use leased assets is	898,238
Accumulated amortization is	(612,724)
The cost of right-to-use subscription IT assets is	747,284
Accumulated amortization is	(593,386)
Less: fixed assets already recorded in proprietary funds	(4,116,554)
	<u> </u>

Total capital assets, right-to-use leased assets, and right-to-use subscription IT assets, net

131,256,738

Deferred outflows of resources represent a consumption of net

position in a future period and is not reported in the District's funds.

Deferred outflows of resources at year-end consist of:

Deferred outflows of resources related to debt refunding

Deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB

380,078

Deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB 380,078
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions 27,271,353

Total deferred outflows of resources 30,039,518

In governmental funds, unmatured interest on long-term liabilities is recognized in the period when it is due. On the government-wide statements, unmatured interest on long-term liabilities is recognized when it is incurred.

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement

of Net Position are different because

(989, 167)

Reconciliation of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Net Position Year Ended June 30, 2023

Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in		
the current period and, therefore, are not reported as liabilities in the funds.		
Long-term liabilities at year end consist of:	d (50.075.500)	
General obligation bonds	\$ (58,275,593)	
Leases	(290,221)	
Subscription-based IT arrangements	(166,898)	
Compensated absences	(2,869,738)	
Load banking	(1,549,508)	
Supplemental Employee Retirement Plan	(1,410,543)	
Aggregate net other postemployment benefits (OPEB) liability	(6,634,173)	
Aggregate net pension liability	(88,164,253)	
Aggregate het pension hability	(88,104,233)	
Total long-term liabilities		\$ (159,360,927)
Deferred inflows of resources represent an acquisition of net position in a future period and is not reported in the District's funds. Deferred inflows of resources amount to and related to		
Deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB	(3,032,218)	
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions	(19,899,820)	
Total deferred inflows of resources		(22,932,038)
Total net position		\$ 55,541,631

#### Note 1 - Purpose of Schedules

#### **District Organization**

This schedule provides information about the District's governing board members, administration members, and auxiliary organizations in good standing as of June 30, 2023.

#### **Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards**

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of the District under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2023. The information is presented in accordance with the 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). 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, changes in net position, or cash flows of the District.

#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Expenditures reported in the Schedule are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting, except for subrecipient expenditures, which are reported on the cash basis. When applicable, 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.

#### **Indirect Cost Rate**

The District has not elected to use the 10% de minimis cost rate.

#### **Schedule of Expenditures of State Awards**

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of State Awards includes the state grant activity of the District and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the financial statements. The information in this schedule is presented to comply with reporting requirements of the California State Chancellor's Office.

#### Schedule of Workload Measures for State General Apportionment Annual (Actual) Attendance

FTES is a measurement of the number of students attending classes of the District. The purpose of attendance accounting from a fiscal standpoint is to provide the basis for making apportionments of State funds to community college districts. This schedule provides information regarding the attendance of students based on various methods of accumulating attendance data.

#### Reconciliation of Education Code Section 84362 (50 Percent Law) Calculation

ECS 84362 requires the District to expend a minimum of 50% of the unrestricted General Fund monies on salaries of classroom instructors. This is reported annually to the State Chancellor's Office. This schedule provides a reconciliation of the amount reported to the State Chancellor's Office and the impact of any audit adjustments and/or corrections noted during the audit.

#### Proposition 30 Education Protection Account (EPA) Expenditure Report

This schedule provides information about the District's EPA proceeds and summarizes the expenditures of EPA proceeds.

#### **Reconciliation of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Net Position**

This schedule provides a reconciliation of the adjustments necessary to bring the District's internal fund financial statements, prepared on a modified accrual basis, to the government-wide full accrual basis financial statements required under GASB Statements No. 34 and No. 35 business-type activities reporting model.



Independent Auditor's Reports June 30, 2023

# Santa Barbara Community College District



# Independent Auditor's 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

To the Board of Trustees Santa Barbara Community College District Santa Barbara, California

We have audited, 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 (*Government Auditing Standards*), the financial statements of the business-type activities of the Santa Barbara Community College District (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 7, 2023.

#### **Adoption of New Accounting Standard**

As discussed in Note 2 and Note 12 to the financial statements, the District has adopted the provisions of Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements, for the year ending June 30, 2023. Accordingly, a restatement has been made to the business-type activities net position as of July 1, 2022, to restate beginning net position. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

#### **Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the 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 opinion on the 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 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 or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified.

#### **Report on Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the 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*.

#### **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.

Rancho Cucamonga, California

Ede Sailly LLP

December 7, 2023



# Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program; Report on Internal Control over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance

To the Board of Trustees Santa Barbara Community College District Santa Barbara, California

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

#### Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Santa Barbara Community College District's (the District) compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit 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, 2023. 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.

In our opinion, the Santa Barbara Community College District complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023.

#### Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); 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). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with 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 opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

#### Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the District's federal programs.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the District's compliance based on our audit. 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, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the District's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

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

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, 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 District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in
  order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances 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 the District's internal control over
  compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

#### **Other Matters**

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed an instance of noncompliance, which is required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-001. Our opinion on each major federal program is not modified with respect to this matter.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the District's response to the noncompliance finding identified in our compliance audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The District's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

#### **Report on Internal Control over Compliance**

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we did identify a deficiency in internal control over compliance that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

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. We consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2023-001 to be a significant deficiency.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the District's response to the internal control over compliance findings identified in our compliance audit described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The District's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

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.

Rancho Cucamonga, California

Esde Sailly LLP

December 7, 2023



#### **Independent Auditor's Report on State Compliance**

To the Board of Trustees Santa Barbara Community College District Santa Barbara, California

#### **Report on State Compliance**

We have audited Santa Barbara Community College District's (the District) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the 2022-2023 California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office *Contracted District Audit Manual* applicable to the state laws and regulations listed in the table below for the year ended June 30, 2023.

#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the Santa Barbara Community College District complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that are applicable to the State programs noted in the table below that were audited for the year ended June 30, 2023.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the standards and procedures identified in the 2022-2023 California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office *Contracted District Audit Manual*. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with 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 opinion on state compliance with the compliance requirements subject to audit in the 2022-2023 California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office *Contracted District Audit Manual*. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

#### Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the District's compliance with the requirements listed in the table below.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements listed in the table below has occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the District's compliance based on our audit. 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, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the 2022-2023 California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office *Contracted District Audit Manual* will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the District's compliance with the requirements listed in the table below.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the 2022-2023 California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office *Contracted District Audit Manual*, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, 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 District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any material noncompliance with the requirements listed in the table below that we identified during the audit.

#### **Compliance Requirements Tested**

In connection with the audit referred to above, we selected and tested transactions and records to determine the District's compliance with State laws and regulations applicable to the following:

Section 411	SCFF Data Management Control Environment
Section 412	SCFF Supplemental Allocation Metrics
Section 413	SCFF Success Allocation Metrics
Section 421	Salaries of Classroom Instructors (50 Percent Law)
Section 423	Apportionment for Activities Funded From Other Sources
Section 424	Student Centered Funding Formula Base Allocation: FTES
Section 425	Residency Determination for Credit Courses
Section 426	Students Actively Enrolled
Section 427	Dual Enrollment (CCAP)
Section 430	Scheduled Maintenance Program
Section 431	Gann Limit Calculation
Section 444	Apprenticeship Related and Supplemental Instruction (RSI) Funds
Section 475	Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS)
Section 490	Proposition 1D and 51 State Bond Funded Projects
Section 491	Education Protection Account Funds
Section 492	Student Representation Fee
Section 494	State Fiscal Recovery Fund
Section 499	COVID-19 Response Block Grant Expenditures

The District reports no Apprenticeship Related and Supplemental Instruction (RSI) Funds; therefore, the compliance tests within this section were not applicable.

The State Fiscal Recovery Fund was included as a major federal program, as described in the summary of auditor's results; therefore, the compliance requirements within this section were not performed.

The purpose of this report on state compliance is solely to describe the results of our testing based on the requirements of the 2022-2023 California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office *Contracted District Audit Manual*. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Rancho Cucamonga, California

sde Sailly LLP

December 7, 2023



Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs June 30, 2023

# Santa Barbara Community College District

Type of auditor's report issued Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting

Material weaknesses identified

Significant deficiencies identified not considered

to be material weaknesses None Reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?

**Federal Awards** 

Internal control over major programs

Material weaknesses identified

Significant deficiencies identified not considered

to be material weaknesses Yes

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance

for major programs Unmodified

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Uniform Guidance 2 CFR 200.516(a)

Identification of major programs

Name of Federal Program or Cluster	Federal Financial Assistance Listing Number
Name of Federal Program of Cluster	reperal Financial Assistance Listing Number

No

No

Yes

Name of rederal Program of Cluster	
Student Financial Assistance Cluster	84.007, 84.033, 84.063, 84.268
COVID-19: Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds	21.027
Title III - STEM	84.031C
Restructuring to Innovate for Student Excellence (RISE)	84.031S
Student-Ready: Degree Completion for the Flexible Learner	84.031S
Title V - HSI La Experencia en SBCC	84.031S
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A	\$750,000
and type B programs	\$750,000
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	Yes
State Compliance	
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance	

for state programs

Unmodified

None reported.

The following finding represents a significant deficiency and instances of noncompliance including questioned costs that are required to be reported by the Uniform Guidance.

#### 2023-001 Allowable Costs & Activities

Program Name: Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds

**Assistance Listing Number: 21.027** 

Federal Agency: U.S. Department of the Treasury

Pass-Through Entity: California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office

#### **Criteria or Specific Requirements**

The Uniform Guidance Cost Principals described in 31 CFR Part 35, Subpart A, established the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (CSLFRF) to support governments in their response to and recovery from the COVID-19 public health emergency. As outlined in the Final Rule set forth by the U.S. Department of the Treasury, to identify eligible uses of funds, recipients should (1) identify a COVID-19 public health or economic impact on an individual or class (i.e., a group) and (2) design a program that responds to that impact. As a recipient of CSLFRF funding, the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) utilized the funding to provide emergency financial assistance grants to low-income students, enrolled at the California community colleges, who had been disproportionally impacted by the COVID-19 public health emergency. The CCCCO established the following eligibility criteria for students to receive CSLFRF grants:

- U.S. citizen or eligible non-citizen
- Current enrollment in credit or noncredit courses at a California community college
- Demonstrate an emergency financial aid need
- Qualify as low-income by meeting the requirements to receive a California College Promise Grant (CCPG) or is projected to receive a CCPG for the upcoming term

#### Condition

Significant Deficiency – The District disbursed CSLFRF grants to 2 ineligible students out of the 23 students tested.

#### **Questioned Costs**

During our testing, we identified that the District disbursed \$6,000 in CSLFRF to 2 ineligible students out of the 23 students tested.

#### Context

The District disbursed CSLFRF grants to 115 students during the fiscal year totaling \$336,724 in aid.

#### **Effect**

Without proper monitoring of the eligibility requirements set forth by the pass-through entity, the District is at risk of noncompliance with the above referenced criteria.

#### Cause

The District did not comply with the most up-to-date student eligibility requirements set forth by the California Community College Chancellor's Office.

#### Repeat Finding (Yes or No)

No.

#### Recommendation

It is recommended that District establish effective controls and procedures to ensure that funds are only being distributed to those who are eligible to receive CSFRF student aid.

#### Views of Responsible Officials and Corrective Action Plan

#### Response

Recovery Funds. The first set of guidelines were issued in March 2021. These first set of guidelines allowed undocumented students to receive the award. These are the guidelines that were used to award students monies from this fund.

During the audit, it was noted that SBCC incorrectly awarded undocumented students with monies from the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds. SBCC was not aware at the time of awarding these monies that a second guidance memo had been issued by the Community Colleges of California Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) on Friday, January 21,2022. The updated memo clearly stated that undocumented students were no longer eligible for these funds. SBCC had not updated its protocols to match the second memo due to staffing issues within the financial aid office. Specifically, the manager of the Financial Aid Office was out on disability leave from January 26 through September 28, 2022. However, no funds were awarded during this absence.

Within the new guidance, a new process stated how to corrects awards given to candidates originally eligible (undocumented students) under the first memo, but no longer eligible under the second memo. Per the second memo, any incorrectly awarded funds under the first policy were to be replaced with other funds that undocumented students are eligible to receive.

#### **Corrective Action Plan**

To correct the incorrect awarding of funds to ineligible candidates, SBCC cancelled the awards to now ineligible recipients of Early Action Fund (EMASS/SRFR) and replaced them with awards from AB19 monies, which were rolled over from 22-23. SBCC also used monies from remaining HEERF/CARES funds, which allowed for awards to undocumented students. In total, SBCC corrected 16 awards totaling \$48,000. SBCC's records now reflect that no undocumented students received Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds. Going forward, SBCC is now awarding under the correct guidelines. No further awards have been made to undocumented students. The fund is winding down and will be spent in full by the end of the 23-24 fiscal year.

### Santa Barbara Community College District State Compliance Findings and Questioned Costs Year Ended June 30, 2023

None reported.

# Santa Barbara Community College District Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings Year Ended June 30, 2023

There were no audit findings reported in the prior year's Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.