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January 6, 2012

Waitsfield School District Att: Michelle Baker, Bus. Mgr. 1673 Main Street, Ste. A Waitsfield, VT 05673

Dear Michelle:

I have electronically forwarded the final financial statements for Waitsfield School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011. In addition I will be mailing you 10 bound copies.

If you are thinking of putting our audit report into your Town Report, auditing standards provides you with three options:

- You may include the entire audit report from page one through the last page;
- You may include pages 1 through Schedule 1;
- You can put a statement in that you were audited and that the audit is available at _____ and omit our audit report completely.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please do not hesitate to call us.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

Waitsfield School District Financial Statements For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

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Report on Compliance and on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards



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Independent Auditors' Report

To The School Board Waitsfield School District

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and the aggregate remaining fund information of Waitsfield School District, Vermont, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise the School District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. We have also audited the financial statements of each of the School District's nonmajor governmental and fiduciary funds presented as supplementary information in the accompanying combining and individual fund financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Waitsfield School District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. 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 the 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 opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and the aggregate remaining fund information of Waitsfield School District, Vermont, as of June 30, 2011, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. In addition, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of each nonmajor governmental and fiduciary fund of Waitsfield School District, as of June 30, 2011, 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 December 29, 2011 on our consideration of Waitsfield School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on 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.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 5 and 30 through 38 are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. 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 as a whole. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Angolano & Company

Angolano & Company Shelburne, Vermont Firm Registration Number 92-0000141

December 29, 2011

WAITSFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS For the Year Ended June 30, 2011

Introduction

The discussion and analysis of The Waitsfield School District's ("the District") financial performance provides a narrative introduction and overview of the school District's financial activities for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011 (FY 11). The District is organized under the guidance of the Board of School Directors to provide public education for Waitsfield.

Financial Highlights

- Government-wide assets totaled \$739,407 and government-wide liabilities totaled \$109,959.
- Long-term debt (more than one year) totaled \$34,384 at year end.
- The District's general fund actual revenues were \$2,125,916 while the budgeted revenues were \$2,110,966 an increase of \$14,950 or .7%.
- The District's general fund actual expenditures were \$1,997,008, while the budgeted expenditures were \$2,053,176, a savings of \$56,168 or 2.7%.
- Special Revenue Funds totaling \$35,526 are held in the District's accounts for various Federal, State and Private Grants.
- Capital Projects Funds represent amounts from prior years which have been set aside for Maintenance Reserve and Technology Fund. The respective fund balances at June 30, 2011 were \$4,825 and \$9,525. In addition there is a negative balance of \$6,866 associated with hook up fees for water which is anticipated to be funded through the DWSRF loan program in FY2012.
- Agency Funds totaling \$5,290 are held in the District's accounts for various student activities and projects.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the Waitsfield School District's basic financial statements. The District's basic financial statements are comprised of three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

<u>Government-Wide Financial Statements</u> – The first two statements are government-wide financial statements that report information about the District as a whole using accrual accounting methods similar to those used by private sector companies.

The Statement of Net Assets presents information on all of the District assets and liabilities with the difference between the two reported as net assets. Over time increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the District is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the District net assets changed during the fiscal year. All changes in net assets are reported when the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing or related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the District that are principally supported by taxes and inter-governmental revenues (governmental activities) from functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the District include programs and services such as instruction, support services, and building operation and maintenance.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> – A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the District can be divided into three categories – governmental funds, proprietary funds and fiduciary funds.

Governmental Funds – Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on current sources and uses of spendable resources, as well as spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental funds balance sheet and governmental fund statements of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The District maintains four (4) governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and in the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances for the General, Special Revenue, Capital Projects and Debt Service. The basic governmental funds financial statements can be found on pages 8-11.

<u>Notes to the Financial Statements</u> – The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 12-29.

Other Information – In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain supplementary information including Budget to

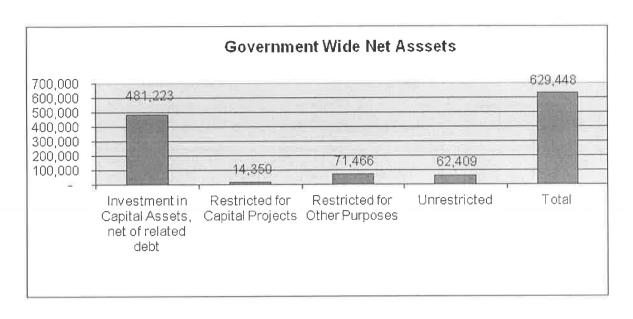
Actual Reports for the General Fund and Combining Balance Sheets and Statements of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances for the various Special Revenue Funds, and a Report on Compliance and Internal Control.

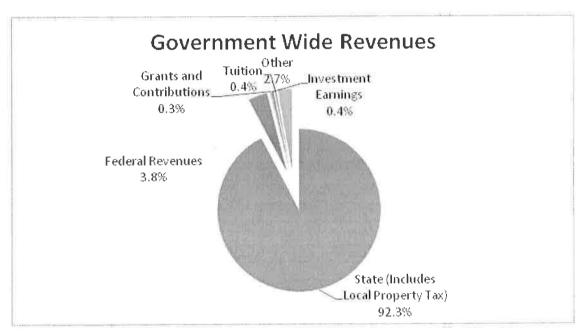
Government-Wide Financial Analysis

Our analysis of the District's major funds begins on Table 1. The fund financial statements provide detailed information about the most significant funds – not the District as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State law and by bond covenants. However, the District's Board of Directors establish many other funds to help them control and manage money for particular purposes or to show that it is meeting legal responsibilities for using certain grants, and other money.

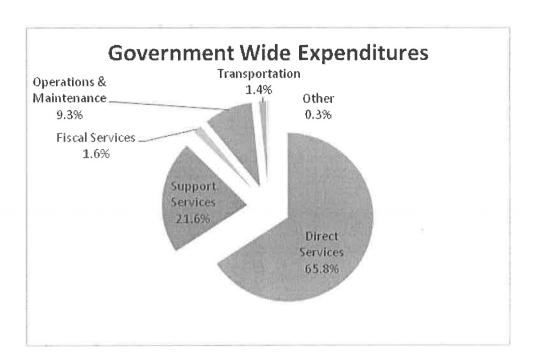
Amounts reported for governmental activities in this statement of net assets differ from the summary of financial operations because: capital (non-current) assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore, are deferred in the funds; non-current liabilities – consisting of bonds payable (early retirees) – are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. Inter-fund receivables and payables are reported in the fund statements, but not included in the amounts reported for governmental activities.

			TABLE
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Statement of Net Assets		ce Reconciliatio	n
Ju	ne 30, 2011		
	Summary of		
	Financial	Governmental	
	Operations and	Activities	
	Fund Balance	Government-Wide	Difference
ASSETS			
Current Assets:			
Cash	193,427	193,427	(2)
Prepaid Expenses	4,231	4,231	(4)
Accounts Receivable:			
Supervisory Union	15,799	15,799	*
Other	10,343	10,343	
Total Current Assets	223,800	223,800	120
Non-current Assets:			
Capital Assets:			
Building & Equipment, net of Accum. Depr.	2	515,607	(515,607)
Total Non-current Assets		515,607	(515,607)
TOTAL ASSETS	223,800	739,407	(515,607)
TOTAL ASSETS	223,000	139,407	(313,007
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Cash Overdraft	45.004	45.004	; = :
Accounts Payable - State	15,821	15,821	
Accounts Payable - Other LEA's	947	947	
Accounts Payable - Other	57,497	57,497	
Accrued Expenses	1,310	1,310	(0.0.077)
Current Portion of Long-Term Obligations	_ \	30,877	(30,877)
Total Current Liabilities	75,575	106,452	(30,877)
Non-current Liabilities:			
Bonds Payable	<u> </u>	3,507	(3,507)
Total Non-current Liabilities		3,507	(3,507)
TOTAL LIABILITIES	75,575	109,959	(34,384)
NET ASSETS			
NET ASSETS		404 000	/404 000
Investment in Capital Assets, net of related Debt	*	481,223	(481,223)
Restricted for Capital Projects	14,350	14,350	/40.400
Restricted for Other Purposes	23,057	71,466	(48,409)
Committed	48,409	# CO 400	48,409
Unrestricted	62,409	62,409	
TOTAL NET ASSETS	148,225	629,448	(481,223)
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	223,800	739,407	(515,607)





In FY2011, Government-wide revenues consisted of \$78,855 in federal revenue, \$1,902,317 in state revenue, \$8,754 in investment earnings, \$6,085 in grant revenue, \$8,010 in Pre-school tuition and \$56,000 in other revenues.



In FY2011, Government-wide expenses (net of related program revenue) consist of \$1,289,576 in direct services, \$422,413 in support services, \$31,845 in fiscal services, \$231,613 in operations and maintenance, \$26,908 in transportation, and \$5,116 in other expenses with an offset of a \$49,000 grant in construction services.

Governmental Activities:

Governmental Activities revenues totaled \$2,060,021 and expenses totaled \$1,958,471 resulting in an increase in net assets of \$101,550.

Fund Financial Analysis

	Summary of	Summary of	Summary of
	Financial	Financial	Financial
	Operations and	Operations and	Operations and
	Fund Balance	Fund Balance	Fund Balance
	6/30/2011	6/30/2010	6/30/2009
ASSETS			
Current Assets:			
Cash	193,427	214,111	242,018
Prepaid Expenses	4,231	3,162	3,173
Accounts Receivable:			
Supervisory Union	15,799	19,795	7,093
Other LEA's	90	() <u>i</u>	26,640
Other	10,343	2,449	20,301
Total Current Assets	223,800	239,517	299,225
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities:		00.700	404.046
Cash Overdraft	45.004	66,739	131,216
Accounts Payable - State	15,821	8,182	22,299
Accounts Payable - Other LEA's	947	849	5.004
Accounts Payable - Other	57,497	47,235	5,634
Accrued Expenses	1,310	2,222	378
Total Current Liabilities	75,575	125,227	159,527
NET ASSETS			
Committed	48,409	86,841	140,522
Restricted	37,407		
Unassigned	62,409	27,449	(824)
TOTAL NET ASSETS	148,225	114,290	139,698
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	223,800	239,517	299,225

Governmental Fund Types:

Fund balances in the Governmental Fund types increased from \$114,290 to \$148,225, an increase of \$33,935. This increase was reflected in the General Fund by a decrease of \$66,258, a decrease of \$1,642 in the Special Revenue Funds, and a decrease in the Capital Projects Fund of \$30,681.

Capital Assets

As required under GASB34 the District is reporting its' capital assets as part of the financial statements. The District has researched and documented the historical costs of the various assets owned by the District and applied appropriate charges against the cost to record depreciation. Capital assets with a cost of \$5,000 or more are capitalized and depreciated.

Table VI summarizes the state of the District's capital assets.

						TABLE V
W	aitsfiel	d School D	istric	t		
	Cap	ital Assets	:			
	Jui	ne 30, 2011				
			Ac	cumulated		
		Cost	Depreciation		1	let Value
Governmental Activities:						
Construction in Progress		11,251		€.		11,251
Land Improvements		51,633		50,996		637
Buildings and Improvements	\$	1,014,634	\$	510,915	\$	503,719
Furniture and Equipment		64,620		64,620		3
Total	\$	1,142,138	\$	626,531	\$	515,607

Long-Term Debt

The District has one category of long-term debt, defined as debt due and payable beyond one year. At June 30, 2011, the District had \$34,384 in outstanding principal and interest. Bond principal and interest are being paid from the General Fund. The final payment of the municipal bond will be made in FY12. It is anticipated that the debt of \$4,384 associated with the water project will be forgiven.

Current Issues

- Waitsfield Elementary School has developed a Capital Improvement Plan to identify long term and short-term capital needs.
- Waitsfield's student enrollment is declining and that trend is projected to continue.
- Act 153 requires special education, compensatory and remedial services to be
 provided by the Supervisory Union by July 1, 2013. The SU does not currently
 believe centralizing all special education services at the SU level will result in
 financial savings for the overall SU. In addition, no implementation guidance or
 instructions to apply for a waiver has been received from the VT DOE regarding
 the new legislation. The financial effects on the Waitsfield School District
 associated with this legislation are unknown at this time.

Contact for Further Information

This financial report is designed to provide citizens, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to reflect the District's accountability for the monies it receives. Questions about this report or additional financial information needs should be directed to Michelle J. Baker, Business Manager, Washington West Supervisory Union, 1673 Main Street – Suite A, Waitsfield, Vermont 05673 or at (802) 496-2272 ext. 117.

Waitsfield School District Statement of Net Assets Government-Wide June 30, 2011

EXHIBIT I

	Governmental Activities			Total
ASSETS:				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	193,427	\$	193,427
Accounts Receivable - Supervisory Union		15,799		15,799
Accounts Receivable - Other		10,343		10,343
Prepaid Expenses		4,231		4,231
Capital Assets, net (Note 4)		515,607		515,607
Total Assets		739,407		739,407
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LIABILITIES:		4E 004		1E 001
Accounts Payable - State		15,821 947		15,821 947
Accounts Payable - Other LEAs Accounts Payable - Other		57,497		57,497
Accounts Fayable - Other Accrued Expenses		1,310		1,310
Long-Term Liabilities (Note 6):		1,510		1,510
Due Within One Year		30,877		30,877
Due in More Than One Year		3,507		3,507
Total Liabilities	_	109,959		109,959
		,		
NET ASSETS:				
Investment in Capital Assets, net of related debt		481,223		481,223
Restricted for Capital Projects		14,350		14,350
Restricted for Other Purposes		71,466		71,466
Unrestricted		62,409		62,409
Total Net Assets	\$	629,448	\$	629,448

EXHIBIT II

Waitsfield School District Statement of Activities Government-Wide For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

		Program	Revenues	Net (Expens and Changes	,
	_	Charges for	Operating	Governmental	
	<u>Expenses</u>	Services	Grants	Activities	Total
Instructional:					
Direct Services	\$ 1,344,013		\$ 54,437	\$ (1,289,576)	\$ (1,289,576)
Support Services:	* 1,011,010		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	+ (:,===,=:=)	+ (',===,=',=',=',
Student Services	183,151			(183,151)	(183,151)
Instructional Services	44,153			(44,153)	(44,153)
General Administrative Services	52,921			(52,921)	(52,921)
Area Administrative Services	142,188			(142,188)	(142,188)
Fiscal Services	31,845			(31,845)	(31,845)
Building Operations and Maintenance	231,613			(231,613)	(231,613)
Transportation	68,149		41,241	(26,908)	(26,908)
Other Support Services	5,116			(5,116)	(5,116)
Construction Services			49,000	49,000	49,000
Total	\$ 2,103,149	\$ -	\$ 144,678	(1,958,471)	(1,958,471)
General Revenues:					
Tuition				8,010	8,010
State Revenues not Restricted	to Specific Progr	ams		1,902,317	1,902,317
Federal Revenues not Restricte	d to Specific Pro	grams		78,855	78,855
Private Revenues not Restricted	to Specific Pro	grams		(5,915)	(5,915)
Investment Earnings				8,754	8,754
Refunds and Reimbursements				56,000	56,000
Miscellaneous				12,000	12,000
Total General Revenues				2,060,021	2,060,021
Excess (Deficiency) of Rever	ues Over Expen	ses		101,550	101,550
Net Assets - Beginning				527,898	527,898
Net Assets - Ending				\$ 629,448	\$ 629,448

Waitsfield School District Combined Balance Sheet All Fund Types - Fund Base June 30, 2011

		Gove General Fund	rnm	nental Fund ⁻ Special Revenue Fund	Тур	es Capital Projects Fund		Fiduciary Fund Type Agency Funds	(Ме	Totals emorandum Only)
										- 37
ASSETS:										
Current Assets:	Φ	404 700			Φ	44 705	Φ	5.000	Φ	400 747
Cash	\$	181,722	Φ	7.000	\$	11,705	\$	5,290	\$	198,717
Accounts Receivable - Supervisory Union Accounts Receivable - Other		8,790	\$	7,009						15,799
Due From Other Funds		10,343		25 GE /		0.575				10,343 45,229
Prepaid Expenses		4,231		35,654		9,575				45,229
•	_		_	40.000	_	24 200	_	<u>-</u>		
Total Current Assets	_	205,086	_	42,663	_	21,280	_	5,290	_	274,319
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	205,086	\$	42,663	\$	21,280	\$	5,290	\$	274,319
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITIES: Liabilities:										
Accounts Payable - State	\$	15,821							\$	15,821
Accounts Payable - Other LEAs	•	947								947
Accounts Payable - Other		48,149	\$	2,418	\$	6,930				57,497
Accrued Expenses		1,310								1,310
Due To Other Funds		33,645		4,719		6,866				45,230
Amount Held for Agency Funds		-	_				\$	5,290		5,290
Total Liabilities	_	99,872	_	7,137	_	13,796	_	5,290	_	126,095
Fund Equity:										
Fund Balances:										
Unassigned		71,155		(1,881)		(6,866)				62,408
Committed		34,059				14,350				48,409
Restricted	_	-	_	37,407						37,407
Total Fund Equities	_	105,214	_	35,526		7,484			_	148,224
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITIES	\$	205,086	\$	42,663	\$	21,280	\$	5,290	\$	274,319

Waitsfield School District Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Assets Governmental Funds June 30, 2011

Fund	Balances	total	governmental	funds
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\$ 148,224

\$ 629,448

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds:

Governmental capital assets 1,142,138 Less accumulated depreciation (626,531)

Bonds payable and contractual obligations have not been included in the governmental fund financial statements.

Bonds Payable (34,384)

Net Assets of Governmental Activities

EXHIBIT IV

Waitsfield School District Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances All Governmental Fund Types - Fund Base

For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

			(Governmenta	ΙF	und Types				
		General Fund		Special Revenue Fund		Capital Projects Fund		Debt Service Fund	(M€	Totals emorandum Only)
REVENUES: Tuition Interest on Investments Refunds and Reimbursements Miscellaneous	\$	8,010 8,713 56,000			\$	41			\$	8,010 8,754 56,000
Private/Local/Other State Federal	_	10,801 1,925,739 116,653	\$	26,993 1,550 -		1,199 49,000				12,000 26,993 1,927,289 165,653
TOTAL REVENUES	_	2,125,916	_	28,543	_	50,240	\$			2,204,699
EXPENDITURES: Direct Services Support Services:		1,300,382		19,970		557				1,320,909
Students Instructional Staff General Administration Area Administration Fiscal Services		183,056 43,838 52,921 142,156 31,845								183,056 43,838 52,921 142,156 31,845
Operation & Maintenance of Building Transportation Food Services Construction Services		179,760 57,934 5,116		10,215		59,682 50,182				239,442 68,149 5,116 50,182
Debt Service: Interest Charges Principal Retirement	_		_				_	3,150 30,000		3,150 30,000
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	_	1,997,008	_	30,185	_	110,421	_	33,150	_	2,170,764
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		128,908		(1,642)		(60,181)		(33,150)		33,935
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfers In Transfers Out	_	(62,650)	_		_	29,500		33,150		62,650 (62,650)
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES		66,258		(1,642)		(30,681)		-		33,935
FUND BALANCE, JULY 1, 2010		38,956	_	37,168	_	38,165	_			114,289
FUND BALANCE, JUNE 30, 2011	\$	105,214	\$	35,526	\$	7,484	\$	-	\$	148,224

Waitsfield School District

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

Net Changes in fund Balances – total governmental funds

\$ 33,935

Amount reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is depreciated over their estimated useful lives:

Expenditures for capital assets 62,130 Less current year depreciation (24,515)

Bond proceeds provide current financial resources to governmental funds, but issuing debt increases long-term liabilities in the statement of Net Assets. Repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets.

Repayment of bonds 30,000

Change in Net Assets of Governmental Funds

\$101,550

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Waitsfield School District ("School District") is organized as a public educational district under the applicable laws and regulations of the State of Vermont. It is governed by a Board of School Directors elected by registered voters of the District to provide public education to the residents of the Town. Except where noted, the accounting policies conform to generally accepted accounting principles, as applicable to governmental units.

The School District prepares its basic financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and other authoritative sources identified in the Statement on Auditing Standards No. 69 of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; and it complies with the requirements of the appropriated version of the Vermont Department of Education's Handbook for Financial Accounting of Vermont School Systems (The Handbook).

Reporting Entity:

The schoolboard is elected by the public and it has the authority to make decisions, appoint administrators and managers, and significantly influence operations. It also has the primary accountability for fiscal matters. Therefore, School District is a financial reporting entity as defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") in its Statement No. 14. There are no component units included within the reporting entity.

Government - Wide and Fund Financial Statements:

The statement of net assets and the statement of activities are government-wide financial statements. They report information on all of the Waitsfield School District's non-fiduciary activities with most of the Interfund activities removed. *Governmental Activities* include programs supported primarily by Taxes (collected by the Town on behalf of the State), State funds, grants and other intergovernmental revenues.

The statement of activities demonstrates how other people or entities that participate in programs the School District operates have shared in the payment of the direct costs. The "charges for Services" column includes payments made by parties that purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods or services provided by a given function or segment of the School District. The "grants and contributions" column includes amounts paid by organizations outside the School District to help meet the operational or capital requirements of a given function. If a revenue is not a program revenue, it is a general revenue used to support all of the School District's functions. Taxes are always general revenues.

Interfund activities between governmental funds and proprietary funds appear as due to/due from on the governmental fund balance sheet and proprietary fund statement of net assets and as other

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

resources and other uses on the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance and on the proprietary fund statement of revenues, expenses and changes in fund net assets. All Interfund transactions between governmental funds and internal service funds are eliminated on the government-wide statements. Interfund activities between governmental funds and fiduciary funds remain as due to/due from on the government-wide statement of activities.

The fund financial statements provide reports on the financial condition and results of operations for three fund categories – governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary. Since the resources in the fiduciary funds cannot be used for School District operations, they are not included in the government -wide statements. The School District considers some governmental funds major and reports their financial condition and results of operations in a separate column. The major funds are:

Governmental Fund Types:

- General Fund The general fund is the School District's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.
- Special Revenue Funds The School District accounts for resources restricted to, or designated for, specific purposes by the School District or a grantor in a special revenue fund. Most federal and some State financial assistance is accounted for in a Special Revenue Fund and sometimes unused balances must be returned to the grantor at the close of specified project periods.
- Capital Project Fund The proceeds from long-term debt financing and revenues and expenditures related to authorized construction and other capital asset acquisitions are accounted for in a capital projects fund.
- Debt Service Fund The School District accounts for resources accumulated and payments made for principal and interest on long-term general obligation debt of governmental funds in a debt service fund.

Fiduciary Funds (Agency Funds):

Agency Funds – The Agency Funds are used to account for assets held by the School District as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other funds and/or governmental units.

- Agency funds are custodial in nature and do not involve measurements of results of operations.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation:

The government-wide financial statements use the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as do the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental funds financial statements use the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets, current liabilities and fund balances are included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present net increases (revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (expenditures and other financing uses).

The modified accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they become available and measurable and it recognizes expenditures in the accounting period in which the fund liability is incurred, if measurable, except for unmatured interest and principal on long-term debt, which is recognized when due. The expenditures related to certain compensated absences and claims and judgments are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources. The School District considers all revenues available if they are collectible within 60 days after year end

Revenues received from the State are recognized under the susceptible -to-accrual concept. Miscellaneous revenues are recorded as revenue when received in cash because they are generally not measurable until actually received. Investment earnings are recorded as earned, since they are both measurable and available.

Grant funds are considered to be earned to the extent of expenditures made under the provisions of the grant. Accordingly, when such funds are received, they are recorded as deferred revenues until related and authorized expenditures have been made. If balances have not been expended by the end of the project period, grantors sometimes require the School District to refund all or part of the unused amount.

The Fiduciary Funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus and utilize the accrual basis of accounting. This basis of accounting recognizes revenues in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable and expenses in the accounting period in which they are incurred and become measurable. The School District applies all GASB pronouncements as will as the Financial Accounting Standards Board

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless these pronouncements conflict or contradict GASB pronouncements. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the fund Statement of Net Assets. The fund equity is segregated into invested in capital assets net of related debt, restricted net assets, and unrestricted net assets.

Other Accounting Policies:

Cash and Cash Equivalents:

For purposes of the statement of cash flows for proprietary and similar fund-types, the School District considers highly liquid investments to be cash equivalents if they have a maturity of six months or less when purchased.

Interfund Receivables and Payables:

Activities between funds that are representative of lending or borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "due to/from other funds". All other outstanding balances between funds are also reported as "due to/from other funds".

Accounts Receivable:

The accounts receivable balances at year end are from governmental entities, and no allowance for doubtful accounts is considered necessary.

Prepaid Items:

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future periods. In the fund based financial statements, the cost of prepaid items is recorded as an expenditure when the payments are made. In the government-wide financial statements and the proprietary funds, these items are recorded as prepaid items.

Capital Assets:

Capital assets, which include land, buildings, furniture, and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental activities column in the governmental wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the School District as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 or more and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market 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. Land Improvements, buildings, furniture and equipments of the School District are depreciated using the straight line method over the estimated useful lives with a full year of depreciation taken in the year acquired and none taken in the year of disposal.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Long-term Debt:

In the government-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net assets. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources.

Budgets:

The School District is required by state law to adopt a budget for the General Fund. The budget is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting which is consistent with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). The operating budget is prepared by the School District's administration with direction from the School Board and assistance from the Superintendent and Business Manager of the Washington West Supervisory Union and approved by the Waitsfield School District School Board at a properly warned meeting for presentation to the voters. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures by line item and the means of financing them. The budget is approved by School District Voters at a properly warned annual meeting. The voters vote on the total expense amount and not on the individual line items presented in these financial statements.

Encumbrances:

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, is employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration in the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, and Capital Projects Fund. Encumbrances are not liabilities and, therefore, should not be recorded as expenditures until receipt of material or service. For budgetary purposes, appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end. The School District has elected to treat its encumbrances as liabilities for budgetary control purposes.

Net Assets and Fund Balance:

Government - Wide Financial Statements:

When the School District incurs an expense for which it may use either restricted or unrestricted net assets, it uses restricted net assets first unless unrestricted net assets will have to be returned because they were not used. Net assets on the Statement of Net Assets include the following:

Investment in Capital Assets, net of Related Debt – The component of net assets reports the difference between capital assets less both the accumulated depreciation and the outstanding balance of debt, excluding unspent proceeds, that is directly attributable to the acquisition, construction or improvement of these capital assets.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Restricted for Other Purposes – The component of net assets that reports the amount of revenue from a federal, state, or other program in excess of expenditures. These funds are restricted for use of the related federal, state or other program.

Restricted for Capital Projects – The component of net assets that reports the amount of revenue from bond proceeds, grants, and special assessments in excess of expenditures. These funds are restricted for the construction or acquisition of capital assets.

Unrestricted – The difference between the assets and liabilities that is not reported in net Assets Invested in Capital Assets, net of Related Debt, Net Assets Restricted for Other Purposes, or Net Assets Restricted for Capital Projects.

Fund Based Financial Statements:

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report fund balances as unassigned, assigned, restricted, or committed fund balance.

Unassigned Fund Balance – That portion of the general fund, fund balance that contains all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. It is used in other funds only to report a deficit.

Assigned Fund Balance – Includes amounts intended to be used by the government for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed.

Restricted Fund Balance – Includes amounts that can be spent only for the specific Purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation.

Committed Fund Balance – Includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the government's highest level of decision-making authority.

Function and Object Codes:

Function and object codes refer to the account code structure prescribed by the Vermont Department of Education. The Vermont Department of Education requires School District to use these codes in order to insure accuracy in building and maintaining a statewide database for policy development and funding plans.

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Memorandum Only Columns:

The total columns are captioned "memorandum only" because they do not represent consolidated financial information and are presented only to make financial analysis easier. Data in these columns do not present financial position, results of operations, or cash flows in accordance with GAAP. Interfund eliminations have not been made in the aggregation of this data.

NOTE 2 - CASH AND REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS

Cash deposits with financial institutions at June 30th amounted to \$198,717. As major revenues are received during the year bank deposits may temporarily exceed insured limits.

The cash deposits held at financial institutions and cash on hand can be categorized according to four levels of risk.

These four levels of risk are as follows:

Category 1	Deposits which are insured or collateralized with securities held by the
	School District or by its agent in the School District's name. (repurchase
	agreements)
Category 2	Deposits which are collateralized with securities held by the pledging
	financial institution's trust department or agent in the Bank's name.
Category 3	Private commercial insurance protection or letter of credit for funds in
	excess of FDIC limits.
Category 4	Deposits which are not collateralized or insured. (includes cash on hand)

The School District uses collateralizat ion agreements with the People's United Bank to protect deposits not otherwise insured by the FDIC and/or SIPC. Deposits held with other financial institutions that exceeded the FDIC limits were uninsured at June 30, 2011.

Balances held in each area are as follows:

	Carrying Amount	Bank Balance
- Insured (FDIC) and/or (SIPC)	\$198,717	\$432,193
- Category 1	0	0
- Category 2	0	0
- Category 3	0	0

NOTE 2 - CASH AND REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (CONTINUED)

	Carrying Amount	Bank Balance
- Category 4	\$ 0	\$ 56,746
Total deposits	\$198,717	\$488,939

The difference between the book balance and bank balance is due to reconciling items such as deposits in transit and outstanding checks. Due to higher cash flows at certain times during the year, the amount of uninsured and not collateralized cash could have been much higher than at year end.

Collateralization agreements with the People's United Bank are securities held by the bank's trust department or agent in the School District's name. Securities consist of municipal bonds, U.S. Government obligations and U.S. Government Agency Bonds.

NOTE 3 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES

In compliance with GASB 1300.109 School District does not maintain separate bank accounts for each fund, unless it is required by law, or grant agreement. The composition of amounts due to and from other funds as of June 30, 2011 is as follows:

Fund Financial Statements:		
Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
Special Revenue Fund:		
Medicaid	General Fund	\$28,725
FEED	General Fund	1,488
Field Project	General Fund	2,066
Stars Program Grant	General Fund	2,700
Food Service	General Fund	103
Class of 2012	General Fund	349
Class of 2013	General Fund	223
	Special Revenue Fund:	
General Fund	Safe Route to School	4,217
General Fund	Class of 2011	502
	Capital Project Fund:	
General Fund	Water System Improvement	6,866

NOTE 3 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES (CONTINUED)

Fund Financial Statements:		
Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
Capital Project Fund:		
Maintena nce Reserve	General Fund	\$ 50
Technology Fund	General Fund	9,525
Total		<u>\$56,814</u>

NOTE 4 – CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital activity for the School District for the year ended June 30, 2011 was as follows:

	. Primary Government .			
	Beginning			Ending
	Balance	Increases	Decreases	Balance
Governmental activities:				
Capital assets not being depr.				
Construction in Progress	<u>\$ 10,068</u>	<u>\$ 1,183</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 11,251</u>
Total capital assets not				
being depreciated	10,068	1,183	0	11,251
Other Capital Assets:				
Land Improvements	51,633	0	0	51,633
Buildings	187,654	0	0	187,654
Building Improvements	766,033	60,947	0	826,980
Furniture and Equipment	64,620	0	0	64,620
Total other capital assets				
at historical costs	1,069,940	<u>60,947</u>	0	1,130,887
Less accumulated depreciation:				
Land Improvements	48,494	2,502	0	50,996
Buildings	187,654	0	0	187,654
Building Improvements	306,416	16,845	0	323,261
Furniture and Equipment	<u>59,452</u>	<u>5,168</u>	0	64,620
Total accum. depr.	602,016	<u>24,515</u>	0	626,531
Other Capital Assets, Net	<u>467,924</u>	<u>36,432</u>	0	504,356
Governmental activities				
Capital Assets, Net	<u>\$ 477,992</u>	<u>\$ 37,615</u>	<u>\$</u> 0	<u>\$ 515,607</u>

NOTE 4 – CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions as follows:

Governmental activities:

Direct Services	\$20,489
Support Services:	
Students	0
Instructional Staff	0
General Administration	0
Area Administration	0
Fiscal Services	0
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	4,026
Transportation	0
Other Support Services	0
Total governmental activities depreciation expense	<u>\$24,515</u>

NOTE 5 - SICK LEAVE

It is the School District's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused sick pay benefits. Such leave benefits do not vest under the School District's policy, accordingly benefits must be used during employment. Since the employees' accumulating rights to receive compensation for future absences are contingent upon the absences being caused by future illnesses and such amounts cannot be reasonably estimated, a liability for unused sick leave is not recorded in the financial statements.

Teaching staff earn 20 sick days per year, and may accumulate a maximum of 90 days.

NOTE 6 - LONG-TERM DEBT

The School District issues general obligation bonds and notes to finance the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities, renovations, and equipment purchases. General obligation bonds are direct obligations and pledge the full faith and credit of the issuing entity. These bonds are generally issued as 5 to 20-year serial bonds with equal amounts of principal maturing each year.

The following is a summary of general obligation bonds & notes:

NOTE 6 - LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

	Balance July 1, 2010	Borrowings	Retirements	Balance June 30, 2011
Vermont Municipal Bond Bank, bond payable, interest at 6.959% interest paid semi-annually, principal of \$30,000 due on December 1 st of each year until 2011, originally borrowed \$640,000 on July 10, 1991 for an addition.	\$60,000	\$ 0	\$30,000	\$30,000
Environmental Protection Agency, Water planning note payable, interest at 0% principal of \$876.80 due on November 1 st of each year starting in 2011 until 2015, approved borrowings of \$4,384 for water project. Debt forgiveness is to be determined.	4,384	0	0	4,384
Total Long-Term Debt	<u>\$64,384</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	\$30,000	\$34,384

The annual debt service requirement to maturity for general obligation bonds and notes including interest are as follows:

	Principal	Interest	Total
During the year ended June 30, 2012	\$30,877	\$1,050	\$31,927
2013	877	0	877
2014	877	0	877
2015	877	0	877
2016	876	0	876
Thereafter	0	0	0
Totals	<u>\$34,384</u>	<u>\$1,050</u>	<u>\$35,434</u>

NOTE 7 – RESTRICTED, COMMITTED AND ASSIGNED FUND BALANCES (Fund Financial Statements)

Restricted, committed and assigned fund balances represent amounts that must be used for specific purposes within that fund and cannot be spent otherwise without prior approval of funding source. A more detailed explanation is provided in Note 1.

NOTE 7 – RESTRICTED, COMMITTED AND ASSIGNED FUND BALANCES (Fund Financial Statements) (CONTINUED)

Reservations at year end are for the following:

General	Lund	
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Fiscal 11-12 Budget	<u>\$34,059</u>
Special Revenue Funds:	
Medicaid	\$31,161
FEED	1,300
Field Project	1,571
Stars Program Grant	2,700
Food Service	103
Class of 2012	349
Class of 2013	223
Total	\$37,407
Capital Projects Fund:	
Maintenance Reserve	\$ 4,825
Technology Fund	9,525
Total	<u>\$14,350</u>

NOTE 8 – NET ASSETS RESTRICTED (Government - Wide Financial Statements)

Restricted net asset balances represent amounts that must be used for specific purposes and cannot be spent otherwise without prior approval of the funding source. Restrictions at year end are for the following:

Net Assets Restricted For Capital Projects:

\$ 4,825
9,525
<u>\$14,350</u>
\$34,059
31,161
1,300
1,571

NOTE 8 – NET ASSETS RESTRICTED (Government - Wide Financial Statements) (CONTINUED)

Net Assets Restricted For Other Purposes (continued):

Stars Program Grant	\$ 2,700
Food Service	103
Class of 2012	349
Class of 2013	223
Total	\$71,466

NOTE 9 – TRANSFERS IN THE FUND BASED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The School District occasionally transfers funds to cover expenditures made in one fund for which the revenues are in another fund. The following transfers were made during the year.

Funds of \$29,500 were transferred from the General Fund to the Capital Project Fund's Maintenance Reserve for the purpose of project expenses.

NOTE 10 - PENSIONS

VERMONT TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

All of the teachers employed by School District participate in the Vermont Teachers' Retirement System ("TRS"), a statewide multiple-employer public employee retirement system covering all teachers in local school districts within the State of Vermont. The Vermont State statutes provide the authority under which benefit provisions and the State's obligation to contribute are established.

Required contributions to the system are made by the State of Vermont based upon a valuation report prepared by the System's actuary. TRS is a cost sharing public employee retirement system with one exception: all risks and costs are not shared by the School District but are the liability of the State of Vermont. TRS is funded through state and employee contributions and the School District has no legal obligation for paying benefits. The Vermont State Teachers Retirement System estimates the contributions on behalf of the School District's employees included in the teacher's retirement plan as required by Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 24 to be 7.74% or approximately \$80,451.

NOTE 10 – PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

VERMONT TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONTINUED)

Vesting occurs upon reaching five years of creditable service. Normal retirement requires the employee to be either 62 years of age or have 30 years of service. A member may receive a reduced benefit at age 55 with 10 or more years of service. A member that has 10 or more years of service and leaves teaching before age 55 is entitled to a vested retirement benefit payable at age 62 or a reduced amount at age 55.

Contributions by the employees are 5% of gross earnings and are withheld pre income tax by the School District. Such withholdings totaled \$51,972 during the year and were paid by the School District to the State of Vermont. The School District has no other liability under the plan. The School District's total payroll for all employees during the year was \$1,269,463, with \$1,039,413 of such amount related to employees covered by the retirement plan.

Additional information and ten-year historical trend information can be obtained from the separately issued Vermont State Teachers' Retirement System Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

VERMONT MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Employees other than Teachers are eligible to participate in the Vermont Municipal Employees' Retirement System ("VMERS") providing they work a minimum of 30 hours per week for the school year employee or a minimum of 24 hours per week for a calendar year employee. There are three levels of contributions and benefits in the System called Group A, Group B, Group C and Group D. The School District participates in Group B. Normal retirement for Group A members is age 65 and the completion of 5 years of creditable service, or age 55 and completion of 35 years of creditable service. Normal retirement for Group B members is age 62 and the completion of 5 years of creditable service, or age 55 and completion of 30 years of creditable service. Normal retirement for Group C and D members is age 55 and the completion of 5 years of creditable service. A member may receive reduced benefits at age 55 if they have 5 years of service and have made contributions for at least 2.5 years.

The System is an actuarial reserve, joint-contributory program. Both the members and the School District make contributions to the fund according to the following schedule:

	Group A	Group B	Group C	Group D
Employees' Contributions (% of gross wages)	2.5%	4.5%	9.0%	11.0%
The School District's contributions (% of gross wages) 4.0%	5.0%	6.5%	9.5%

NOTE 10 – PENSIONS (CONTINUED)

VERMONT MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM (CONTINUED)

There is a municipal defined contribution plan option with a 5% withholding and a 5.125% match.

Employee contributions are withheld pre income tax by the School District and are remitted to the State of Vermont. Such withholdings totaled \$5,721 during the year. The School District contributed \$6,357 during the year. The School District's total payroll for all employees during the year was \$1,269,463, with \$127,180 of such amount related to employees covered by the Vermont Municipal Employees' Retirement System.

NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT

The School District is exposed to various risks of loss related to limited torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters for which the School District carries commercial insurance. There have been no significant reductions in coverage from the prior year. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured losses to the School District.

In addition, Waitsfield School District is a member of Vermont School Boards Association (Association). The Association has set up two insurance Trust; Vermont School Board Insurance Trust, Inc. (VSBIT) for Workers Compensation, Multi-Line Intermunicipal School Program, and Unemployment Compensation Program, and the Vermont Education Health Initiative (VEHI) for Medical Benefits. VSBIT and VEHI are nonprofit corporations formed to provide insurance and risk management programs for Vermont school districts and is owned by the participating districts. The Trusts are not licensed insurance carriers and members are not protected by the Vermont Insurance Guaranty Association.

To provide insurance coverage, VEHI has established a self-funded fully insured program in conjunction with Blue Cross and Blue Shield (BCBS). A portion of member contributions is used to purchase reinsurance and to fund a reserve required by the reinsurance. Contributions in excess of claims requirements, reserve fund requirements, reinsurance and administrative costs are returned to participants. The pooling agreement does not permit the pool to make additional assessments to its members.

To provide unemployment coverage, VSBIT has established a separate trust of funds from member contributions to pay administrative costs, unemployment claims, and to provide excess

NOTE 11 - RISK MANAGEMENT (CONTINUED)

reinsurance protection. Contributions are based on payroll expense and the previous two year unemployment compensation experience. In the event that total contributions assessed to and made by all members result in an actual or projected financial deficit and VSBIT is unable to meet its required obligations, the Program will be terminated with each members assessed their proportionate share of the deficit.

To provide worker's compensation coverage, VSBIT has established a separate trust of funds from member contributions to pay administrative costs and workers compensation coverage. Contributions are based upon formulas applied to payroll expense. At the end of the coverage period, the members will be assessed or refunded any difference between estimated contributions and actual expenses.

Multi-Line Intermunicipal School Program provides coverage for Property; Inland Marine and Boiler & Machinery; Crime; Commercial General Liability; Automobile/Garagekeepers; and Educators legal Liability. Annual contributions are based upon appropriate rates applicable to each Member; such rates are set based on recommendations of a qualified actuary, plus a proportionate share of all operational and administrative cost including excess reinsurance premiums incurred by the trust. In the event that total contributions assessed to and made by all members result in an actual or projected financial deficit and VSBIT is unable to meet its required obligations, the Program will be terminated with each members assessed their proportionate share of the deficit.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of asset and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 12 - OPERATING LEASES

On August 31, 2010 Waitsfield School District entered into a lease agreement with De Lage Landen Financial Services, Inc. for the lease of a digital copier. The total amount due is \$6,987, to be paid in annual installments of \$2,329 over 3 years. The following is a schedule of future minimum lease payments under this lease.

During the year ended June 30, 2012 \$2,329 2013 \$2,329

Waitsfield School District Notes to Financial Statements (continued) For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

NOTE 12 - OPERATING LEASES (CONTINUED)

Thereafter	<u>\$ 0</u>
Total	\$4,658

Total lease payments made this year were \$2,329.

On August 23, 2007 Waitsfield School District entered into a lease agreement with De Lage Landen Financial Services, Inc. for the lease of a digital copier/printer. The total amount due is \$17,280, to be paid in monthly installments of \$480.00 over 3 years. Total lease payments made this year were \$960.

NOTE 13 - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On July 1, 2011 the School District took out a tax anticipation note at People's United Bank for \$200,000 at 1.79% interest. The principal and interest are due at maturity on June 29, 2012.

On June 24, 2011, Waitsfield School District entered into an agreement with S.B. Collins, Inc. to prepay a fixed note for 7,000 gallons of fuel at \$3.298 per gallon. The minimum cost to the School District for fiscal year 2012 will be \$23,086.

NOTE 14 - COMMITMENTS

The School District participates in various state and federal grant programs, which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies. Costs charged to the respective grant programs are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor agencies; therefore, to the extent that the School District has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, refunds of any money recovered may be required and the collectibility of any related receivable at June 30, 2011 may be impaired. In the opinion of the School District, there are no significant contingent liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provision has been recorded in the accompanying combined financial statements for such contingencies.

NOTE 15 - RELATED PARTY

Washington West Supervisory Union, on behalf of the School District, entered an agreement with First Student, Inc. for contracted bus transportation services through June 30, 2012. The contract has a fee schedule for the various trips and contingencies. The minimum cost to the School District for the year ended June 30, 2012 is \$55,727.

Waitsfield School District Notes to Financial Statements (continued) For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

NOTE 15 - RELATED PARTY (CONTINUED)

The School District has an ongoing financial responsibility to Washington West Supervisory Union as defined in GASB 14, paragraph 71. Through Washington West Supervisory Union's assessment process, the School District's assessment can be increased to cover a share of any prior year deficits and decreased to share in any prior year surpluses. In addition, Washington West Supervisory Union assesses the school district for various charges related to operations and bus contracts. Separate financial statements on Washington West Supervisory Union are available from Washington West Supervisory Union.

The School District is part of the Harwood Union School District and has an ongoing financial responsibility as defined in GASB 14, paragraph 71. As a member of the Union School District, the School District is responsible for a share of any debt carried by the Union School District. Separate financial statements on the Union School District are available from Washington West Supervisory Union.

NOTE 16 - CONTINGENCY

Annually, before November 1st, the Commissioner of the Vermont Department of Education notifies each school of its net cost per elementary and/or secondary pupil for the previous school year. If the School District received tuition students from other Vermont School Districts it must determine whether it overcharged the sending District. If it did, it must provide the overcharged District with a credit against current tuition or refund the overcharged amount.

The School District received State construction aid in the past for various projects. In the event that the school building was to be sold, this construction aid would have to be repaid out of the proceeds. The amount of State construction aid received since July 1970 is available only from the State of Vermont who at this time is unwilling to provide the amount to the School District. The amount of State construction aid is thought to be material.

Waitsfield School District

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual

Schedule 1

General Fund For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

Variance Favorable Object **Budget** Actual (Unfavorable) **REVENUES:** Tuition: \$ 3,204 Individuals 3,204 Other LEAs 4,500 4,806 306 Interest on Investments 18.000 8,713 (9,287)Town Reimbursement 56,000 56,000 10,801 Miscellaneous 10,801 State: **Education Spending Grant** 1,771,795 1,711,335 (60.460)Transportation Aid 23,681 24,972 1,291 Mainstream Block Grant 46,510 46,510 Intensive Reimbursement 111,816 123,924 12,108 **Essential Early Education** 18,998 18,998 Federal: ARRA Education Spending Grant 60,460 60,460 School Wide Program 32.666 37,798 5,132 **IDEA-B** 17,093 26,000 (8,907)**IDEA-B Preschool** 1,000 302 (698)ARRA IDEA-B Preschool 1,000 1,000 TOTAL REVENUES 2,110,966 2,125,916 14,950 **EXPENDITURES:** Regular Instruction 1100: Salaries 110 508,362 477,386 30.976 Long-Term Substitute Salaries 110 2,811 (2,811)Field Trip Stipends 110 1,200 1,200 Mentoring Salaries 1,500 110 1,500 Aide Salaries 115 2,698 (2.698)13,000 **Temporary Salaries** 120 13,819 (819)1,401 Personal Day Reimbursement 125 1,000 (401)Health Insurance 210 122,542 118,390 4,152 Section 125 211 1.000 422 578 Social Security 220 35,192 36,428 (1,236)Life Insurance 230 2,436 2,204 232 Retirement 240 135 (135)Workers Compensation 250 2,628 2,932 (304)Unemployment Insurance 260 504 279 225 **Tuition Reimbursement** 270 12,000 13,664 (1,664)

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

			D			Fa	ariance vorable
	Object		Budget		Actual	(Unf	avorable)
Dental Insurance	280	\$	7,922	\$	7,854	\$	68
Purchased Services	330		-		1,526		(1,526)
Testing Services	332		-		1,853		(1,853)
Copier Lease	410		6,500		5,726		774
Supplies	610		12,000		15,153		(3,153)
Books and Periodicals	640		16,000		18,391		(2,391)
Equipment	730	_	3,000		1,576		1,424
Subtotal		_	746,786		727,348		19,438
Early Education 1100:							
Salaries	110		39,099		39,981		(882)
Aide Salaries	115		11,923		13,381		(1,458)
Health Insurance	210		4,545		4,888		(343)
Insurance Compensation	212		665		469		196
Social Security	220		3,903		3,284		619
Life Insurance	230		215		174		41
Retirement	240		596		686		(90)
Workers Compensation	250		265		307		(42)
Unemployment Insurance	260		101		28		73
Dental Insurance	280		1,131		989		142
Supplies	610		1,000		926		74
Testing Materials	611		405		209		196
Books and Periodicals	640		300		98		202
Equipment	730	_	450	_	-		450
Subtotal		_	64,598	_	65,420		(822)
Art 1102:							
Salaries	110		16,348		14,950		1,398
Long-Term Substitute Salaries	110		-		3,366		(3,366)
Insurance Compensation	212		362		280		82
Social Security	220		1,250		1,423		(173)
Life Insurance	230		142		95		47
Workers Compensation	250		85		102		(17)
Unemployment Insurance	260		56		9		47
Supplies	610		1,200		893		307
Books and Periodicals	640	_	80	_			80
Subtotal		_	19,523	_	21,118		(1,595)
Foreign Language 1106:							
Salaries	110		23,005		23,708		(703)
Insurance Compensation	212		395		280		115

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

	Object	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Social Security	220	\$ 1,760	\$ 1,821	\$ (61)
Life Insurance	230	164	159	5
Workers Compensation	250	119	139	(20)
Unemployment Insurance	260	56	13	43
Dental Insurance	280	278	117	161
Supplies	610	450	689	(239)
Subtotal		26,227	26,926	(699)
Physical Education 1108:			<u> </u>	
Salaries	110	23,603	23,708	(105)
Insurance Compensation	212	468	350	`118 [°]
Social Security	220	1,806	1,829	(23)
Life Insurance	230	166	128	38
Workers Compensation	250	122	142	(20)
Unemployment Insurance	260	56	13	43
Dental Insurance	280	512	532	(20)
Supplies	610	800	956	(156)
Subtotal		27,533	27,658	(125)
Music 1112:				
Salaries	110	43,375	42,119	1,256
Substitute Salaries	110	-	2,590	(2,590)
Health Insurance	210	11,449	11,234	215
Social Security	220	3,318	3,093	225
Life Insurance	230	229	225	4
Workers Compensation	250	224	262	(38)
Unemployment Insurance	260	56	24	32
Dental Insurance	280	695	401	294
Supplies	610	600	1,099	(499)
Books and Periodicals	640	300	36	264
Subtotal		60,246	61,083	(837)
Computer Technology 1123:				
Salaries	110	45,643	46,970	(1,327)
Personal Day Reimbursement	125	-	28	(28)
Health Insurance	210	4,800	4,572	228
Social Security	220	3,492	3,430	62
Life Insurance	230	217	199	18
Workers Compensation	250	236	275	(39)
Unemployment Insurance	260	56	25	31
Dental Insurance	280	239	490	(251)

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund

For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

						ariance	
	.		-			vorable	
	Object		Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)		
Contracted Services	331	\$	1,658	\$ 3,245	\$	(1,587)	
Equipment Repair	430		1,800	965		835	
Supplies	610		1,000	1,450		(450)	
Computer Software	650		2,500	1,435		1,065	
Equipment	730		14,000	12,132		1,868	
Subtotal			75,641	75,216		425	
Special Education 1200:			· · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Salaries	110		83,884	88,127		(4,243)	
Tutor Salaries	112		3,150	3,127		23	
Aide Salaries	115		52,160	41,691		10,469	
Temporary Salaries	120		2,000	6,606		(4,606)	
Personal Day Reimbursement	125		280	140		140	
Health Insurance	210		29,217	21,454		7,763	
Social Security	220		10,648	10,434		214	
Life Insurance	230		322	419		(97)	
Municipal Retirement	240		2,608	1,253		1,355	
Workers Compensation	250		703	1,020		(317)	
Unemployment Insurance	260		347	88		259	
Tuition Reimbursement	270		2,500	3,445		(945)	
Dental Insurance	280		2,679	1,649		1,030	
Testing Services	332		-	8,531		(8,531)	
WCMH Services	335		27,000	29,191		(2,191)	
Testing Materials	605		500	168		332	
Supplies	610		1,100	1,874		(774)	
Books and Periodicals	640		350	95		255	
Equipment	730	_		 133		(133)	
Subtotal		_	219,448	 219,445		3	
Essential Early Education 1200:							
Salaries	110		9,441	9,441		-	
Summer Salaries	112		625	-		625	
Aide Salaries	115		6,480	3,148		3,332	
Health Insurance	210		3,059	4,089		(1,030)	
Social Security	220		1,266	928		338	
Life Insurance	230		18	48		(30)	
Retirement	240		-	157		(157)	
Workers Compensation	250		82	-		82	
Unemployment Insurance	260		45	108		(63)	
Dental Insurance	280		-	213		(213)	
Testing Services	332		1,000	1,430		(430)	

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund

For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

	Ol 's at	D. Leat	A 1	Variance Favorable
	Object	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Contracted Services	335	\$ -	\$ 4,609	\$ (4,609)
Supplies	610	150	54	96
Subtotal		22,166	24,225	(2,059)
Compensatory Education 1250:				
Salaries	110	733	-	733
Aide Salaries	115	9,299	9,827	(528)
Health Insurance	210	4,124	3,285	839
Social Security	220	892	738	154
Municipal Retirement	240	465	491	(26)
Workers Compensation	250	209	243	(34)
Unemployment Insurance	260	98	19	79
Dental Insurance	280	453	209	244
Subtotal		16,273	14,812	1,461
Title I 1270:				
Salaries	110	30,420	29,394	1,026
Health Insurance	210	4,954	5,116	(162)
Social Security	220	2,203	2,127	76
Life Insurance	230	61	134	(73)
Dental Insurance	280	<u> 189</u>	360	(171)
Subtotal		37,827	37,131	696
Guidance Services 2120:				
Salaries	110	26,054	26,054	-
Insurance Compensation	212	550	420	130
Social Security	220	1,993	2,025	(32)
Life Insurance	230	173	169	4
Workers Compensation	250	135	157	(22)
Unemployment Insurance	260	34	14	20
Supplies	610	155	392	(237)
Books and Periodicals	640	50	-	50
Equipment	730	200	-	200
Dues and Fees	810		125	(125)
Subtotal		29,344	29,356	(12)
Health Services 2130:				
Salaries	110	31,256	32,464	(1,208)
Personal Day Reimbursement	125	-	9	(9)
Insurance Compensation	212	646	490	156
Social Security	220	2,391	2,522	(131)
Life Insurance	230	190	186	4

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

	Object	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Workers Compensation	250	\$ 162	\$ 189	\$ (27)
Unemployment Insurance	260	56	17	39
Supplies	610	575	809	(234)
Books and Periodicals	640	75		75
Subtotal		35,351	36,686	(1,335)
Psychological Services 2140:				
Purchased Services	320	8,400	6,972	1,428
Subtotal		8,400	6,972	1,428
EEE Psychological Services 2140:			,	,
Purchased Services	320	1,000	1,000	-
Subtotal		1,000	1,000	
Special Education Speech 2150:				
Salaries	110	57,054	57,054	_
Aide Salaries	115	10,695	10,023	672
Health Insurance	210	11,517	11,234	283
Social Security	220	5,183	5,001	182
Life Insurance	230	273	270	3
Retirement	240	535	384	151
Workers Compensation	250	350	409	(59)
Unemployment Insurance	260	112	37	75
Professional Development	270	1,000	-	1,000
Dental Insurance	280	1,025	1,074	(49)
Purchased Services	320	-	1,835	(1,835)
Summer Services	332	5,100	1,855	3,245
Supplies	610	250	541	(291)
Books and Periodicals	640	500		500
Subtotal		93,594	89,717	3,877
EEE Speech Services 2150:				
Purchased Services	320		88	(88)
Subtotal		-	88	(88)
Occupational Therapy 2160:				
Purchased Services	320	12,500	8,103	4,397
Subtotal		12,500	8,103	4,397
EEE Occupational Therapy 2160:		,		
Purchased Services	320	5,040	7,489	(2,449)
Subtotal	020	5,040	7,489	
Gubiolai		5,040	1,409	(2,449)

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund

For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

	Object	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Physical Therapy 2190:				
Purchased Services	320	\$ 6,000	\$ 3,645	<u>\$ 2,355</u>
Subtotal		6,000	3,645	2,355
Improvement of Instruction 2210:				
Professional Development	270	-	2,959	(2,959)
Action Planning	290	4,000	1,166	2,834
Subtotal		4,000	4,125	(125)
Media Center 2220:				
Salaries	110	25,192	25,431	(239)
Aide Salaries	115	3,434	3,818	(384)
Health Insurance	210	1,329	1,429	(100)
Insurance Compensation	212	476	350	126
Social Security	220	2,190	1,996	194
Life Insurance	230	170	129	41
Retirement	240	172	196	(24)
Workers Compensation	250	148	173	(25)
Unemployment Insurance	260	56	16	40
Dental Insurance	280	707	743	(36)
Purchased Services	331	1,000	495	505
Supplies	610	750	427	323
Books and Periodicals	640	4,500	3,595	905
Software	650	-	750	(750)
Equipment	730	800	<u> </u>	635
Subtotal		40,924	39,713	1,211
Board of Education 2310:				
Stipends	118	1,500	1,500	-
Social Security	220	-	115	(115)
Legal Services	360	5,000	3,810	1,190
Insurance	523	2,211	1,769	442
Advertising	540	500	715	(215)
Miscellaneous	550	3,101	652	2,449
Dues	810	1,100	1,200	(100)
Subtotal		13,412	9,761	3,651
Treasurer Services 2313:				
Salaries	110	1,200	2,400	(1,200)
Social Security	220	71	184	(113)
Subtotal		1,271	2,584	(1,313)

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund

For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

	Object	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
WWSU Assessment 2321:				
Assessment	331	<u>\$ 40,576</u>	<u>\$ 40,576</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Subtotal		40,576	40,576	
Administration 2400:				
Salaries	110	82,620	81,000	1,620
Support Staff	111	29,751	29,744	7
Health Insurance	210	15,057	16,018	(961)
Insurance Compensation	212	700	700	-
Social Security	220	8,596	8,115	481
Life Insurance	230	621	427	194
Municipal Retirement	240	1,488	-	1,488
Workers Compensation	250	581	750	(169)
Unemployment Insurance	260	131	61	70
Tuition Reimbursement	270	1,000	60	940
Dental Insurance	280	695	1,100	(405)
Postage	531	1,000	858	142
Supplies	610	1,500	2,808	(1,308)
Equipment	730	500	-	500
Dues	810	550	<u>515</u>	35
Subtotal		144,790	142,156	2,634
Arbitrage Borrowing 2520:				
Current Interest	830	8,000	3,889	4,111
Subtotal		8,000	3,889	4,111
Fiscal Services 2521:				
Business Manager Assessment	331	8,149	8,149	-
Accounting Assessment	331	16,807	16,807	-
Audit	370	3,000	3,000	
Subtotal		27,956	27,956	
Building Maintenance & Operation 2600:				
Salaries	110	43,302	46,409	(3,107)
Assistant Salaries	111	27,581	29,952	(2,371)
Overtime Salaries	130	-	934	(934)
Health Insurance	210	16,096	17,224	(1,128)
Social Security	220	5,423	5,802	(379)
Municipal Retirement	240	3,542	3,843	(301)
Workers Compensation	250	4,875	433	4,442
Unemployment Insurance	260	90	39	51
Dental Insurance	280	1,587	1,659	(72)

Waitsfield School District Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

	Object		Budget		Actual	Fa	ariance avorable favorable)
Water	411	\$	-	\$	70	\$	(70)
Trash Removal	421	-	2,500		2,043		457 [°]
Grounds Maintenance	424		4,400		3,850		550
Equipment Repair	430		12,500		17,983		(5,483)
Property Insurance	521		5,250		4,996		254
Telephone	530		3,500		3,494		6
Supplies	610		7,665		7,429		236
Electricity	622		19,231		18,647		584
Oil	624		32,000		14,216		17,784
Equipment	730	_	500	_	737		(237)
Subtotal		_	190,042		179,760		10,282
Transportation 2710:							
Contracted Transportation	519		62,708		57,934		4,774
Subtotal			62,708		57,934		4,774
SPED Transportation 2710:		_					,
Contracted Transportation	519		4,500		_		4,500
Subtotal	0.0	_	4,500	_			4,500
Food Services 3100:		_	7,000	_			4,000
Other	900		7,500		5,116		2,384
	300	_		_			
Subtotal		_	7,500	_	5,116		2,384
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		_	2,053,176	_	1,997,008		56,168
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES			57,790		128,908		71,118
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfer To Capital Project Fund Transfer To Debt Service Fund		_	(29,500) (33,150)		(29,500) (33,150)	_	- -
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES			(4,860)		66,258		71,118
FUND BALANCE, JULY 1, 2010		_	4,860	_	38,956		34,096
FUND BALANCE, JUNE 30, 2011		\$		\$	105,214	\$	105,214

Waitsfield School District Combining Balance Sheet Special Revenue Funds June 30, 2011 Schedule 2 (page 1 of 2)

	М	edicaid	F	F.E.E.D.		Field Project		Safe Route to School		Stars Program		Subtotals	
ASSETS: Current Assets:													
Accounts Receivable - Supervisory Union	\$	2,792	Φ.	4 400	Φ.	0.000	\$	4,217	Φ.	0.700	\$	7,009	
Due From Other Funds		28,725	<u>\$</u>	1,488	<u>\$</u>	2,066		<u>-</u>	<u>\$</u>	2,700		34,979	
Total Current Assets		31,517		1,488	_	2,066	_	4,217	_	2,700	_	41,988	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	31,517	\$	1,488	\$	2,066	\$	4,217	\$	2,700	\$	41,988	
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES: Liabilities:													
Accounts Payable - Other	\$	356	\$	188	\$	495					\$	1,039	
Due To Other Funds				-		-	\$	4,217				4,217	
Total Liabilities		356		188		495		4,217	\$			5,256	
Fund Balances: Unassigned												_	
Restricted		31,161		1,300		1,571				2,700		36,732	
Total Fund Balances		31,161		1,300		1,571		-		2,700		36,732	
TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES	\$	31,517	\$	1,488	\$	2,066	\$	4,217	\$	2,700	\$	41,988	

Waitsfield School District Combining Balance Sheet Special Revenue Funds June 30, 2011 Schedule 2 (page 2 of 2)

	Food Service		Class of 2011		Class of 2012		Class of 2013		Subtotals		Totals	
ASSETS:												
Current Assets: Accounts Receivable - Supervisory Union									\$	_	\$	7,009
Due From Other Funds	\$	103		<u>-</u>	\$	349	\$	223		675	_	35,654
Total Current Assets		103	\$	-		349	_	223		675		42,663
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	103	\$		\$	349	\$	223	\$	675	\$	42,663
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES: Liabilities:												
Accounts Payable - Other			\$	1,379					\$	1,379	\$	2,418
Due To Other Funds			_	502		-		-		502	_	4,719
Total Liabilities	\$			1,881	\$	-	\$			1,881		7,137
Fund Balances:												
Unassigned				(1,881)						(1,881)		(1,881)
Restricted		103	_		_	349		223		675	_	37,407
Total Fund Balances		103		(1,881)		349		223		(1,206)		35,526
TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES	\$	103	\$		\$	349	\$	223	\$	675	\$	42,663

Waitsfield School District Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Special Revenue Funds For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

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	N	Medicaid	Cla	tle VI - ass Size duction	F	E.E.D.	ı	Field Project	ı	Stars Program		ubtotals
REVENUES: Private/Local/Other State	\$	18,747 							\$	1,550	\$	18,747 1,550
TOTAL REVENUES		18,747	\$		\$		\$			1,550		20,297
EXPENDITURES: Direct Services Transportation	_	16,639		1		625 -		2,705 		<u>-</u>		19,970 <u>-</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		16,639		1	_	625		2,705				19,970
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		2,108		(1)		(625)		(2,705)		1,550		327
FUND BALANCES, JULY 1, 2010		29,053		1		1,925		4,276	_	1,150		36,405
FUND BALANCES, JUNE 30, 2011	\$	31,161	\$		\$	1,300	\$	1,571	\$	2,700	\$	36,732

Waitsfield School District Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Special Revenue Funds For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

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	Food ervice	ass of 2011	Class of 2012		Class of 2013		Subtotals		Totals	
REVENUES: Private/Local/Other State	 	\$ 7,078	\$	945 -	\$	223	\$	8,246 <u>-</u>	\$	26,993 1,550
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 	 7,078		945		223		8,246	_	28,543
EXPENDITURES: Direct Services Transportation	 	7,995		2,220				- 10,215		19,970 10,215
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	 	 7,995		2,220				10,215	_	30,185
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	-	(917)		(1,275)		223		(1,969)		(1,642)
FUND BALANCES, JULY 1, 2010	 103	 (964)		1,624	_	-		763		37,168
FUND BALANCES, JUNE 30, 2011	\$ 103	\$ (1,881)	\$	349	\$	223	\$	(1,206)	\$	35,526

Waitsfield School District Combining Balance Sheet Capital Projects June 30, 2011

Schedule 4

		ntenance leserve Fund	Te	echnology Fund	S	Water System rovement	Totals	
ASSETS:								
Current Assets:								
Cash	\$	11,705					\$	11,705
Due From Other Funds		50	\$	9,525				9,575
Total Current Assets		11,755		9,525	\$			21,280
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	11,755	\$	9,525	\$		\$	21,280
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES:								
Liabilities:								
Accounts Payable - Other	\$	6,930					\$	6,930
Due To Other Funds		-			\$	6,866		6,866
Total Liabilities		6,930	<u>\$</u>			6,866		13,796
Fund Balances:								
Unassigned						(6,866)		(6,866)
Committed		4,825		9,525				14,350
Total Fund Balances		4,825		9,525		(6,866)		7,484
TOTAL LIABILITIES & FUND BALANCES	\$	11,755	\$	9,525	\$	_	\$	21,280

Waitsfield School District Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures

and Changes in Fund Balances Capital Projects For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

Schedule 5

	intenance Reserve Fund	Т	echnology Fund	Imp	Water System provements	E	Energy Efficiency	Totals
REVENUES: Investment Income Miscellaneous Federal	\$ 41 1,199 -	_		_		\$	49,000	\$ 41 1,199 49,000
TOTAL REVENUES	 1,240	\$		\$		_	49,000	 50,240
EXPENDITURES: Direct Services Operations and Maintenance of Building Construction Services	59,682 -	_	557 <u>-</u>	_	1,182		49,000	557 59,682 50,182
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	59,682	_	557		1,182		49,000	 110,421
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(58,442)		(557)		(1,182)		-	(60,181)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES): Transfers In	29,500	_		_		_		 29,500
EXCESS OF REVENUES AND OTHER SOURCES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES AND OTHER USES	(28,942)		(557)		(1,182)		-	(30,681)
FUND BALANCES, JULY 1, 2010	 33,767	_	10,082	_	(5,684)	_		 38,165
FUND BALANCES, JUNE 30, 2011	\$ 4,825	\$	9,525	\$	(6,866)	\$	-	\$ 7,484

Waitsfield School District Combining Statement of Changes in Assets and Liabilities Fiduciary Fund Types - Agency Funds For The Year Ended June 30, 2011

Schedule 6

	Balance July 1, 2010		R	eceipts	Disb	oursements	Balance June 30, 2011		
Assets:									
Cash - Activities	\$	2,906	\$	4,838	\$	3,972	\$	3,772	
Cash - Petty Cash		1,792		4,250		5,490		552	
Cash - Student Council		1,551		300		885		966	
Cash - Field Trips		50				50			
Total Assets	\$	6,299	\$	9,388	\$	10,397	\$	5,290	
Liabilities:									
Amount Held for Agency Funds	\$	6,299	\$	9,388	\$	10,397	<u>\$</u>	5,290	
Total Liabilities	\$	6,299	\$	9,388	\$	10,397	\$	5,290	



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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

To the School Board Waitsfield School District

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities and the aggregate remaining fund information of Waitsfield School District, Vermont as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise the entity's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 29, 2011. 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 Waitsfield School District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Waitsfield School District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Waitsfield School District's internal control over financial reporting.

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Waitsfield 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 material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We noted certain matters that we reported to management of Waitsfield School District in a separate letter dated December 29, 2011.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the School Board, management, others within the entity, and state 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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December 29, 2011



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To the School Board Waitsfield School District

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Waitsfield School District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered Waitsfield School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Waitsfield School District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Waitsfield School District's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and therefore, there can be no assurance that all deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses have been identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

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

In addition, during our audit we became aware of several matters that are opportunities for strengthening internal controls and operating efficiency. Our comments and suggestions regarding those matters are summarized below. We previously reported on the Waitsfield School District's internal control in our report dated December 29, 2011. This letter does not affect our report dated December 29, 2011 in the financial statements of Waitsfield School District.

Other Matters and Suggestions:

Transaction Testing:

- During transaction testing it was noted that 12% items sampled were paid from either faxed invoices or photo copied invoices with no documentation on the fax or photocopy as to why it was used. Using a fax or photocopy instead of an original invoice could result in making duplicate payments for one expenditure. We recommend paying

expenditures using original invoices as supporting documentation. For instances where a fax or photocopy is used we recommend writing an explanation on the fax or photocopy explaining why it was used instead of the original invoice.

Bank Reconciliations:

When testing bank reconciliations it was noted that the TD Bank statement displayed Washington West Supervisory Union's (WWSU) name on the face of the statement. This could lead to questions about which entity has title and rights to ownership of the assets within this account. We recommend that the account with TD Bank be changed to reflect Waitsfield School District's name and identification number to ensure the School District's proper ownership of assets within that account.

We will review the status of these comments during our next audit engagement. We have already discussed many of these comments and suggestions with various personnel within Waitsfield School District, and we will be pleased to discuss them in further detail at your convenience, to perform any additional study of these matters, or to assist you in implementing the recommendations.

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August 24, 2011

To the School Board Waitsfield School District

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of **Waitsfield School District** for the year ended June 30, 2011. Professional standards require that we provide you with information about our responsibilities under generally accepted auditing standards (and, if applicable, Government Auditing Standards and OMB Circular A-133), as well as certain information related to the planned scope and timing of our audit. We have communicated such information in our letter to you dated August 24, 2011. Professional standards also require that we communicate to you the following information related to our audit.

Significant Audit Findings

Qualitative Aspects of Accounting Practices

Management is responsible for the selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. The significant accounting policies used by Waitsfield School District are described in Note 1 to the financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during June 30, 2011. We noted no transactions entered into by the governmental unit during the year for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus. All significant transactions have been recognized in the financial statements in the proper period.

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the financial statements prepared by management and are based on management's knowledge and experience about past and current events and assumptions about future events. Certain accounting estimates are particularly sensitive because of their significance to the financial statements and because of the possibility that future events affecting them may differ significantly from those expected. The most sensitive estimate affecting the financial statements was:

Management's estimate of the lives of property, plant, and equipment is based on expected usefulness. We evaluated the key factors and assumptions used to develop the lives of property, plant, and equipment in determining that it is reasonable in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

Certain financial statement disclosures are particularly sensitive because of their significance to financial statement users. The most sensitive disclosure affecting the financial statements was:

The disclosure of Fund Balances and Net Assets in Notes 7 and 8 to the financial statements as to how any surplus is to be used in future fiscal years.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing and completing our audit.

Corrected and Uncorrected Misstatements

Professional standards require us to accumulate all known and likely misstatements identified during the audit, other than those that are trivial, and communicate them to the appropriate level of management. Management has corrected all such misstatements. In addition, none of the misstatements detected as a result of audit procedures and corrected by management were material, either individually or in the aggregate, to each opinion unit's financial statements taken as a whole.

Disagreements with Management

For purposes of this letter, professional standards define a disagreement with management as a financial accounting, reporting, or auditing matter, whether or not resolved to our satisfaction, that could be significant to the financial statements or the auditor's report. We are pleased to report that no such disagreements arose during the course of our audit.

Management Representations

We have requested certain representations from management that are included in the management representation letter.

Management Consultations with Other Independent Accountants

In some cases, management may decide to consult with other accountants about auditing and accounting matters, similar to obtaining a "second opinion" on certain situations. If a consultation involves application of an accounting principle to the governmental unit's financial statements or a determination of the type of auditor's opinion that may be expressed on those statements, our professional standards require the consulting accountant to check with us to determine that the consultant has all the relevant facts. To our knowledge, there were no such consultations with other accountants.

Other Audit Findings or Issues

We generally discuss a variety of matters, including the application of accounting principles and auditing standards, with management each year prior to retention as the governmental unit's

auditors. However, these discussions occurred in the normal course of our professional relationship and our responses were not a condition to our retention.

This information is intended solely for the use of School Board and management of Waitsfield School District and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Very truly yours,

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