

***Holyoke School District RE-1J***  
**Holyoke, Colorado**

**Financial Statements**

**For the Year ended June 30, 2014**

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## **Independent Auditors' Report**

Board of Education  
Holyoke School District RE-1J  
Holyoke, Colorado

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

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Holyoke School District RE-1J (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

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

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

### **Auditors' Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

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

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

**Opinions**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District as of June 30, 2014, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

**Emphasis of Matter**

As described in Note M to the financial statements, in fiscal year 2014, the District adopted new accounting guidance, GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

**Other Matters***Required Supplementary Information*

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information listed in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

*Other Information*

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The other supplementary 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. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the other supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

*Lauer, Szabo & Associates, P.C.*

Sterling, Colorado  
December 4, 2014

**Holyoke School District Re-1J**  
Management's Discussion and Analysis  
Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2014

As management of the Holyoke School District Re-1J (the District), we offer readers of the District's basic financial statements this narrative and analysis of the financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2014. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information provided by auditors in the Independent Auditor's Report.

**Profile of the District**

The District boundaries are within Phillips, Sedgwick and Yuma Counties. The District provided a full range of K-12 educational school programs and services for a student body of 568 students during the school year. The school year is a traditional calendar with five attendance days per week starting in late August and ending in late May.

The District is governed by a seven-member Board of Education (the Board), whose members are elected by the electors within the District's boundaries. These Board members are not compensated; they donate their time and services. There are two school campuses in the District, one administration building, and a bus garage.

**Overall Factors Affecting Financial Conditions**

Regarding revenue, the financial crunch that has affected the state of Colorado in all areas continues. With the approval of the School Finance Act in May of 2010, the State made significant cuts to K-12 education. This underfunding of the school finance act is now called the Negative Factor. For our district, in Fiscal Year 2014, the Negative Factor was \$738,768. A five year decline of this magnitude has created significant constraints on the district. 2013-14 had an increase in per pupil revenue from \$6,798 in 2012-13 to \$6,971 per student for an increase in state funding of \$45,346 which was offset with additional property taxes and specific ownership taxes received for the year.

The District is also required to fund increases to the employer's contribution for PERA (Public Employees' Retirement Association), which will continue to increase 0.9% each year for the foreseeable future. The average contribution rate for 2013-14 was 17%.

**Financial Highlights**

The fund balance for the general fund decreased from the beginning of the year by \$68,735. Even though the district has approved the use of a portion of the fund balance in the FY-07 through FY-14 Budgets, the fund balance has remained above the target established by the Board of Education due to many tough choices. While the District anticipated a reduction of the Ending Fund Balance by \$130,000, revenues were higher than expected and expenses came in \$14,953 below what was budgeted.

The District has experienced many years of tough budget climates due to declining enrollment and this year was no difference. Notable budget decisions included:

- Funding steps, PERA increases, and health insurance increases have been the most challenging budgetary issues and are likely to be our top concerns in the near future as well.
- Employees did receive step increases and movement on the salary scale for continuing education credits, but no other changes to the salary schedule.
- Class sizes were lowered K-2 by reallocating reading specialist positions and changing the Title I program from targeted assistance to school wide.
- The mill levy override and the approval of BEST grants have allowed the District to meet its capital obligations while dealing with a large negative factor in school finance. Aside from these additional funds, there is little new spending, only tradeoffs within an already tight budget.

### **Cash Management Practices**

The District places cash that is not needed in the current month in a money market account at Bank of Colorado with an AYP of .75% for the year. The District budgeted \$10,000 in interest income and actual interest revenues were \$4,045. The District continues to monitor interest rates within the local area for better investment opportunities, but as interest rates continue to decline for public funds the District will adjust interest revenue accordingly.

### **Overview of Financial Statements**

The basic statements are comprised of three components:

1. Government-wide financial statements
2. Fund financial statements
3. Notes to the financial statements

**Government-Wide Financial Statements.** The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the District's finances. These are presented in a similar format to those of a publicly held company.

The *statement of net position*, presents information on all the District's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two being reported as *net position*. Current year totals are compared to the previous year. Over a period of time, the increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District is improving or declining.

The *statement of activities*, presents information on revenue and expenditures and how the District's net position changed during the year. All changes in net position are reported in the year they occur regardless of the timing of the cash in or cash out. Therefore, revenues may be reported that will actually not be received until after the year end and expenditures may be reported that will not be paid until after the year has ended.

Both of these government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the District that are principally supported by taxes and equalization funding from other functions that are intended to recover all or significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the District include instruction and support services. The business-type activity of this District is the school lunch services.



**Fund Financial Statements.** A fund is a group of related accounts that are used to maintain control over resources that are to be used for specific purposes. The funds for the District are divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds.

**Governmental Funds.** Most of the District's basic services are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. The funds are reported using an accounting method called *modified accrual accounting*, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental funds statements provide a detailed short-term view to cash, the governmental fund operations and the basic services provided. The information for governmental funds helps you see if the District has enough financial resources for the programs the District needs. We describe the relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds in reconciliation at the bottom of the fund financial statements.

The primary governmental fund is the General Fund. Most of the transactions for the day-to-day operations of the District flow through the General Fund. The District has two other governmental funds: the Bond Redemption and the Construction Fund was added this year to accommodate activities related to the BEST Grant renovation projects. The Capital Reserve Fund and Student Athletic Fund were combined into the general fund at the end of the 2008-2009 year.

**Proprietary Funds.** Proprietary funds provide the same type of information as the government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The District has one proprietary fund, the School Lunch Fund. All revenues and expenses for providing a lunch and breakfast program to the students flow through these accounts.

**Fiduciary Funds.** Fiduciary funds are funds that are held in trust for uses other than to support the District's programs. The Scholarship Fund is an example of that type of fund.

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 25 through 45 of this report.

### **Financial Analysis of the School's Funds**

#### **General Fund**

The General Fund is the primary operating fund of the District. At the end of the current fiscal year the unreserved fund balance of the general fund was \$1,328,998. This decrease was planned after careful consideration and input from the District Budget and Facilities Committee. The District also plans on utilizing fund balance as revenue in FY-15 and will have to carefully monitor it as we continue to try to keep our level of programming at a high level as the District continues to face a large negative factor and a small decrease in enrollment.

**Net Position**

The Net Position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the Holyoke School District, assets exceeded liabilities by \$7,754,808.

**Net Position**

	FY-2013 Governmental Activities	FY-2013 Business- type Activities	FY-2013 Total	FY-2014 Government al Activities	FY-2014 Business- type Activities	FY-2014 Total
Current and other assets	2,417,854	856	2,418,710	2,284,224	7,298	2,291,522
Capital assets	8,240,867	21,214	8,262,081	8,628,126	18,484	8,646,610
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>10,658,721</b>	<b>22,070</b>	<b>10,680,791</b>	<b>10,912,350</b>	<b>25,782</b>	<b>10,938,132</b>
Long-term liabilities outstanding	2,642,179	0	2,642,179	2,685,548	0	2,685,548
Other liabilities	749,323	0	749,323	493,799	3,977	497,776
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>3,391,502</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>3,391,502</b>	<b>3,179,347</b>	<b>3,977</b>	<b>3,183,324</b>
<b>NET Position</b>						
Net Investment in capital assets	5,358,070	21,214	5,379,284	6,083,697	18,484	6,102,181
Restricted for:						
Emergencies	149,782	0	149,782	160,000	0	160,000
CPP	205,148	0	205,148	3,244	0	3,244
Debt service	325,353	0	325,353	381,173	0	381,173
Unrestricted	1,228,866	856	1,229,722	1,104,889	3,321	1,108,210
<b>TOTAL NET POSITION</b>	<b>7,267,219</b>	<b>20,070</b>	<b>7,289,289</b>	<b>7,733,003</b>	<b>21,805</b>	<b>7,754,808</b>

### **Changes in Net Position**

The Net Position for governmental activities increased \$496,665 largely due to the all-weather track project. The Net Position for business-type activities decreased \$265.

	FY-2013 Governmental Activities	FY-2013 Business- type Activities	FY-2013 Total	FY-2014 Governmental Activities	FY-2014 Business- type Activities	FY-2014 Total
<b><u>Revenue</u></b>						
Program revenues:						
Property Taxes-General	1,749,204	0	1,749,204	2,058,432	0	2,058,432
Property Taxes-Debt Service	215,194	0	215,194	253,540	0	253,540
Specific ownership taxes	256,802	0	256,802	325,087	0	325,087
State equalization	2,459,816	0	2,459,816	2,258,970	0	2,258,970
Other revenue	616,852	206,590	823,442	104,653	0	104,653
Investment earnings	6,230	12	6,242	4,175	14	4,189
Transfers	(5,000)	5,000	0	(10,000)	10,000	0
Total Revenues	5,569,098	216,614	5,785,712	4,994,857	10,014	5,004,871
Expenses:						
Instruction	3,285,728	0	3,285,728	2,815,403	0	2,815,403
Supporting services	2,026,350	224,822	2,251,172	1,582,702	-10,279	1,572,423
Interest	110,406	0	110,406	100,087	0	100,087
Total Expenses	5,422,484	224,822	5,647,306	4,498,192	-10,279	4,508,471
Increase in net position	146,614	(8,208)	138,406	496,665	-265	496,400
Net Position - Beginning	7,120,605	30,278	7,150,883	7,236,338	20,070	7,258,408
Net Position - Ending	7,267,219	20,070	7,289,289	7,733,003	21,805	7,754,808

## **Capital Assets and Debt Administration**

### **Capital Assets**

By the end of the fiscal year 2014, the District had invested \$8.62 million in a broad range of capital assets including land, buildings, site improvements, vehicles and other equipment. The increase accounts for approximately \$726,000 of construction projects, of which the track made up the majority of that cost. In the previous year, we had over \$900,000 related to the BEST Grant renovation at the Elementary and High School buildings that have been completed. Maintaining facilities has been a priority of the District even during difficult financial times, and with the support of grants we have made significant improvements. Additional information on the District's capital assets can be found in the "Notes to the Financial Statements" on Pages 38 and 39.

### **Long-Term Debt**

The District continues to make payments on the 1997 general obligation bonds. Principal and interest payments made in this year amounted to \$194,128. In addition to the bonds, the Board entered into a nine year lease purchase agreement for our local match for a BEST Grant and will pay \$210,433 per year through 2020 bringing the total annual payment toward long-term debt to \$404,561. Additional information on the District's long-term debt can be found in the "Notes to the Financial Statements" on Pages 39 through 41.

### **A Look into the Economic Future**

At the time this letter is written the final budget for fiscal year 2015 has been approved and almost one half of the budget year is gone. As this year is being closed out, we are planning for the development of the 2015-16 Budget which is projected to include an increase of \$503 in per pupil funding which will provide an increase of \$282,400 in total program funding.

October 2014 enrollment shows an increase of 25 students. However, the five year look is much more steady than the declining enrollment the District experienced from 2000-2009. The school population continues to change with more students eligible for free or reduced price lunches, more ethnic diversity, and more students who have a home language other than English. These challenges and the implementation of several reforms including graduation requirements, all bring instructional and budgetary challenges that will need to be addressed.

### **Information is Available**

The financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to:

Holyoke School District Re-1J  
Administration Office  
435 S Morlan  
Holyoke, CO 80734

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## **Basic Financial Statements**

The basic financial statements of the District include the following:

*Government-wide financial statements.* The government-wide statements display information about the reporting government as a whole, except for its fiduciary activities.

*Fund financial statements.* The fund financial statements display information about major funds individually and nonmajor funds in the aggregate for governmental and enterprise funds.

*Notes to the financial statements.* The notes communicate information essential for fair presentation of the financial statements that is not displayed on the face of the financial statements. As such, the notes are an integral part of the basic financial statements.

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Net Position**  
**June 30, 2014**

	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
<b>Assets</b>			
Cash	\$ 1,661,273	\$ 21,935	\$ 1,683,208
Cash with fiscal agent	373,802		373,802
Internal balances	25,000	(25,000)	-
Receivables	190,680	3,574	194,254
Inventory		6,789	6,789
Capital assets, net of depreciation	8,628,126	18,484	8,646,610
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>10,878,881</b>	<b>25,782</b>	<b>10,904,663</b>
<b>Deferred outflows of resources</b>			
Deferred charges on refundings of bonds	33,469		33,469
<b>Total assets and deferred outflows of resources</b>	<b>\$ 10,912,350</b>	<b>\$ 25,782</b>	<b>\$ 10,938,132</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
Accounts payable	\$ 75,629	\$ 3,977	\$ 79,606
Accrued salaries and benefits	382,478		382,478
Payroll deductions	530		530
Accrued interest payable	35,162		35,162
<b>Noncurrent liabilities</b>			
Due within one year	314,263		314,263
Due in more than one year	2,371,285		2,371,285
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>3,179,347</b>	<b>3,977</b>	<b>3,183,324</b>
<b>Net position</b>			
Net investment in capital assets	6,083,697	18,484	6,102,181
<b>Restricted for:</b>			
Emergencies	160,000		160,000
Colorado Preschool Program	3,244		3,244
Debt service	381,173		381,173
Unrestricted	1,104,889	3,321	1,108,210
<b>Total net position</b>	<b>7,733,003</b>	<b>21,805</b>	<b>7,754,808</b>
<b>Total liabilities and net position</b>	<b>\$ 10,912,350</b>	<b>\$ 25,782</b>	<b>\$ 10,938,132</b>

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

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**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Activities**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Expenses	Program Revenues		
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions
Governmental activities				
Instruction	\$ 3,315,960	\$ 53,274	\$ 447,283	
Supporting services				
Students	107,953			
Instructional staff	68,443		2,514	
General administration	261,946			
School administration	246,273			
Business services	125,824			
Operations and maintenance	607,656			
Student transportation	281,476	4,053	66,746	
Central support services	137,057			
Facilities acquisition				\$ 497,113
Unallocated depreciation *	316,500			
Interest and fiscal charges	100,087			
Total governmental activities	5,569,175	57,327	516,543	497,113
Business-type activities				
Nutrition services	212,551	65,595	136,677	
Total school district	\$ 5,781,726	\$ 122,922	\$ 653,220	\$ 497,113

General revenues  
 Taxes  
 Property taxes, levied for general purposes  
 Property taxes, levied for debt service  
 Specific ownership taxes  
 Delinquent taxes and interest  
 Sale of assets  
 State categorical aid  
 Earnings on investments  
 Other  
 Transfers

Total general revenues

Change in net position

\* This amount excludes depreciation that is included in the direct expenses of the various programs.

Net position at beginning of year, as originally reported

Prior period adjustment

Net position at beginning of year, as restated

Net position at end of year

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

Net (Expenses) Revenues and  
Changes in Net Position

Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
\$ (2,815,403)		\$ (2,815,403)
(107,953)		(107,953)
(65,929)		(65,929)
(261,946)		(261,946)
(246,273)		(246,273)
(125,824)		(125,824)
(607,656)		(607,656)
(210,677)		(210,677)
(137,057)		(137,057)
497,113		497,113
(316,500)		(316,500)
(100,087)		(100,087)
(4,498,192)	\$ -	(4,498,192)
	(10,279)	(10,279)
(4,498,192)	(10,279)	(4,508,471)
2,058,432		2,058,432
253,540		253,540
325,087		325,087
4,748		4,748
5,250		5,250
2,258,970		2,258,970
4,175	14	4,189
94,655		94,655
(10,000)	10,000	-
4,994,857	10,014	5,004,871
496,665	(265)	496,400
7,267,219	22,070	7,289,289
(30,881)		(30,881)
7,236,338	22,070	7,258,408
<u>\$ 7,733,003</u>	<u>\$ 21,805</u>	<u>\$ 7,754,808</u>

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Balance Sheet**  
**Governmental Funds**  
**June 30, 2014**

	General Fund	Bond Redemption Fund	Building Fund	Total Governmental Funds
<b>Assets</b>				
Cash	\$ 1,659,444		\$ 1,829	\$ 1,661,273
Cash with fiscal agent	6,513	\$ 367,289		373,802
Due from other funds	25,000	5,172		30,172
Other receivables	8,089			8,089
Grants receivables			23,516	23,516
Property taxes receivable	141,573	17,502		159,075
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$ 1,840,619</b>	<b>\$ 389,963</b>	<b>\$ 25,345</b>	<b>\$ 2,255,927</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>				
Accounts payable	\$ 52,127		\$ 23,502	\$ 75,629
Due to other funds	5,172			5,172
Accrued salaries and benefits	382,478			382,478
Payroll deductions	530			530
<b>Total liabilities</b>	<b>440,307</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>23,502</b>	<b>463,809</b>
<b>Deferred inflows of resources</b>				
Deferred property tax revenues	71,314	8,790		80,104
<b>Total deferred inflows of resources</b>	<b>71,314</b>	<b>8,790</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>80,104</b>
<b>Fund balance</b>				
Restricted for:				
Emergencies	160,000			160,000
Colorado Preschool Program	3,244			3,244
Debt service		381,173		381,173
Committed for capital projects			1,843	1,843
Unassigned	1,165,754			1,165,754
<b>Total fund balance</b>	<b>1,328,998</b>	<b>381,173</b>	<b>1,843</b>	<b>1,712,014</b>
<b>Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balance</b>	<b>\$ 1,840,619</b>	<b>\$ 389,963</b>	<b>\$ 25,345</b>	<b>\$ 2,255,927</b>

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

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**

**Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Net Position  
June 30, 2014**

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

Total fund balance - governmental funds	\$ 1,712,014
Capital used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported as assets in governmental funds.	8,628,126
Property taxes receivable will be collected this year, but are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds.	80,104
Accrued interest on long-term debt is not due and payable in the current period and therefore is not reported as a liability in the funds.	(35,162)
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds.	<u>(2,652,079)</u>
Net position of the governmental activities	<u>\$ 7,733,003</u>

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance**  
**Governmental Funds**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	General Fund	Bond Redemption Fund	Building Fund	Total Governmental Funds
<b>Revenues</b>				
Local sources	\$ 2,520,025	\$ 250,597	\$ 473,700	\$ 3,244,322
Intermediate sources	146			146
State sources	2,625,620		23,516	2,649,136
Federal sources	149,893			149,893
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>5,295,684</b>	<b>250,597</b>	<b>497,216</b>	<b>6,043,497</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>				
Instruction	3,333,192			3,333,192
Supporting services	1,816,035			1,816,035
Capital outlay			700,521	700,521
Debt service				
Principal retirement	164,078	140,000		304,078
Interest and fiscal charges	46,364	54,777		101,141
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>5,359,669</b>	<b>194,777</b>	<b>700,521</b>	<b>6,254,967</b>
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	(63,985)	55,820	(203,305)	(211,470)
<b>Other financing sources (uses)</b>				
Transfers out	(10,000)			(10,000)
Sale of fixed assets	5,250			5,250
<b>Total other financing sources (uses)</b>	<b>(4,750)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(4,750)</b>
Excess of revenues and other sources over (under) expenditures and other (uses)	(68,735)	55,820	(203,305)	(216,220)
Fund balance at beginning of year	1,397,733	325,353	205,148	1,928,234
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 1,328,998</u>	<u>\$ 381,173</u>	<u>\$ 1,843</u>	<u>\$ 1,712,014</u>

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

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances**  
**of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

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

Net change in fund balance - governmental funds	\$ (216,220)
Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, for governmental activities, those costs are shown in the statement of net position and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expense in the statement of activities. This is the amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation expense in the current period.	383,957
Because some property taxes will not be collected for several months after the fiscal year ends, they are not considered as "available" revenues in the governmental funds and are, instead, counted as deferred tax revenues. They are, however, recorded as revenues in the statement of activities.	27,093
In the statement of activities, certain expenses - compensated absences, early retirement and interest - are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures for these items are measured by the amount of financial resources used. (essentially, the amounts actually paid).	(2,243)
Repayment of principal on general obligation bonds are expenditures in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces the long-term debt liability in the statement of net position.	<u>304,078</u>
Change in net position of governmental activities	<u><u>\$ 496,665</u></u>

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Net Position**  
**Proprietary Funds**  
**June 30, 2014**

	Business-type Activities
	Food Service Fund
Assets	
Current assets	
Cash	\$ 21,935
Other receivables	3,574
Inventory	6,789
Total current assets	32,298
Machinery and equipment	105,423
Less accumulated depreciation	(86,939)
Total machinery and equipment, net	18,484
Total assets	<u>\$ 50,782</u>
Liabilities and net assets	
Liabilities	
Accounts payable	\$ 3,977
Due to other funds	25,000
Total liabilities	28,977
Net position	
Net investment in capital assets	18,484
Unrestricted	3,321
Total net position	21,805
Total liabilities and net position	<u>\$ 50,782</u>

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**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position**  
**Proprietary Fund**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Business-type Activities
	Food Service Fund
Operating revenues	
Charges for services	\$ 65,595
Operating expenses	
Purchased services	113,595
Supplies and materials	95,308
Property	309
Depreciation	2,730
Other	609
Total operating expenses	<u>212,551</u>
Operating loss	(146,956)
Nonoperating revenues	
Federal and state aid	136,677
Earnings on investments	14
Total nonoperating revenues	<u>136,691</u>
Loss before transfers	(10,265)
Transfers in	<u>10,000</u>
Change in net position	(265)
Net position at beginning of year	<u>22,070</u>
Net position at end of year	<u><u>\$ 21,805</u></u>

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**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Cash Flows**  
**Proprietary Funds**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Business-type Activities
	Food Service Fund
Cash flows from operating activities	
Receipts from customers	\$ 62,488
Internal activity - receipts from other funds	20,000
Payments to suppliers	<u>(195,101)</u>
Net cash used by operating activities	(112,613)
Cash flows from noncapital financing activities	
Federal and state aid	120,920
Transfers in	<u>10,000</u>
Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities	130,920
Cash flows from investing activities	
Earnings on investments	<u>14</u>
Net cash provided by investing activities	<u>14</u>
Net increase in cash	18,321
Cash at beginning of year	<u>3,614</u>
Cash at end of year	<u><u>\$ 21,935</u></u>
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used by operating activities	
Operating loss	\$ (146,956)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used by operating activities	
Depreciation	2,730
Commodities	15,757
Changes in assets and liabilities	
Accounts receivable	(3,107)
Inventory	(5,014)
Accounts payable	3,977
Due to other funds	<u>20,000</u>
Net cash used by operating activities	<u><u>\$ (112,613)</u></u>

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

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Fiduciary Net Position**  
**Fiduciary Funds**  
**June 30, 2014**

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	Private Purpose Trust Fund	Agency Fund
Assets		
Cash	\$ 382,884	\$ 53,402
Total assets	<u>\$ 382,884</u>	<u>\$ 53,402</u>
Liabilities		
Due to student groups	<u>                    </u>	\$ 53,402
Total liabilities	\$ -	<u>\$ 53,402</u>
Net position		
Held in trust for scholarships	<u>382,884</u>	
Total liabilities and net position	<u>\$ 382,884</u>	

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

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position - Private Purpose Trust Fund**  
**Fiduciary Funds**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Private Purpose Trust Fund
Additions	
Earnings on investments	\$       630
Contributions	<u>53,700</u>
Total additions	54,330
Deductions	
Scholarship awards	<u>21,215</u>
Total deductions	<u>21,215</u>
Change in net position	33,115
Net position at beginning of year	<u>349,769</u>
Net position at end of year	<u><u>\$ 382,884</u></u>

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

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies**

This summary of the Holyoke School District RE-1J's significant accounting policies is presented to assist the reader in interpreting the financial statements and other data in this report. The policies are considered essential and should be read in conjunction with the accompanying financial statements.

The financial statements of the District have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as applied to local government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial principles. The more significant of the District's accounting policies are described below.

**A.1 – Reporting entity**

The Holyoke School District RE-1J is a school district governed by an elected seven-member board of education. The financial reporting entity consists of (1) the primary government, (2) organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable, and (3) other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The reporting entity's financial statements should present the funds of the primary government (including its blended component units, which are, in substance, part of the primary government) and provide an overview of the discretely presented component units.

The District has examined other entities that could be included as defined in number 2 and 3 above. Based on these criteria, the District has no component units.

**A.2 – Fund accounting**

The District uses funds to report its financial position and results of operations. Fund accounting is designed to demonstrate legal compliance and to aid financial management by segregating transactions related to certain government functions or activities. A fund is a separate accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts.

Funds are classified into three categories: governmental, proprietary and fiduciary. Each category, in turn, is divided into separate "fund types."

Governmental funds are used to account for all or most of a government's general activities, including the collection and disbursement of earmarked funds (special revenue funds), and the servicing of general long-term debt (debt service fund). The following are the District's major governmental funds:

General Fund – The General Fund is the operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. Major revenue sources include local property taxes, specific ownership taxes, and

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

State of Colorado equalization funding, as determined by the School Finance Act of 1994, as amended.

Expenditures include all costs associated with the daily operation of the schools, except for certain capital outlay expenditures, debt service, food service operations, scholarships and pupil activities.

Bond Redemption Fund – This fund is a debt service fund used to account for the revenues from a specific tax levy for the purpose of the repayment of debt principal, interest and other fiscal charges.

Building Fund – This fund is a capital projects fund used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds and trust funds). Revenues and other financing sources are primarily derived from the issuance of debt or transfers from other funds.

Proprietary funds focus on the determination of the changes in net position, financial position and cash flows and are classified as either enterprise or internal service. Enterprise funds may be used to account for any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods or services. The following is the District's major proprietary fund:

Food Service Fund – This fund is an enterprise fund used to account for the financial activities associated with the District's food service operations.

Fiduciary Funds focus on net position and changes in net position. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private-purpose trust funds and agency funds. Trust funds are used to account for assets held by the District under a trust agreement for individuals, private organizations or other governments and are therefore not available to support the District's own programs. Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve the measurement of results of operations. The District has the following fiduciary funds:

Scholarship Trust Fund – This fund is a private-purpose trust fund used to account for resources held by the District in a fiduciary capacity for scholarships to be distributed to area students for post-secondary education.

Pupil Activity Agency Fund – This fund is an agency fund used to record transactions related to school-sponsored pupil organizations and activities.

**Note A.3 – Basis of presentation**

Government-wide financial statements – The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government except for fiduciary funds. The statements

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Notes to Financial Statements**

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

distinguish between those activities of the District that are governmental and those that are considered business-type activities.

The government-wide statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. This is the same approach used in the preparation of the proprietary fund financial statements but differs from the manner in which governmental fund financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include reconciliations with a brief explanation to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the statements for governmental funds.

The government-wide statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each segment of the business-type activities of the District and for each function or program of the District's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program and grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues, which are not classified as program revenues, are presented as general revenues of the District, with certain limited exceptions. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each business segment or governmental function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the District.

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. All governmental fund types are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources management focus. The financial statements for governmental funds are a balance sheet, which generally includes only current assets and current liabilities, and a statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance, which reports the sources (revenues and other financing sources) and uses (expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources.

All proprietary fund types are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operations of these funds are included on the statement of net position. The statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net position presents increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in net total assets. The statement of cash flows provides information about how the District finances and meets the cash flow needs of its proprietary activities.

Fiduciary funds focus on net position and changes in net position and are reported using accounting principles similar to proprietary funds. The District's fiduciary funds are presented in the fiduciary fund financial statements by type (private-purpose trust and agency). Since by definition these assets are being held for the benefit of a third party and

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

cannot be used to address the activities or obligations of the District, these funds are not incorporated into the government-wide financial statements.

**A.4 – Basis of accounting**

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Proprietary and fiduciary funds also use the accrual basis of accounting.

Revenues – exchange and non-exchange transactions – Revenues resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, are recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenues are recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the District, available means expected to be received within sixty days of fiscal year-end.

Fund financial statements – Fund financial statements report detailed information about the District. The focus of governmental and enterprise fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. Fiduciary funds are reported by fund type.

Nonexchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenues from property taxes are recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. State equalization monies are recognized as revenues during the period in which they are appropriated. Revenues from grants, entitlements and donations are recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from nonexchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year-end: property taxes collected within sixty days after year-end, interest, tuition, grants and student fees.

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

Unearned revenue – Unearned revenues arise when potential revenue does not meet both the “measurable” and “available” criteria for recognition in the current period. Unearned revenues also arise when resources are received by the District before it has a legal claim to them, as when grant monies are received prior to meeting eligibility requirements. In subsequent periods, when both revenue recognition criteria are met, or when the District has a legal claim to the resources, the liability for unearned revenue is removed and the revenue is recognized.

Deferred outflows/inflows of resources - In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The government has one item that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, deferred charges on refunding of bonds, is reported on the statement of net position.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The government has only one type of item that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, deferred property tax revenues, is reported on the governmental funds balance sheet. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period for which they are levied and that the amounts become available.

Expenses/expenditures – On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The fair value of donated commodities used during the year is reported in the statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net position as an expense with a like amount reported as revenue.

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in the governmental funds.

**A.5 – Encumbrances**

Encumbrance accounting is utilized by the District to record purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of monies to assure effective budgetary control and accountability. Encumbrances outstanding at year-end are canceled and reappropriated in the ensuing year’s budget.



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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

**A.6 – Cash and cash equivalents**

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, the District considers all highly liquid debt instruments with an original maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

**A.7 – Short-term interfund receivables/payables**

During the course of operations, numerous transactions occur between individual funds for goods provided or services rendered. These receivables and payables are classified as internal balances on the government-wide statement of net position, and are classified as due from other funds or due to other funds on the balance sheet.

**A.8 – Inventories**

Food Service Fund – purchased inventories are stated at cost as determined by the first-in, first-out method. Commodity inventories are stated at the United States Department of Agriculture's assigned values, which approximate fair value, at the date of receipt. Expenses for food items are recorded when consumed. The federal government donates surplus commodities to the national school lunch program. Commodity distributions used by the District are recorded as nonoperating revenues at the date of their consumption.

**A.9 – Capital assets**

General capital assets are those assets not specifically related to activities reported in the proprietary funds. These assets generally result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net position, but are not reported in the fund financial statements. Capital assets utilized by the proprietary funds are reported both in the business-type activities column of the government-wide statement of net position and in the respective fund financial statements.

All capital assets with a unit cost greater than \$5,000 for the governmental activities and \$1,000 for the business-type activities and proprietary funds are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost, if actual cost is not available) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair value on the date received. Infrastructure assets, consisting of certain improvements other than buildings (such as parking facilities, sidewalks, landscaping and lighting systems) are capitalized along with other capital assets.

Improvements to assets are capitalized; the cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the life of the asset are not. All reported capital assets are depreciated with the exception of land costs. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets.

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>
Buildings and improvements	20-50 years	n/a
Furniture and equipment	5-25 years	5-25 years
Licensed vehicles	7-10 years	n/a

**A.10 – Compensated absences**

The District reports compensated absences in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, “Accounting for Compensated Absences.” Compensated absences benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees’ rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that the District will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means. Accumulated sick leave benefits are paid to employees upon termination of employment.

Certain personnel and full-time employees receive up to two days of sick leave each year. Upon leaving the District, instructional staff are to be paid for up to twenty days of accumulated days at the current one-day substitute’s rate and administrative staff is to be paid for up to twenty days of accumulated days at 60% of the current one-day substitute’s rate. In addition, accumulated vacation days are to be paid to administrative staff upon leaving the District at their daily rate.

The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements. For governmental fund financial statements, the current portion of unpaid compensated absences is the amount expected to be paid using expendable available resources. These amounts, if any are recorded in the account “accrued compensated absences” in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated unpaid leave are paid. The noncurrent portion of the liability is not reported. In proprietary funds, the entire amount of the compensated absences is reported as a fund liability.

The amount recorded as liabilities for all applicable compensated absences include salary-related payments associated with the payment of compensated absences, using the rate in effect at the balance sheet date.

**A.11 – Accrued liabilities and long-term obligations**

All payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements, and all payables, accrued liabilities and long-term obligations payable from proprietary funds are reported on the proprietary fund financial statements.

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

In general, payables and accrued liabilities that will be paid from governmental funds are reported on the governmental fund financial statements regardless of whether they will be liquidated with current resources. However, the noncurrent portion of compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they will be paid with current, expendable, available financial resources. Bonds payable and other long-term obligations that will be paid from governmental funds are not recognized as a liability in the fund financial statements until due. Bond premiums and discounts, issuance costs and amounts deferred upon refunding are amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method.

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

**A.12 – Fund balance reserves**

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has issued Statement No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*. This Statement defines the different types of fund balances that a governmental entity must use for financial reporting purposes.

GASB 54 requires the fund balance amounts to be properly reported within one of the fund balance categories listed below.

*Nonspendable*, such as fund balance associated with inventories, prepaid expenditures, long-term loans and notes receivable, and property held for resale (unless the proceeds are restricted, committed or assigned),

*Restricted* fund balance category includes amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation.

*Committed* fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the board of education (the District's highest level of decision-making authority),

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

*Assigned* fund balance classification are intended to be used by the government for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed, and

*Unassigned* fund balance is the residual classification for the District's general fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications.

Committed fund balance is established by a formal passage of a resolution. This is typically done through the adoption and amendment of the budget. A fund balance commitment is further indicated in the budget document as a designation or commitment of the fund. Assigned fund balance is established by the board of education through adoption or amendment of the budget as intended for specific purpose (such as purchase of fixed assets, construction, debt service or for other purposes).

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available in governmental funds, the District applies expenditures against restricted fund balance first, and followed by committed fund balance, assigned fund balance and unassigned fund balance.

**A.13 – Net position**

Net position represents the difference between assets and liabilities. 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 liabilities imposed on their 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 applies restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position is available.

**A.14 – Operating revenues and expenses**

Operating revenues are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activity of the proprietary funds. For the District, these revenues are sales for food service. Operating expenses are necessary costs incurred to provide the goods or services that are the primary activity of the fund. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

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**Note A – Summary of significant accounting policies (Continued)**

**A.15 – Interfund transactions**

Quasi-external transactions are accounted for as revenues, expenditures or expenses. Transactions that constitute reimbursements to a fund for expenditures/expenses initially made from it that are properly applicable to another fund, are recorded as expenditures/expenses in the reimbursing fund and as reductions of expenditures/expenses in the fund that is reimbursed. All other interfund transactions, except quasi-external transactions and reimbursements, are reported as transfers. In general, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

**A.16 – Extraordinary and special items**

Extraordinary items are transactions or events that are both unusual in nature and infrequent in occurrence. Special items are transactions or events that are within the control of the board of education and that are either unusual in nature or infrequent in occurrence. Neither type of transaction occurred during the year.

**Note B – Cash and investments**

**Cash and deposits**

Colorado State statutes govern the District's deposit of cash. The Public Deposit Protection Acts (PDPA) for banks and savings and loans require state regulators to certify eligible depositories for public deposits. The PDPA require eligible depositories with public deposits in excess of federal insurance levels to create a single institution collateral pool of defined eligible assets. Eligible collateral includes obligations of the United States, obligations of the State of Colorado or Colorado local governments and obligations secured by first lien mortgages on real property located in the state. The pool is to be maintained by another institution or held in trust for all uninsured public deposits as a group and not held in any individual government's name. The fair value of the assets in the pool must be at least equal to 102% of the aggregate uninsured deposits.

Custodial credit risk – deposits – Custodial credit risk 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 deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of year-end, the District had total deposits of \$2,086,428 of which \$331,638 was insured and \$1,754,790 was collateralized with securities held by the pledging institution's trust department or agent in the District's name.

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**Note B – Cash and investments (Continued)**

**Investments**

Authorized Investments – Investment policies are governed by Colorado State Statutes and the District’s own investment policies and procedures. Investments of the District may include:

- Obligations of the United States Government such as treasury bills, notes and bonds
- Certain international agency securities
- General obligation and revenue bonds of United States local government entities
- Bankers acceptances of certain banks
- Commercial paper
- Local government investment pools
- Written repurchase agreements collateralized by certain authorized securities
- Certain money market funds
- Guaranteed investment contracts

At year-end the District had the following investments. The investment in Piper Jaffray is maintained in the Scholarship Trust Fund.

<u>Investment type</u>	<u>Fair value</u>	<u>Investment maturities (in years)</u>		
		<u>Less than 1</u>	<u>1-5</u>	<u>6-10</u>
Investment in Piper Jaffray Federal Home Loan Bank	\$ <u>115,166</u>	\$ <u>115,166</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>-</u>

Credit risk – State law limits investments in commercial paper, corporate bonds, and mutual bond funds to the highest rating from at least one nationally recognized rating agency at the time of purchase. The District has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. At year-end, the District’s investments in Piper Jaffray were rated AAA by Standard and Poor’s.

Interest rate risk – 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 rates.

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**Note B – Cash and investments (Continued)**

The following table provides a reconciliation of cash and investments:

Cash in bank	\$ 2,004,328
Cash and mutual funds – Piper Jaffray	<u>115,166</u>
Total	<u>\$ 2,119,494</u>
<u>Statement of net position</u>	
Cash	<u>\$ 1,683,208</u>
Subtotal	1,683,208
<u>Statement of fiduciary net position</u>	
Cash	<u>436,286</u>
Subtotal	<u>436,286</u>
Total	<u>\$ 2,119,494</u>

**Note C – Receivables**

Receivables at year-end consist of the following:

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>	<u>Total Receivables</u>
Property taxes receivable	\$ 159,075	\$ -	\$ 159,075
Grants receivable	23,516	-	23,516
Other receivables	<u>8,089</u>	<u>3,574</u>	<u>11,663</u>
Total	<u>\$ 190,680</u>	<u>\$ 3,574</u>	<u>\$ 194,254</u>

Property taxes are levied on December 15<sup>th</sup> and attach as a lien on property the following January 1<sup>st</sup>. They are payable in full by April 30<sup>th</sup> or are due in two equal installments on February 28<sup>th</sup> and June 15<sup>th</sup>. Phillips, Yuma and Sedgwick Counties bill and collect property taxes for all taxing entities within the Counties. The tax receipts collected by the county are remitted to the District in the subsequent month.

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**Note D – Interfund transactions**

The following is a summary of interfund borrowings and transfers for the year as presented in the fund financial statements:

	<u>Interfund Receivables</u>	<u>Interfund Payables</u>
<u>Governmental funds</u>		
General fund	\$ 25,000	\$ 5,172
Bond redemption fund	<u>5,172</u>	<u>-</u>
Subtotal	30,172	5,172
<u>Proprietary funds</u>		
Major proprietary fund	<u>-</u>	<u>25,000</u>
Total	<u>\$ 30,172</u>	<u>\$ 30,172</u>

All balances resulted from the time lag between the dates that (1) interfund reimbursable expenditures occur, (2) transactions are recorded in the accounting system, and (3) payments between funds are made.

	<u>Transfers In</u>	<u>Transfers Out</u>
<u>Governmental funds</u>		
General fund	\$ -	\$ 10,000
<u>Proprietary funds</u>		
Food service fund	<u>10,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 10,000</u>	<u>\$ 10,000</u>

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them. The District transferred funds in the amount of \$10,000 from the General Fund to the Food Service Fund to subsidize the costs of maintain the District's food service operations.



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**Note E – Capital assets**

Capital asset activity for the year was as follows:

	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions/ Adjustments</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
<b>Governmental activities</b>				
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Construction in progress	\$ 829,648	\$ 20,653	\$ (829,648)	\$ 20,653
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	829,648	20,653	(829,648)	20,653
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Buildings and improvements	17,978,952	726,546	829,648	19,535,146
Furniture and equipment	247,860	5,959	-	253,819
Licensed vehicles	<u>608,610</u>	<u>23,900</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>632,510</u>
Total capital assets, being depreciated	<u>18,835,422</u>	<u>756,405</u>	<u>829,648</u>	<u>20,421,475</u>
Total capital assets	19,665,070	777,058	-	20,442,128
Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Buildings and improvements	(10,756,902)	(341,281)	-	(11,098,183)
Furniture and equipment	(183,042)	(18,626)	-	(201,668)
Licensed vehicles	<u>(484,259)</u>	<u>(29,892)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(514,151)</u>
Total accumulated depreciation	<u>(11,424,203)</u>	<u>(389,799)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(11,814,002)</u>
Governmental activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 8,240,867</u>	<u>\$ 387,259</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 8,628,126</u>
<b>Business-type activities</b>				
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Furniture and equipment	\$ 105,423	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 105,423
Less accumulated depreciation	<u>(84,209)</u>	<u>(2,730)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(86,939)</u>
Business-type activities capital assets, net	<u>\$ 21,214</u>	<u>\$ (2,730)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 18,484</u>

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**Note E - Capital assets (Continued)**

Depreciation expense was charged to programs of the District as follows:

<b>Governmental activities</b>	
Instruction	\$ 29,381
Operations and maintenance	17,703
Student transportation	26,215
Unallocated	<u>316,500</u>
Subtotal	389,799
<b>Business-type activities</b>	
Food service operations	<u>2,730</u>
Total	<u>\$ 392,529</u>

**Note F - Accrued salaries and benefits**

Salaries and benefits of certain contractually employed personnel are paid over a twelve-month period from September to August, but are earned during a school year of approximately nine to ten months. The salaries and benefits earned but not paid at year-end are estimated to be \$382,478. Accordingly, this accrued compensation is reflected as a liability in the accompanying financial statements.

**Note G - Long-term debt**

The following is a summary of the changes in long-term debt for the year:

	<u>Beginning Balances</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Ending Balances</u>	<u>Due within one year</u>
<b>Governmental activities</b>					
Accrued compensated absences	\$ 63,460	\$ 6,599	\$ -	\$ 70,059	\$ -
Capital lease Obligation	1,467,234	-	(164,078)	1,303,156	169,263
General obligation bonds	1,445,000	-	(140,000)	1,305,000	145,000
Bond premium	<u>8,259</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(926)</u>	<u>7,333</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 2,983,953</u>	<u>\$ 6,599</u>	<u>\$ (305,004)</u>	<u>\$ 2,685,548</u>	<u>\$ 314,263</u>

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**Note G – Long-term debt (Continued)**

Payments on the general obligation bonds are made in the Bond Redemption Fund. Payments on the capital lease obligation, compensated absences and early retirement liabilities attributable to the governmental activities will be liquidated primarily by the General Fund. The District believes that the current portion of compensated absences is negligible and is therefore not reported.

**Capital lease obligations**

Facility renovation obligation – In May 2012, the District entered into an agreement with First Pioneer National Bank to finance a portion of the costs of constructing improvements which include a roofing project, boiler project and security project. The agreement called for a lease term of nine years with annual renewal options. Annual payments of \$210,443 are due on September 15<sup>th</sup> of each year, with a final payment due in 2020. The average interest rate over the lease term is 3.16%. The District has capitalized \$1,507,000 of assets under this capital lease.

The following is a schedule by years of future minimum lease payments under the capital leases above, together with the present value of the net minimum lease payments at year-end:

<u>Year ended June 30,</u>	<u>Debt service requirement</u>
2015	\$ 210,443
2016	210,443
2017	210,442
2018	210,442
2019	210,442
2020-2021	<u>420,885</u>
Total minimum lease payments	1,473,097
Less amount representing interest	<u>169,941</u>
Present value of future net minimum lease payments	<u>\$ 1,303,156</u>

**General obligation bonds**

General obligation bonds payable consist of the following individual issue:

\$2,125,000 general obligation refunding bonds, dated July 21, 2005, due in annual installments beginning in fiscal year 2005 ranging from \$20,000 to \$180,000; varying interest rates from 2.80% to 4.00%, payable semi-annually on December 1<sup>st</sup> and June 1<sup>st</sup>.

\$ 1,305,000

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**Note G – Long-term debt (Continued)**

The following schedule represents the District’s debt service requirements to maturity for all outstanding bonded indebtedness:

<u>Year ended June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2015	\$ 145,000	\$ 48,428	\$ 193,428
2016	150,000	42,527	192,527
2017	155,000	36,621	191,621
2018	160,000	30,675	190,675
2019	165,000	24,418	189,418
2020-2022	<u>530,000</u>	<u>31,800</u>	<u>561,800</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,305,000</u>	<u>\$ 214,469</u>	<u>\$ 1,519,469</u>

**Note H – Defined benefit pension plan**

Plan description

The District contributes to the Combined State and School District Trust Fund (CSSDTF), a cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the Public Employees’ Retirement Association of Colorado (PERA). The CSSDTF provides retirement and disability, annual increases, and death benefits for members or their beneficiaries. All employees of the District are members of the CSSDTF. Title 24, Article 51 of the Colorado Revised Statutes (CRS), as amended, assigns the authority to establish benefit provisions to the State Legislature. PERA issues a publicly available annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the CSSDTF. That report may be obtained by writing to Colorado PERA, 1300 Logan Street, Denver, Colorado 80203 or by calling PERA at 303-832-9550 or 1-800-759-PERA (7372).

Funding policy

Plan members and the District are required to contribute to the CSSDTF at a rate set by statute. The contribution requirements of plan members and the District are established under Title 24, Article 51, Part 4 of the CRS, as amended. The contribution rate for members is 8.0% and for the District 16.55% of covered salary between July 1 and December 31, 2013 and 17.45% of covered salary between January 1 and June 30, 2014. Also, a portion of the District’s contribution (1.02% of covered salary) is allocated for the Health Care Trust Fund (see below). The District’s contributions to the CSSDTF for the years ended June 30, 2014, 2013, and 2012 were \$448,159, \$419,534, and \$389,983, respectively, equal to their required contributions for each year.

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**Note I – Postemployment healthcare benefits**

Plan description

The District contributes to the Health Care Trust Fund (HCTF), a cost-sharing multiple employer postemployment healthcare plan administered by PERA. The HCTF provides a health care premium subsidy to PERA participating benefit recipients and their eligible beneficiaries. Title 24, Article 51, Part 12 of the CRS, as amended, assigns the authority to establish the HCTF benefit provisions to the State Legislature. PERA issues a publicly available annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the HCTF. That report may be obtained by writing to PERA of Colorado, 1300 Logan Street, Denver, Colorado 80203 or by calling PERA at 303-832-9550 or 1-800-759-PERA (7372).

Funding policy

The District is required to contribute at a rate of 1.02% of covered salary for all PERA members as set by statute. No member contributions are required. The contribution requirements for the District are established under Title 24, Article 51, Part 4 of the CRS, as amended. The apportionment of the contribution to the HCTF is established under Title 24, Article 51, Section 208 of the CRS, as amended. The District's contribution to the HCTF for the years ended June 30, 2014, 2013, and 2012 were \$26,863, \$26,557, and \$26,154, respectively, equal to their required contributions for each year.

**Note J – Defined contribution plan**

Plan description

The (CSSDTF) members of the District may voluntarily contribute to the Voluntary Investment Program (401(k) Plan), an Internal Revenue Code Section 401(k) defined contribution plan administered by PERA. Plan participation is voluntary, and contributions are separate from others made to PERA. Title 24, Article 51, Part 14 of the CRS, as amended, assigns the authority to establish the 401(k) Plan provisions to the State Legislature.

Funding policy

The 401(k) Plan is funded by voluntary member contributions of up to a maximum limit set by the IRS (\$17,500 in 2014). The contribution requirements for the District are established under Title 24, Article 51, Section 1402 of the CRS, as amended. The 401(k) Plan member contributions from the District for the year ended June 30, 2014 were \$31,324.

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**Note K – Risk management**

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The District participates in the Colorado School Districts Self-Insurance Pool (the Pool). The Pool's objectives are to provide member school districts defined property and liability coverages through self-insurance and excess insurance purchased from commercial companies. The District pays an annual contribution to the Pool for its insurance coverages. The District's contribution for the year was \$36,810. The District continues to carry commercial insurance for all other risks of loss, including workers' compensation and employee health and accident insurance. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage or the deductible in any of the past three fiscal years. There has been no significant reduction in insurance coverage from the prior year in any of the major categories of risk.

**Note L – Commitments and contingencies**

Federal and state funding

The District receives revenues from various federal and state grant programs which are subject to final review and approval by the grantor agencies. The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the granting agencies cannot be determined at this time although the District expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

TABOR Amendment

In November 1992, Colorado voters passed an amendment, commonly known as the Taxpayer's Bill of Rights (TABOR), to the State Constitution (Article X, Section 20) which limits the revenue raising and spending abilities of state and local governments. The limits on property taxes, revenue, and "fiscal year spending" include allowable annual increases tied to inflation and local growth in student enrollment. Fiscal year spending as defined by the amendment excludes spending from certain revenue and financing sources such as federal funds, gifts, property sales, fund transfers, damage awards, and fund reserves (balances). The amendment requires voter approval for any increase in mill levy or tax rates, new taxes, or creation of multi-year debt. Revenue earned in excess of the "spending limit" must be refunded or approved to be retained by the District under specified voting requirements by the entire electorate. On November 7, 1995, the voters of the District approved a ballot initiative permitting the District to retain, appropriate, and utilize, by retention for reserve, carryover fund balance, or expenditure, the full proceeds and revenues received from every source whatsoever, without limitation, in this fiscal year and all subsequent fiscal years notwithstanding any limitation of Article X, Section 20 of the Colorado Constitution. TABOR is complex and subject to judicial interpretation. The District believes it is in compliance with the requirements of TABOR. However, the District has made certain interpretations of TABOR's language in order to determine its compliance. The District has reserved funds in the General Fund in the amount of \$160,000 for the emergency reserve.

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**Note L – Commitments and contingencies (Continued)**

Budget law

Expenditures in the Building Fund exceeded appropriations by \$86,973 and may be in violation of Colorado Local Government Budget Laws.

**Note M – Joint venture**

The District participates in the Northeast Colorado Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES). This joint venture does not meet the criteria for inclusion within the reporting entity because the BOCES:

- is financially independent and responsible for its own financing deficits and entitled to its own surpluses,
- has a separate governing board from that of the District,
- has a separate management which is responsible for the day to day operations and is accountable to the separate board, governing board and management have the ability to significantly influence operations by approving budgetary requests and adjustments, signing contracts, hiring personnel, exercising control over facilities and determining the outcome or disposition of matters affecting the recipients of services provided, and
- has absolute authority over all funds and fiscal responsibility including budgetary responsibility and reporting to state agencies and controls fiscal management.

The District has one member on the board. This board has final authority for all budgeting and financing of the joint venture.

Separate financial statements of the Northeast Colorado Board of Educational Services are available by contacting their administrative office in Haxtun, Colorado.

For the year, the District's financial contribution was \$173,120.

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**Note N – Prior-year defeasance of debt**

In prior years, the District defeased certain general obligation bonds by placing the proceeds of new bonds in an irrevocable trust to provide for all future debt service payments on the old bonds. Accordingly, the trust account assets and the liability for the defeased bonds are not included in the District's financial statements. At year-end, \$1,370,000 of bonds outstanding are considered defeased.

**Note O – Restatement of Beginning Net Position**

The District adopted GASB Statement No. 65, *Items Previously Reported as Assets and Liabilities*. This statement requires that debt issuance costs, except for any portion related to prepaid insurance costs, to be recognized as an expense in the period incurred. Due to this adoption, the District's beginning net position in the governmental activities has been restated in the current period as follows:

Net position at beginning of year, as originally reported	\$ 7,267,219
Unamortized debt issuance costs at beginning of year	<u>(30,881)</u>
Net position at beginning of year, as restated	<u>\$ 7,236,338</u>



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### **Required Supplementary Information**

Budgetary comparison schedules are required to be presented for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund. The District has no major Special Revenue Funds.

- General Fund – The General Fund accounts for all transactions of the District not required to be accounted for in other funds. This fund represents an accounting of the District's ordinary operations financed primarily from property and specific ownership taxes and state aid. It is the most significant fund in relation to the District's overall operations.

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**General Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
Revenues				
Local sources	\$ 2,271,545	\$ 2,453,320	\$ 2,520,025	\$ 66,705
Intermediate sources	1,000	1,000	146	(854)
State sources	2,777,883	2,613,064	2,625,620	12,556
Federal sources	138,809	146,287	149,893	3,606
Total revenues	5,189,237	5,213,671	5,295,684	82,013
Expenditures				
Instruction	3,557,337	3,561,980	3,333,192	228,788
Supporting services	1,764,464	1,782,892	1,816,035	(33,143)
Debt service				
Principal retirement			164,078	(164,078)
Interest and fiscal charges			46,364	(46,364)
Appropriated reserves	455,991	329,799		329,799
Total expenditures	5,777,792	5,674,671	5,359,669	315,002
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	(588,555)	(461,000)	(63,985)	397,015
Other financing sources (uses)				
Transfers out			(10,000)	(10,000)
Sale of fixed assets	1,000	1,000	5,250	4,250
Total other financing sources (uses)	1,000	1,000	(4,750)	(5,750)
Excess of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures	\$ (587,555)	\$ (460,000)	(68,735)	\$ 391,265
Fund balance at beginning of year			1,397,733	
Fund balance at end of year			\$ 1,328,998	

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Notes to the Required Supplementary Information**

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**Note A – Budgetary data**

The District adheres to the following procedures in compliance with Colorado Revised Statutes, establishing the budgetary data in the financial statements:

1. Budgets are required by state law for all funds. Prior to May 31, the superintendent of schools submits to the board of education a proposed budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
2. Public hearings are conducted by the board of education to obtain taxpayer comments.
3. Prior to June 30, the budget is adopted by formal resolution.
4. Expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations at the fund level. Authorization to transfer budgeted amounts between departments within any fund and reallocation of budget line items within any department in the General Fund rests with the superintendent of schools. Revisions that alter the total expenditures of any fund must be approved by the board of education.
5. Budgets for all funds are adopted on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.
6. Budgeted amounts reported in the accompanying financial statements are as originally adopted and as amended by the board of education throughout the year. After budget approval, the District board of education may approve supplemental appropriations if an occurrence, condition or need exists which was not known at the time the budget was adopted. Supplemental appropriations were made during the year.
7. Appropriations lapse at year-end.

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### **Other Supplementary Information**

Other supplementary information includes financial statements and schedules not required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, nor a part of the basic financial statements, but are presented for purposes of additional analysis.

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### **Budgetary Comparison Schedules - General Fund**

The General Fund accounts for all transactions of the District not required to be accounted for in other funds. This fund represents an accounting of the District's ordinary operations financed primarily from property and specific ownership taxes and state aid. It is the most significant fund in relation to the District's overall operations. The schedules of revenues and expenditures are included to provide a greater level of detail to the reader of the financial statements.



**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**General Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Revenues**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
<b>Revenues</b>				
<b>Local sources</b>				
Property taxes	\$ 1,849,360	\$ 2,059,635	\$ 2,034,323	\$ (25,312)
Specific ownership taxes	205,985	198,985	325,087	126,102
Delinquent taxes and interest	8,000	8,000	4,734	(3,266)
Earnings on investments	12,000	10,000	4,045	(5,955)
Other local revenue	196,200	176,700	151,836	(24,864)
<b>Total local sources</b>	<b>2,271,545</b>	<b>2,453,320</b>	<b>2,520,025</b>	<b>66,705</b>
Intermediate sources	1,000	1,000	146	(854)
<b>State sources</b>				
Equalization	2,504,634	2,311,782	2,258,970	(52,812)
Hold harmless	42,000	43,993	43,921	(72)
Vocational education	30,000	30,000	28,391	(1,609)
English language proficiency	13,300	16,000	24,744	8,744
Transportation	63,000	65,000	66,746	1,746
Literacy grant		9,083	9,083	-
State grants to libraries		3,000	3,000	-
Curriculum unit building grant		1,500	1,500	-
Services within the BOCES	124,949	132,706	189,265	56,559
<b>Total state sources</b>	<b>2,777,883</b>	<b>2,613,064</b>	<b>2,625,620</b>	<b>12,556</b>
<b>Federal sources</b>				
Title I	74,885	74,947	74,947	-
Title II-A	19,499	19,506	19,506	-
Race to the top			2,514	2,514
REAP	32,343	39,386	39,386	-
RTTT early childhood		420	420	-
Services within the BOCES	12,082	12,028	13,120	1,092
<b>Total federal sources</b>	<b>138,809</b>	<b>146,287</b>	<b>149,893</b>	<b>3,606</b>
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>\$ 5,189,237</b>	<b>\$ 5,213,671</b>	<b>\$ 5,295,684</b>	<b>\$ 82,013</b>

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**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**General Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Expenditures**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
<b>Expenditures</b>				
<b>Instruction</b>				
Salaries	\$ 1,912,094	\$ 1,912,094	\$ 1,889,593	\$ 22,501
Employee benefits	625,672	625,672	608,524	17,148
Purchased services	368,443	339,443	460,452	(121,009)
Supplies and materials	112,816	127,766	117,987	9,779
Property	5,250	5,250	118,004	(112,754)
Other	533,062	551,755	138,632	413,123
<b>Total instruction</b>	<b>3,557,337</b>	<b>3,561,980</b>	<b>3,333,192</b>	<b>228,788</b>
<b>Supporting services</b>				
<b>Students</b>				
Salaries	80,105	80,105	79,087	1,018
Employee benefits	28,251	28,251	27,411	840
Purchased services	200	200	100	100
Supplies and materials	2,350	2,350	1,355	995
<b>Total students</b>	<b>110,906</b>	<b>110,906</b>	<b>107,953</b>	<b>2,953</b>
<b>Instructional staff</b>				
Salaries	31,963	31,963	36,551	(4,588)
Employee benefits	5,897	5,897	7,817	(1,920)
Purchased services	11,675	11,675	14,917	(3,242)
Supplies and materials	9,300	9,300	8,209	1,091
Property			350	(350)
Other	2,450	2,450	599	1,851
<b>Total instructional staff</b>	<b>61,285</b>	<b>61,285</b>	<b>68,443</b>	<b>(9,009)</b>
<b>General administration</b>				
Salaries	123,382	123,382	122,610	772
Employee benefits	47,858	47,858	42,779	5,079
Purchased services	81,751	81,751	82,876	(1,125)
Supplies and materials	6,500	6,500	5,339	1,161
Other	8,950	8,950	8,342	608
<b>Total general administration</b>	<b>268,441</b>	<b>268,441</b>	<b>261,946</b>	<b>6,495</b>

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
School administration				
Salaries	181,258	181,258	178,693	2,565
Employee benefits	67,798	67,798	59,306	8,492
Purchased services	2,900	2,900	3,733	(833)
Supplies and materials	2,750	2,750	2,962	(212)
Other	1,875	1,875	1,579	296
Total school administration	256,581	256,581	246,273	10,308
Business services				
Salaries	80,552	80,552	81,151	(599)
Employee benefits	29,334	29,334	29,426	(92)
Purchased services	9,050	9,050	8,864	186
Supplies and materials	2,000	2,000	1,914	86
Other	375	375	4,469	(4,094)
Total business services	121,311	121,311	125,824	(4,513)
Operations and maintenance				
Salaries	218,957	218,957	234,386	(15,429)
Employee benefits	94,384	94,384	87,803	6,581
Purchased services	156,400	173,400	173,431	(31)
Supplies and materials	75,190	75,190	75,108	82
Property	500	500	40,698	(40,198)
Other	500	500	1,852	(1,352)
Total operations and maintenance	545,931	562,931	613,278	(50,347)
Student transportation				
Salaries	135,615	135,615	129,873	5,742
Employee benefits	28,639	28,639	28,420	219
Purchased services	17,050	17,050	21,102	(4,052)
Supplies and materials	81,137	81,137	75,790	5,347
Property	3,000	3,000	76	2,924
Total student transportation	265,441	265,441	255,261	10,180

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**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**General Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Expenditures**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

(continued)	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
Central support services				
Salaries	45,827	45,827	50,065	(4,238)
Employee benefits	15,691	15,691	16,505	(814)
Purchased services	70,400	71,828	68,777	3,051
Supplies and materials	1,500	1,500	988	512
Property			150	(150)
Other	1,150	1,150	572	578
Total central support services	134,568	135,996	137,057	(1,061)
Total support services	1,764,464	1,782,892	1,816,035	(34,994)
Debt service				
Principal retirement			164,078	(164,078)
Interest and fiscal charges			46,364	(46,364)
Total debt service	-	-	210,442	(210,442)
Appropriated reserves	455,991	329,799		329,799
Total expenditures	<u>\$ 5,777,792</u>	<u>\$ 5,674,671</u>	<u>\$ 5,359,669</u>	<u>\$ 313,151</u>

### **Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Debt Service Fund**

The District reports the following major debt service fund:

- Bond Redemption Fund – The revenues from a tax levy for the purpose of satisfying bonded indebtedness obligations, both principal and interest and related expenditures, shall be recorded in this fund.

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Bond Redemption Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
Revenues				
Property taxes	\$ 221,647	\$ 221,647	\$ 250,556	\$ 28,909
Specific ownership taxes	27,000	20,000		(20,000)
Delinquent taxes and interest	750	750	14	(736)
Earnings on investments	100	100	27	(73)
Total revenues	249,497	242,497	250,597	8,100
Expenditures				
Debt service				
Principal retirement	140,000	140,000	140,000	-
Interest and fiscal charges	54,978	54,978	54,777	201
Appropriated reserves	378,866	352,872		352,872
Total expenditures	573,844	547,850	194,777	353,073
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	(324,347)	(305,353)	55,820	361,173
Other financing uses				
Transfers out		(20,000)		20,000
Excess of revenues and other uses over (under) expenditures	\$ (324,347)	\$ (325,353)	55,820	\$ 381,173
Fund balance at beginning of year			325,353	
Fund balance at end of year			\$ 381,173	

### **Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Capital Projects Fund**

The District reports the following major capital projects fund:

- Building Fund – This fund is a capital projects fund used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of major capital facilities (other than those financed by proprietary funds and trust funds). Revenues and other financing sources are primarily derived from the issuance of debt or transfers from other funds.



**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Building Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
<b>Revenues</b>				
Local sources				
Earnings on investments	\$ 400	\$ 400	\$ 103	\$ (297)
Other local sources	350,000	350,000	473,597	123,597
Total local sources	350,400	350,400	473,700	123,300
State sources				
BEST grant	58,000	58,000	23,516	(34,484)
Total state sources	58,000	58,000	23,516	(34,484)
Total revenues	408,400	408,400	497,216	88,816
<b>Expenditures</b>				
Capital outlay				
Purchased services	50,000	50,000		50,000
Property			700,521	(700,521)
Supplies	549,000	562,000		562,000
Other	1,000	1,548		1,548
Appropriated reserves	146,758			-
Total expenditures	746,758	613,548	700,521	(86,973)
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures	\$ (338,358)	\$ (205,148)	(203,305)	\$ 175,789
Fund balance at beginning of year			205,148	
Fund balance at end of year			\$ 1,843	

## **Budgetary Comparison Schedule - Enterprise Fund**

The District reports the following major proprietary fund:

Enterprise Funds – These funds are used to account for operations that provide services that are financed primarily by user charges, or activities where periodic measurement of income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control or other purposes.

- Food Service Fund – This fund is used to record financial transactions related to the District's food service operations.

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Food Service Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
Operating revenues				
Charges for services	\$ 69,000	\$ 69,000	\$ 65,595	\$ (3,405)
Operating expenses				
Purchased services	143,000	143,000	113,595	29,405
Supplies and materials	90,500	90,500	95,308	(4,808)
Property	1,500	1,500	309	1,191
Depreciation	3,000	3,000	2,730	270
Other			609	(609)
Total operating expenses	238,000	238,000	212,551	25,449
Operating loss	(169,000)	(169,000)	(146,956)	22,044
Nonoperating revenues				
Federal aid				
Nutrition reimbursements	150,000	150,000	116,937	(33,063)
Commodity revenue	15,000	15,000	15,757	757
State aid	2,900	2,900	3,983	1,083
Earnings from investments	100	100	14	(86)
Total nonoperating revenues	168,000	168,000	136,691	(31,309)
Loss before transfers	(1,000)	(1,000)	(10,265)	(9,265)
Transfers in			10,000	10,000
Change in net position	\$ (1,000)	\$ (1,000)	(265)	\$ 735
Net position at beginning of year			22,070	
Net position at end of year			\$ 21,805	

## **Budgetary Comparison Schedules - Fiduciary Funds**

These funds focus on net position and changes in net position. The fiduciary fund category is split into four classifications: pension trust funds, investment trust funds, private-purpose trust funds and agency funds.

Private-purpose trust funds – These funds are used to report trust arrangements under which principal and income benefit individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

- Scholarship Trust Fund – This fund is a private-purpose trust fund used to account for resources held by the District in a fiduciary capacity for scholarships to be distributed to area students for post-secondary education.

Agency funds – These funds are used to report resources held by the District in a purely custodial capacity (assets equal liabilities). These funds typically involve only the receipt, temporary investment, and remittance of fiduciary resources to individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

- Pupil Activity Agency Fund – This fund is an agency fund used to record transactions related to school-sponsored pupil organizations and activities.

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Scholarship Trust Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
<b>Additions</b>				
Earnings on investments	\$ 5,000	\$ 7,500	\$ 630	\$ (6,870)
Contributions	23,000	50,000	53,700	3,700
Total additions	28,000	57,500	54,330	(3,170)
<b>Deductions</b>				
Scholarship payments	32,000	32,000	21,215	10,785
Appropriated reserves	341,506	391,621		391,621
Total deductions	373,506	423,621	21,215	402,406
Excess of additions over (under) deductions	\$ (345,506)	\$ (366,121)	33,115	\$ 399,236
Due to scholarship recipients at beginning of year			349,769	
Due to scholarship recipients at end of year			\$ 382,884	

**HOLYOKE SCHOOL DISTRICT RE-1J**  
**Pupil Activity Agency Fund**  
**Budgetary Comparison Schedule**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2014**

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variance with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
	Original	Final		
Additions				
Fundraising and other events	\$ 280,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 280,674	\$ (19,326)
Deductions				
Pupil activity expenditures	280,000	300,000	283,417	16,583
Appropriated reserves	52,026	67,330		67,330
Total deductions	332,026	367,330	283,417	83,913
Excess of additions over (under) deductions	<u>\$ (52,026)</u>	<u>\$ (67,330)</u>	(2,743)	<u>\$ 64,587</u>
Due to student groups at beginning of year			56,145	
Due to student groups at end of year			<u>\$ 53,402</u>	

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**Colorado Department of Education  
Supplementary Schedule**

Auditors' integrity report – This fiscal-year report is required by the Colorado Department of Education to maintain statewide consistency in financial reporting. This report is also used to gather financial data that could affect future state funding.



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**Independent Auditors' Report on Auditors' Integrity Report**

Board of Education  
Holyoke School District RE-1J  
Holyoke, Colorado

We have audited the financial statements of the Holyoke School District RE-1J (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014, and our report thereon dated December 4, 2014, which expressed an unmodified opinion on those financial statements, appears on pages 1-3. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The Auditors' Integrity Report is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the 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 financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

*Lauer, Szabo & Associates, P.C.*

Sterling, Colorado  
December 4, 2014



**Colorado Department of Education**  
**Auditors Integrity Report**  
 District: 2620 - HOLYOKE RE-1J  
 Fiscal Year 2013-14  
 Colorado School District/BOCES

Revenues, Expenditures, & Fund Balance by Fund

Fund Type & Number	Beg Fund Balance & Prior Per Adj (6880*)	+	1000 - 5999 Total Revenues & Other Sources	-	0001-0999 Total Expenditures & Other Uses	=	6700-6799 & Prior Per Adj (6880*) Ending Fund Balance
<b>Governmental</b>							
10 General Fund	1,397,733		5,290,934		5,359,669		1,328,998
18 Risk Mgmt Sub-Fund of General Fund	0		0		0		0
19 Colorado Preschool Program Fund	0		0		0		0
<b>Sub-Total</b>	<b>1,397,733</b>		<b>5,290,934</b>		<b>5,359,669</b>		<b>1,298,998</b>
11 Charter School Fund	0		0		0		0
20.26-29 Special Revenue Fund	0		0		0		0
21 Capital Reserve Spec Revenue Fund	0		0		0		0
22 Govt Designated-Purpose Grants Fund	0		0		0		0
23 Pupil Activity Special Revenue Fund	0		0		0		0
24 Full Day Kindergarten Mill Levy Override	0		0		0		0
25 Transportation Fund	0		0		0		0
31 Bond Redemption Fund	323,353		250,598		194,778		361,173
39 Non-Voter Approved Debt Service Fund	0		0		0		0
41 Building Fund	205,148		497,216		700,522		1,843
42 Special Building Fund	0		0		0		0
43 Capital Reserve Capital Projects Fund	0		0		0		0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1,928,234</b>		<b>6,038,748</b>		<b>6,254,968</b>		<b>1,712,014</b>
<b>Proprietary</b>							
51 Food Service Fund	22,070		212,286		212,551		21,805
50 Other Enterprise Funds	0		0		0		0
64 (63) Risk-Related Activity Fund	0		0		0		0
60.65-69 Other Internal Service Funds	0		0		0		0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>22,070</b>		<b>212,286</b>		<b>212,551</b>		<b>21,805</b>
<b>Fiduciary</b>							
70 Other Trust and Agency Funds	0		0		0		0
72 Private Purpose Trust Fund	345,769		54,229		21,215		362,864
73 Agency Fund	0		0		0		0
74 Pupil Activity Agency Fund	56,145		280,674		263,417		53,402
79 GASB 34? Permanent Fund	0		0		0		0
85 Foundations	0		0		0		0
<b>Totals</b>	<b>405,914</b>		<b>335,004</b>		<b>304,632</b>		<b>436,286</b>

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\*If you have a prior period adjustment in any fund (Balance Sheet 6880), the amount of your prior period adjustment is added into both your ending and beginning fund balances on this report.