

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION KINGSLAND, GEORGIA

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 (Including Independent Auditor's Reports)



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July 17, 2012

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S COMBINED REPORT ON BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION - SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information (Exhibits A through I) of the Camden County Board of Education, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise the Board's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Camden County Board of Education'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 consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Board's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, 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.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to previously present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Camden County Board of Education, as of June 30, 2011, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 17, 2012, on our consideration of the Camden County Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual, as presented on pages i through vii and page 25 respectively, are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. 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, 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.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Camden County Board of Education's financial statements as a whole. The accompanying supplementary information consists of Schedules 2 through 5, which includes the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards as required by U. S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations,* are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

A copy of this report has been filed as a permanent record in the office of the State Auditor and made available to the press of the State, as provided for by Official Code of Georgia Annotated section 50-6-24.

Respectfully submitted,

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Greg S. Griffin State Auditor

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INTRODUCTION

The discussion and analysis of Camden County Board of Education's financial performance provides an overall review of the School District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011. The intent of this discussion and analysis is to look at the School District's financial performance as a whole; readers should also review the notes to the basic financial statements and the financial statements to enhance their understanding of the School District's financial performance.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Key financial highlights for fiscal year 2011 are as follows:

- □ The School District's financial status changed slightly during fiscal year 2011. In total, net assets increased \$9.7 million from fiscal year 2010. This total increase was due to governmental activities since the Board has no business-type activities.
- □ On the District-wide financial statements, the net assets of the School District exceeded liabilities by \$148.3 million due in part to the absence of debt. Of this amount, \$15.1 million is unrestricted and available for spending at the School District's discretion.
- □ The School District has \$82.9 million in expenses relating to governmental activities; only \$53.3 million of these expenses are offset by program specific charges for services, grants and contributions. General revenues (primarily property and sales taxes) of \$39.4 million were adequate to provide for these programs.
- ❑ As stated above, general revenues accounted for \$39.4 million or 42.5% of all revenues totaling \$92.7 million. Program specific revenues in the form of charges for services, grants and contributions accounted for the rest.
- □ Among major funds, the General Fund has \$87.2 million in revenues, \$80.3 million in expenditures. The General Fund's fund balance increased to \$12.8 million from \$5.9 million.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This annual report consists of three parts; management's discussion and analysis (this section), the basic financial statements and required supplementary information. The basic financial statements include two levels of statements that present different views of the School District. These include the District-wide and fund financial statements.

The District-wide financial statements include the 'Statement of Net Assets' and 'Statement of Activities'. These statements provide information about activities of the School District presenting both short-term and long-term information about the School District's overall financial status.

The fund financial statements focus on individual parts of the School District, reporting the School District's operation in more detail. The 'Governmental Funds' statements disclose how basic services are financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The 'Fiduciary Funds' statements provide information about the financial relationships in which the School District acts solely as a trustee or agent for the benefit of others. The fund financial statements reflect the School District's most significant funds. In the case of the Camden County School District, the General Fund and District-wide Capital Projects Fund are the most significant funds.

The financial statements also include notes that explain some of the information in the statements and provide more detailed data. The statements are followed by a section of required supplementary information that further explains and supports the financial statements. Additionally, other supplementary information (not required) is also presented that further supplements understanding of the financial statements.

DISTRICT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Since Camden County School District has no operations that have been classified as "Business Activities", the District-wide financial statements are basically a consolidation of all the School District's operating funds into one column called governmental activities. In reviewing the District-wide financial statements, a reader might ask the question, are we in a better financial position than last year? The 'Statement of Net Assets' and the 'Statement of Activities' provides the basis for answering this question. These financial statements include all School District's assets and liabilities and use the **accrual basis of accounting** similar to the accounting used by most private-sector companies. The basis of accounting takes into account all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the School District's net assets and any changes in those assets. The change in net assets is important because it tells the reader that, for the School District as a whole, the financial position of the School District has improved or diminished. The causes of this change may be the results of many factors, including those not under the School District's control, such as the property tax base, facility conditions, required educational programs and other factors.

The 'Statement of Net Assets' and the 'Statement of Activities' reflects the School District's governmental activities.

FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The School District uses many funds to account for a multitude of financial transactions during the fiscal year. However, the fund financial statements presented in this report provide detail information about only the School District's significant or major funds.

<u>Governmental Funds</u> - Most of the School District's activities are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. These funds are reported using the **modified accrual method of accounting** which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the School District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance educational programs. The difference between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the financial statements.

<u>Fiduciary Funds</u> – The School District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets that belong to others, such as school clubs and organizations within the principals' accounts. The School District is responsible for ensuring the assets reported in these funds are used only for their intended purposes and by those to whom the assets belong. The School District excludes these activities from the District-wide financial statements because it cannot use these assets to finance its operations.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT AS A WHOLE

Recall that the Statement of Net Assets provides the perspective of the School District as a whole. Table 1 provides a summary of the School District's net assets for fiscal year 2011 compared to fiscal year 2010.

Table 1 Net Assets (In Thousands)

		Governmental Activities					
		Fiscal		Fiscal			
		Year 2011	_	Year 2010			
Assets							
Current and Other Assets	\$	37,476	\$	28,192			
Capital Assets, Net	Ψ	120,149	Ψ	121,547			
Capital Assets, Net		120,149	_	121,547			
Total Assets	\$	157,625	\$_	149,739			
Liabilities							
Current and Other Liabilities	\$	9,335	\$_	11,186			
Net Assets							
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of							
Related Debt	\$	120,149	\$	121,547			
Restricted		13,049		6,981			
Unrestricted		15,092	_	10,025			
Total Net Assets	\$	148,290	\$	138,553			

Total net assets increased \$9.7 million in fiscal year 2011.

Table 2 shows the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2011 compared to the changes in net assets for fiscal year 2010.

Table 2 Change in Net Assets (In Thousands)

	Governmental Activities				
	F	iscal Year		Fiscal Year	
		2011		2010	
Revenues					
Program Revenues:					
Charges for Services and Sales	\$	1,694	\$	1,98	
Operating Grants and Contributions		51,115		51,13	
Capital Grants and Contributions		511	_	68	
Total Program Revenues	\$	53,320	\$	53,79	
General Revenues:					
Taxes					
Property Taxes					
For Maintenance and Operations	\$	29,224	\$	31,02	
Railroad Cars		17			
Sales Taxes					
Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax					
For Capital Projects		6,690		6,68	
Intangible Recording Tax		291		34	
Grants and Contributions not					
Restricted to Specific Programs		1,694		2,69	
Investment Earnings		46		(
Miscellaneous		1,399		2,0	
Special Item					
Loss on Disposal of Building				-85	
Total General Revenues and Special Item	\$	39,361	\$	42,00	
Total Revenues	\$	92,681	\$	95,79	
rogram Expenses:					
Instruction	\$	54,304	\$	56,02	
Support Services					
Pupil Services		4,063		5,23	
Improvement of Instructional Services		2,812		2,5	
Educational Media Services		1,571		1,64	
General Administration		484		59	
School Administration		5,251		5,63	
Business Administration		471		52	
Maintenance and Operation of Plant		5,201		5,78	
Student Transportation Services		3,322		3,74	
Central Support Services		247		40	
Other Support Services		1,033		1,1:	
Operations of Non-Instructional Services					
Community Srvices		413		45	
Food Services		3,772		4,2:	
Total Expenses	\$	82,944	\$	87,96	
Increase in Net Assets	\$	9,737	*	7,83	

Governmental Activities

Instruction comprised 65.5 percent of governmental program expenses in fiscal year 2011. Camden County incurred no interest expense during fiscal year 2011.

The Statement of Activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. Table 3 shows, for governmental activities, the total cost of services and the net cost of services comparing fiscal year 2011 with fiscal year 2010. That is, it identifies the cost of these services supported by tax revenue and unrestricted State entitlements.

Table 3 Governmental Activities (In Thousands)

		Total Cost of Services				Net Cost	of Services	
	-	Fiscal		Fiscal	-	Fiscal		Fiscal
	-	Year 2011	-	Year 2010	_	Year 2011	_	Year 2010
Instruction	\$	54,304	\$	56,027	\$	22,425	\$	19,838
Support Services:								
Pupil Services		4,063		5,231		1,774		3,310
Improvement of Instructional Services		2,812		2,578		1,122		1,697
Educational Media Services		1,571		1,641		465		304
General Administration		484		598		-1,012		-1,084
School Administration		5,251		5,637		1,053		2,888
Business Administration		471		522		277		507
Maintenance and Operation of Plant		5,201		5,783		665		2,709
Student Transportation Services		3,322		3,749		1,865		2,507
Central Support Services		247		405		129		389
Other Support Services		1,033		1,123		913		1,075
Operations of Non-Instructional Services:								
Community Services		413		451		-6		-14
Food Services	-	3,772	-	4,218	_	-46	_	40
Total Expenses	\$	82,944	\$	87,963	\$	29,624	\$	34,166

Although program revenues make up a majority of the revenues, the School District is still dependent upon tax revenues for governmental activities. Over 41.2 percent of instruction activities are supported through taxes and other general revenues; for all governmental activities general revenue support is 35.7 percent.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S FUNDS

The School District's governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. The governmental funds had total revenues and other financing sources of \$94.1 million and total expenditures and other financing uses of \$81.5 million.

General Fund Budgeting Highlights

The School District's budget is prepared according to Georgia law. The most significant budgeted fund is the General Fund. During the course of fiscal year 2011, the School District amended its general fund budget as needed.

For the General Fund, the final actual revenues of \$87.2 million exceeded the original budgeted amount of \$81.1 million by \$6.1 million. This difference was primarily due to a slight increase in property taxes revenues over original budget of \$0.3 million, Federal revenues over original budget of \$3.9 million, miscellaneous revenues over original budget of \$0.9 million and the actual state revenues were \$1.1 million more than the original budget. Federal revenues far exceeded the original budget due to the system's eligibility as a Heavily Federally Impacted district through the U. S. Department of Education Impact Aid program as well as the receipt of Federal ARRA funds.

Final budgeted expenditures and other financing uses of \$84.8 million exceeded the original budgeted amount of \$81.2 million by \$3.6 million. The final budgeted expenditures and the financing uses of \$84.8 million exceeded the actual expenditures and other financing uses of \$80.3 million by \$4.5 million.

CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

At fiscal year end June 30, 2011 the School District had \$120.1 million invested in capital assets, all in governmental activities. Table 4 shows fiscal year 2011 balances compared with fiscal year 2010 balances.

Table 4 Capital Assets (In Thousands)

	Governmental Activities							
	 Fiscal Fiscal							
	 Year 2011	Year 2010						
Land	\$ 10,719	\$	10,719					
Construction In Progress	56							
Building and Building Improvements	104,077		105,755					
Equipment	3,672		3,501					
Land Improvements	 1,625		1,572					
Total	\$ 120,149	\$	121,547					

The School District has numerous construction projects including additions and renovations.

Debt

At fiscal year end June 30, 2011, the School District had no obligation for debt.

Current Issues

Camden County is located in the southeast corner of Georgia, bordered on the south by Florida and to the east by the Atlantic Ocean. The two major municipalities, Kingsland and St Marys, are approximately 30 miles from Jacksonville, Florida. Camden County is the home of Kings Bay Naval Submarine Base, homeport to a fleet of Trident Nuclear Submarines. The School District, naval base and associated Federal contractors make up the core of employment opportunities in the county.

The dramatic increase in coastal real estate investments by planned community developers will present many opportunities for school and community leaders in the coming years. Military families from every part of the nation, families employed in Florida seeking a quality education for children and retiring baby boomers from northern states will shape the growth of the community. As the ninth largest county in the state of Georgia, Camden County covers an area of approximately 659 square miles. The County has a population of 50,513 residents who reside in one of three municipalities or in a vast unincorporated area.

Residents approved a Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax for Education in March 2009 to meet the capital improvement needs of the School District. The sales tax rate, in Camden County is 7% while the property tax assessment for education at 15.0 mills.

Contacting the Board's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, investors and creditors with a general overview of the School District's finances and show the School District's accountability for the money received. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Mrs. Angela C. Eason, Director of Finance at the Camden County Board of Education, 311 S. East Street, Kingsland, Georgia, 31548. You may email your questions to aeason@camden.k12.ga.us.

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2011

	-	GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments Accounts Receivable, Net	\$	9,247,981.09 17,808,252.89
Taxes State Government Federal Government Other Inventories		3,558,554.41 5,547,745.76 1,167,393.38 6,872.97 139,587.49
Capital Assets, Non-Depreciable Capital Assets, Depreciable (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)	_	10,775,345.42 109,373,953.01
Total Assets	\$_	157,625,686.42
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable Salaries and Benefits Payable	\$	344.50 9,335,203.05
Total Liabilities	\$_	9,335,547.55
NET ASSETS		
Invested in Capital Assets Restricted for	\$	120,149,298.43
Continuation of Federal/State Programs Capital Projects Unrestricted	_	1,352,676.81 11,695,930.28 15,092,233.35
Total Net Assets	\$_	148,290,138.87
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$_	157,625,686.42

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

-		EXPENSES	 CHARGES FOR SERVICES
<u>dovernimental activities</u>			
Instruction	\$	54,304,379.10	\$ 331,660.63
Support Services			
Pupil Services		4,063,288.09	
Improvement of Instructional Services		2,811,823.67	
Educational Media Services		1,570,803.32	
General Administration		483,739.56	
School Administration		5,250,943.55	
Business Administration		471,053.74	
Maintenance and Operation of Plant		5,201,285.50	
Student Transportation Services		3,322,071.84	
Central Support Services		246,527.41	
Other Support Services		1,033,383.32	
Operations of Non-Instructional Services			
Community Services		413,364.40	373,119.00
Food Services		3,771,540.81	 988,724.08
Total Governmental Activities	\$	82,944,204.31	\$ 1,693,503.71

General Revenues Taxes Property Taxes For Maintenance and Operations Railroad Cars Sales Taxes Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax For Capital Projects Intangible Recording Tax Grants and Contributions not Restricted to Specific Programs Investment Earnings Miscellaneous

Total General Revenues

Change in Net Assets

Net Assets - Beginning of Year

Net Assets - End of Year

	PROGRAM REVENUES OPERATING GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS	 -	CAPITAL GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS	_	NET (EXPENSES) REVENUES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
\$	31,457,527.59	\$	90,303.45	\$	-22,424,887.43
	2,287,886.27		819.88		-1,774,581.94
	1,689,183.36		559.60		-1,122,080.71
	1,098,395.79		7,131.62		-465,275.91
	1,494,298.12		1,678.79		1,012,237.35
	4,187,508.61		10,046.73		-1,053,388.21
	193,666.67		91.10		-277,295.97
	4,533,627.42		2,863.05		-664,795.03
	1,075,866.35		381,460.00		-1,864,745.49
	117,512.58				-129,014.83
	119,923.91				-913,459.41
	47,226.53				6,981.13
-	2,812,441.28		16,644.78	_	46,269.33
\$	51,115,064.48	\$	511,599.00	\$	-29,624,037.12

\$ 29,223,734.40 17,123.68

6,690,962.99
291,133.52
1,693,789.00
45,910.77
1,399,080.33
\$ 39,361,734.69
\$ 9,737,697.57
138,552,441.30

\$ 148,290,138.87

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2011

		_	GENERAL FUND	_	DISTRICT- WIDE CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND	_	TOTAL
	ASSETS						
Cash and Cash E Investments Accounts Receiva		\$	8,808,784.26 5,594,610.61	\$	439,196.83 12,213,642.28	\$	9,247,981.09 17,808,252.89
Taxes State Govern Federal Gove Other Inventories		-	2,932,922.39 5,547,745.76 1,167,393.38 6,872.97 139,587.49	_	625,632.02	_	3,558,554.41 5,547,745.76 1,167,393.38 6,872.97 139,587.49
	Total Assets	\$=	24,197,916.86	\$_	13,278,471.13	\$_	37,476,387.99
	LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
LIABILITIES							
	able Benefits Payable Deferred Revenue	\$	344.50 9,335,203.05 2,036,871.22			\$	344.50 9,335,203.05 2,036,871.22
	Total Liabilities	\$	11,372,418.77			\$	11,372,418.77
FUND BALANCES							
Nonspendabl Restricted Assigned Unassigned	e	\$	139,587.49 1,213,089.32 698,162.09 10,774,659.19	\$	11,695,930.28 1,582,540.85	\$	139,587.49 12,909,019.60 2,280,702.94 10,774,659.19
	Total Fund Balances	\$_	12,825,498.09	\$	13,278,471.13	\$_	26,103,969.22
	Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	24,197,916.86	\$_	13,278,471.13	\$_	37,476,387.99

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2011

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (Exhibit "C")			\$ 26,103,969.22
Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:			
Capital Assets used in Governmental Activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. These assets consist of:			
Land	\$	10,718,965.80	
Construction in Progress		56,379.62	
Land Improvements		3,112,043.57	
Buildings		124,505,067.75	
Equipment		10,427,005.76	
Accumulated Depreciation		-28,670,164.07	
Total Capital Assets	_		120,149,298.43
Taxes that are not available to pay for current period expenditures are deferred			
in the funds.			 2,036,871.22
Net Assets of Governmental Activities (Exhibit "A")			\$ 148,290,138.87

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

		GENERAL		DISTRICT- WIDE CAPITAL PROJECTS		
		FUND		FUND		TOTAL
REVENUES	-		_		• -	
Property Taxes Sales Taxes	\$	24,168,212.65	¢	6 600 062 00	\$	24,168,212.65
State Funds		291,133.52 43,134,234.47	Φ	6,690,962.99		6,982,096.51 43,134,234.47
Federal Funds		16,517,139.71		130,139.00		16,647,278.71
Charges for Services		1,693,503.71		130,133.00		1,693,503.71
Investment Earnings		31,006.35		14,904.42		45,910.77
Miscellaneous	_	1,399,080.33		2.,0002		1,399,080.33
Total Revenues	\$	87,234,310.74	\$	6,836,006.41	\$	94,070,317.15
EXPENDITURES						
Current						
Instruction	\$	52,411,560.34	\$	506,687.72	\$	52,918,248.06
Support Services	Ŷ	02,111,000.01	Ŷ	000,001112	Ψ	02,010,210.00
Pupil Services		4,047,823.98				4,047,823.98
Improvement of Instructional Services		2,699,744.35		104,311.39		2,804,055.74
Educational Media Services		1,468,617.70				1,468,617.70
General Administration		498,465.51				498,465.51
School Administration		5,066,674.31		32,411.00		5,099,085.31
Business Administration		419,328.52		6,053.00		425,381.52
Maintenance and Operation of Plant		5,173,100.73		1,400.00		5,174,500.73
Student Transportation Services		3,226,002.19		267,286.00		3,493,288.19
Central Support Services		244,409.41		2,118.00		246,527.41
Other Support Services		1,032,329.58				1,032,329.58
Community Services		413,364.40				413,364.40
Food Services Operation		3,566,130.14				3,566,130.14
Capital Outlay	-		_	358,971.24		358,971.24
Total Expenditures	\$_	80,267,551.16	\$	1,279,238.35	\$	81,546,789.51
Net Change in Fund Balances	\$	6,966,759.58	\$	5,556,768.06	\$	12,523,527.64
Fund Balances - Beginning	_	5,858,738.51	_	7,721,703.07		13,580,441.58
Fund Balances - Ending	\$_	12,825,498.09	\$_	13,278,471.13	\$	26,103,969.22

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES JUNE 30, 2011

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds (Exhibit "E")	\$	12,523,527.64
Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Capital Outlays are reported as expenditures in Governmental Funds. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of Capital Assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. In the current period, these amounts are:		
Capital Outlay \$ 1,072,294.94		
Depreciation Expense -2,464,609.99 Excess of Capital Outlay over Depreciation Expense -2,464,609.99	•	-1,392,315.05
Taxes reported in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current		
financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.		-1,388,415.27
The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets		
(i.e., sales, trade-ins, donations, and disposals) is to decrease net assets.	_	-5,099.75
Change in Net Assets of Governmental Activities (Exhibit "B")	\$	9,737,697.57

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2011

	 PRIVATE PURPOSE TRUSTS		AGENCY FUNDS	
ASSETS				
Cash and Cash Equivalents Investments Georgia Fund 1	\$ 19,423.94	\$	238,698.42	
Total Assets	\$ 19,423.94	\$	238,698.42	
LIABILITIES				
Funds Held for Others		\$	238,698.42	
NET ASSETS				
Held in Trust for Private Purposes	\$ 19,423.94			
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 19,423.94	\$_	238,698.42	

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS FIDUCIARY FUNDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

	_	PRIVATE PURPOSE TRUSTS
ADDITIONS		
Investment Earnings Interest	\$	34.63
DEDUCTIONS		
None Reported	\$	0.00
Change in Net Assets	\$	34.63
Net Assets - Beginning	_	19,389.31
Net Assets - Ending	\$ _	19,423.94

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NOTE 1: DESCRIPTION OF SCHOOL DISTRICT AND REPORTING ENTITY

REPORTING ENTITY

The Camden County Board of Education (School District) was established under the laws of the State of Georgia and operates under the guidance of a school board elected by the voters and a Superintendent appointed by the Board. The Board is organized as a separate legal entity and has the power to levy taxes and issue bonds. Its budget is not subject to approval by any other entity. Accordingly, the School District is a primary government and consists of all the organizations that compose its legal entity.

NOTE 2: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The School District's basic financial statements are collectively comprised of the District-wide financial statements, fund financial statements and notes to the basic financial statements of the Camden County Board of Education.

District-wide Statements:

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities display information about the financial activities of the overall School District, except for fiduciary activities. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double counting of internal activities. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange transactions.

The Statement of Activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function of the School District's governmental activities.

- Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Indirect expenses (expenses of the School District related to the administration and support of the School District's programs, such as office and maintenance personnel and accounting) are not allocated to programs.
- Program revenues include (a) charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs and (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements:

The fund financial statements provide information about the School District's funds, including fiduciary funds. Eliminations have been made to minimize the double counting of internal activities. Separate statements for each category (governmental and fiduciary) are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental funds, each displayed in a separate column.

The School District reports the following major governmental funds:

- General Fund is the School District's primary operating fund. It accounts for and reports all financial resources not accounted for and reported in another fund.
- District-wide Capital Projects Fund accounts for and reports financial resources including Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) and grants from the U. S. Department of Education that are restricted, committed or assigned to the expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets.

The School District reports the following fiduciary fund types:

- Private Purpose Trust fund reports trust arrangements under which income provides scholarship aid to graduating seniors of the Camden County School District.
- Agency funds account for assets held by the School District as an agent for various funds, governments or individuals.

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The basis of accounting determines when transactions are reported on the financial statements. The District-wide governmental and fiduciary financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of when the related cash flows take place. Nonexchange transactions, in which the School District gives (or receives) value without directly receiving (or giving) equal value in exchange, include property taxes, sales taxes, grants and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from sales taxes is recognized in the fiscal year in which the underlying transaction (sale) takes place. Revenue from grants and donations are recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

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

Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available. The School District considers all revenues reported in the governmental funds to be available if they are collected within sixty days after year-end. Property taxes, sales taxes and interest are considered to be susceptible to accrual. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. Capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds.

The School District funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants, categorical grants, and general revenues. Thus, when program costs are incurred, there are both restricted and unrestricted net assets available to finance the program. It is the School District's policy to first apply grant resources to such programs, followed by cost-reimbursement grants, then general revenues.

The State of Georgia reimburses the School System for teachers' salaries and operating costs through the Quality Basic Education Formula Earnings program (QBE). Generally teachers are contracted for the school year (July 1 – June 30) and paid over a twelve month contract period, generally September 1 through August 31. In accordance with the respective rules and regulations of the QBE program, the State of Georgia reimburses the School System over the same twelve month period in which teachers are paid. At June 30, the amount of teachers' salaries incurred but not paid until July and August of the subsequent year are accrued. Since the State of Georgia recognizes its QBE liability for the July and August salaries at June 30, the School System recognizes the same QBE as a receivable and revenue, consistent with symmetrical recognition.

NEW ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In fiscal year 2011, the School District adopted the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*. The provisions of this Statement establish accounting and financial reporting standards for all governments that report governmental funds. It establishes criteria for classifying fund balances into specifically defined classifications and clarifies definitions for governmental funds.

CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Composition of Deposits

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition in authorized financial institutions. Official Code of Georgia Annotated Section 45-8-14 authorizes the School District to deposit its funds in one or more solvent banks, insured Federal savings and loan associations or insured chartered building and loan associations.

INVESTMENTS

Composition of Investments

Investments made by the School District in nonparticipating interest-earning contracts (such as certificates of deposit) and repurchase agreements are reported at cost. Participating interest-earning contracts and money market investments with a maturity at purchase of one year or less are reported at amortized cost. Both participating interest-earning contracts and money market investments with a maturity at purchase greater than one year are reported at fair value. The Official Code of Georgia Annotated Section 36-83-4 authorizes the School District to invest its funds. In selecting among options for investment or among institutional bids for deposits, the highest rate of return shall be the objective, given equivalent conditions of safety and liquidity. Funds may be invested in the following:

- 1. Obligations issued by the State of Georgia or by other states,
- 2. Obligations issued by the United States government,
- 3. Obligations fully insured or guaranteed by the United States government or a United States government agency,
- 4. Obligations of any corporation of the United States government,
- 5. Prime banker's acceptances,
- 6. The Georgia Fund 1 administered by the State of Georgia, Office of the State Treasurer,
- 7. Repurchase agreements, and
- 8. Obligations of other political subdivisions of the State of Georgia.

The School District does not have a formal policy regarding investment policies that address credit risks, custodial credit risks, concentration of credit risks, interest rate risks or foreign currency risks.

RECEIVABLES

Receivables consist of amounts due from property and sales taxes, grant reimbursements due on Federal, State or other grants for expenditures made but not reimbursed and other receivables disclosed from information available. Receivables are recorded when either the asset or revenue recognition criteria has been met. Receivables recorded on the basic financial statements do not include any amounts which would necessitate the need for an allowance for uncollectible receivables.

PROPERTY TAXES

The Camden County Board of Commissioners fixed the property tax levy for the 2010 tax digest year (calendar year) on September 7, 2010 (levy date). Taxes were due on November 30, 2010 (lien date). Taxes collected within the current fiscal year or within 60 days after year-end on the 2010 tax digest are reported as revenue in the governmental funds for fiscal year 2011. The Camden County

Tax Commissioner bills and collects the property taxes for the School District, withholds 2.5% of taxes collected as a fee for tax collection and remits the balance of taxes collected to the School District. Property tax revenues, at the fund reporting level, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, for maintenance and operations amounted to \$24,151,088.97.

The tax millage rate levied for the 2010 tax year (calendar year) for the Camden County Board of Education was as follows (a mill equals \$1 per thousand dollars of assessed value):

School Operations 15.00 mills

SALES TAXES

Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax, at the fund reporting level, during the year amounted to \$6,690,962.99 and is to be used for capital outlay for educational purposes. This sales tax was authorized by local referendum and the sales tax must be re-authorized at least every five years.

INVENTORIES

Food Inventories

On the basic financial statements, inventories of donated food commodities used in the preparation of meals are reported at their Federally assigned value and purchased foods inventories are reported at cost (first-in, first-out). The School District uses the consumption method to account for inventories whereby donated food commodities are recorded as an asset and as revenue when received, and expenses/expenditures are recorded as the inventory items are used. Purchased foods are recorded as an asset when purchased and expenses/expenditures are recorded as the inventory items are used.

CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets purchased, including capital outlay costs, are recorded as expenditures in the fund financial statements at the time of purchase (including ancillary charges). On the District-wide financial statements, all purchased capital assets are valued at cost where historical records are available and at estimated historical cost based on appraisals or deflated current replacement cost where no historical records exist. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value on the date donated. Disposals are deleted at depreciated recorded cost. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of assets or materially extend the useful lives of the assets is not capitalized. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method. The School District does not capitalize book collections or works of art. During the fiscal year under review, no events or changes in circumstances affecting a capital asset that may indicate impairment were known to the School District.

Capitalization thresholds and estimated useful lives of capital assets reported in the District-wide statements are as follows:

	 Capitalization Policy	Estimated Useful Life	
Land	Any Amount	N/A	
Land Improvements	\$ 25,000.00	20 years	
Buildings and Improvements	\$ 50,000.00	20 to 80 years	
Portable Buildings	\$ 5,000.00	10 years	
Equipment	\$ 5,000.00	8 to 20 years	

Depreciation is used to allocate the actual or estimated historical cost of all capital assets over estimated useful lives, with the exception of intangible assets which are amortized.

NET ASSETS

The School District's net assets in the District-wide Statements are classified as follows:

Invested in capital assets, net of related debt - This represents the School District's total investment in capital assets, net of outstanding debt obligations related to those capital assets. To the extent debt has been incurred but not yet expended for capital assets, such amounts are not included as a component of invested in capital assets, net of related debt.

Restricted net assets - These represent resources for which the School District is legally or contractually obligated to spend resources for continuation of Federal Programs, capital projects and other in accordance with restrictions imposed by external third parties.

Unrestricted net assets - Unrestricted net assets represent resources derived from property taxes, sales taxes, grants and contributions not restricted to specific programs, charges for services, and miscellaneous revenues. These resources are used for transactions relating to the educational and general operations of the School District, and may be used at the discretion of the Board to meet current expenses for those purposes.

FUND BALANCES

The School District's fund balances are classified as follows:

Nonspendable – Amounts that cannot be spent either because they are in a nonspendable form or because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted – Constraints are placed on the use of resources are either (1) externally imposed conditions by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws and regulations of other governments or (2) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed – Amounts that can be used only for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Board of Education. The Board of Education is the School District's highest level of decision-making authority, and the formal action that is required to be taken to establish, modify, or rescind a fund balance commitment is a resolution approved by the Board. Committed fund balance also should incorporate contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

Assigned – Amounts that are constrained by the School District's *intent* to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. The intent should be expressed by (1) the Board of Education or (2) the budget or finance committee, or the Superintendent, or designee, to assign amounts to be used for specific purposes.

Unassigned – The residual classification for the General Fund. This classification represents fund balances that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the General Fund.

Fund Balances of the Governmental Funds at June 30, 2011, are as follows:

Nonspendable			
Inventories			\$ 139,587.49
Restricted			
Continuation of Federal/State Programs	\$	1,213,089.32	
Capital Projects		11,695,930.28	12,909,019.60
Assigned	—		
Local Capital Outlay Projects	\$	1,582,540.85	
School Activity Accounts		698,162.09	2,280,702.94
Unassigned	_		 10,774,659.19
Fund Balance, June 30, 2011			\$ 26,103,969.22

When multiple categories of fund balance are available for expenditure, the School District will start with the most restricted category and spend those funds first before moving down to the next category with available funds.

USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

NOTE 3: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

COLLATERALIZATION OF DEPOSITS

Official Code of Georgia Annotated (O.C.G.A.) Section 45-8-12 provides that there shall not be on deposit at any time in any depository for a time longer than ten days a sum of money which has not been secured by surety bond, by guarantee of insurance, or by collateral. The aggregate of the face value of such surety bond and the market value of securities pledged shall be equal to not less than 110 percent of the public funds being secured after the deduction of the amount of deposit insurance. If a depository elects the pooled method (O.C.G.A. Section 45-8-13.1) the aggregate of the market value of the securities pledged to secure a pool of public funds shall be not less than 110 percent of the daily pool balance.

Acceptable security for deposits consists of any one of or any combination of the following:

- 1. Surety bond signed by a surety company duly qualified and authorized to transact business within the State of Georgia,
- 2. Insurance on accounts provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation,
- 3. Bonds, bills, notes, certificates of indebtedness or other direct obligations of the United States or of the State of Georgia,
- 4. Bonds, bills, notes, certificates of indebtedness or other obligations of the counties or municipalities of the State of Georgia,
- 5. Bonds of any public authority created by the laws of the State of Georgia, providing that the statute that created the authority authorized the use of the bonds for this purpose,
- 6. Industrial revenue bonds and bonds of development authorities created by the laws of the State of Georgia, and

7. Bonds, bills, notes, certificates of indebtedness, or other obligations of a subsidiary corporation of the United States government, which are fully guaranteed by the United States government both as to principal and interest or debt obligations issued by or securities guaranteed by the Federal Land Bank, the Federal Home Loan Bank, the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, the Central Bank for Cooperatives, the Farm Credit Banks, the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Association, and the Federal National Mortgage Association.

CATEGORIZATION OF DEPOSITS

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the School District's deposits may not be returned to it. The School District does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. At June 30, 2011, the bank balances were \$12,174,172.83. The bank balances were entirely covered by Federal depository insurance or collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the School District's name.

CATEGORIZATION OF INVESTMENTS

At June 30, 2011, the carrying value of the School District's total investments was \$17,699,999.18, which is materially the same as fair value. This investment consisted entirely of funds invested in the Georgia Fund 1, formerly referred to as LGIP, administered by the State of Georgia, Office of the State Treasurer which are not required to be categorized since the School District did not own any specific identifiable securities in the pool. The investment policy of the State of Georgia, Office of the State Treasurer for the Georgia Fund 1 (Primary Liquidity Portfolio) does not provide for investment in derivatives or similar investments. Additional information on the Georgia Fund 1 is disclosed in the *State of Georgia* Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. This audit can be obtained from the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts at <u>http://www.audits.ga.gov/SGD/cafr.html</u>.

The Primary Liquidity Portfolio consists of Georgia Fund 1 which is not registered with the SEC as an investment company but does operate in a manner consistent with the SEC's Rule 2a-7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940. The investment is valued at the pool's share price, \$1.00 per share. The pool is an AAAm rated investment pool by Standard and Poor's. The weighted average maturity of Georgia Fund 1 may not exceed 60 days. The weighted average maturity for Georgia Fund 1 on June 30, 2011, was 59 days.

NOTE 4: NON-MONETARY TRANSACTIONS

The School District receives food commodities from the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for school breakfast and lunch programs. These commodities are recorded at their Federally assigned value. **See Note 2 - Inventories**

NOTE 5: CAPITAL ASSETS

The following is a summary of changes in the Capital Assets during the fiscal year:

		Balances July 1, 2010		Increases		Decreases		Balances June 30, 2011
Governmental Activities		5419 1, 2010	•			200100000		54110 00, 2011
Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated:								
Land	\$	10,718,965.80			\$	0.00	\$	10,718,965.80
Construction Work In Progress	•	0.00	\$	56,379.62	•		•	56,379.62
			•					
Total Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated	\$	10,718,965.80	\$	56,379.62	\$	0.00	\$	10,775,345.42
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated:								
Buildings and Improvements	\$	124,488,833.37	\$	16,234.38			\$	124,505,067.75
Equipment		10,328,932.89		814,905.15	\$	716,832.28		10,427,005.76
Land Improvements		2,927,267.78		184,775.79				3,112,043.57
Less: Accumulated Depreciation:								
Buildings and Improvements		18,734,034.87		1,693,875.61				20,427,910.48
Equipment		6,828,306.64		638,904.39		711,732.53		6,755,478.50
Land Improvements		1,354,945.10	-	131,829.99				1,486,775.09
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net	\$	110,827,747.43	\$.	-1,448,694.67	\$	5,099.75	\$	109,373,953.01
Governmental Activity Capital Assets - Net	\$	121,546,713.23	\$	-1,392,315.05	\$	5,099.75	\$	120,149,298.43
Current year depreciation expense by f	un	ction is as follo	ows	6:				
Instruction						\$ 1,4	42	3,198.62
Support Services								
Pupil Services			\$	12,603	3.19			
Improvement of Instructional Servic	es			8,551				
Educational Media Services				103,850				
General Administration				25,819				
School Administration				144,824				
Business Administration				1,394				
Maintenance and Operation of Plan	nt			43,336				
Student Transportation Services				463,376				
Central Support Services				1,041	L.66	-		4,797.54
Food Services							23	6,613.83
						\$,	46	4,609.99

NOTE 6: RISK MANAGEMENT

The School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors or omissions; job related illness or injuries to employees; acts of God and unemployment compensation.

The School District has obtained commercial insurance for risk of loss associated with torts, assets, and errors or omissions. The School District has neither significantly reduced coverage for these

risks nor incurred losses (settlements) which exceeded the School District's insurance coverage in any of the past three years.

The School District has elected to self-insure for all losses related to acts of God. The School District has not experienced any losses to this risk in the past three years.

The School District is self-insured with regard to unemployment compensation claims. The School District accounts for claims within the General Fund with expenses/expenditures and liability being reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred, and the amount of that loss can be reasonably estimated.

Changes in the unemployment compensation claims liability during the last two fiscal years are as follows:

	-	Beginning of Year Liability	Claims and Changes in Estimates	Claims Paid		End of Year Liability		
2010	\$	7,961.00	\$ 24,437.06	\$ 17,821.00	\$	14,577.06		
2011	\$	14,577.06	\$ 93,718.00	\$ 86,155.06	\$	22,140.00		

The School District participates in the Georgia Education Workers' Compensation Trust, a public entity risk pool organized on December 1, 1991, to develop, implement and administer a program of workers' compensation self-insurance for its member organizations. The School District pays an annual premium to the Trust for its general insurance coverage. Additional insurance coverage is provided through an agreement by the Trust with the Safety National Casualty Company to provide coverage for potential losses sustained by the Trust in excess of \$1,000,000.00 loss per occurrence, up to the statutory limit. Employers' Liability insurance coverage is also provided by Safety National Casualty Company with a loss fund percentage of 100%, based on the Fund's annual normal premium, up to a maximum limit of indemnity of aggregate limit of \$2,000,000.00.

The School District has purchased surety bonds to provide additional insurance coverage as follows:

Position Covered	 Amount
Superintendent	\$ 20,000.00
High School Principal	\$ 100,000.00
Each Middle School Principal	\$ 50,000.00
Each Elementary School Principal	\$ 20,000.00
Alternative School Principal	\$ 10,000.00
Vocational Supervisor	\$ 10,000.00
Athletic Director	\$ 10,000.00

NOTE 7: SHORT-TERM DEBT

The School District issues tax anticipation notes in advance of property tax collections, depositing the proceeds in its General Fund. This short-term debt is to provide cash for operations until property tax collections are received by the School District. Article IX, Section V, Paragraph V of the Constitution of the State of Georgia limits the aggregate amount of short-term debt to 75 percent of the total gross income from taxes collected in the preceding year and requires all short-term debt to be repaid no later than December 31 of the calendar year in which the debt was incurred.

Short-term debt activity for the fiscal year is as follows:

	Beginning									
		Balance		Issued		Redeemed		Balance		
			-		-		-			
Tax Anticipation Notes	\$	0.00	\$	2,500,000.00	\$	2,500,000.00	\$	0.00		

NOTE 8: ON-BEHALF PAYMENTS

The School District has recognized revenues and costs in the amount of \$186,342.91 for health insurance and retirement contributions paid on the School District's behalf by the following State Agencies.

Georgia Department of Education

Paid to the Georgia Department of Community Health For Health Insurance of Non-Certificated Personnel In the amount of \$91,739.44

Paid to the Teachers' Retirement System of Georgia For Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) Employer's Cost In the amount of \$50,621.47

Office of the State Treasurer

Paid to the Public School Employees' Retirement System For Public School Employees' Retirement (PSERS) Employer's Cost In the amount of \$43,982.00

NOTE 9: SIGNIFICANT COMMITMENTS

The following is an analysis of significant outstanding construction or renovation contracts executed by the School District as of June 30, 2011:

	Unearned
	Executed
Project	 Contracts
Coastal Academy Renovation	\$ 659,240.00

The amount described in this note is not reflected in the basic financial statements.

NOTE 10: SIGNIFICANT CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Amounts received or receivable principally from the Federal government are subject to audit and review by grantor agencies. This could result in requests for reimbursement to the grantor agency for any costs which are disallowed under grant terms. The School District believes that such disallowances, if any, will be immaterial to its overall financial position.

NOTE 11: POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

GEORGIA SCHOOL PERSONNEL POST-EMPLOYMENT HEALTH BENEFIT FUND

Plan Description. The Georgia School Personnel Post-employment Health Benefit Fund (School OPEB Fund) is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit post-employment healthcare plan that covers eligible former employees of public school systems, libraries and regional educational service

agencies. The School OPEB Fund provides health insurance benefits to eligible former employees and their qualified beneficiaries through the State Employees Health Benefit Plan administered by the Department of Community Health. The Official Code of Georgia Annotated (O.C.G.A.) assigns the authority to establish and amend the benefit provisions of the group health plans, including benefits for retirees, to the Board of Community Health (Board). The Department of Community Health, which includes the School OPEB Fund, issues a separate stand alone financial audit report and a copy can be obtained from the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts.

Funding Policy. The contribution requirements of plan members and participating employers are established by the Board in accordance with the current Appropriations Act and may be amended by the Board. Contributions of plan members or beneficiaries receiving benefits vary based on plan election, dependent coverage, and Medicare eligibility and election. On average, plan members pay approximately 25 percent of the cost of the health insurance coverage.

Participating employers are statutorily required to contribute in accordance with the employer contribution rates established by the Board. The contribution rates are established to fund all benefits due under the health insurance plans for both active and retired employees based on projected "pay-as-you-go" financing requirements. Contributions are not based on the actuarially calculated annual required contribution (ARC) which represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed thirty years.

The combined active and retiree contribution rates established by the Board for employers participating in the School OPEB Fund were as follows for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011:

For certificated teachers, librarians and regional educational service agencies:

July 2010 - April 2011	21.955% of covered payroll for August - May Coverage
May 2011 - June 2011	1.429% of covered payroll for June - July Coverage

For non-certificated school personnel:

July 2010 - December 2010	\$162.72 per member per month
January 2011 - May 2011	\$218.20 per member per month
June 2011	\$246.20 per member per month

The Department of Education was appropriated an additional \$25,081,633 for non-certificated personnel health insurance payments. The amount attributable to the School District is reflected in the On-behalf note disclosure.

No additional contribution was required by the Board for fiscal year 2011 nor contributed to the School OPEB Fund to prefund retiree benefits. Such additional contribution amounts are determined annually by the Board in accordance with the School plan for other post-employment benefits and are subject to appropriation.

The School District's combined active and retiree contributions to the health insurance plans, which equaled the required contribution, for the current fiscal year and the preceding two fiscal years were as follows:

	Percentage		Required
Fiscal Year	Contributed	_	Contribution
2011	100%	\$	7,748,477.04
2010	100%	\$	6,982,236.01
2009	100%	\$	5,885,642.18

NOTE 12: RETIREMENT PLANS

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF GEORGIA (TRS)

Plan Description. The TRS is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit plan created in 1943 by an act of the Georgia General Assembly to provide retirement benefits for qualifying employees in educational service. A Board of Trustees comprised of active and retired members and ex-officio State employees is ultimately responsible for the administration of TRS. The Teachers' Retirement System of Georgia issues a separate stand alone financial audit report and a copy can be obtained from the Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts.

On October 25, 1996, the Board created the Supplemental Retirement Benefits Plan of the Georgia Teachers' Retirement System (SRBP-TRS). SRBP-TRS was established as a qualified excess benefit plan in accordance with Section 415 of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) as a portion of TRS. The purpose of SRBP-TRS is to provide retirement benefits to employees covered by TRS whose benefits are otherwise limited by IRC Section 415. Beginning July 1, 1997, all members and retired former members in TRS are eligible to participate in the SRBP-TRS whenever their benefits under TRS exceed the IRC Section 415 imposed limitation on benefits.

TRS provides service retirement, disability retirement, and survivor's benefits. The benefit structure of TRS is defined and may be amended by State statute. A member is eligible for normal service retirement after 30 years of creditable service, regardless of age, or after 10 years of service and attainment of age 60. A member is eligible for early retirement after 25 years of creditable service.

Normal retirement (pension) benefits paid to members are equal to 2% of the average of the member's two highest paid consecutive years of service, multiplied by the number of years of creditable service up to 40 years. Early retirement benefits are reduced by the lesser of one-twelfth of 7% for each month the member is below age 60 or by 7% for each year or fraction thereof by which the member has less than 30 years of service. It is also assumed that certain cost-of-living adjustments, based on the Consumer Price Index, will be made in future years. Retirement benefits are payable monthly for life. A member may elect to receive a partial lump-sum distribution in addition to a reduced monthly retirement benefit. Death, disability and spousal benefits are also available.

Funding Policy. TRS is funded by member and employer contributions as adopted and amended by the Board of Trustees. Members become fully vested after 10 years of service. If a member terminates with less than 10 years of service, no vesting of employer contributions occurs, but the member's contributions may be refunded with interest. Member contributions are limited by State law to not less than 5% or more than 6% of a member's earnable compensation. Member contributions as adopted by the Board of Trustees for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, were 5.53% of annual salary. The member contribution rate will increase to 6.00% effective July 1, 2012. Employer contributions required for fiscal year 2011 were 10.28% of annual salary as required by the June 30, 2008, actuarial valuation. The employer contribution rate will increase to 11.41% effective July 1, 2012.

Employer contributions for the current fiscal year and the preceding two fiscal years are as follows:

Fiscal Year	Percentage Contributed	 Required Contribution
2011	100%	\$ 5,151,741.52
2010	100%	\$ 5,363,785.01
2009	100%	\$ 5,311,225.75

PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (PSERS)

Bus drivers, lunchroom personnel, and maintenance and custodial personnel are members of the Public School Employees' Retirement System of Georgia. The System is funded by contributions by the employees and by the State of Georgia. The School District makes no contribution to this plan.

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CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION GENERAL FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

	_	ORIGINAL (1)	FINAL (1)	ACTUAL AMOUNTS
	-			/////00/110
REVENUES				
Property Taxes	\$	23,848,556.52 \$	23,848,556.52 \$	24,168,212.65
Sales Taxes		288,118.00	288,118.00	291,133.52
State Funds		42,066,377.81	42,191,147.84	43,134,234.47
Federal Funds		12,659,590.00	16,595,124.99	16,517,139.71
Charges for Services		1,694,390.00	1,694,390.00	1,693,503.71
Investment Earnings		63,132.00	63,132.00	31,006.35
Miscellaneous	_	511,728.16	511,452.62	1,399,080.33
Total Revenues	\$	81,131,892.49 \$	85,191,921.97 \$	87,234,310.74
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
Instruction	\$	54,170,302.49 \$	55,966,388.67 \$	52,411,560.34
Support Services				
Pupil Services		4,130,640.36	4,608,478.25	4,047,823.98
Improvement of Instructional Services		2,173,707.50	2,742,295.36	2,699,744.35
Educational Media Services		1,464,253.73	1,466,421.31	1,468,617.70
General Administration		555,614.58	631,802.24	498,465.51
School Administration		5,042,742.91	5,084,945.86	5,066,674.31
Business Administration		605,004.08	554,312.91	419,328.52
Maintenance and Operation of Plant		5,462,635.98	5,463,008.33	5,173,100.73
Student Transportation Services		2,733,096.24	3,378,939.87	3,226,002.19
Central Support Services		257,762.47	263,772.31	244,409.41
Other Support Services Community Services Operations		45,394.80 487,100.00	162,241.10 489,403.00	1,032,329.58 413,364.40
Food Services Operations				
Food Services Operations	_	3,879,875.73	3,878,418.58	3,566,130.14
Total Expenditures	\$	81,008,130.87 \$	84,690,427.79 \$	80,267,551.16
Excess of Revenues over (under) Expenditures	\$	123,761.62 \$	501,494.18 \$	6,966,759.58
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Other Sources	\$	149,887.61 \$		
	Φ	· · · ·	147,555.47	
Other Uses	_	-149,887.61	-147,555.47	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	\$	0.00 \$	0.00	
Net Change in Fund Balance	\$	123,761.62 \$	501,494.18 \$	6,966,759.58
Fund Balances - Beginning	_	5,674,913.92	5,674,913.92	5,858,738.51
Fund Balances - Ending	\$_	5,798,675.54 \$	6,176,408.10 \$	12,825,498.09

Notes to the Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Budget and Actual

(1) Original and Final Budget amounts do not include budgeted revenues or expenditures of the various principal accounts.

The accompanying schedule of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances budget and actual is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting which is the basis of accounting used in the presentation of the fund financial statements.

See notes to the basic financial statements.

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

FUNDING AGENCY PROGRAM/GRANT		CFDA NUMBER	PASS- THROUGH ENTITY ID NUMBER		EXPENDITURES IN PERIOD
Agriculture, U. S. Department of					
Child Nutrition Cluster					
Pass-Through From Georgia Department of Education					
Food Services		10 552	NI / A		(2)
School Breakfast Program National School Lunch Program		10.553 10.555	N/A N/A	\$	(2) 3,273,699.49 (1)
		10.000	Ny A	Ψ_	3,273,039.49 (1)
Total Child Nutrition Cluster				\$_	3,273,699.49
Education, U. S. Department of					
Impact Aid Cluster					
Direct					
ARRA - Impact Aid - School Construction Formula Grants	*	84.404 84.041			(3)
Impact Aid	^	84.041			(4)
Special Education Cluster					
Pass-Through From Georgia Department of Education					
Special Education					
ARRA - Grants to States	*	84.391	N/A	\$	872,807.81
ARRA - Preschool Grants	*	84.392	N/A		37,589.15
Grants to States Preschool Grants	*	84.027 84.173	N/A N/A		1,505,505.56 84,584.99
		04.175	Ny A	-	04,004.00
Total Special Education Cluster				\$_	2,500,487.51
Title I, Part A Cluster					
Pass-Through From Georgia Department of Education					
ARRA - Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	*	84.389	N/A	\$	568,256.95
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	*	84.010	N/A	-	1,560,171.12
Total Title I, Part A Cluster				\$_	2,128,428.07
Other Programs					
Pass-Through From Georgia Department of Education					
Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States		84.048	N/A	\$	69,925.89
Education Job Fund	*	84.410	N/A		1,932,262.00
Improving Teacher Quality State Grants		84.367	N/A		365,911.70
Pass-Through From Effingham County Board of Education Funds for the Improvement of Education		84.215	N/A		285,369.00
		04.213	N/A	-	285,509.00
Total Other Programs				\$_	2,653,468.59
Total U. S. Department of Education				\$	7,282,384.17
Defense, U. S. Department of					
Direct					
Department of the Navy					
R.O.T.C. Program				\$	88,112.11
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards				\$	10,644,195.77

N/A = Not Available

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

- (1) Includes the Federally assigned value of donated commodities for the Food Donation Program in the amount of \$275,066.57.
- (2) Expenditures for the funds earned on the School Breakfast Program (\$709,390.38) were not maintained separately and are included in the 2011 National School Lunch Program.
- (3) Funds earned on this program, in the amount of \$6,504.00, do not require reporting of expenditures.
- (4) Funds earned on this program, in the amount of \$6,584,695.70, do not require reporting of expenditures.

Major Programs are identified by an asterisk (*) in front of the CFDA number.

The School District did not provide Federal Assistance to any Subrecipient.

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of Federal awards includes the Federal grant activity of the Camden County Board of Education and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting which is the basis of accounting used in the presentation of the fund financial statements.

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF STATE REVENUE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

		GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPE	
NCY/FUNDING	_	GENERAL FUND	
	_	TOND	
GRANTS			
Bright From the Start:			
Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning			
Pre-Kindergarten Program	\$	951,671.5	
Education, Georgia Department of			
Quality Basic Education			
Direct Instructional Cost			
Kindergarten Program		3,463,988.0	
Kindergarten Program - Early Intervention Program		92,677.0	
Primary Grades (1-3) Program		7,851,781.0	
Primary Grades - Early Intervention (1-3) Program		356,461.0	
Upper Elementary Grades (4-5) Program		3,786,435.0	
Upper Elementary Grades - Early Intervention (4-5) Program		226,336.0	
Middle School (6-8) Program		6,336,843.:	
High School General Education (9-12) Program		5,838,222.0	
Vocational Laboratory (9-12) Program		2,380,004.	
Students with Disabilities			
Category I		372,341.0	
Category II		668,160.0	
Category III		2,996,499.0	
Category IV		613,718.0	
Category V		126,711.0	
Gifted Student - Category VI		1,605,340.0	
Alternative Education Program		508,428.0	
English Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)		73,853.0	
Media Center Program		1,057,203.0	
20 Days Additional Instruction		338,070.0	
Staff and Professional Development		177,263.0	
Indirect Cost		4 4 70 6424	
Central Administration		1,172,613.0	
School Administration		2,046,220.0	
Facility Maintenance and Operations		2,317,462.0	
Categorical Grants			
Pupil Transportation		1 006 477 (
Regular Nursing Services		1,026,477.0 146,958.0	
Vocational Supervisors		26,554.2	
Mid-term Adjustment Hold-Harmless		789,783.0	
Education Equalization Funding Grant		1,693,789.0	
Food Services		140,096.	
Vocational Education		52,982.0	
Amended Formula Adjustment		-6,903,385.0	
Other State Programs		0,000,000.	
2010 Project Summer ExPress Program		6,751.2	
Bus Replacement - State Bonds		381,460.0	
Dual Enrollment		5,473.0	
Health Insurance		91,739.4	
Math and Science Supplements		34,479.	
Preschool Handicapped Program		187,847.4	
Teachers' Retirement		50,621.4	
Virtual Schools State Grant		325.0	
Office of State Tracourer			
Office of State Treasurer Public School Employees' Retirement		43,982.0	

\$ 43,134,234.47

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF APPROVED LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROJECTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

PROJECT	_	ORIGINAL ESTIMATED COST (1)	CURRENT ESTIMATED COSTS (2)	AMOUNT EXPENDED IN CURRENT YEAR (3)	AMOUNT EXPENDED IN PRIOR YEARS (3)	PROJECT STATUS
(i) Acquiring, constructing, and equipping new schools and facilities useful and desirable, including an elementary school, a middle school, a fine arts academy and physical education/athletic facilities						
(ii) Adding to, renovating, repairing, improving, and	\$	45,000,000.00 \$	45,000,000.00			Ongoing
equipping existing school buildings and school system facilities		5,500,000.00	5,500,000.00	\$ 56,379.62		Ongoing
(iii) acquiring real property for new school buildings and renovating and improving existing real property owned by the District, including but not limited to						
paving, landscaping, irrigation and drainage		3,100,000.00	1,695,404.00	203,863.49 \$	627,476.61	Ongoing
(a) New Middle School Property		900,000.00	900,000.00			Ongoing
(iv) Acquiring miscellaneous new equipment, fixtures and furnishings for the school system, including HVAC equipment, information technology equipment and						
software, safety and security equipment		5,637,000.00	2,400,000.00	685,135.41		Ongoing
(v) Acquiring school buses and transportation and maintenance equipment		1,200,000.00	1,200,000.00	265,776.00		Ongoing
(vi) Purchasing textbooks	_	1,000,000.00	1,000,000.00			Ongoing

\$<u>62,337,000.00</u> \$<u>57,695,404.00</u> \$<u>1,211,154.52</u> \$<u>627,476.61</u>

 The School District's original cost estimate as specified in the resolution calling for the imposition of the Local Option Sales Tax.

(2) The School District's current estimate of total cost for the projects. Includes all cost from project inception to completion.

(3) The voters of Camden County approved the imposition of a 1% sales tax to fund the above projects. Amounts expended for these projects may include sales tax proceeds, state, local property taxes and/or other funds over the life of the projects. (This page left intentionally blank)

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION GENERAL FUND - QUALITY BASIC EDUCATION PROGRAM (QBE) ALLOTMENTS AND EXPENDITURES - BY PROGRAM YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

		ALLOTMENTS FROM GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF		FLIGI	RIF	E OBE PROGRAM	0.05	STS
DESCRIPTION	EDUCATION (1) (2)		-	SALARIES	OPERATIONS		000	TOTAL
					_		_	
Direct Instructional Programs								
Kindergarten Program	\$	4,138,694.00		3,783,360.96	\$	77,142.54	\$	3,860,503.50
Kindergarten Program-Early Intervention Program		113,957.00		234,936.10		1,924.85		236,860.95
Primary Grades (1-3) Program		9,381,060.00		7,569,356.13		260,735.34		7,830,091.47
Primary Grades-Early Intervention (1-3) Program		420,197.00		466,180.49		2,255.37		468,435.86
Upper Elementary Grades (4-5) Program		4,502,405.00		4,848,061.12		124,741.81		4,972,802.93
Upper Elementary Grades-Early Intervention (4-5)								
Program		272,524.00		547,885.35		1,941.50		549,826.85
Middle School (6-8) Program		7,123,364.00		6,331,870.90		168,919.88		6,500,790.78
High School General Education (9-12) Program		6,581,350.00		6,867,108.85		452,867.59		7,319,976.44
Vocational Laboratory (9-12) Program		2,691,434.00		2,260,079.06		140,002.27		2,400,081.33
Students with Disabilities		5,682,218.00						
Category I				48.68		12,215.21		12,263.89
Category II				732,508.69		8,019.15		740,527.84
Category III				3,834,239.98		64,548.46		3,898,788.44
Category IV				79,149.45		3,167.88		82,317.33
Category V				1,294,645.93		1,071.00		1,295,716.93
Gifted Student - Category VI		2,011,599.00		2,435,132.80		28,802.32		2,463,935.12
Remedial Education Program				444,412.37		174.09		444,586.46
Alternative Education Program		605,255.00				964,800.00		964,800.00
English Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL)		92,976.00		12,197.68	_		_	12,197.68
TOTAL DIRECT INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS	\$	43,617,033.00	\$	41,741,174.54	\$	2,313,329.26	\$	44,054,503.80
Media Center Program		1,262,209.00		1,281,196.38		138,122.63		1,419,319.01
Staff and Professional Development		210,799.00		, - ,	_	,	_	110,821.28
TOTAL QBE FORMULA FUNDS	\$	45,090,041.00	\$	43,022,370.92	\$_	2,451,451.89	\$_	45,584,644.09

(1) Comprised of State Funds plus Local Five Mill Share.

(2) Allotments do not include the impact of the State amended formula adjustment.

SECTION II

COMPLIANCE AND INTERNAL CONTROL REPORTS



DEPARTMENT OF AUDITS AND ACCOUNTS

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July 17, 2012

Honorable Nathan Deal, Governor Members of the General Assembly Members of the State Board of Education and Superintendent and Members of the Camden County Board of Education

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

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Camden County Board of Education as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise Camden County Board of Education's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated July 17, 2012. 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

Management of Camden County Board of Education is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Camden County Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Camden County Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Camden County Board of Education's internal control over financial reporting.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Camden County Board of Education's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the 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 or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We noted a certain matter that we have reported to management of Camden County Board of Education in a separate letter dated July 17, 2012.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, members of the Camden County Board of Education, others within the entity, 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.

Respectfully submitted,

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Greg S. Griffin State Auditor

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS THAT COULD HAVE A DIRECT AND MATERIAL EFFECT ON EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Ladies and Gentlemen:

<u>Compliance</u>

We have audited Camden County Board of Education's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major Federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2011. Camden County Board of Education'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 Camden County Board of Education's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Camden County Board of Education's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and 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 Camden County Board of Education'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 on Camden County Board of Education's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Camden County Board of Education complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major Federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2011.

Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of Camden County Board of Education is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to Federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Camden County Board of Education's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major Federal program to determine the 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, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Camden County Board of Education's internal control over compliance.

A *deficiency in internal control over compliance* exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a Federal program on a timely basis. A *material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a Federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be *material weaknesses*, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, members of the Camden County Board of Education, others within the entity, 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.

Respectfully submitted,

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Greg S. Griffin State Auditor

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SECTION III

AUDITEE'S RESPONSE TO PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION AUDITEE'S RESPONSE SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

PRIOR YEAR FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

FINDING CONTROL NUMBER AND STATUS

FS-6201-10-01 Previously Reported Corrective Action Implemented

PRIOR YEAR FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

No matters were reported.

SECTION IV

FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

CAMDEN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

I SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

Financial Statements

	rojects Fun	d; Unqualified				
		No None Reported				
ements noted:		No				
		No None Reported				
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: All major programs						
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, Section 510(a)?						
Name of Federal	Program or	Cluster				
Special Education Impact Aid Cluste	n Cluster er					
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:						
		No				
FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS						
	ements noted: ance for major prog uired to be reporte ction 510(a)? <u>Name of Federal</u> Title I, Part A Clus Special Educatio Impact Aid Cluste Education Jobs F een Type A and Typ	ements noted: ance for major programs: uired to be reported in ction 510(a)? <u>Name of Federal Program or (</u> Title I, Part A Cluster Special Education Cluster Impact Aid Cluster Education Jobs Fund een Type A and Type B program				

III FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

No matters were reported.