GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT GLEN MILLS, PENNSYLVANIA

AUDIT REPORT

JUNE 30, 2005



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September 9, 2005

Board of School Directors Garnet Valley School District Glen Mills, Pennsylvania

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Garnet Valley School District (the "District"), Glen Mills, Pennsylvania, as of and tor the year ended June 30, 2005, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These tinancial statements are the responsibility of Garnet Valley School District's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. The prior year summarized comparative information has been derived from the District's 2004 financial statements and, in our report dated September 7, 2004, we expressed an unqualified opinion on those financial statements.

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

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Garnet Valley School District, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania, as of June 30, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof and the budgetary comparisons for the general fund 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 September 9, 2005, on our consideration of Garnet Valley School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, 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.



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The management's discussion and analysis on pages 3 through 12 is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Garnet Valley School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards and certain state grants is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, "Audits of States, Local Governments and Nonprofit Organizations," and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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Our discussion and analysis of Garnet Valley School District's financial performance provides an overview of the District's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2005.

Financial Highlights

The District's net assets related to governmental activities increased by \$1.7 million, primarily due to increases in local taxes and capital assets net of depreciation related to ongoing construction. Program revenues accounted for \$7.8 million, or 13.8 percent, of total revenues (\$56.7 million), and general revenues accounted for \$48.9 million, or 86.2 percent.

In July 2004, the District incurred new debt totaling \$43 million consisting of new general obligation bonds and notes to construct a new elementary school, to construct additions and make renovations to its high school and middle school, and to fund various other capital projects. These financings will ensure adequate resources to manage the District's continuing enrollment growth and to maintain current facilities without overburdening taxpayers or spending additional fund balances.

The general fund reported a positive fund balance of \$6.5 million, or 11.1 percent (including designated funds of \$2.9 million for future employee benefits), of the 2005-2006 \$58.7 million operating budget.

Reporting the District as a Whole

The Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Activities

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities report information about the District as a whole and about its overall activities. These statements include all assets and liabilities of the District (except for fiduciary funds held in trust for scholarships) using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by private sector corporations. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into consideration regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the District's net assets and changes in them during the fiscal year. The change in net assets provides the reader a tool to assist in determining whether the District's financial health is improving or deteriorating. The reader will need to consider other nonfinancial factors such as the District's property tax base, current property tax laws, student enrollment growth and facility conditions in arriving at a conclusion regarding the overall health of the District.

Entity-wide Financial Analysis

Net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the District, assets exceeded liabilities by \$4.3 million at the close of the most recent fiscal year. In the prior year, assets exceeded liabilities by \$2.7 million.

The largest portion of the District's total net assets (81.6 percent) reflects its investment in capital assets. The District uses capital assets to provide services; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

A comparative analysis of fiscal year 2005 to 2004 follows:

Net Assets (Amounts expressed in thousands)

		Gover Act	nme ivitie			Busin Act	ess-ty ivities	pe		To	tal	
	2	005		2004 _	2	005	2	2004		2005		2004
Assets:												
Current and other assets	\$ 5	51,780	\$	8,697	\$	75	\$	31	\$	51,855	\$	8,728
Capital assets		90,306		88,831		651_		721		90,957		89,552
Total Assets	\$ 14	12,086	\$	97,528	\$	726	\$	752	\$	142,812	\$	98,280
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Current liabilities	\$	11,578	\$	9,253	\$	75	\$	31	\$	11,653	\$	9,284
Long-term liabilities	12	26,822		86,286						126,822		86,286
Total Liabilities	1	38,400		95,539		75		31		138,475		95,570
Net Assets:												
Invested in capital												
assets, net of debt		3,008		1,521		651		721		3,659		2,242
Restricted		343		217		-		-		343		217
Unrestricted		335		251						335		251
Total Net Assets	\$	3,686	\$	1,989	\$	651	\$	721	_\$	4,337	\$	2,710

The District experienced an Increase in both its restricted and its unrestricted net assets. The District's investment in total capital assets, net of debt, increased by \$1.417 million as a result of the associated debt used to acquire the assets being paid faster than the related capital assets are being depreciated.

Governmental Activities

The Statement of Activities shows the cost of program services and the charges for services and grants offsetting those services. The table below reflects the cost of program services and the net cost of those services after taking into account the program revenues for the governmental activities (amounts expressed in thousands).

	S	Total ervices 2005	S	Net ervices 2005	S	Total ervices 2004	S	Net ervices 2004
PROGRAM EXPENSES Governmental Activities:						2004		2004
Instruction	\$	32,370	\$	27,900	\$	29,693	\$	26,175
Instructional student support		3,288		3,019		2,886		2,726
Administration		5,204		5,003		4,133		4,006
Maintenance		5,052		4,858		5,031		4,879
Pupil transportation		2,282		1,524		1,870		1,170
Student activities		1,880		1,103		1,735		1,183
Community services		191		(141)		138		(131)
Interest and fiscal charges		<u>4,725</u>		<u>3,895</u>		3,317		<u>2,980 ́</u>
Total Governmental Activities	\$	54,992	\$_	47,161	\$_	48,803	\$	42,988
Business-type Activities:								
Food service	\$_	1,566	\$	81	\$	1,524	\$	70

The increases in the net cost of services for instruction are due to the increasing numbers of students (4,154 vs 4,008 in the prior year) as well as increases in special education needs.

The food service net costs increased since more staff and equipment were used to service the additional students.

Changes in Net Assets (Amounts expressed in thousands)

Governmental Activities		_	Business-type Activities			Total					
	2005		2004		2005		2004		2005		2004
\$	1,173	\$	867	\$	1,331	\$	1,325	\$	2,504	\$	2,192
	6,658		4,948		154		128		6,812		5,076
	7,831		5,815	_	1,485		1,453		9,316	_	7,268
	44,985		39,458		-		-		44,985		39,458
	2,934		2,754		-		-		2,934		2,754
	906		149		11		-		917		149
	33		~		-		-		33		-
	48,858		42,361		11				48,869		42,361
	56,689		48,176		1,496		1,453		58,185		49,629
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	Governmental Activities			ess-type tivities	Total		
	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	
TOTAL EXPENSES							
Program Services:							
Instruction	32,370	29,693	-	-	32,370	29,693	
Support services:							
Instructional staff support	3,288	2,886	-	-	3,288	2,886	
Administration	5,204	4,133	-	-	5,204	4,133	
Maintenance	5,052	5,031	-	-	5,052	5,031	
Pupil transportation	2,282	1,870	-	-	2,282	1,870	
Community services	191	138	-	-	191	138	
Student activities	1,880	1,735	-	-	1,880	1,735	
Interest/fiscal charges	4,725	3,317	-	-	4,725	3,317	
Food service			1,566	1,523	1,566	1,523	
TOTAL EXPENSES	54,992	48,803	1,566	1,523	56,558	50,326	
Excess (Deficit) before							
transfers	1,697	-627	-70	-70	1,627	-697	
Transfers				9			
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CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	\$ 1,697	\$ -636	\$ -70	\$ -61	\$ 1,627	\$ -697	

Reporting the District's Most Significant Funds

Governmental Funds

Most of the 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 other financial assets that can be readily converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a defailed short-term view of the District's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps the reader determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources available to spend in the near future to finance the District's programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the basic financial statements.

Proprietary Funds

Proprietary funds use the accrual basis of accounting, the same as on the entity-wide statements; therefore, the statements will essentially match the business-type activities portion of the entity-wide statements.

Fiduciary Funds

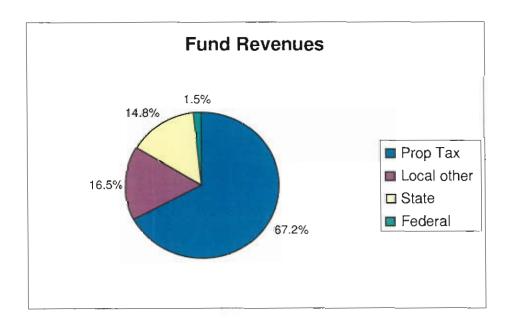
The District is the trustee, or fiduciary, for its scholarship program and other items listed as private-purpose trust. All of the District's fiduciary activities are reported in separate Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets and Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets on pages 23 and 24. We exclude these activities from the District's other financial statements because the assets cannot be utilized by the District to finance its operations.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements of the District's major funds begin on page 15 and provide detailed information about the most significant funds – not the District as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State statute, while many other funds are established by the District to help manage money for particular purposes and compliance with various grant provisions. The District's three types of funds, governmental, proprietary and fiduciary, use different accounting approaches as further described in the notes to the financial statements.

The District's governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$45 million, which is above last year's total of \$4.7 million. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balances as of June 30, 2005 and 2004.

	Fund Balance	Fund Balance	Increase
	June 30, 2005	June 30, 2004	(Decrease)
General	\$ 6,512,837	\$ 4,351,166	\$ 2,161,671
Capital Projects	38,521,408	367,330	38,154,078
Other Governmental	651	4,458	(3,807)
TOTAL	<u>\$ 45,034,896</u>	\$ 4,722,9 <u>54</u>	<u>\$ 40,311,942</u>



The District's reliance upon tax revenues is demonstrated by the graph above that indicates 67.2 percent of total revenues for government activities comes from local taxes.

General Fund

The District's general fund balance increase is due to many factors. The tables and graphs that follow assist in illustrating the financial activities and balance of the general fund.

Revenues	2005	2004	Dollar	Percent
	Amount	Amount	Change	<u>Change</u>
Taxes Investment earnings Intergovernmental Other revenue	\$ 44,919,363	\$ 41,009,839	\$ 3,909,524	9.5
	439,409	140,500	298,909	212.7
	8,421,616	6,680,996	1,740,620	26.1
		1,288,171	431,206	33.4
Total	\$ 55,499,765	<u>\$ 49,119,506</u>	\$ 6,380,259	

The property tax revenue is up \$3.9 million due to growth in the District's tax base (58 percent of the increase in property tax revenue) and tax rate increase (42 percent of the increase in property tax revenue) as well as increases in interim and delinquent tax collections. Interest earnings are up \$299 thousand due to more funds being invested and higher yields. Intergovernmental revenue is up \$1.7 million due to increases in federal and state appropriations including a one-time catch-up lease rental subsidy of \$830 thousand.

Other Funds

The capital projects fund increase in fund balance is the net result of incurring more debt than what was actually paid for in construction costs. Ultimately, the entire amount of capital from this fund will be spent in accordance with provisions of the bond indenture.

Other governmental funds consist of special revenue funds for athletic activities.

Business-type Activities

Business-type activities include the food service program. This program incurred a decrease in net assets of \$70,191 due to depreciation charges.

General Fund Budget Information

The District's budget is prepared in accordance with Pennsylvania law and is based on the modified accrued basis of accounting. The most significant budgeted fund is the General Fund.

The final budget for expenditures reflects required changes in functional categories due to spending patterns.

Budget Review

			Final		
		Budget	Budget	Diff \$	Diff %
Instructional Services:					
Regular Programs	1100	\$21,779,033	\$21,597,334	\$-181,699	8.0
Special Programs	1200	5,143,706	5,331,951	188,245	3.6
Vocational Programs	1300	491,032	386,379	-104,653	-21.3
Other Instructional Programs	1400	312,345	336,541	24,196	7.75
Community College	1700	167,235	167,235	<u> </u>	0.0
Total Instructional Services		27,893,351	27,819,440	-73,911	0.26
Support Services:					
Pupil Personnel	2100	1,256,873	1,280,308	23,435	1.9
Instructional Staff Services	2200	1,677,476	1,491,124	-186,352	-11.1
Administrative Services	2300	3,674,298	3,898,795	224,497	6.1
Pupil Health	2400	237,368	256,935	19,567	8.2
Business Services	2500	906,841	833,051	-73,790	-8.1
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	2600	4,703,329	4,652,427	-50,902	-1.1
Student Transportation Services	2700	2,088,394	2,101,590	13,196	0.6
Central Services	2800				
Other Support Services	2900	55,904	60,229	4,325	7.7
Total Support Services		14,600,483	14,574,459	<u>-26,024</u>	-0.2
Operation of Noninstructional Services:					
Student Activities	3200	1,728,567	1,647,604	-80,963	-4.7
Community Services	3300	127,600	176,215	48,615	38.1
Total Operation of Noninstructional					
Services		1,856,167	1,823,819	<u>-32,3</u> 48	1.7
Debt Service and Transfers:					
Debt Service	5110	7,859,939	8,061,289	201,350	2.56
Budgetary Reserve/Interfund Transfers	5200	360,000	290,933	-69,067	<u>-</u> 19.2
Total Debt Service and Transfers		8,219,939	8,352,222	132,283	1.6
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$52,569,940	\$52,569,940	<u> </u>	0.0

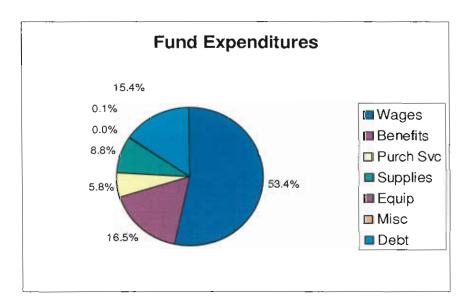
Using spending variances in excess of \$10,000 and using five percent as a spending tolerance, the most significant changes in the District's expenditures vs. planned expenditures were:

		Original	Final		
		Budget	Budget	Diff \$	Diff %
Vocational Programs	1300	\$ 491,032	\$ 386,379	\$ -104,653	-21.3
Other Instructional Programs	1400	312,345	336,541	24,196	7.75
Instructional Staff Services	2200	1,677,476	1,491,124	-186,352	-11,1
Administrative Services	2300	3,674,298	3,898,795	224,497	6.1
Pupil Health	2400	237,368	256,935	19,567	8.2
Business Services	2500	906,841	833,051	-73,790	-8.1
Community Services	3300	127,600	176,215	48,615	38.1
Interfund Transfers	5200	360,000	290,933	<u>-69,06</u> 7	-19.2
Sum of significant budget transfers		\$ 7,786,960	\$ 7,669,973	\$ -116,987	1.5

Vocational program spending decreased and other Instructional program spending increased as a result of changes in enrollment and the availability of federal and state grant funding. Instructional staff services decreased and administrative staff spending increased as a result of staffing changes.

Administrative costs increased due to more staffing needs and partly due to costs associated with charter schools. Pupil health service costs increased due to regulatory changes. Business service costs decreased due to cost reductions and savings in service contracts. Community service costs increased because of the additional informational mailouts required to publicize the Property Tax Reduction Act (Act 72 of 2004). Interfund transfer costs were reduced by the District's restructuring of debt and by reductions in capital needs.

As the graph below illustrates, the largest portions of general fund expenditures are for salaries and fringe benefits. The District is a service entity and as such is labor intensive.



Expenditures by Object	2005	2004	Change	Percent
Wages	\$28,480,760	\$26,079,797	\$2,400,963	9.2
Benefits	8,823,767	8,188,542	635,225	7.8
Purchased services	3,076,504	2,845,535	230,969	8.1
Supplies	4,686,300	5,014,562	-328,262	- 6.5
Equipment	4,935	9,292	-4,357	-46.9
Miscellaneous	71,081	65,920	5,161	7.8
Debt and transfers	8,194,734	6,838,583	<u> 1,356,151</u>	19.8
Total	\$53,338,081	\$49,042,231	\$4,295,850	8.8

Expenditures were up \$4.3 million, or 8.8 percent, over the prior year mostly due to salary and benefit increases associated with new and existing staff, and increases in debt service. Revenues exceeded expenditures during the fiscal year resulting in an increase to the general fund balance.

Capital Assets

The District has \$90.9 million invested in capital assets net of depreciation, with \$90.3 million attributed to governmental activities. Acquisitions for governmental activities totaled \$4.7 million and depreciation expense for the year was \$3.3 million. The majority of these acquisitions was for construction-in-progress for construction of a new elementary school and additions and renovations to the high school and middle school. Detailed information regarding capital asset activity is included in the notes to the basic financial statements (Note 5).

During July 2004, the District incurred new debt totaling \$43 million. This debt is to be used to fund additional facilities and renovations, and to fund various capital projects as follows:

New Concord Elementary School	\$ 20,240,000
High School addition and renovations	7,867,688
Middle School addition and renovations	3,676,850
Other capital projects	7,198,000
Capitalized interest	3,393,637
Net financing costs	<u>318,825</u>
TOTAL	\$ 42,695,000

Debt

At June 30, 2005, the District had \$129.7 million in outstanding bonds, capital lease obligations and notes payable. The District increased its outstanding debt by \$40.5 million during the fiscal year. Detailed information regarding long-term debt and notes payable activity is included in the notes to the basic financial statements (Note 7).

Under current state statutes, the District's general obligation bonded debt issues are subject to legal limitation based on 225 percent of the average revenues for the prior three years. At June 30, 2005, the District's general obligation debt was \$14.2 million below the legal limit.

Factors Expected to have an Effect on Future Operations

The District has experienced significant growth over the last 10 years. If the growth patterns in student population change so that more students enter the District than currently anticipated, adjustments will have to be made to the financial models upon which assumptions have been made.

The District's property tax base is expected to continue to grow approximately six percent a year for the next four years and then reduce to about three percent a year as residential vacant lots and commercial tracts are fully developed.

The District's ability to raise new property tax revenues will be curtailed if proposed property tax reduction legislation in the state legislature is enacted that limits the future taxing authority of the District.

The District's enrollment is expected to continue to grow at a rate of about 3.3 percent through fiscal year 2008-2009. The District's facilities are being expanded to adequately encompass the expected increases in student growth. While all the District's facilities are new or recently renovated, and while all these facilities meet current federal, state, county and municipal guidelines for health and safety criteria, new mandates for facility upgrades can be imposed by any of these governments at any time.

The reader is invited to review additional tax and enrollment information on the District's web page (www.garnetvalleyschools.com) and to review official offering statements of recent District bond issues that contain related housing, commercial and demographic information. This information is also available at its business office located at the Garnet Valley Education Center, 80 Station Road, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania.

Contacting the District Financial Management

Our financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, parents, students, investors and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show the Board's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or wish to request additional financial information, please contact Thomas E. Delaney, Director of Business and Support Services/Board Treasurer, at Garnet Valley School District, 80 Station Road, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania 19342-2280, (610) 579-7374.

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2005 (With Summarized Comparative Data for June 30, 2004)

2004	\$ 1,382,712 4,194,628 1,481,701 770,184	82,538 - 17,209 299,557	168,734 4,587,471 2,334,353	99,164,44 11,833,18 (28,366,97 329,70	\$ 98,279,459	\$ 968,130 1,591,389	1,633,306 279,761 132,025	1,480,000	(73,931) 1,623,000 571,239	800,697	40,686,546	(,86,125) 26,333,000 18,555,000	1,497,08 <u>2</u> 95,569,330	2,242,307 212,459 4,458	250,905 2,710,129 \$,98,279,459
<u> 2005 Totals</u>	\$ 1,036,813 47,202,848 1,096,751 1,254,541	117,366 23,54 <u>3</u>	792,826 4,587,471 4,298,187 2,371,772	99, 327, 164 12, 061, 511 (31, 713, 453) 329, 709	\$142,811,549	\$ 2,051,638 2,128,992	1,820,941 19,183 288,948	855,000	15,343 (119,371) 3,169,000 550,000	873,171	66,391,546 306,849	(1,530,317) 39,664,000 19,100,000	2,889,586 138,474,509	3,658,879 342,245 651	335, 265 4,337,040 \$142,811,549
Business-Type Activities	\$ 437,035 32,805 6.515	(424,830) 23,543		1,243,982 (593,321)	\$ 725,729	\$ 55,885	19,183	,		1	1)	1 1 1	75,068	650,661	650,66 <u>1</u> \$ 725,729
Governmental	\$ 599,778 47,170,043 1,096,751 1,248,026	117,366 424,830	792,826 4,587,471 4,298,187	2,3/1,2/2 99,352,164 10,817,529 (31,120,132) 329,709	\$142,085,820	\$ 1,995,753 2,128,992	1,820,941 - 288,948	855,000	15,343 (119,371) 3,169,000 550,000	873,171	66,391,546	(1,530,317) 39,664,000 19,100,000	2,889,586 138,399,441	3,008,218	335,265 3 686,379 \$142,085,820
	ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments Taxes receivable	Due from other governments Other receivables Internal balances Inventories	Prepaid expenses Issuance costs Land Construction-in-progress	Land improvements Buildings and improvements Furniture and equipment Accumulated depreciation	TOTAL ASSETS	LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS LIABILITIES: ACCOUNTS payable Accrued salaries and benefits	other liabilities Accrued interest Deferred revenue Due to other governments	Long-term liabilities Portion due or payable within one year: Bonds navahle	Unamortized premium Less: Deferred amounts on refunding Notes payable	Accumulated compensated absences/early retirement incentive	Portion due or payable after one year: Ronds payable in future years	Unamortized premium Less: Deferred amounts on refunding Notes payable in future years Capital leases payable	Accumulated compensated absences/early retirement incentive	NET ASSETS: Invested in capital assets, net of related debt Restricted for student activities	Restricted for athletics Unrestricted TOTAL NET ASSETS TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

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

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005 (With Summarized Comparative Oata for the Year Ended June 30, 2004)

et Assets Totals 2004	\$(26,174,903) (2,725,906)	(4,006,348)	(4,879,005) (1,170,304) (1,183,030) 131,405	(42,987,695)	(70,022)	(43,057,717)	38,174,337	2,754,121 148,906 154	42,361,162	(696,555)
Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets Business- ntal Type 2005	\$(27,900,600) (3,018,501)	(5,003,411)	(4,857,605) (1,523,633) (1,102,296) 141,296 (3,894,762)	(47,159,512)	(81,445)	(47,240,957)	43,415,213	2,933,721 917,086 33,123	48,867,868	1,626,911
xpense) Revenue Business- Type Activities	: 1	1	1111	1	(81,445) (81,445)	(81,445)		11,254	11,254	(70,191)
Net (E Governmental Activities	\$(27,900,600) (3,018,501)	(5,003,411)	(4, 857, 605) (1, 523, 633) (1, 102, 296) 141, 296 (3, 894, 762)	(47, 159, 512)		(47,159,512)	43,415,213	2,933,721 905,832 33,123	48,856,614	1,697,102
Capital Grants and Contributions	l l ₩	1	1111	1		- 3	Es , levied for ses or specific itlements not	specific programs nings	REVENUES	ASSETS
Program Revenues Operating Grants and Contributions	\$ 4,326,016 269,965	200,245	194,409 758,458 72,335 7,363 829,958	6,658,749	153,58 <u>0</u> 153,58 <u>0</u>	\$ 6,812,329	GENERAL REVENUES Property taxes, levied for general purposes Taxes levied for specific purposes	restricted to specific Investment earnings Miscellaneous	TOTAL GENERAL REVENUES	CHANGE IN NET ASSETS
Charges for Services	\$ 142,902	1	705,092 325,283	1,173,277	1,330,97 <u>1</u> 1,330,97 <u>1</u>	\$2,504,248				
Expenses	\$32,369,518 3,288,466	5,203,656	5,052,014 2,282,091 1,879,723 191,350 4,724,720	54,991,538	1,565,996 1,565,996	\$56,557,534				
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES Instruction Instructional student support Administrative and financial support services Operation and maintenance of plant services Pupil transportation Student activities Community services Interest on long-term debt TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES				BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES Food service TOTAL BUSINESS-TYPE ACTIVITIES	TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT					

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3,406,684

2,710,129

720,852

1,989,277

NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR

NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR

\$ 3,686,379

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
JUNE 30, 2005
(With Summarized Comparative Data for June 30, 2004)

5 2004	\$ 1,049,500 4,103,681 1,481,701 1,459,600 753,991 88,538 299,557 329,709	\$ 1,032,925 132,025 943,607 1,591,389 278,212 859,165 4,837,323	212,459 37,621 4,458 329,709 4,138,707 4,722,954 \$ 9,560,277
Totals 2005	\$ 599,778 47,170,043 1,096,751 2,093,756 1,248,026 117,366 329,709	\$ 1, 668, 926 288, 948 1, 995, 753 2, 128, 992 873, 171 664, 743	342, 245 38, 191, 699 651 329, 709 2, 889, 586 3, 281,006 45, 034, 896
Nonmajor Fund	\$ 651	· · · · · · · ·	651 - - - - - 651 8 651
Capital Projects Fund	\$ 41,103,777 1,513 229,709 \$41,434,999	\$ 1,668,926 1,244,665	38,191,699 329,709 - - - 38,521,408
Major Funds Prison Fund	\$ - 106,720 182,228	288,948	2. 288, 948
General	\$ 599,127 6,066,266 1,096,751 1,987,036 1,064,285 117,366	\$ 751,088 2,128,992 873,171 664,743	342,245 - 2,889,586 3,281,006 6,512,837 \$10,930,831
	ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Investments Taxes receivable Due from other funds Duter receivables Prepaid expenses Land held for resale	LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES LIABILITIES: Due to other funds Due to other governments Accounts payable Accrued salaries and benefits Accrued compensated absences/early retirement incentive Deferred revenues	FUND BALANCES Reserved for: Student purposes Capital projects Athletic purposes Land held for resale Unreserved - designated Unreserved - undesignated TOTAL FUND BALANCES

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GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS JUNE 30, 2005

TOTAL GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCES	\$	45,034,896
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. These assets consist of:		
Land Construction-in-progress Land improvements Buildings Furniture and equipment Accumulated depreciation		4,587,471 4,298,187 2,371,272 99,352,164 10,817,529 (31,120,132)
Some liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. Those liabilities consist of:		
Bonds payable Notes payable Capital leases payable Accumulated compensated absences/early retirement incentive Accrued interest		(67,246,546) (42,833,000) (19,650,000) (2,889,586) (1,820,941)
Refunded and new debt resulted in deferred charges and credits which will be amortized over the life of new debt but do not represent current rights.		2,120,322
Some of the District's revenues will be collected after year end but are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds		664,743
NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	<u>\$</u>	3,686,379

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005
(With Summarized Comparative Data for the Year Ended June 30, 2004)

	2004	\$ 42,554,671 6,997,202 198,707 49,750,580	27,241,001 13,903,320 1,737,177 1,372,460 6,259,553	(762,931)	800,000 9,480,000 (9,429,955) 668,636 (668,636) 850,045	87,114	4,635,840	
	Totals 2005	\$ 47,031,581 8,693,397 884,686 56,609,664	29, 306, 116 15, 244, 558 1, 910, 068 5, 359, 224 8, 970, 291 60, 790, 257	(4,180,593)	43,060,000 19,650,000 (18,555,000) 337,535 290,033 (290,033) 44,492,535	40,311,942	4,722,954	
	Nonmajor Fund	\$ 31,674	86,249	(54,575)	50,768	(3,807)	4,458	
-	Capital Projects Fund	\$ 466,423 	670,099 5,359,224 909,002 6,938,325	(6,471,902)	43,060,000 19,650,000 (18,555,000) 337,535 133,445 44,625,980	38,154,078	367,330 \$38,521,408	
Major Funds	Prison Fund	\$ 104,876 506,939 611,815	718,535	(106,720)	106,720	1	\$	
	General Fund	\$46,428,608 8,186,458 <u>884,686</u> 55,499,752	28,587,581 14,574,459 1,823,819 	2,452,604	(290, 933) (290, 933)	2,161,671	4,35 <u>1,166</u> \$_6,512,837	
	O EVVENIEN	nevenues Local sources State sources Federal sources TOTAL REVENUES	EXPENDITURES Current: Instruction Support services Operation of noninstructional services Capital outlay Debt service	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) ISSUANCE of debt ISSUANCE of debt - refunding Payment of debt - refunding Bond premiums Transfers in Transfers out	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR	

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

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT RECONCILIATION OF STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS	\$ 40,311,942
Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures recorded as either District-wide (capital outlay) or function-specific (i.e. instruction, pupil services). However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlays (\$4,751,146) exceeded depreciation (\$3,276,290) in the period.	1,474,856
Because some property taxes will not be collected for several months after the District's fiscal year ends, they are not considered as "available" revenues in the governmental funds. Deferred tax revenues increased by this amount this year.	64,584
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.	14,390
Debt proceeds are reported as financing sources in the governmental funds and thus contribute to the change in fund balance. In the statement of net assets, however, issuing debt increases long-term liabilities and does not affect the statement of activities. Similarly, repayment of principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds but reduces the liability in the statement of net assets. This is the amount by which debt proceeds (\$62,710,000) exceeded debt repayments (\$22,229,239).	(40,480,761)
Governmental funds report issuance costs and deferred amounts on refunding as expenditures and bond premiums as revenue. However, these amounts are reported on the statement of net assets as deferred charges and credits and are amortized over the life of the debt. This is the amount by which current issuance costs and deferred amounts on refunding net of bond premiums (\$1,241,566) exceeded net amortization (\$150,033).	1,091,533
In the statement of activities, certain operating expenses - compensated absences (vacations and sick leave) and special termination benefits (early retirement) - are measured by the amounts earned during the year. In the governmental funds, however, expenditures for these items are measured by the amount of financial resources used (essentially, the amounts actually paid). This is the amount by which current period absences and benefits earned exceeded the amount that was actually paid.	(591,807)
Interest on long-term debt in the statement of activities differs from the amount reported in the governmental funds because interest is recognized as an expenditure in the funds when it is due and, thus, requires the use of current financial resources. In the statement of activities, however, interest expense is recognized as the interest accrues, regardless of when it is due.	<u>(187,635</u>)
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS OF GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES	<u>\$ 1.697,102</u>

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGETARY COMPARISON STATEMENT - GENERAL FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

Variance with Final Budget Positive (Negative)	\$ 2,036,717 1,059,502 193,289,812	(768,141) - - - (768,141)		. (768,141)	2,521,671 - (360,000) (360,000)	2,161,671
Actua) (GAAP Basis)	\$46,428,608 8,186,458 884,686 55,499,752	21, 597, 334 6,100,092 386,379 336,541 167,235 28,587,581	1,280,308 1,491,124 3,898,795 256,935 833,051 4,652,427 2,101,590 60,229 14,574,459	1,647,604 176,215 1,823,819 8,061,289 53,047,148	2,452,604 (290,933) (290,933)	2,161,671 4,351,166 \$ 6,512,837
Budgeted Amounts Final	\$44,391,891 7,126,956 691,093 52,209,940	21, 597, 334 5, 331, 951 386, 379 336, 541 167, 235 27, 819, 440	1,280,308 1,491,124 3,898,795 256,935 833,051 4,652,427 2,101,590 60,229 14,574,459	1,647,604 176,215 1,823,819 8,061,289 52,279,007	360,000 (290,933) - - - -	4,351,166 \$ 4,351,166
Budgete Original	\$44,391,891 7,126,956 691,093 52,209,940	21,779,033 5,143,706 5,141,032 312,345 167,235 5,27,893,351	256,873 1,677,476 3,674,298 237,368 906,841 4,703,329 2,088,394 5,904 14,600,483	1,728,567 127,600 es 1,856,167 7,859,939 52,209,940	360,000	4,351,166 <u>\$ 4,351,166</u>
STATEMENT	Local Sources Local Sources State Sources Federal Sources TOTAL REVENUES	EXPENDITURES Instruction: Regular programs Special programs Vocational programs Other instructional programs Total Instruction	Jupper Services Instructional staff services Instructional staff services Administrative services Pupil health Business services Operation and maintenance of plant services Student transportation services Other support services Total support Services Operation of Noninstructional activities:	Student activities Community services Total Operation of Noninstructional Services Debt service TOTAL EXPENDITURES SYGES (DESTITEMEN) OF DEVENIES OVER (IMPER)	EXCESS (DEFILENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPRINTURES OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Budgetary reserve TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR

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

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS - PROPRIETARY FUND JUNE 30, 2005

(With Comparative Data for June 30, 2004)

		or Fund
		rvice Fund
	2005	2004
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 437,035	\$ 333,212
Investments	32,805	90,947
Due from other governments	6,515	16,193
Inventories	23,543	17,209
Total Current Assets	499,898	<u>457,561</u>
CAPITAL ASSETS		
Furniture and equipment	1,243,982	1,243,982
Accumulated depreciation	(593,321)	(523,130)
Capital Assets, Net	650,661	720,852
Capital 7100010, 1101		
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,150,559	<u>\$1,178,413</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
CURRENT LIABILITIES	A	A 04.500
Accounts payable	\$ 55,885	\$ 24,523
Due to other funds	424,830	426,675
Deferred revenue	19,183	6,363
Total Current Liabilities	<u>499,898</u>	457,561
NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	<u>650,661</u>	720,852
Total Net Assets	650,661	720,852
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$1,150,559	\$1,178,413

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS -PROPRIETARY FUND

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

(With Comparative Data for the Year Ended June 30, 2004)

	<u>Major</u>	
	Food Serv	
ODERATING DEVENIES	2005	2004
OPERATING REVENUES	† 1 220 033	Å 1 217 CO2
Food service revenue	\$ 1,330,971	\$ 1,317,503
Total Operating Revenues	<u>1,330,971</u>	<u>1,317,503</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Salaries	560,948	520,456
Employee benefits	178,995	150,308
Supplies	755,862	782,750
Depreciation	70,191	70,022
Total Operating Expenses	<u>1,565,996</u>	<u>1,523,536</u>
OPERATING LOSS	[235,025]	(206,033)
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		
Investment income	11,254	7,733
State sources	31,889	26,411
Federal sources	121,691	101,867
Total Nonoperating Revenues	164,834	136,011
LOSS BEFORE CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS	(70,191)	(70,022)
Capital contribution from capital projects		9,010
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(70,191)	(61,012)
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	720,852	<u>781,864</u>
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$ 650,661	<u>\$720,852</u>

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS - PROPRIETARY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

(With Comparative Data for the Year Ended June 30, 2004)

	Majo	r Fund
	Food Serv	ice Fund
CARLES ON A PROPERTY OF THE CARLES A CARLEST OF THE CARLES	2005	2004
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Cash received from customers Payments to suppliers Payments to employees NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	\$1,343,791 (700,835) (741,788) (98,832)	\$1,315,772 (485,728) <u>(670,764)</u> <u>159,280</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES: State sources Federal sources NET CASH PROVIDED BY NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES	34,216 <u>99,043</u> <u>133,259</u>	26,676
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES: Earnings on investments Purchase of investments Proceeds from sale and maturity of Investments NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY INVESTING ACTIVITIES	11,254 	7,733 (82,861) —
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	103,823	186,967
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	333,212	146,245
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 437,035	\$ 333,212
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING LOSS TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES: Operating loss Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:	\$ (235,025)	\$ (206,033)
Depreciation Donated commodities (Increase) Decrease in:	70,191 29,999	70,022 25,313
Inventories Increase (Decrease) in: Accounts payable Due to other funds Deferred revenue NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES	(6,334) 31,362 (1,845) <u>12,820</u> \$ <u>(98,832)</u>	(4,759) (100,960) 377,428 (1,731) \$ 159,280
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE: Noncash Investing activity: Capital contribution from capital projects	<u>\$</u>	\$ 9.010
Noncash noncapital financing activity: USDA donated commodities	\$ <u>29,999</u>	\$ 25,313

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS - FIDUCIARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2005 (With Comparative Data for June 30, 2004)

	Private Purpose Trust		
ASSETS	2005	2004	
Investments	<u>\$ 163,077</u>	\$ 145,968	
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$ 163.077</u>	<u>\$ 145.968</u>	
LIABILITIES	\$	\$	
NET ASSETS			
Reserved for trust	<u>\$ 163.077</u>	\$ 145,968	

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS - FIDUCIARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

(With Comparative Data for the Year Ended June 30, 2004)

	Private-Pur	pose Trust 2004
ADDITIONS Local contributions Investment income	\$ 28,480 2,543	\$ 10,980 <u>887</u>
TOTAL ADDITIONS	31,023	11,867
DEDUCTIONS Fees paid and scholarships awarded	13,914	8,127
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS	<u>13,914</u>	8,127
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	17,109	3,740
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	145,968	142,228
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 163,077</u>	<u>\$ 145,968</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Garnet Valley School District operates three elementary schools, one middle school and one senior high school to provide education and related services to the residents of Bethel and Concord Townships and Chester Heights Borough. The District operates under current standards prescribed by the Pennsylvania Department of Education in accordance with the provisions of the School Laws of Pennsylvania as a school district of the third class. The District operates under a locally elected nine-member Board form of government.

The District's financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the authoritative standard-setting body for the establishment of governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of these accounting policies are as follows:

Reporting Entity

GASB Statement No. 14, "The Financial Reporting Entity" as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, established the criteria for determining the activities, organizations and functions of government to be included in the financial statements of the reporting entity. In evaluating the District as a reporting entity, management has addressed all potential component units which may or may not fall within the District's financial accountability. The criteria used to evaluate component units for possible inclusion as part of the District's reporting entity are financial accountability and the nature and significance of the relationship. Garnet Valley School District is considered to be an independent reporting entity and has no component units.

Basis of Presentation

Entity-Wide Financial Statements

The statement of net assets and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements distinguish between activities that are governmental and those that are considered business-type. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds.

The entity-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting as further defined under proprietary funds below. This is the same approach used in the preparation of the proprietary fund financial statements but differs from the manner in which governmental fund financial statements are prepared. Therefore, governmental fund financial statements include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the entity-wide statements and the statements of governmental funds.

The entity-wide statement of activities presents a comparison between expenses and program revenues for each function of the business-type activities of the District and for each governmental function. Expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service or program and are therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

include charges paid by the recipients of the goods or services offered by the programs and grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Revenues which are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues. The comparison of program revenues and expenses identifies the extent to which each function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the District.

Except for interfund activity and balances between the funds that underlie governmental activities and the funds that underlie business-type activities, which are reported as transfers and internal balances, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements.

The entity-wide financial statements report net assets in one of three components. Invested in net assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of borrowings attributable to acquiring, constructing or improving those assets. Net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net asset use are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Those restrictions affect net assets arising from special revenue and capital projects funds. Unrestricted net assets consist of net assets that do not meet the definition of "invested in capital assets, net of related" or "restricted."

Fund Financial Statements

During the school year, the District segregates transactions related to certain District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements report detailed information about the District. The focus of governmental and enterprise fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. The single nonmajor governmental fund is presented in a single column on the governmental fund financial statements. Fiduciary fund financial statements are presented by fund type.

Governmental Funds

All governmental funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting and the current financial resources measurement focus. Under this basis, revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they become measurable and available. Expenditures are recognized in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable. The District reports the following major governmental funds:

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

The Capital Projects Fund is used to account for the acquisition, construction and renovation of major capital facilities and their related capital assets.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

The Prison Fund is used to account for education services provided to juveniles detained at the Delaware County Prison located in Concord Township.

Revenue Recognition

In applying the "susceptible to accrual concept" under the modified accrual basis, revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the District considers tax revenue to be available if collected within 60 days of the end of the fiscal period. Revenue from federal, state and other grants designated for payment of specific District expenditures is recognized when the related expenditures are incurred; accordingly, when such funds are received, they are reported as deferred revenues until earned.

Other revenues, including certain other charges for services and miscellaneous revenues, are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they are generally not measurable until actually received.

Expenditure Recognition

The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Most expenditures are measurable and are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. However, principal and interest on general long-term debt, which has not matured, are recognized when paid. Liabilities for compensated absences and special termination benefits are recognized as fund liabilities to the extent they mature each period. Allocations of costs, such as depreciation and amortization, are not recognized in the governmental funds.

Proprietary Funds

Proprietary funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. These funds account for operations that are primarily financed by user charges. The economic resource focus concerns determining costs as a means of maintaining the capital investment and management control. Revenues are recognized when they are earned and expenses are recognized when they are incurred. Allocations of certain costs, such as depreciation, are recorded in proprietary funds. The District does not attempt to allocate all "building-wide costs" to the proprietary fund. Thus, general fund expenditures which partially benefit the enterprise fund (utilities, janitorial services, insurance, etc.) are not proportionately recognized with the enterprise fund. Similarly, the proprietary fund does not recognize a cost for the building space it occupies.

These funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with the proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the District's proprietary fund are food service charges. Operating expenses for the District's proprietary fund Include food production costs, supplies and administrative costs. All revenues or expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 1 <u>SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES</u> (cont'd)

Private-sector standards of accounting and financial reporting issued prior to December 1, 1989 are followed in both the entity-wide and proprietary fund financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with or contradict guidance of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Governments also have the option of following subsequent private-sector guidance for their business-type activities and enterprise funds, subject to this same limitation. The District has elected not to follow subsequent private-sector guidance.

Fiduciary Fund

The fiduciary fund accounts for assets held by the District as a trustee for individuals, private organization and/or governmental units and is, therefore, not available to support the District's own programs. The District accounts for these assets in a private-purpose trust fund. The private-purpose trust fund accounts for activities in various scholarship accounts, whose sole purpose is to provide annual scholarships to particular students as described by donor stipulations. The measurement focus and basis of accounting for the private-purpose trust is the same as for proprietary funds.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

To improve cash management, all cash received by the District is pooled under Act 72 of the Pennsylvania General Assembly of 1971. Monies for all funds, including proprietary funds, are maintained in this pool. Individual fund integrity is maintained throughout the District's records.

The District's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

Receivables and Payables

Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as either "due to/from other funds" (i.e., the current portion of interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (i.e., the noncurrent portion of interfund loans). Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and business-type activities are reported in the entity-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

The District does not record an allowance for uncollectible taxes because it is considered to be immaterial.

Property Taxes

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of July 1. Taxes are levied on July 1 and are payable in the following periods:

July 1 - August 31 - Discount period, 2% of gross levy

September 1 - October 31 - Face Period

October 31 to collection - Penalty Period, 10% of gross levy

February 28 - Lien Date

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (contid)

The District's taxes are billed and collected by local elected tax collectors. The tax on real estate for public school purposes for fiscal 2004-2005 was 22.981 mills (\$22.981 for \$1,000 of assessed valuation) for Bethel Township (includes additional levy for Delaware County Community College) and 22.624 mills (\$22.624 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation) for Chester Heights Borough and Concord Township. Taxpayers have the option of paying in one-third installments.

Prepaid Items and Inventories

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both entity-wide and fund financial statements.

All inventories are valued at the lower of cost (first-in, first-out method) or market.

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the entity-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets' lives are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed, inclusive of ancillary costs.

Property, plant and equipment of the District is depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

School buildings	40-50 years
Portable classrooms	20-25 years
Land improvements	15-20 years
Equipment	5-10 years
Vehicles	8-10 years
Library books	5-7 years

Compensated Absences

The District's policies regarding vacation and sick time permit certain employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation leave. The liability for these compensated absences is recorded as long-term debt in the entity-wide financial statements. The current portion of this debt is estimated based on historical trends. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report only the compensated absence liability payable from expendable available financial resources.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

The long-term portion of compensated absences has been designated in the General Fund fund balance.

Long-Term Obligations

In the entity-wide financial statements and proprietary fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds.

Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are reported as deferred charges and amortized over the term of the related debt. Deferred amounts on refunding are recorded as a decrease to debt payable and amortized over the life of the old debt or the life of the new debt, whichever is shorter. All amounts are amortized using the straight-line method.

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

Fund Equity

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. The proprietary funds report the same three components of net assets as do the entity-wide financial statements. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the District's policy to use restricted resources first and then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

Comparative Data

Comparative totals for the prior year have been presented in the accompanying financial statements in order to provide an understanding of changes in the District's financial position and operations. Certain amounts presented in the prior year have been reclassified in order to be consistent with the current year's presentation. However, presentation of prior year totals by fund and activity type have not been presented in each of the statements since their inclusion would make the statements unduly complex and difficult to read. Summarized comparative information should be read in conjunction with the District's financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2004, from which the summarized information was derived.

Use of Estimates in the Preparation of Financial Statements

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 2 STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Budgetary Information

An annual budget is adopted prior to the beginning of each year for the general fund on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The general fund is the only fund for which a budget is legally required, although project-length financial plans are adopted for all capital projects funds.

The District is required to publish notice by advertisement at least once in two newspapers of general circulation in the municipalities in which it is located, and within 15 days of final action, that the proposed budget has been prepared and is available for public inspection at the administrative offices of the District. Notice that public hearings will be held on the proposed operating budget must be included in the advertisement; such hearings are required to be scheduled at least 10 days prior to when final action on adoption is taken by the Board.

Legal budgetary control is maintained at the sub-function/major object level. The Board of School Directors (the "Board") may make transfers of funds appropriated to any particular item of expenditure by legislative action in accordance with the Pennsylvania School Code. Management may amend the budget at the sub-function/sub-object level without Board approval. Appropriations lapse at the end of the fiscal period. Budgetary information reflected in the financial statements is presented at or below the level of budgetary control and include the effect of approved budget amendments.

Excess of Expenditures over Appropriations

Special education wage expenditures in the amount of \$768,141 were funded by excess I.D.E.A. and ACCESS subsidies.

NOTE 3 DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned. The District does not have a policy for custodial credit risk. At June 30, 2005, the carrying amount of the District's deposits was \$1,036,813 and the bank balance was \$2,006,791. Of the bank balance, \$112,374 was covered by federal depository insurance, and \$1,894,417 was subject to custodial credit risk because it was uninsured and the collateral held by the depository's agent was not in the District's name.

Investments

Statutes authorize the District to invest in U.S. Treasury bills, time or share accounts of institutions insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation or in certificates of deposit when they are secured by proper bond or collateral, repurchase agreements, State Treasurer's investment pools or mutual funds.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 3 <u>DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS</u> (cont'd)

All of the District's investments are in the Pennsylvania School District Liquid Asset Fund (PSDLAF) and the Pennsylvania Treasurer's Program for Local Governments (INVEST). Although not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission and not subject to regulatory oversight, PSDLAF and INVEST act like money market mutual funds in that their objective is to maintain a stable net asset value of \$1 per share, is rated by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization and is subject to an independent annual audit. The carrying value of the District's investments at June 30, 2005 was \$47,365,925.

Interest Rate Risk

The District does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates. The District's practice is to hold all investments to maturity.

Custodial Credit Risk - Investments

For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral security that are in the possession of an outside party. The District has no investments subject to custodial credit risk. The District's practice is to invest its funds only in one of the three State money market funds, all of which are required by law to maintain a AAA rating.

Credit Risk

The District has no investment policy that would limit its investment choices to those with certain credit ratings. As of June 30, 2005, PSDLAF and INVEST were rated as AAA by a nationally recognized statistical rating organization.

NOTE 4 DEFERRED REVENUES

Governmental funds report deferred revenue in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, deferred revenue reported in the governmental funds resulted from delinquent property taxes receivable and revenue received but not earned.

Deferred revenue in the proprietary funds and the entity-wide financial statements represents resources that have been received but not yet earned.

NOTE 5 CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2005 was as follows:

Governmental activities:		eginning Balance	_l	ncreases_	<u>Decre</u>	<u>ases</u>	_	Ending Balance
Capital assets not being depreciated: Land	,	4 507 471	*		٨		٨	4 507 471
	Ş	4,587,471	•		\$	-	Ş	4,587,471
Construction-in-progress	_		: _	<u>4,298,187</u>				<u>4,298,187</u>
Total Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated		4.587,471		4.298.187		_		8.885.658

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 5	CAPITAL ASSETS (cont'd)	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance			
	Governmental activities:	<u> </u>	Horoages	<u>Deoregico</u>	Balarioo			
	Capital assets being depreciated:	0 224 252	24.010		0 271 070			
	Land improvements	2,334,353	36,919	-	2,371,272			
	Buildings and improvements	99,164,446	187,71B	-	99,352,164			
	Furniture and equipment	10,589,207	228,322		10,817,529			
	Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	112,088,006	452,959		112,540,965			
	Less accumulated depreciation far:							
	Land improvements	1,182,189	112,094	-	1,294,283			
	Buildings and improvements	19,405,592	2,356,615	-	21,762,207			
	Furniture and equipment	7 <u>,256,061</u>	<u>80</u> 7,581		<u>8,063,642</u>			
	Total accumulated depreciation	27,843,842	<u>3,276,290</u>		31,120,132			
	Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated, Net	84,244,164	(2,823,331		81,420,833			
	Governmental Activities Assets, Net	\$ 88,831,635	\$ 1,474,856	<u>\$</u>	\$ 90,306,491			
	Business-type Activities:							
	Capital assets being depreciated:							
	Furniture and equipment	\$ 1,243,982	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,243,982			
	Total Capitol Assets Being Depreciated	1,243,982			1,243,982			
	Less accumulated depreciation for:							
	Furniture and equipment	<u>523,130</u>	<u>70,191</u>		<u>593,321</u>			
	Total accumulated depreciation	523,130	70,191		593,321			
	Business-type Activities, Net	\$ 720,852	\$ 70,191	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 650,661			
Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the District as follows:								
	Governmental activities:							
	Instruction	6.00	70 447					
		\$ 2,079,667						
	Instructional student support	220,305						
	Administrative and financial suppor	348,610						
	Operation and maintenance of plo	338,451						
	Pupil transportation	152,885						
	Student activities	123,552						
	Community Services	12,820						
	Community Convices			14,020				

\$ 3,276,290

\$ 70.191

Total Depreciation Expense - Governmental Activities

Business-type Activities - Food Service

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (conf'd)

NOTE 6 INTERNAL RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2005 is as follows:

Receivable To	<u>Amount</u>	Payable From	<u>Amount</u>
General Fund General Fund Prison Fund	\$ 424,830 1,668,926 106,720	Food Service Fund Capital Projects Fund General Fund	\$ 424,830 1,668,926 106,720
Total	\$2,200,476		\$2,200,476

Interfund balances between funds represent temporary loans recorded at year end subsequent to a final allocation of expenses. The balances generally are paid shortly after year end.

Interfund Transfers:

Transfer Out:	Transfers In:	
General Fund General Fund General Fund	Nonmajor Fund Capital Projects Fund Prison Fund	\$ 50,768 \$ 133,445 \$ 106,720

Transfers represent funds set aside for the anticipation of future capital needs and funds transferred from the general fund to subsidize prison operations and athletic activities.

NOTE 7 GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT

The following summarizes the changes in the long-term liabilities of governmental activities for the year ended June 30, 2005:

	Balance July 1, 2004	Additions	<u>Deletions</u>	Balance <u>June 30, 2005</u>	Amounts Due within One Year
Bonds payable	\$42,166,546	\$26,560,000	\$ 1,480,000	\$ 67,246,546	\$ 855,000
Unamortized premium	-	337,535	15,343	322,192	15,343
Deferred amount on					
refunding	(860,057)	(909,002)	(119,371)	(1,649,688)	(119,371)
Notes payable	27,956,000	16,500,000	1,623,000	42,833,000	3,169,000
Capital leases payable	19,126,239	19,650,000	19,126,239	19,650,000	550,000
Accumulated					
compensated absences/					
early retirement incentive	2,297,779	1,464,978		3,762,757	<u>873,171</u>
TOTALS	<u>\$90,686,507</u>	<u>\$63,603,511</u>	\$22,125,211	<u>\$132,164,807</u>	<u>\$5,343,143</u>

Payments of long-term debt are expected to be funded by the general fund.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 7 GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT (cont'd)

General Obligation Bonds

Series B of 2001, maturing through February 15, 2018, bearing interest ranging from 4.8% to 5.75%. Capital appreciation bonds, accreting interest semi-annually on February 15 and August 15.

\$ 2,646,546

Series A of 1998, maturing through April 1, 2016, bearing interest ranging from 3.6% to 5.0%, interest payable semi-annually on April 1 and October 1.

7,550,000

Series of 2002, maturing through April 1, 2015, bearing interest ranging from 4.0% to 5.5%, interest payable semi-annually on April 1 and October 1.

13,300,000

Series A of 2001, maturing through February 15, 2025, bearing interest ranging from 3.2% to 5.0%, interest payable semi-annually on February 15 and August 15.

8,075,000

Series of 2003, maturing through February 15, 2013, bearing interest ranging from 1.6% to 3.7%, interest payable semi-annually on February 15 and August 15.

9,115,000

Series of 2004, maturing through April 1, 2027, bearing interest ranging from 4.6% to 5.25%, interest payable semi-annually on April 1 and October 1. The Series of 2004 was issued to (i) plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a new elementary school; to provide funds to plan and design renovations and additions to Garnet Valley Middle School; to provide funds for other capital improvements to school buildings and (ii) to pay the costs of issuing and insuring the bonds.

26,560,000

General Obligation Notes

Series of 2002, maturing through August 25, 2027, with interest at variable rates, payable monthly. Interest rates change on a weekly basis and are determined by the Bond Market Association Index.

25,726,000

2003 Equipment Note, maturing through October 7, 2007, with interest at variable rates, payable monthly. Interest rates change on a weekly basis and are determined by the Bond Market Association Index.

607,000

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 7 GENERAL LONG-TERM DEBT (cont'd)

2005 Equipment Note, maturing through February 25, 2009, with interest at variable rates, payable monthly. Interest rates change on a weekly basis and are determined by the Bond Market Association Index. The Note was issued to fund the acquisition of equipment.

1,000,000

Series of 2005, maturing through June 1, 2032, with interest at variable rates, payable monthly. Interest rates change on a weekly basis and are determined by the Bond Market Association Index. The Note was issued for the purpose of (i) to plan, design, construct, furnish and equip a new elementary school; to provide funds to plan and design renovations and additions to Garnet Valley Middle School; to provide funds for other capital improvements to school buildings and (ii) to pay the costs of issuing and insuring the bonds.

15,500,000

TOTAL

\$110,079,546

Presented below is a summary of debt service requirements to maturity by years:

Year Ending June 30,	Principal Maturities	Interest <u>Maturities</u>	Total <u>Maturities</u>
2006	\$ 4,024,000	\$ 4,543,190	\$ 8,567,190
2007	3,800,000	4,410,509	8,210,509
2008	3,591,000	4,264,136	7,855,136
2009	3,506,000	4,112,925	7,618,925
2010	3,367,000	3,955,719	7,322,719
2011-2015	19,081,000	17,593,981	36,674,981
2016-2020	17,462,546	17,209,618	34,672,164
2021-2025	23,718,000	9,468,560	33,186,560
2026-2030	25,050,000	3,384,752	28,434,752
2031-2032	6,480,000	345,125	6,822,125
	\$110,079,546	\$ 69,285,515	\$179,365,061

NOTE 8 CAPITAL LEASES - LESSEE

The District has entered into an appropriation-based lease with the State Public School Building Authority ("SPSBA") for financing the construction of the Bethel Springs Elementary School. This lease agreement qualifies as a capital lease for accounting purposes and, therefore, has been recorded at the present value of future minimum lease payments as of the inception date. On April 25, 2005, the District authorized SPSBA to advance refund the Series of 2000 revenue bonds that underlie the financing for the appropriation-based lease. As a result of the refunding, the District recognized an economic gain of \$581,172 and a reduction of \$596,841 in future debt service payments.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 8 <u>CAPITAL LEASES - LESSEE</u> (cont'd)

The assets acquired through the capital leases are as follows:

Bethel Springs Elementary School	\$ 20,000,000
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(1,000,000)

Total \$ 19,000,000

The future minimum lease obligations and the net present value of these minimum lease payments as of June 30, 2005 were as follows:

Year Ending June 30,

2006	\$ 1,246,734
2007	1,225,508
2008	1,539,557
2009	1,541,957
2010	1,548,158
2011-2015	7,750,787
2016-2020	7,786,700
2021-2025	7,928,355

Total minimum lease payments 30,567,756 Less: Amount representing interest (10,917,756)

Present value of minimum lease payments \$19,650,000

NOTE 9 OPERATING LEASES

The District currently is obligated under operating lease agreements for various office equipment. The following is a summary of the minimum rental costs for the remaining term:

Year Ending June 30,

2006	\$ 234,384
2007	234,384
2008	116,543
2009	 3 <u>2,63</u> 4
Total	\$ 617,945

Rental expense for the year ended June 30, 2005 was \$286,672.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 10 PENSION PLAN

Plan Description

The District contributes to the Public School Employees' Retirement System (PSERS), a governmental cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Public School Employees' Retirement System. The PSERS provides retirement and disability, legislatively mandated *ad hoc* cost-of-living adjustments and certain health care insurance premium assistance to plan members and their beneficiaries. The Public School Employees' Retirement Code (Act No. 96, of October 2, 1975, as amended) provides the authority to establish and amend benefit provisions. The PSERS issues a comprehensive annual financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan. A copy of the report may be obtained by writing to Public School Employees' Retirement System, P.O. Box 125, Harrisburg, PA 17108-0125 or by accessing its website at http://www.psers.state.pa.us/publications/cafr/index.htm.

Funding Policy

The contribution policy is established in the Public School Employees' Retirement Code and requires contributions by active members, employers and the Commonwealth. Individual employees contribute between 5.25 and 7.5 percent of salary depending on their membership status. Contributions required of employers are based upon an actuarial valuation. For fiscal year ended June 30, 2005, the rate of employer contribution was 4.23 percent of covered payroll. The District's contributions to PSERS for the years ended June 30, 2003, 2004 and 2005 were \$254,861, \$963,652 and \$1,165,875, respectively, equal to the required contribution for each year. The Commonwealth contributes to PSERS by reimbursing the District 50 percent of its contribution each year.

NOTE 11 JOINT VENTURES

The District participates in a joint venture with the other school districts of Delaware County, Pennsylvania in the operation of a Vocational-Technical School Authority (DCVTSA). The DCVTSA is governed by seven members. Each member must be a citizen of a school district where the DCVTSA leases a project. The DCVTSA oversees acquiring, holding, constructing, improving and maintaining the public area vocational-technical school buildings. The financial statements of the Vocational-Technical School Authority are available from the DCVTSA located at 200 Yale Avenue, Morton, Pennsylvania 19070.

The District also participates in a joint venture with other school districts of Delaware County, Pennsylvania to support the Delaware County Community College. The financial statements of the Community College Authority are available from the Delaware County Community College Authority (DCCCA) located at 901 South Media Line Road, Media, Pennsylvania 19063.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 11 JOINT VENTURES (cont'd)

The District has entered into lease agreements with the DCCCA and the DCVTSA to provide rental payments to retire the Authority's outstanding debt obligations. The lease agreements generally provide that in the event the individual Authorities either retire all of their outstanding obligations which were issued to finance school facilities construction or acquisition, or accumulate sufficient reserves to cover such obligations prior to the expiration of the applicable schedules, there will be no subsequently scheduled rental payments made. Inasmuch as the annual rentals include reserve funds which either are invested by Authorities or used for advance retirement of obligations, it is anticipated that less than scheduled rentals will eventually be paid.

Future Authority rental payments are:

Year Ending June 30,	DCCCA	DCVT\$A_
2006	\$ 11,065	\$ 19,761
2007	11,219	25,840
2008	11,217	25,862
2009	11,067	26,094
2010	11,244	26,061
2011-2015	49,872	77,759
2016-2018	<u>23,101</u>	
Total	128,785	201,377
Less: Interest requirements	<u>27,412</u>	24,677
Outstanding rental payments	<u>\$ 101.373</u>	<u>\$ 176,70</u> 0

NOTE 12 SPECIAL TERMINATION BENEFITS

The District from time to time offers additional retirement incentives, known as "early retirement incentive plans" (ERIPs) to senior professional and administrative staff contemplating retirement. There is no contractual requirement for the District to offer ERIP incentives. These special termination benefits are formally approved by School Board action in the year an ERIP plan is implemented.

In order for an employee to retire and participate in a district-sponsored ERIP, the District must first decide whether or not to offer a special termination plan in the year the employee is retiring; the retiring employee must meet certain age and district service year requirements; a specified minimum number of employees must opt into the ERIP; and the retiring employee must be eligible to receive other pension benefits provided through the PSERS, described in Note 10. The District's various ERIP plans can provide for the payment of specific annuity amounts to the participating retiree; the payment of specified dollar amounts to be applied toward participating retiree healthcare premiums; or the payment of both a specified annuity amount and a healthcare premium amount, for a limited number of years.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 12 SPECIAL TERMINATION BENEFITS (cont'd)

As of June 30, 2005, the District had five ERIP plans in effect. The number of participants and the present value of those benefits as of June 30, 2005, including the long-term portion which has been designated in the General Fund fund balance, are summarized below:

ERIP <u>Began</u>	<u>Participants</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Annuity</u>	Healthcare <u>Premium</u>
July 1, 1995 July 1, 1996 July 1, 1999 July 1, 2002 July 1, 2005	1 8 3 3 13	\$ 9,149 100,551 176,312 224,251 1,071,344	\$ - 16,718 58,088 224,251 1,071,344	\$ 9,149 83,833 118,224
		<u>\$ 1,581,607</u>	<u>\$1,370,401</u>	\$ 211 <u>,206</u>

During the year ended June 30, 2005, the cost of these benefits was \$278,212.

NOTE 13 RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. Significant losses are covered by commercial insurance for all major programs except for workers' compensation, for which the District retains risk of loss. For insured programs, there were no significant reductions in insurance coverages during the 2004-2005 year. Settlement amounts have not exceeded insurance coverage for the current year or the three prior years.

NOTE 14 LAND HELD FOR RESALE

In April of 2004, the District purchased the residence and grounds of the estate of Henry Oakes located at 573 Smithbridge Road, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania at a purchase price of \$320,000. The District has designated the property as land held for resale in its financial records. The property has been recorded at the lower of cost or net realizable value. At June 30, 2005, land held for resale totaled \$329,709, with this amount offset by a reservation of fund balance in the governmental fund financial statements.

NOTE 15. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Government Grants and Awards

The District participates in both state and federally assisted grant programs. These programs are subject to program compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The District is potentially liable for any expenditures which may be disallowed pursuant to the terms of these grant programs. Management is not aware of any material items of noncompliance which would result in the disallowance of program expenditures.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (cont'd)

NOTE 15 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (cont'd)

Litigation

Certain litigation claims are pending against the District. In the opinion of District management and legal counsel, the potential losses, if any, on such claims are not yet determinable.

Capital Improvement Commitments

As of June 30, 2005, the District was in the process of constructing additions to its middle school and high school, as well as constructing a new elementary school. Contracts awarded (including approved change orders) through June 30, 2005 are as follows:

	<u>Totals</u>	Middle School <u>Addition</u>	High School <u>Addition</u>	New Concord Elem School
General HVAC Electrical Plumbing Architect	\$26,007,000 5,802,300 3,695,021 1,304,670 	\$ 2,042,100 655,500 292,500 141,170 212,759	\$ 3,702,900 2,274,600 919,375 164,500 422,530	\$20,262,000 2,872,200 2,483,146 999,000 1,350,090
Total	<u>\$38,794,370</u>	<u>\$ 3,344,029</u>	<u>\$ 7,483,905</u>	<u>\$27,966,436</u>
Completed the	rough June 30, 2005	j:		
General HVAC Electrical Plumbing Architect	\$ 1,393,720 573,087 27,000 46,800 1,519,301	\$ 1,326,508 239,706 - 46,800 152,027	\$ 67,212 333,381 27,000 - 322,613	\$ - - - 1,044,661
Total	\$ 3,559,908	\$ 1,765,041	\$ 750,206	\$ 1,044,661
Commitments	Outstanding as of J	une 30, 2005:		
General HVAC Electrical Plumbing Architect	\$24,613,280 5,229,213 3,668,021 1,257,870 466,078	\$ 715,592 415,794 292,500 94,370 60,732	\$ 3,635,688 1,941,219 892,375 164,500 99,917	\$20,262,000 2,872,200 2,483,146 999,000 305,429
Total	<u>\$35,234,462</u>	<u>\$1,578,988</u>	<u>\$ 6,733,699</u>	\$26,921,775

In addition, the District has incurred costs in the amount of \$738,279 related to the above construction projects that are not related to a specific contract noted above.



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' 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

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September 9, 2005

Board of School Directors Garnet Valley School District Glen Mills, Pennsylvania

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Garnet Valley School District, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania as of and for the year ended June 30, 2005, and have issued our report thereon dated September 9, 2005.

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

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

However, we noted other matters involving the internal control over financial reporting that we have reported to management of Garnet Valley School District, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania, in a separate letter dated September 9, 2005.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Garnet Valley School District'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



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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.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of School Directors, the Audit Committee, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities; and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133 202 Bancroft Building 3411 Silverside Road Wilmington, Delaware 19810 302.478.8940

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September 9, 2005

Board of School Directors Garnet Valley School District Glen Mills, Pennsylvania

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Garnet Valley School District, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania, with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2005. Garnet Valley School District's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and recommendations. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its major federal program is the responsibility of Garnet Valley School District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Garnet Valley School District'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 Nonprofit 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 Garnet Valley School District'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 Garnet Valley School District's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, Garnet Valley School District complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2005.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of Garnet Valley School District, Glen Mills, Pennsylvania, is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Garnet Valley School District's internal control over compliance with requirements that could



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have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a reportable condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements caused by error or fraud that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, the Board of School Directors, the Audit Committee, and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities; and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

PART A - SUMMARY OF AUDITORS' RESULTS

- The auditors' report expresses unqualified opinions on the financial statements of Garnet Valley School District.
- No reportable conditions relating to the audit of the financial statements are reported in the "Report on Compliance and on Internal Control over Financial Reporting Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards."
- No instances of noncompliance relating to the financial statements of Garnet Valley School District were disclosed during the audit.
- 4. No reportable conditions relating to the audit of the major federal award program are reported in the "Report on Compliance with Requirements Applicable to Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133."
- 5. The auditors' report on compliance for the major federal award program for Garnet Valley School District expresses an unqualified opinion.
- 6. The auditee is considered to be a low-risk auditee. The dollar threshold for determining a Type A program is \$300,000.
- 7. The program tested as a major program was:

<u>Program Name</u>	CFDA #
I.D.E.A.	84.027

PART B - FINDINGS RELATED TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

None.

CURRENT YEAR FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

None.

PART C - FINDINGS RELATED TO FEDERAL AWARDS

STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS

None.

CURRENT YEAR FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

None.

GARNET VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND CERTAIN STATE GRANTS FDR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2005

ACCRUED (DEFERRED) REVENUE AT 6/30/05	\$ 5,444 190 2,954 1,177 (1,565)	- 649,528 657 728	(23,543) d)	4,678 124 1,713	(17,028) \$640,7 <u>00</u>	900	908.90%
EXPENDITURES	\$ 92,657 7,422 60,297 2,206 8,910	649,528	29,999 c)	89,286 2,406 31,889	153,580		3 942,/11 =
REVENUE RECOGNIZED	\$ 92,657 7,422 60,297 2,206 8,910	649,528	ı	89,286 2,406 31,889	153,580 \$974,600		
ACCRUED (DEFERRED) REVENUE AT 6/30/04	\$ 6,831 2,843 18,058 8,119	506,217	(17, 209) b)	11,811 342 4,040	(1,016) <u>\$541,052</u>	Programs Tested	rederai Expenditures
TDTAL RECEIVED FOR YEAR	\$ 6,831 87,213 2,843 7,232 18,038 57,343 1,029 8,119 10,475	506,217	36,333 a)	11,811 84,608 342 2,282 4,040	169,592 \$874,952	Total Pr	
GRANT AMOUNT	\$101,793 93,442 14,216 10,848 67,716 66,165 2,206 10,333 11,223 1,998	506, 217 649, 528	N/A	Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z Z		<u>sted:</u> <u>\$649,528</u>	
GRANT PERIOD BEGINNING/ ENDING DATES	07/01/03-09/30/04 07/01/03-09/30/05 07/01/03-09/30/04 07/01/03-09/30/05 07/01/04-09/30/05 07/01/04-09/30/05 07/01/03-09/30/05 07/01/04-09/30/05 07/01/04-09/30/05	07/01/03-06/30/04 07/01/04-06/30/05		07/01/03-06/30/04 07/01/04-06/30/05 07/01/03-06/30/04 07/01/04-06/30/05 07/01/03-06/30/04		Major Program Tested I.D.E.A. <u>\$549.</u>	
Pass-through Grantor's Number	013-04-0161 013-05-0161 011-04-0161 020-04-0161 020-05-0161 055-05-0161 100-05-0161	062-04-0025 062-05-0025	N/A	4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4		\$ 974,600	(Z00'TC)
FEDERAL CFDA <u>NUMBER</u>	84.010 84.010 84.298 84.298 84.367 84.318 84.318 84.186 84.186	84.027 84.027	10.550	10.555 10.555 10.553 10.553 N/A			
SOURCE	ннннннннн	нн	н	нннном	re Vants	of 25% Rule: Expenditures	ח טוומי ר
FEDERAL GRANTOR/ PROJECT TITLE US Department of Education Passed Through the Pennsylvania	Department of Education: Title I Title I Title v Title v Title II-Improving Teacher Quality Title II-Education Technology Brug-Free Schools Drug-Free Schools Academic Achievement	Passed Through the Delaware County Intermediate Unit I.D.E.A. I.D.E.A. Total US Department of Education	US Department of Aqriculture Passed Through the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture Value of USDA Doanted Commodities	Passed Through the Pennsylvania Department of Education National School Lunch Program National School Lunch Program Breakfast Program Breakfast Program State Matching Share State Matching Share	Total US Department of Agriculture TOTAL FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE GRANTS	: Test or Funding Total	
US Depá	Department Tile I Tile I Title I Title V Title II Title II Title III Title III Title III Title III Title III Title III Arademic A	Passed T County I I.D.E.A. I.D.E.A. Total	US Depa Passed Departmy	Passed Through Department of E National School National School Breakfast Progr Breakfast Progr State Matching	Total	<u>Source Codes</u> I = Indirect S = State Fil	ı

Footnotes:

Total amount of commodities received from U.S. Department of Agriculture Beginning inventory at July 1.

Total amount of commodities used.

Ending inventory at June 30.

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NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND CERTAIN STATE GRANTS

NOTE A SCOPE OF THIS SCHEDULE

The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and Certain State Grants reflects federal expenditures for all individual grants which were active during the fiscal year. Additionally, the Schedule reflects expenditures for certain state grants.

NOTE B BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The District uses the modified accrual method of recording transactions except as noted for the accounting of donated commodities in Note C. Revenues are recorded when measurable and available. Expenditures are recorded when incurred.

NOTE C NONMONETARY FEDERAL AWARDS - DONATED FOOD

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania distributes federal surplus food to institutions (schools, hospitals and prisons) and to the needy. Expenditures reported in the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and Certain State Grants under CFDA #10.550 Value of USDA Commodities represent surplus food consumed by the District during the 2004-2005 fiscal year.