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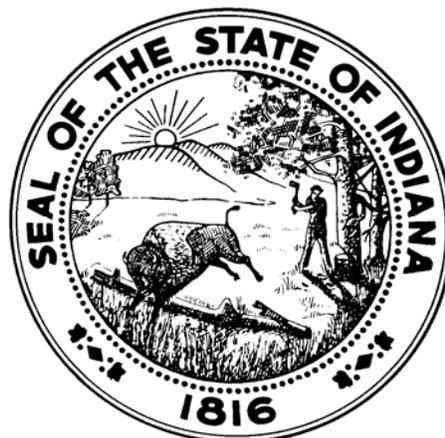
AUDIT REPORT

OF

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT

JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA

July 1, 2004 to June 30, 2006



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SCHEDULE OF OFFICIALS

<u>Office</u>	<u>Official</u>	<u>Term</u>
Treasurer	Christopher A. Trader	07-01-04 to 06-30-08
Executive Director	Connie L. Griffith	07-01-04 to 06-30-08
President of the Board of Directors	Tracy Caddell Dr. Thomas Patterson	07-01-04 to 06-30-06 07-01-06 to 06-30-07



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL
SERVICES UNIT, JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Madison Area Educational Special Services Unit (School Corporation), as of and for the years ended June 30, 2005 and 2006, which collectively comprise the School Corporation's basic financial statements as listed in the Table of Contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the School Corporation's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

As discussed in Note I, the School Corporation prepares its financial statements on the prescribed basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the cash and investment basis laws of the State of Indiana, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective cash and investment balances of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the School Corporation as of June 30, 2005 and 2006, and the respective cash receipts and cash disbursements during the years then ended on the basis of accounting described in Note I.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued a report dated April 18, 2007, on our consideration of the School Corporation's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants. Our report on compliance and on internal control over financial reporting should be read along with this report.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements of the School Corporation taken as a whole. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AND SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
(Continued)

The Schedule of Funding Progress, as listed in the Table of Contents, is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

The School Corporation has not presented Management's Discussion and Analysis or Budgetary Comparison Schedules that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be part of, the basic financial statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the School Corporation's basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations, and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL
OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL
SERVICES UNIT, JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA

We have audited the financial statements of the Madison Area Educational Special Services Unit (School Corporation), as of and for the years ended June 30, 2005 and 2006, and have issued our report thereon dated April 18, 2007. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the School Corporation's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the School Corporation's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the School Corporation's management and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. In accordance with Indiana Code 5-11-5-1, this report is a part of the public records of the State Board of Accounts and of the office examined.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS

April 18, 2007

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF CASH AND INVESTMENTS
June 30, 2005

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
Current assets:	
Cash and investments	<u>\$ 2,215,225</u>
<u>Net Assets</u>	
Unrestricted	<u>\$ 2,215,225</u>

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

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF CASH AND INVESTMENTS
June 30, 2006

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>
Current assets:	
Cash and investments	<u>\$ 2,036,233</u>
<u>Net Assets</u>	
Unrestricted	<u>\$ 2,036,233</u>

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

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF CASH ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2005

Functions/Programs	Disbursements	Program Receipts Charges for Services	Net (Disbursement) Receipts Total
Governmental activities:			
Instruction	\$ 6,301,019	\$ -	\$ (6,301,019)
Support services	3,418,062	152,599	(3,265,463)
Community services	650	-	(650)
Nonprogrammed charges	<u>131,355</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(131,355)</u>
Total governmental activities	<u>\$ 9,851,086</u>	<u>\$ 152,599</u>	<u>(9,698,487)</u>
General receipts:			
Other local sources			101,209
Grants and contributions not restricted			4,436,150
Sale of property, adjustments, and refunds			54,510
Investment earnings			47,797
Intergovernmental transfers			<u>4,666,855</u>
Total general receipts and intergovernmental transfers			<u>9,306,521</u>
Change in net assets			(391,966)
Net assets - beginning			<u>2,607,191</u>
Net assets - ending			<u>\$ 2,215,225</u>

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF CASH ACTIVITIES
For the Year Ended June 30, 2006

Functions/Programs	Disbursements	Program Receipts	Charges for Services	Net (Disbursement) Receipts
				Total
Governmental activities:				
Instruction	\$ 6,488,196	\$ -	-	\$ (6,488,196)
Support services	3,676,221	-	152,599	(3,523,622)
Nonprogrammed charges	254,686	-	-	(254,686)
Total governmental activities	\$ 10,419,103	\$ -	152,599	(10,266,504)
General receipts:				
Other local sources				211,003
Grants and contributions not restricted				4,533,729
Sale of property, adjustments, and refunds				8,665
Investment earnings				71,711
Intergovernmental transfers				5,262,404
Total general receipts and intergovernmental transfers				10,087,512
Change in net assets				(178,992)
Net assets - beginning				2,215,225
Net assets - ending				\$ 2,036,233

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, AND CASH AND INVESTMENT BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For The Year Ended June 30, 2005

	General	Transportation Operating	Rainy Day	Special Education PL 108-446	Capital Projects	Other	Totals
Receipts:							
Local sources	\$ 149,006	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 149,006
State sources	146,477	-	-	-	-	6,122	152,599
Federal sources	-	-	-	2,822,807	-	1,613,343	4,436,150
Sale of property, adjustments and refunds	54,510	-	-	-	-	-	54,510
Intergovernmental transfers	<u>4,127,479</u>	<u>45,355</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>8,515</u>	<u>96,169</u>	<u>389,337</u>	<u>4,666,855</u>
Total receipts	<u>4,477,472</u>	<u>45,355</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,831,322</u>	<u>96,169</u>	<u>2,008,802</u>	<u>9,459,120</u>
Disbursements:							
Current:							
Instruction	2,721,508	-	-	1,793,089	2,922	1,783,500	6,301,019
Support services	2,154,992	39,522	-	624,165	57,414	541,969	3,418,062
Community services	650	-	-	-	-	-	650
Nonprogrammed charges	<u>-</u>	<u>1,314</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>9,905</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>120,136</u>	<u>131,355</u>
Total disbursements	<u>4,877,150</u>	<u>40,836</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,427,159</u>	<u>60,336</u>	<u>2,445,605</u>	<u>9,851,086</u>
Excess (deficiency) of total receipts over (under) total disbursements	(399,678)	4,519	-	404,163	35,833	(436,803)	(391,966)
Cash and investments - beginning	<u>1,374,005</u>	<u>5,517</u>	<u>440,878</u>	<u>1,526</u>	<u>136,433</u>	<u>648,832</u>	<u>2,607,191</u>
Cash and investments - ending	<u>\$ 974,327</u>	<u>\$ 10,036</u>	<u>\$ 440,878</u>	<u>\$ 405,689</u>	<u>\$ 172,266</u>	<u>\$ 212,029</u>	<u>\$ 2,215,225</u>

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS, AND CASH AND INVESTMENT BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
For The Year Ended June 30, 2006

	General	Transportation Operating	Rainy Day	Special Education PL 108-446	Capital Projects	Other	Totals
Receipts:							
Local sources	\$ 282,713	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2	\$ -	\$ 282,715
State sources	146,478	-	-	-	-	6,120	152,598
Federal sources	-	-	-	2,615,000	-	1,918,729	4,533,729
Sale of property, adjustments and refunds	8,469	-	-	-	-	196	8,665
Intergovernmental transfers	4,388,567	49,929	-	40,790	209,782	573,336	5,262,404
Total receipts	4,826,227	49,929	-	2,655,790	209,784	2,498,381	10,240,111
Disbursements:							
Current:							
Instruction	2,752,917	-	-	2,047,010	1,146	1,687,123	6,488,196
Support services	2,172,679	42,954	-	654,816	217,977	587,795	3,676,221
Nonprogrammed charges	-	3,119	-	171,615	-	79,952	254,686
Total disbursements	4,925,596	46,073	-	2,873,441	219,123	2,354,870	10,419,103
Excess (deficiency) of total receipts over (under) total disbursements	(99,369)	3,856	-	(217,651)	(9,339)	143,511	(178,992)
Cash and investments - beginning	974,327	10,036	440,878	405,689	172,266	212,029	2,215,225
Cash and investments - ending	<u>\$ 874,958</u>	<u>\$ 13,892</u>	<u>\$ 440,878</u>	<u>\$ 188,038</u>	<u>\$ 162,927</u>	<u>\$ 355,540</u>	<u>\$ 2,036,233</u>

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS,
AND CHANGES IN CASH AND INVESTMENTS
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
For The Year Ended June 30, 2005

	<u>Private-Purpose Trust Funds</u>
Additions:	
Local sources	\$ <u>15,000</u>
Deductions:	
Instruction	<u>15,000</u>
Excess of total additions over total deductions	-
Cash and investments - beginning	<u>-</u>
Cash and investments - ending	<u><u>\$ -</u></u>

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, DISBURSEMENTS,
AND CHANGES IN CASH AND INVESTMENTS
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
For The Year Ended June 30, 2006

	Private-Purpose Trust Funds
Additions:	
Local sources	\$ 11,880
Deductions:	
Instruction	14,470
Deficiency of total additions under total deductions	(2,590)
Cash and investments - beginning	-
Cash and investments - ending	\$ (2,590)

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF CASH AND INVESTMENTS
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
June 30, 2005

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Agency Funds</u>
Cash and investments	\$ <u>20,418</u>

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MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
STATEMENT OF CASH AND INVESTMENTS
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
June 30, 2006

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Private-Purpose Trust Funds</u>	<u>Agency Funds</u>
Cash and investments	\$ (2,590)	\$ 41,876
<u>Net Assets</u>		
Held in trust for benefit of students	<u>\$ (2,590)</u>	

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

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A. Reporting Entity

School Corporation, as used herein, shall include, but is not limited to, school townships, school towns, school cities, consolidated school corporations, joint schools, metropolitan school districts, township school districts, county schools, united schools, school districts, cooperatives, educational service centers, community schools, community school corporations, and charter schools.

The Madison Area Educational Special Services Unit is a joint venture established under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act (IC 36-1-7). The School Corporation operates under a Board consisting of the chief administrative officers of the following participating entities:

Madison Consolidated Schools
Scott County School District 1
Scott County School District 2
Southwestern Jefferson County Consolidated Schools
Switzerland County School Corporation

The School Corporation provides educational services for handicapped children.

These financial statements present the School Corporation (primary government). There are no significant component units which require inclusion.

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The Statement of Cash and Investments and Statement of Cash Activities display information about the reporting government as a whole. They include all funds of the reporting entity except for fiduciary funds. The statements distinguish between governmental and business-type activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange revenues. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties for goods or services. However, there are no business-type activities to report at this time.

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial statements of the reporting entity are organized into funds, each of which is considered to be a separate accounting entity. Each fund is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that constitutes its assets, liabilities, fund equity, receipts, and disbursements. Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. However, at this time, the School Corporation has not established any enterprise funds.

The School Corporation reports the following major governmental funds:

The general fund is the primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Continued)

The transportation operating fund accounts for financial resources for the transportation of school children to and from school.

The rainy day fund is to account for transfers of unused and unencumbered funds in accordance with Indiana Code 36-1-8-5 and locally adopted resolution. The fund is subject to the same appropriation process as funds that receive tax money.

The special education PL 108-446 Part B CO 06-07 and special education PL 108-446 Part B CO 05-06 funds account for federal grants and distributions for the programs.

The capital projects fund accounts for planned construction, repair, replacement or remodeling; and the purchase, lease, upgrade, maintenance, or repair of computer equipment.

Additionally, the School Corporation reports the following fund types:

The private-purpose trust fund reports a trust arrangement under which principal and income benefit students.

Agency funds account for assets held by the School Corporation as an agent for the School Corporation employees and serve as control of accounts for certain cash transactions during the time they are a liability to the School Corporation.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The government-wide, governmental fund, proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements are reported using the basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the cash and investment basis and budget laws of the State of Indiana, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The cash and investment basis of accounting differs from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in that receipts are recognized when received in cash rather than when earned and disbursements are recognized when paid rather than when a liability is incurred. Investment transactions are not presented on the financial statements.

If the School Corporation utilized the basis of accounting recognized as generally accepted, the fund financial statements for governmental funds would use the modified accrual basis of accounting, while the fund financial statements for proprietary fund types would use the accrual basis of accounting. All government-wide financials would be presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

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

Proprietary funds are used to account for activities similar to those found in the private sector, where the determination of net income is necessary or useful to sound financial administration. Goods or services from such activities are provided to people outside the government (enterprise funds) or other departments or agencies primarily within the government (internal service funds). The School Corporation does not have any enterprise funds or internal service funds.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, the School Corporation's policy is to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Continued)

D. Assets and Cash and Investment Balances

1. Cash and Investments

Investments are stated at cost. Any changes in fair value of the investments are reported as interest receipts in the year of the sale of the investment.

2. Compensated Absences

a. Sick Leave

School Corporation employees earn sick leave at the rate of 10 to 12 days per year. Unused sick leave may be accumulated to a maximum of 195 days. Accumulated sick leave is paid to employees through cash payments upon retirement as part of a severance pay policy.

b. Vacation Leave

Nonteaching or administrative and noncertified School Corporation employees earn vacation leave at rates from 10 days to 20 days per year based upon the number of years of service. Vacation leave may be accumulated to a maximum of 5 days. Accumulated vacation leave is paid to employees through cash payments upon retirement as part of a severance pay policy.

c. Personal Leave

School Corporation employees earn personal leave at the rate of 3 days per year. Unused personal leave may be accumulated as sick leave at the end of the fiscal year.

d. Adoption Leave

School Corporation employees are permitted to take up to 5 days of adoption leave if they adopt a child.

3. Capital Assets

Capital assets arising from cash transactions acquired for use in governmental or proprietary fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay disbursements of the fund upon acquisition.

4. Equity Classification

Government-Wide Statements

Equity is classified as net assets and displayed in two components:

- a. Restricted net assets – Consists of net assets with constraints placed on the use either by (1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments, or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- b. Unrestricted net assets – All other net assets that do not meet the definition of "restricted."

It is the School Corporation's policy to first use restricted net assets prior to the use of unrestricted net assets when a disbursement is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Continued)

Fund Financial Statements

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance.

E. Receipts and Disbursements

Program Receipts

Amounts reported as program receipts include (1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided, (2) operating grants and contributions, and (3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general receipts rather than as program receipts. Likewise, general receipts include all taxes.

F. Interfund Balances and Activities

In the process of aggregating the financial information for the government-wide Statement of Cash and Investments and Statement of Cash Activities, some amounts reported as interfund activity and balances in the fund financial statements have been eliminated or reclassified.

Fund Financial Statements

1. Interfund reimbursements – Repayments from funds responsible for certain disbursements to the funds that initially paid for them are reported as reimbursements.
2. Interfund transfers – Flow of assets from one fund to another where repayment is not expected is reported as transfers in and out.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

Interfund activity and balances, if any, are eliminated or reclassified in the government-wide financial statements as follows:

Internal activities – Amounts reported as interfund transfers in the fund financial statements are eliminated in the government-wide Statement of Cash and Investments and Statement of Cash Activities except for the net amount of transfers between governmental and business-type activities, which are reported as Transfers – Internal Activities. The effects of interfund services between funds, if any, are not eliminated in the Statement of Cash and Investments and Statement of Cash Activities.

II. Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability

Budgetary Information

Annual budgets are adopted on the cash basis, which is not consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. All annual appropriations lapse at calendar year end unless otherwise provided by statute or following proper encumbrance procedures.

The School Board considers a proposed operating budget for the year commencing the following January 1. No later than September 20th of each year, the School Board, through the passage of a resolution, adopts the budget for the next year.

The School Corporation's management cannot transfer budgeted appropriations without approval of the School Board.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
(Continued)

III. Detailed Notes on All Funds

Deposits and Investments

A. Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. Indiana Code 5-13-8-1 allows a political subdivision of the State of Indiana to deposit public funds in a financial institution only if the financial institution is a depository eligible to receive state funds and has a principal office or branch that qualifies to receive public funds of the political subdivision. The balances were insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or the Public Deposit Insurance Fund, which covers all public funds held in approved depositories.

B. Investment Policies

Indiana Code 5-13-9 authorizes the School Corporation to invest in securities backed by the full faith and credit of the United States Treasury or fully guaranteed by the United States of America and issued by the United States Treasury, a federal agency, a federal instrumentality, or a federal government sponsored enterprise. Indiana Code also authorizes the unit to invest in securities fully guaranteed and issued by a federal agency, a federal instrumentality or a federal government sponsored enterprise. These investments are required by statute to have a stated final maturity of not more than two years.

Indiana Code also provides for investment in money market mutual funds that are in the form of securities of, or interest in, an open-end, no-load, management-type investment company or investment trust registered under the provision of the federal Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. Investments in money market mutual funds may not exceed 50% of the funds held by the School Corporation and available for investment. The portfolio of an investment company or investment trust used must be limited to direct obligations of the United States of America, obligations issued by a federal agency, a federal instrumentality, or a federal government sponsored enterprise or repurchase agreements fully collateralized by direct obligations of the United States of America or obligations issued by a federal agency, a federal instrumentality, or a federal government sponsored enterprise. The form of securities of, or interest in, an investment company or investment trust must be rated as AAA, or its equivalent by Standard and Poor's Corporation or its successor or Aaa, or its equivalent, by Moody's Investors Service, Inc., or its successor. The form of securities in an investment company or investment trust should have a stated final maturity of one day.

Additionally, the School Corporation may enter into repurchase agreements with depositories designated by the State Board of Finance as depositories for state deposits involving the unit's purchase and guaranteed resale of any interest-bearing obligations issued or fully insured or guaranteed by the United States of America, a United States of America government agency, an instrumentality of the United States of America, or a federal government sponsored enterprise. The repurchase agreement is considered to have a stated final maturity of one day. This agreement must be fully collateralized by interest-bearing obligations as determined by their current market value.

Investment Custodial Credit Risk

The custodial credit risk for investments is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty to a transaction, a government will not be able to recover the value of investment or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The School Corporation does not have a formal investment policy for custodial credit risk for investments.

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Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The School Corporation does not have a formal investment policy for interest rate risk for investments.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The School Corporation does not have a formal investment policy for credit risk for investments.

Concentration of Credit Risk

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of a government's investment in a single issuer. The School Corporation does not have a policy in regards to concentration of credit risk. United States of America government and United States of America governmental agency securities are exempt from this policy requirement.

Foreign Currency Risk

The School Corporation does not have a formal policy in regards to foreign currency risk.

IV. Other Information

A. Risk Management

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

The risks of torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; job related illnesses or injuries to employees; and natural disasters are covered by commercial insurance from independent third parties. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage for the past three years. There were no significant reductions in insurance by major category of risk.

B. Subsequent Event

The agreement for the formation of the Madison Area Educational Special Services Unit is being amended. Jennings County School Corporation, Madison State Hospital, and Muscatatuck State Developmental Center will no longer participate in the joint venture cooperative. This amendment is currently being reviewed by all the appropriate legal counsels, and will have to be agreed upon and signed by the remaining partners.

C. Postemployment Benefits

In addition to the pension benefits described below, the School Corporation provides postemployment health insurance for a single premium plan benefits, as authorized by Indiana Code 5-10-8, to all employees who retire from the School Corporation on or after attaining age 55 with at least 15 years of service. Currently, three retirees meet these eligibility requirements. The School Corporation and

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retirees provide 99.99% and .01%, respectively, of these postemployment benefits. Disbursements for those postemployment benefits are recognized on a pay-as-you-go basis. During the year ended June 30, 2006, the School Corporation disbursed \$15,269.

D. Pension Plans

1. Agent Multiple-Employer Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Public Employees' Retirement Fund

Plan Description

The School Corporation contributes to the Indiana Public Employees' Retirement Fund (PERF), a defined benefit pension plan. PERF is an agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system, which provides retirement benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. All full-time employees are eligible to participate in the defined benefit plan. State statutes (IC 5-10.2 and 5-10.3) govern, through the PERF Board, most requirements of the system and give the School Corporation authority to contribute to the plan. The PERF retirement benefit consists of the pension provided by employer contributions plus an annuity provided by the member's annuity savings account. The annuity savings account consists of member's contributions, set by state statute at 3% of compensation, plus the interest credited to the member's account. The employer may elect to make the contributions on behalf of the member.

PERF administers the plan and issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan as a whole and for its participants. The report may be obtained by contacting:

Public Employees' Retirement Fund
Harrison Building, Room 800
143 West Market Street
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Ph. (317) 233-4162

Funding Policy and Annual Pension Cost

The contribution requirements of plan members for PERF are established by the Board of Trustees of PERF. The School Corporation's annual pension cost and related information, as provided by the actuary, is presented in this note.

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Actuarial Information for the Above Plan

	PERF
Annual required contribution	\$ 82,442
Interest on net pension obligation	(5,458)
Adjustment to annual required contribution	6,220
Annual pension cost	83,204
Contributions made	94,551
Decrease in net pension obligation	(11,347)
Net pension obligation, beginning of year	(75,280)
Net pension obligation, end of year	\$ (86,627)
Contribution rates:	
School Corporation	4.50%
Plan members	3%
Actuarial valuation date	07-01-05
Actuarial cost method	Entry age
Amortization method	Level percentage of projected payroll, closed
Amortization period	40 years
Amortization period (from date)	07-01-97
Asset valuation method	4 years Smoothed market

Actuarial Assumptions

Investment rate of return	7.25%
Projected future salary increases:	
Total	5%
Attributed to inflation	4%
Attributed to merit/seniority	1%
Cost-of-living adjustments	2%

Three Year Trend Information

	Year Ending	Annual Pension Cost (APC)	Percentage of APC Contributed	Net Pension Obligation
PERF	06-30-03	\$ 75,055	86%	\$ (64,092)
	06-30-04	63,581	118%	(75,280)
	06-30-05	83,204	149%	(86,627)

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2. Cost-Sharing Multiple-Employer Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Teachers' Retirement Fund

Plan Description

The School Corporation contributes to the Indiana Teachers' Retirement Fund (TRF), a defined benefit pension plan. TRF is a cost-sharing multiple-employer public employee retirement system, which provides retirement benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. All employees engaged in teaching or in the supervision of teaching in the public schools of the State of Indiana are eligible to participate in TRF. State statute (IC 5-10.2) governs, through the TRF Board, most requirements of the system and gives the School Corporation authority to contribute to the plan. The TRF retirement benefit consists of the pension provided by employer contributions plus an annuity provided by the member's annuity savings account. The annuity savings account consists of member's contributions, set by state statute at 3% of compensation, plus the interest credited to the member's account. The School Corporation may elect to make the contributions on behalf of the member.

TRF issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan as a whole and for its participants. That report may be obtained by contacting:

Teachers' Retirement Fund
150 West Market Street
Indianapolis, IN 46204
Ph. (317) 232-3860

Funding Policy and Annual Pension Costs

The School Corporation contributes the employer's share to TRF for certified employees employed under a federally funded program and all the certified employees hired after July 1, 1995. The School Corporation currently receives partial funding, through the school funding formula, from the State of Indiana for this contribution. The employer's share of contributions for certified personnel who are not employed under a federally funded program and were hired before July 1, 1995, is considered to be an obligation of, and is paid by, the State of Indiana.

The School Corporation is to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The current rate has been actuarially determined under the entry age normal cost method to be 6.82% of covered wages. The School Corporation's required contributions to the plan for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2006, 2005, and 2004, were \$168,826, \$143,622, and \$117,334, respectively. The School Corporation actually contributed 100% of the required contribution for each of the fiscal years, respectively.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
 REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
 SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS

Public Employees' Retirement Fund

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) (b)	Excess of Assets Over (Unfunded) AAL (a-b)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	Excess (Unfunded) AAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((a-b)/c)
07-01-03	\$ 1,782,338	\$ 1,579,560	\$ 202,778	113%	\$ 1,612,795	13%
07-01-04	1,795,737	1,679,902	115,835	107%	1,837,320	6%
07-01-05	1,870,253	1,971,643	(101,390)	95%	1,976,236	(5%)

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SUPPLEMENTAL AUDIT OF
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS
APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER
COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

TO: THE OFFICIALS OF THE MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL
SERVICES UNIT, JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Madison Area Educational Special Services Unit (School Corporation) with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the years ended June 30, 2005 and 2006. The School Corporation's major federal programs are identified in the Summary of Auditor's Results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the School Corporation's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the School Corporation's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the School Corporation's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the School Corporation's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the School Corporation complied in all material respects with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the years ended June 30, 2005 and 2006.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the School Corporation is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the School Corporation's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS
APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER
COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133
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Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the School Corporation's management and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties. In accordance with Indiana Code 5-11-5-1, this report is a part of the public records of the State Board of Accounts and of the office examined.

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTS

April 18, 2007

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
For The Years Ended June 30, 2005 and 2006

Federal Grantor Agency/Pass-Through Entity Cluster Title/Program Title/Project Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Entity (or Other) Identifying Number	Total Federal Awards Expended 06-30-05	Total Federal Awards Expended 06-30-06
<u>U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION</u>				
Pass-Through Indiana Department of Education				
Special Education Cluster (IDEA)				
Special Education - Grants to States				
	84.027			
		14204-038-PY02	\$ 2,425,633	\$ 405,689
		14205-038-PN01	377,773	140,857
		14203-086-DY25	561,847	-
		14203-038-PY02	346,550	-
		14205-038-SN01	39,611	19,663
		14204-019-DY26	446,535	280,817
		14204-038-SN01	9,793	-
		14203-038-DV08	1,526	-
		14206-038-PN01	-	672,141
		14205-036-DY27	-	472,761
		14205-038-PY02	-	2,467,752
		14205-038-DY01	-	48,100
Total for program			<u>4,209,268</u>	<u>4,507,780</u>
Special Education - Preschool Grants				
	84.173			
		45703-038-PY02	5,145	-
		45704-038-PY02	111,255	10,678
		45705-038-PN01	35,172	39
		45705-038-PY02	-	100,582
		45706-038-PN01	-	38,794
Total for program			<u>151,572</u>	<u>150,093</u>
Total for cluster			<u>4,360,840</u>	<u>4,657,873</u>
Total federal awards expended			<u>\$ 4,360,840</u>	<u>\$ 4,657,873</u>

The accompanying note is an integral part of the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
NOTE TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

I. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of the Madison Area Educational Special Services Unit (School Corporation) and is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Accordingly, the amount of federal awards expended is based on when the activity related to the award occurs. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

Circular A-133 requires an annual audit of nonfederal entities expending a total amount of federal awards equal to or in excess of \$500,000 in any fiscal year unless by constitution or statute a less frequent audit is required. In accordance with the Indiana Code (IC 5-11-1 et seq.), audits of School Corporations shall be conducted biennially. Such audits shall include both years within the biennial period.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

Section I – Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements:

Type of auditor's report issued: Unqualified

Internal control over financial reporting:
 Material weaknesses identified? No
 Reportable conditions identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? None reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? No

Federal Awards:

Internal control over major programs:
 Material weaknesses identified? No
 Reportable conditions identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? None reported

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: Unqualified

Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of Circular A-133? No

Identification of Major Programs:

CFDA Number	Name of Federal Program or Cluster
N/A	Special Education Cluster (IDEA)

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs: \$300,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? Yes

Section II – Financial Statement Findings

No matters are reportable.

Section III – Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

No matters are reportable.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS

No matters are reportable.

MADISON AREA EDUCATIONAL SPECIAL SERVICES UNIT
EXIT CONFERENCE

The contents of this report were discussed on April 18, 2007, with Christopher A. Trader, Treasurer/
Business Manager; and Connie L. Griffith, Executive Director. Our audit disclosed no material items that war-
rant comment at this time.