

# FINANCIAL SECTION

## COMPREHENSIVE ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

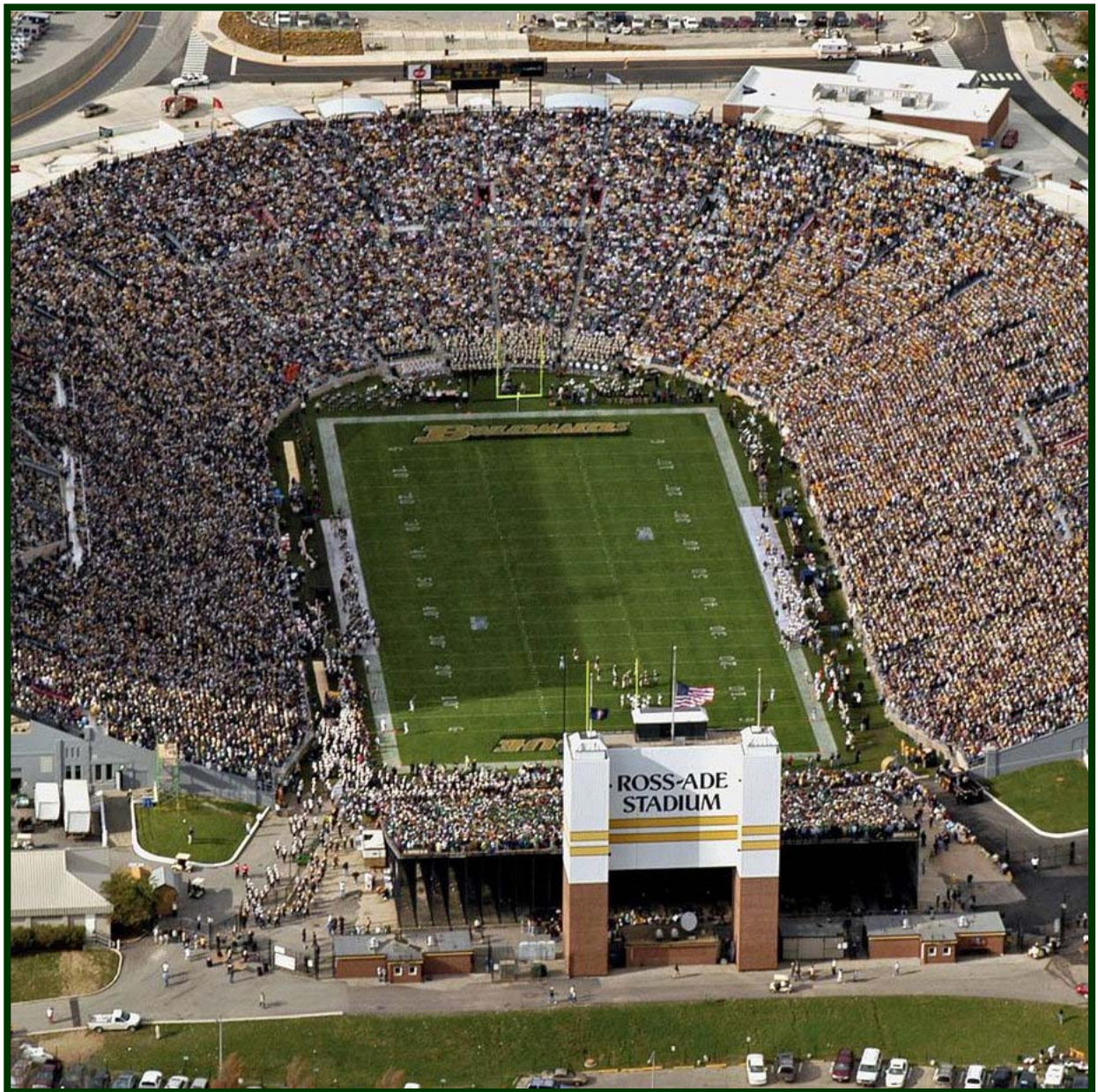


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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

TO: The Honorable Mitchell E. Daniels, Jr.  
The Members of the General Assembly, and  
The Citizens of the State of Indiana

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the State of Indiana, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise the State's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the State of Indiana's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the financial statements of the local government investment pool which represent 100% of the assets and revenues of the investment trust fund. We also did not audit certain component units of the State, as discussed in Note I(A), which represent 27% and 4.3% of the assets and revenues of the colleges and universities and 100% of the assets and revenues of the proprietary discretely presented component units. The financial statements of the investment trust fund and these component units were audited by other auditors whose reports thereon have been furnished to us and, our opinions, insofar as they relate to those units, are based upon the reports of the other auditors.

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 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 and the reports of other auditors provide a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, based on our audit and the reports of other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the State of Indiana as of June 30, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note I(A) to the financial statements, the Housing and Community Development Authority and Indiana Comprehensive Health Insurance Association, discretely presented component units, report on a December 31, 2007, year-end. As discussed in Note IV(G) to the financial statements, the State of Indiana has restated certain beginning fund balances and net assets.

The Management Discussion and Analysis and Schedules of Funding Progress for Employee Retirement Systems and Plans and Other Postemployment Benefit Plans, as listed in the table of contents, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consist principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the State of Indiana's basic financial statements. The introductory section, combining and individual nonmajor and discretely presented component unit fund information, budgetary comparison information and statistical section are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor and discretely presented component unit financial statements and budgetary comparison schedules have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The introductory section and statistical section have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

  
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December 23, 2008