



**Annual Comprehensive Financial Report
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024**

**New Lenox School District 122
102 South Cedar Road
New Lenox, IL 60451
Will County**

New Lenox School District No. 122

Year Ended June 30, 2024

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Lori R. Motsch, Ed.D., Superintendent

OCTOBER 8, 2024

Members of the Board of Education New Lenox
School District 122
New Lenox, Illinois 60451

Dear Members of the Board:

The Illinois State Board of Education requires that every school district issue a complete set of audited financial statements. This report is published to fulfill that requirement for fiscal year end June 30, 2024.

The Annual Comprehensive Financial Report of New Lenox School District 122, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024 is submitted herewith. The audit was issued on October 8, 2024.

Management assumes full responsibility for the completeness and reliability of the information contained in this report, based on a comprehensive framework of internal control that it has established for this purpose. Because the cost of internal control should not exceed anticipated benefits, the objective is to provide reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance that the financial statements are free of any material misstatements.

Wipfli, LLP, Certified Public Accountants, have issued an unmodified ("Clean") opinion on the New Lenox School District 122 financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2024. The independent auditor's report is located at the front of the financial section of this report.

This report has been divided into three major areas; the Introductory, Financial, and Statistical. The introductory section includes the table of contents, transmittal letter, the District's organization chart and the list of principal officials. The financial section begins with the Independent Auditor's Report and includes management's discussion and analysis (MD&A), the Basic Financial Statements and Notes that provide an overview of the District's financial position and operating results, the Combining and Individual Fund Statements for non-major funds and other schedules that provide detailed information relative to the Basic Financial Statements. MD&A complements this letter of transmittal and should be read in conjunction with it. The last area of this report is the Statistical section. The Statistical Section includes a number of tables of unaudited data depicting the financial history of the District, demographics and the fiscal capacity of the District. When applicable, some data schedules will provide a ten-year history.

Profile of the District

The mission of New Lenox Schools, in partnership with the community, will be to promote academic excellence which focuses on the growth of the whole child. We will stimulate children to develop pride in themselves, community, and country, which will be reflected in their present and future decisions.

The District is an elementary (PreK-8) school district in New Lenox, Illinois, which operates as a single district, with an enrollment of approximately 5,000 students. The governing body consists of a seven-member Board of Education elected from within the District's boundaries. According to the Illinois School Code, the Board of Education:

- a. has the corporate power to sue and be sued in all courts,
- b. has the power to levy and collect taxes and to issue bonds,
- c. can contract for appointed administrators, teachers, and other personnel, as well as for goods and services.
- d. holds title to all District property, and
- e. appoints the Treasurer who serves as legal custodian of all the District's funds.

The Board of Education appoints a superintendent who, in turn, recommends to the Board of Education the appointment of the remaining administrative team. An organizational chart is provided at the front of this report.

The District is required to adopt an annual budget for all its funds by September 30 of each year. The annual budget serves as a foundation for financial planning and control. The budget is prepared by fund, function (e.g., instruction, support services), location, program, and object (e.g., salaries, employee benefits). Additional information of the District's budgetary accounting can also be found in the notes to required supplementary information and later in this letter. The Board of Education approves the hiring of employees, awarding of bids, and payments to vendors at its regular meetings throughout the year.

Our PreK-8 curriculum offers each student a strong foundation in reading, language arts, mathematics, science and social studies. We also provide music, art and physical education in all grades, with numerous extra-curricular opportunities at all grade levels.

In closing, the Board of Education of New Lenox 122 offers one of the most comprehensive educational programs in the Will County area. Consistently, the Board of Education has allocated timely and accurate resources for the programming needs of the educational community.

Accounting Systems and Budgetary Controls

In developing and evaluating the District's accounting system, consideration is given to the adequacy of internal accounting controls. Such controls are designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance for the safeguarding of assets against loss from unauthorized use or disposition and the reliability of financial records for preparing financial statements and maintaining accountability for assets. We believe that our internal accounting controls adequately safeguard District assets and provide reasonable assurance of the proper recording of financial data.

Budgetary control is maintained at line item levels and built up into location, department, and program totals before being combined to create fund totals. All actual activity compared to budget is reported to the District's Administrative team and to the Board of Education monthly. The reports compare year to date activity versus budget and prior year actual. Full disclosures are made if extraordinary variances appear during the year.

As a recipient of federal and state financial assistance, the District also is responsible for ensuring that an adequate internal control structure is in place to ensure compliance with applicable laws and regulations related to those programs. This internal control structure is subject to periodic evaluation by management.

Local Economy

The District covers an estimated thirty-two square mile area. The District serves most of the Village of New Lenox, portions of the Villages of Mokena, Joliet, Homer Glenn and a portion of unincorporated Will County. The District operates one kindergarten center, eight elementary schools, two junior high schools, and a special education center serving the needs of 5,000+ students in grades PreK-8. Classrooms studies are enhanced by Instructional Media Centers and state-of-the-art technology. The combined assessed valuation of industrial and commercial property averaged approximately 10% percent of the total property valuation within the School District which places the majority of the property tax burden on residential homeowners.

The equalized assessed valuation (EAV) for tax year 2023 increased 6.5% to \$1.8 billion over the 2022 EAV of \$1.7 billion. The increase in the EAV resulted in a slightly lower tax rate, due to limitations of the tax cap formula.

Illinois property tax legislation, known as the Property Tax Extension Limitation Law Act, limits the District's ability to generate property tax revenues. In addition to P.L. 89-1, the Illinois General Assembly amended Article 20, which limits the amount of debt service taxes a district can generate through the sale of non-referendum bonds to the district's 1994 aggregate non-referendum debt service amount.

In order for a District to increase its property tax rates, a referendum question would need to be put to the voters.

For information regarding the District's financial position and respective changes in financial position, please read the Management's Discussion and Analysis included later in this report.

Long-Term Financial Planning

The District needs to be fiscally prudent. Key areas of concern are property tax freeze, low future inflation, unfunded mandates, growing special education student needs, increasing health care costs, and pension cost shift. The District will continue to explore reducing expenditures where possible. The District's enrollment has been remained relatively stable over the past 6 years. This trend is expected to continue for some time before gradual increases are expected to be seen. As a result of this trend, the District is exploring options to more closely track and monitor future enrollment forecasts, in order to better plan for potential future this growth. Even though there is a large disparity in the age of the District's buildings, all of them have been very well maintained and the district consistently updates and communicates a long-range capital improvement plan with the Board and community.

District finances are monitored through such means as monthly finance reports to the Board of Education, the annual budget process, and long-term financial projections. The President of the Board of Education sets an agenda for the meetings. Agenda items include discussions on all major District revenues, expenses, investment practices and policies, and practices related to the management of District finances. The Board of Education through discussions shapes strategic directions for finance and monitors all policies related to the financial administration of District 122. The Board of Education provides guidance to management on the financing of strategic initiatives and District goals.

Relevant Financial Policies

Budget planning begins no later than March by adopting a proposed budget calendar. The proposed budget shall be available for public inspection and comment at least 30 days before the budget hearing. The adopted budget shall be posted on the District's website and filed with the Will County Clerk's office within 30 days of adoption. The Board of Education may amend the budget by following the same procedure as provided for in the original adoption.

The Board of Education shall act on all expenditures, interfund loans and transfers, transfers within funds in excess of 10 percent of the total fund, and all contingency fund expenditures.

The Chief School Business Official acts as the Chief Investment Officer and Treasurer. The Treasurer invests money in accordance with Board policy and state law. See the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for additional information on cash and investments.

The certificate of property tax levy is to be filed with the Will County Clerk's office by the last Tuesday in December. The District annually publishes a statement of affairs regarding its financial position by December 1.

Awards

The District has received the Association of School Business Officials International's (IASBOI) Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting for fiscal years 2021, 2022 and 2023. This honor is a prestigious national award recognizing standards for preparation of school district financial reports.

In order to be awarded this Certificate, the District must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized comprehensive annual financial report, whose contents conform to the program standards. Such reports must satisfy generally accepting accounting principles to determine its eligibility for the Certificate.

We believe that our current 2024 report also conforms to the Certificate requirements and we will be submitting it to ASBOI to determine its eligibility for the Certificate.

Acknowledgements and Closing Statements

The purpose of the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report is to provide the Board of Education, District Administration, and staff and community members, and other interested parties a meaningful report of the District's financial condition as of June 30, 2024.

The preparation of this report on a timely basis could not have been accomplished without the dedicated and able services of all the members of the Business Department, who assisted in the closing of the District's financial records for the preparation of the report, along with the Administration and Support Staff.

We would like to express a special thanks to the members of the Board of Education for the support and interest in the financial affairs of the District for the 2024 fiscal year.

Respectfully submitted,



Dr. Lori Motsch
Superintendent



Mr. Robert Groos
Business Manager/CSBO



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INTERNATIONAL

**The Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting
is presented to**

New Lenox School District No. 122

**for its Annual Comprehensive Financial Report
for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2023.**

The district report meets the criteria established for
ASBO International's Certificate of Excellence in Financial Reporting.



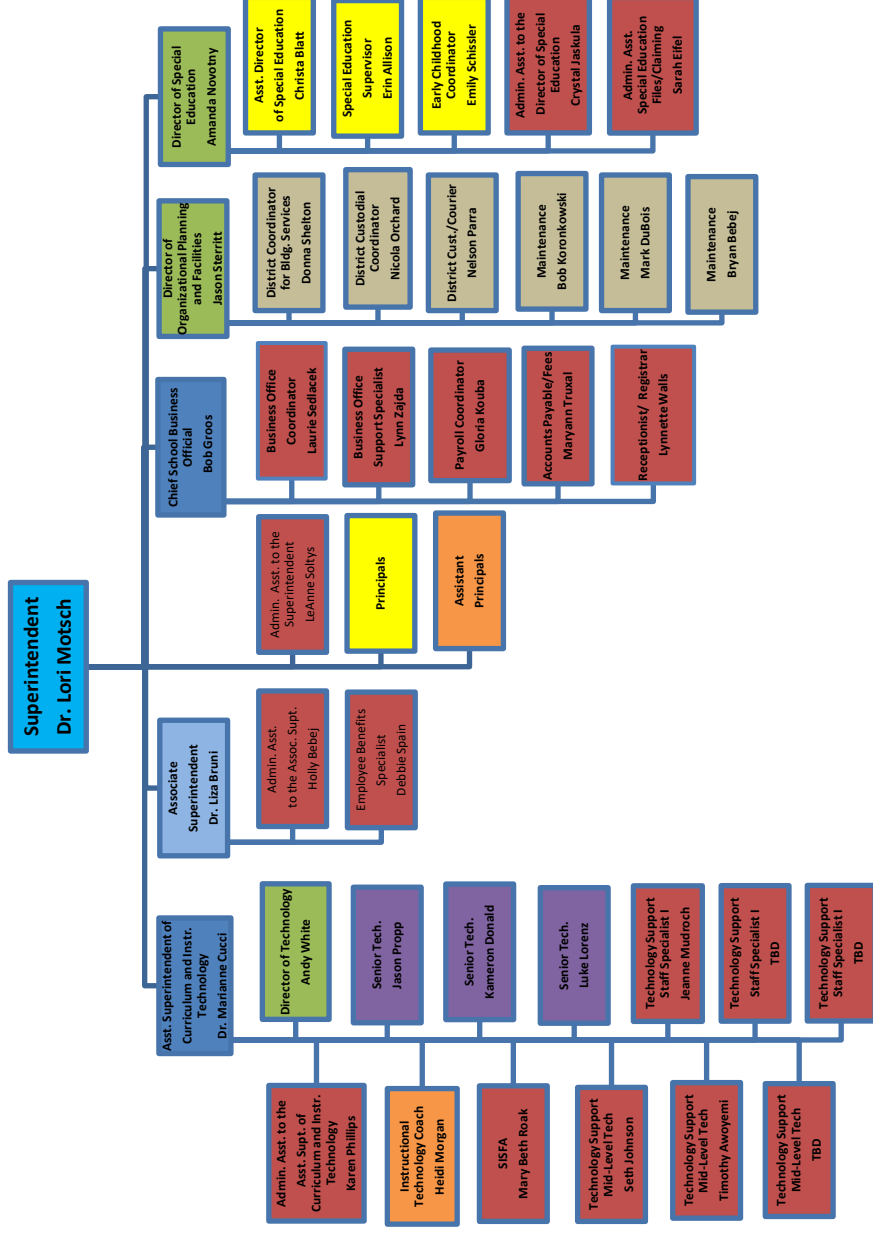
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Ryan S. Stechschulte
President

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading 'James M. Rowan'.

James M. Rowan, CAE, SFO
CEO/Executive Director

2023– 2024
New Lenox School District 122
District Office Staff
12/18/2023



New Lenox School District No. 122

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Annual Comprehensive Financial Report

Officers and Officials

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

Board of Education

		<u>Term Expires</u>
Rhonda Starklauf	President	2025
David Rush	Vice President	2025
Stephanie Peltzer	Secretary	2027
Nicole DeGrave	Member	2027
Al Haring	Member	2025
William Pender	Member	2027
Nicole Swallow	Member	2025

District Administration

Dr. Lori Motsch	Superintendent
Dr. Liza Bruni	Associate Superintendent
Mr. Robert Groos	Chief School Business Official
Dr. Marianne Cucci	Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum/Tech
Mr. Jason Sterritt	Director of Facilities and Organizational Planning
Mrs. Mandy Novotny	Director of Special Education
Mr. Andy White	Director of Technology

Officials Issuing Report

Dr. Lori Motsch	Superintendent
Mr. Robert Groos	Chief School Business Official

Department Issuing Report

Business Office

Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Education
New Lenox School District No. 122
New Lenox, Illinois

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the New Lenox School District No. 122 (the "District"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position for the year ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

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. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatements, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatements of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal controls. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the District's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management discussion and analysis and other required supplementary information as listed in the table of contents be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements. 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. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The other information comprises the introductory and statistical sections but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connections with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by *Government Auditing Standards*

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 8, 2024 on our consideration of the 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 solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of New Lenox School District No. 122's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Wipfli LLP".

**Aurora, Illinois
October 8, 2024**

New Lenox School District No. 122

Management Discussion and Analysis

For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

As management of the New Lenox School District No. 122 (the District), we offer readers of the District's Annual Financial Report this narrative and analysis of the financial activities of the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024. Certain comparative information between the current year and the prior is required to be presented in the Management's Discussion and Analysis (the "MD&A").

Financial Highlights

- The District had a total net deficit of \$35.8 million at the close of the most recent fiscal year. This total net deficit includes all long-term debt due to be paid over the next several years.
- The District's change in net position of \$11.5 million on June 30, 2024 was \$7.8 million higher than it was the year before.
- The District had total revenues of \$97.1 million and total expenses of \$85.6 million. These amounts both include State of Illinois on behalf contributions of \$14.6 million.
- The Educational Account had revenues of \$73.7 million (including about \$14.6 million of State Teacher Retirement System on behalf revenues) and expenditures of \$67.3 million (including about \$14.6 million of State Teacher Retirement System on behalf expenditures). The Educational Account fund balance at the end of the fiscal year increased \$1.6 million from \$24.5 million to \$26.1 million.
- The Operations and Maintenance Account had \$5.0 million in revenues and \$4.9 million in expenditures. The Operations and Maintenance Fund had a fund balance at year-end of \$5.1 million.
- The District's governmental funds reported combined fund balances of \$48.5 million, an increase of \$2.6 million vs prior year. Approximately 69% of this amount (\$33.3 million) is available for spending at the government's discretion (*unassigned fund balance*).
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unassigned fund balance for the General Fund was \$33.3 million, or approximately 46% of total General Fund expenditures.
- The District's long-term liabilities decreased by \$6.8 million to \$132.8 million.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis provided here is intended to serve as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements. The basic financial statements are comprised of three components:

- Government-wide financial statements
- Fund financial statements
- Notes to the financial statements

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Management Discussion and Analysis

For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

This report also contains combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules and other supplementary information intended to furnish additional detail to support the basic financial statements themselves.

Government-wide financial statements

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the District's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The statement of net position presents information about all of the District's assets, liabilities and deferred inflows/outflows of resources as reported using the modified accrual basis of accounting, with the difference reported as net position. Over time, changes in net position 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 net position of the District changed during the current fiscal year. Changes in net position are recorded in the statement of activities using the modified accrual basis of accounting.

The government-wide financial statements present the functions of the District that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities). The District has no business-type activities; that is, functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges. The District's governmental activities include instructional services (regular education, special education and other), supporting services, transportation services, and administration.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 15-16 of this report.

Fund financial statements

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 one categories: governmental fund (the District maintains no proprietary 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 the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a school district's near-term financing requirements.

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Management Discussion and Analysis

For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

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 school district's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balance provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

The District maintains six individual governmental funds. The General, Debt Services and Transportation Fund are considered to be major funds. They are presented separately in the fund financial statements with the remaining nonmajor governmental funds labeled as "Other Governmental Funds." Fund information for the nonmajor funds is presented in the combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules section of this report.

The District adopts an annual budget for each of the funds listed above. A budgetary comparison statement/schedule has been provided for each fund in the combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules section of this report to demonstrate compliance with the budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 17-21 of this report.

Notes to the financial statements

The notes to the financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes can be found on pages 22-52 of this report.

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Management Discussion and Analysis

For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Government-wide Overall Financial Analysis

Net Position: As noted earlier, net position over time may serve as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. The District's combined net deficit was \$11.5 million lower on June 30, 2024 than it was the year before (See Table 1).

Table 1		
Condensed Statement of Net Position	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
(in millions of dollars)		
Current and other assets	86.5	82.5
Capital assets	<u>66.4</u>	<u>67.0</u>
Total assets	<u>152.9</u>	<u>149.5</u>
Deferred outflows of resources	<u>17.2</u>	<u>22.3</u>
Long-term debt outstanding	142.2	152.7
Current liabilities	<u>4.9</u>	<u>4.6</u>
Total liabilities	<u>147.1</u>	<u>157.3</u>
Deferred inflows of resources	<u>58.8</u>	<u>61.8</u>
Net position (deficit):		
Net investment in capital assets	(47.1)	(47.2)
Restricted	13.9	13.0
Unrestricted	<u>(2.6)</u>	<u>(13.1)</u>
Total net position (deficit)	<u>(35.8)</u>	<u>(47.3)</u>

A portion of the District's net position reflects its investment in capital assets (e.g., land and improvements, buildings, and equipment), less any related outstanding debt that was used to acquire those assets. The District uses these capital assets to provide a variety of services to its citizens. Accordingly, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources used to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

An additional portion of the District's net position represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. At the end of the current fiscal year, the District is able to report positive balances in restricted net position. The District has a deficit relating to its investment in capital assets and unrestricted net deficit. The same situation held true for the prior fiscal year.

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Management Discussion and Analysis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Changes in net position: The District's net position increased by \$11.5 million in the current year. (See Table 2)

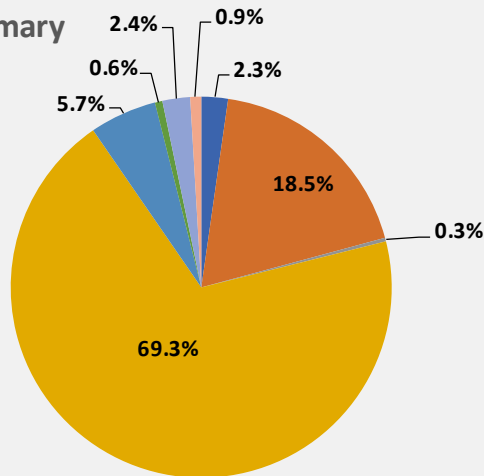
Table 2				
Changes in Net Position				
<i>(in millions of dollars)</i>				
	<u>2024</u>	<i>Percentage of Total</i>	<u>2023</u>	<i>Percentage of Total</i>
Revenues:				
Program revenues:				
Charges for services	2.2	2.54%	2.3	2.20%
Operating grants & contributions	18.0	17.49%	15.8	23.60%
Capital grants and contributions	0.3	0.32%	0.3	0.30%
General revenues:				
Property taxes	67.3	70.48%	63.5	66.70%
Evidence based funding	5.5	5.96%	5.4	5.70%
Other	<u>3.8</u>	<u>3.21%</u>	<u>2.8</u>	<u>1.50%</u>
Total revenues	<u>97.1</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>90.1</u>	<u>100%</u>
Expenses:				
Instruction	48.4	59.74%	51.6	54.90%
Pupil support	5.8	6.78%	5.9	6.40%
Other support	17.6	17.24%	15.0	21.80%
Transportation	4.6	5.08%	4.4	4.70%
Administration	1.6	1.88%	1.6	1.80%
Interest	<u>7.6</u>	<u>9.17%</u>	<u>7.9</u>	<u>10.40%</u>
Total expenses	<u>85.6</u>	<u>100%</u>	<u>86.4</u>	<u>100%</u>
Change in net position	11.5		3.7	
Net deficit at beginning of year	<u>(47.3)</u>		<u>(51.0)</u>	
Net deficit at end of year	<u><u>(35.8)</u></u>		<u><u>(47.3)</u></u>	

Governmental Activities

Revenues for the District's governmental activities were \$97.1 million and expenses were \$85.6 million. Revenues exceeded expenditures by \$11.5 million during the year.

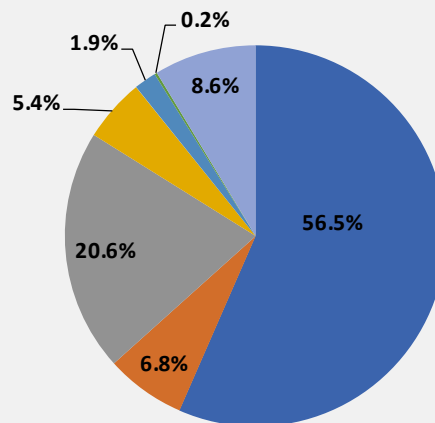
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Program Revenue Summary



- Charges for Services
- Capital Grants and Contributions
- Evidence Based Funding (State)
- Interest Income
- Operating Grants and Contributions
- Property Taxes (Local)
- CPPRT State Revenue
- Other Income

Program Expense Summary



- Instructional
- Support Services - Pupil
- Support Services - Other
- Support Services - Transportation
- Support Services - Administration
- Community Services
- Interest on Long-Term Debt

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Table 3 presents the cost of six major District activities: instruction, pupil support, other support, transportation, administration and interest. The table shows each activity's net cost (total cost less fees generated by the activities and intergovernmental aid provided for specific programs). The net cost shows the financial burden placed on the District's taxpayers by each of their functions.

Table 3 Net Cost of Governmental Activities (in millions of dollars)	<u>Total Cost</u> <u>of Services</u>	<u>Net Cost</u> <u>of Services</u>
Instruction	48.4	30.8
Pupil support	5.8	5.8
Other support	17.6	17.0
Transportation	4.6	2.4
Administration	1.6	1.6
Community service	0.2	0.2
Interest	<u>7.4</u>	<u>7.4</u>
Total	<u>85.6</u>	<u>65.2</u>

- The cost of all governmental activities this year was \$65.2 million. This includes on behalf expenses of \$14.6 million.
- Some of the cost was financed by the users of the District's programs (\$2.2 million).
- The federal and state governments subsidized certain programs with grants and contributions (\$18.3 million). The \$18.3 million amount includes on behalf revenue of \$14.6 million.
- Most of the District's net costs (\$65.2 million) were financed by local fees and property taxes.

Financial Analysis of the District's Funds

The financial performance of the District as a whole is reflected in its governmental funds as well. As noted earlier, the District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. The focus of the District's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the District's financing requirements. In particular, unassigned fund balances may serve as a useful measure of a school district's resources available for discretionary use as they represent the portion of fund balance which has not yet been limited to use for a particular purpose by either an external party, the District itself, or a group or individual that has been delegated authority to assign resources for use for particular purposes by the District's Board.

As the District completed the year, its governmental funds reported a *combined* fund balance of \$48.5 million. However, it should be emphasized that \$15.2 million of this fund balance is earmarked: \$6.8 million is restricted for debt service (the bond payments), \$1.4 million is restricted for municipal retirement / social security, \$5.3 million is restricted for transportation purposes, \$0.4 million is restricted for student activities, and \$1.3 is assigned for capital projects and fire prevention and safety purposes.

The unassigned fund balance for the District at the end of the fiscal year was comprised of \$33.3 million in the General Fund, which is the chief operating fund of the District. As a measure of the General Fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare unassigned fund balance to total General Fund expenditures. Unassigned fund balance represents approximately 46% of total General Fund expenditures.

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The total fund balance of the General Fund increased by \$1,870,087.

The fund balance of the Debt Services Fund (a major fund) increased by \$343,878.

The fund balance of the Transportation Fund (a major fund) increased by \$168,240.

The remaining nonmajor fund balances increased by \$228,289.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the District did not revise the annual operating budget.

The District's final budget for the General Fund (Educational and Operations and Maintenance, Working Cash and Tort Immunity Accounts) anticipated that expenditures and other financing uses would be more than revenues and other financing sources by \$1.5 million. The actual results for the year showed revenues and other financing sources were more than expenditures and other financing uses by \$1.9 million.

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

Capital assets

By the end of fiscal year 2023, the District had \$66.4 million in a broad range of capital assets, including land, school buildings, improvements, and equipment (See Table 4). This amount represents a decrease of \$0.69 million from last year. (More detailed information about capital assets can be found in Note 3 to the financial statements.)

Table 4 Capital Assets (net of depreciation) (in millions of dollars)	Governmental Activities <u>2024</u>	Governmental Activities <u>2023</u>
Land	\$ 10.8	\$ 10.8
Construction in progress	1.9	0.0
Depreciable improvements, property and equipment, net	<u>53.7</u>	<u>56.2</u>
Total	<u>\$ 66.4</u>	<u>\$ 67.0</u>

The three schools (Spencer Trail, Spencer Pointe, and Spencer Crossing) which opened in the 2006-07 school year will provide enough enrollment capacity for the next several years.

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Long-term debt

At year-end the District had \$117.0 million in general obligation bonds and other long-term debt outstanding as shown in Table 5. (More detailed information about the District's long-term liabilities is presented in Note 4 to the financial statements.)

Table 5		
Long Term Debt	<u>2024</u>	<u>2023</u>
General obligation bonds	100.5	103.0
Capital appreciation bonds	<u>16.5</u>	<u>21.8</u>
Total	<u>117.0</u>	<u>124.8</u>

Factors Bearing on the District's Future

At the time these financial statements were prepared and audited, the District was aware of the following circumstances that may significantly affect its financial health in the future:

- New property construction which helps support property tax revenue has been consistently strong the past few years. This trend is expected to continue into the future.
- The Village of New Lenox continues to work with developers to bring more residential, retail and commercial properties into the community.
- Please note the TRS On Behalf Contributions amount of \$14.6M reported throughout the report. This value represents what the State of Illinois paid to the TRS pension system for the year for the District's TRS eligible employees. The District never actually receives or spends any of these funds. It is important to note that these amounts are included in many of the total revenue and expenditure figures presented throughout the report.
- Illinois approved a new Evidence Based Model method of funding to replace the previous General State Aid formula. NLS122 received \$5.5M of Evidence Based Funding for FY24. This amount is about the same as the old General State Aid funding.
- NLS122 provides exceptional programs and services at an efficient cost structure. Strategic cost reductions have been consistently implemented over the years to help create excellent fund balance reserves while maintaining the integrity of the high-quality programs. The District has kept operating expenditures less than operating revenues for several years to help fund annual capital infrastructure improvements without the need to issue any new additional debt. The District looks to consistently pay down the existing building referendum debt which was issued many years ago to build nearly half the District's buildings over the past 20 years. The District will continue to strategically plan for the future to ensure financial sustainability, excellent programs, efficient operations and safe, clean, modern facilities while balancing the interests of all constituents. The NLS122 Strategic Financial Plan which includes financial, debt, technology and capital infrastructure planning is publicly discussed and updated twice per year.

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The District is fortunate to have strong community support as well as having valuable partnerships with the Village of New Lenox, The New Lenox Park District, Lincoln-Way High School District 210 and other neighboring school districts. Collaboration with these other organizations helps to bring better and more efficient services to the community.

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide the District's citizens, taxpayers, and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report, or need additional financial information, contact:

Chief School Business Official
New Lenox School District 122
102 South Cedar Road
New Lenox, Illinois, 60451

Basic Financial Statements

New Lenox School District No. 122

Statement of Net Position

	Governmental Activities
<i>June 30, 2024</i>	
Assets	
Equity in pooled cash and investments	\$ 53,345,384
Receivables	
Taxes receivable	32,904,099
Grants receivable	274,044
Capital assets not being depreciated:	
Land	10,807,123
Construction in progress	1,952,374
Capital assets net of accumulated depreciation:	
Land improvements	2,775,960
Buildings	49,696,899
Equipment	<u>1,189,431</u>
Total assets	<u>152,945,314</u>
Deferred outflow of resources	
Deferred charge on refunding	10,753,467
Deferred outflows pension related	2,357,669
Deferred outflows OPEB related	<u>4,076,966</u>
Total deferred outflow of resources	<u>17,188,102</u>
Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	206,507
Accrued payroll expense	3,357,662
Accrued interest payable	875,665
Noncurrent liabilities:	
Due within one year	9,600,000
Due in more than one year	<u>133,029,922</u>
Total liabilities	<u>147,069,756</u>
Deferred inflow of resources	
Property taxes levied for subsequent year	34,464,291
Deferred inflows pension related	316,877
Deferred inflows OPEB related	<u>24,058,258</u>
Total deferred inflow of resources	<u>58,839,426</u>
Net position (deficit):	
Net investment in capital assets	(47,113,431)
Restricted for:	
Debt service	6,824,151
Fire prevention and safety	121,751
Municipal retirement/social security	1,269,122
Transportation	5,333,469
Other purposes	351,025
Unrestricted	<u>(2,561,853)</u>
Total net position (deficit)	<u>\$ (35,775,766)</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Activities

Year Ended June 30, 2024	Expenses	Program Revenues			Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Total Governmental Activities
Functions/programs:					
Governmental activities:					
Instructional	\$ 48,313,113	\$ 1,789,115	\$ 15,728,125	\$ -	\$ (30,795,873)
Support services					
Pupil	5,806,169	-	-	-	(5,806,169)
Other	17,645,979	357,983	-	297,160	(16,990,836)
Transportation	4,604,422	24,610	2,228,341	-	(2,351,471)
Administration	1,612,374	-	-	-	(1,612,374)
Community services	198,334	-	-	-	(198,334)
Interest on long-term debt	<u>7,392,544</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(7,392,544)</u>
Total governmental activities	\$ <u>85,572,935</u>	\$ <u>2,171,708</u>	\$ <u>17,956,466</u>	\$ <u>297,160</u>	<u>(65,147,601)</u>
General revenues:					
Taxes:					
Property					67,318,782
Personal property replacement					596,618
Evidence based funding					5,525,290
Earnings on investments					2,319,499
Other income					<u>887,219</u>
Total general revenues					<u>76,647,408</u>
Change in net position (deficit)					11,499,807
Net deficit at beginning of year					<u>(47,275,573)</u>
Net deficit at end of year					\$ <u>(35,775,766)</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Balance Sheet

Governmental Funds

<i>June 30, 2024</i>	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Transportation Fund	Nonmajor Funds	Total
Assets					
Cash and investments	\$ 38,113,478	\$ 7,120,122	\$ 5,369,822	\$ 2,741,962	\$ 53,345,384
Receivables					
Taxes receivable	25,172,529	6,244,100	766,913	720,557	32,904,099
Grants receivable	<u>274,044</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>274,044</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 63,560,051</u>	<u>\$ 13,364,222</u>	<u>\$ 6,136,735</u>	<u>\$ 3,462,519</u>	<u>\$ 86,523,527</u>
Liabilities, Deferred Inflows, and Fund Balances					
Liabilities					
Accounts payable	\$ 182,151	\$ -	\$ -	24,356	\$ 206,507
Accrued payroll expenditures	<u>3,357,662</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,357,662</u>
Total liabilities	<u>3,539,813</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>24,356</u>	<u>3,564,169</u>
Deferred inflow of resources					
Property taxes levied for subsequent year	<u>26,366,384</u>	<u>6,540,071</u>	<u>803,266</u>	<u>754,570</u>	<u>34,464,291</u>
Fund balances					
Restricted	351,025	6,824,151	5,333,469	1,390,873	13,899,518
Assigned	-	-	-	1,292,720	1,292,720
Unassigned	<u>33,302,829</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>33,302,829</u>
Total fund balances	<u>33,653,854</u>	<u>6,824,151</u>	<u>5,333,469</u>	<u>2,683,593</u>	<u>48,495,067</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows, and fund balances	<u>\$ 63,560,051</u>	<u>\$ 13,364,222</u>	<u>\$ 6,136,735</u>	<u>\$ 3,462,519</u>	<u>\$ 86,523,527</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet of Governmental Funds
To Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2024

Fund balances - total governmental funds \$ 48,495,067

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources, and therefore, are not reported in funds. The cost of the assets is \$143,586,389 and the accumulated depreciation is \$77,164,662. 66,421,787

Long-term liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period, and therefore, are not reported in the funds. Long-term liabilities and related accounts at year-end consist of:

Bonds payable	(124,288,685)	
Deferred amount on refunding	10,753,467	
Net OPEB liabilities	(12,783,592)	
Net pension liabilities	(5,557,645)	
Accrued interest payable on long-term debt	<u>(875,665)</u>	
Total		(132,752,120)

Differences between expected and actual experiences, assumptions changes and net differences between projected and actual earnings and contributions subsequent to the measurement date for the postretirement benefits (pension and OPEB) are recognized as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources on the statement of net position.

Deferred outflows - pension related	2,357,669	
Deferred outflows - OPEB related	4,076,966	
Deferred inflows - pension related	(316,877)	
Deferred inflows - OPEB related	<u>(24,058,258)</u>	
Total		<u>(17,940,500)</u>

Net deficit of governmental activities \$ (35,775,766)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes In Fund Balances Governmental Funds

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Transportation Fund	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total
Revenues					
Local sources					
Property taxes	\$ 50,802,749	\$ 12,940,775	\$ 2,007,503	\$ 1,567,755	\$ 67,318,782
Investment income	1,646,237	137,640	271,461	264,161	2,319,499
Other	<u>3,122,904</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>265,357</u>	<u>272,160</u>	<u>3,660,421</u>
Total local sources	<u>55,571,890</u>	<u>13,078,415</u>	<u>2,544,321</u>	<u>2,104,076</u>	<u>73,298,702</u>
State sources					
Evidence Based Funding	5,525,290	-	-	-	5,525,290
Grants-in-aid	<u>862,333</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,228,341</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>3,140,674</u>
Total state sources	<u>6,387,623</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,228,341</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>8,665,964</u>
Federal sources					
Unrestricted	<u>2,243,505</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,243,505</u>
On behalf revenues - payments by state of Illinois	<u>14,639,526</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,639,526</u>
Total revenues	<u>78,842,544</u>	<u>13,078,415</u>	<u>4,772,662</u>	<u>2,154,076</u>	<u>98,847,697</u>
Expenditures:					
Current operating					
Instruction	50,463,539	-	-	652,062	51,115,601
Support Services	21,136,277	-	4,604,422	1,999,757	27,740,456
Community services	40,682	-	-	-	40,682
Payments to other districts and government units	157,652	-	-	-	157,652
Capital outlay	424,307	-	-	4,023,968	4,448,275
Debt service					
Principal	-	9,190,000	-	-	9,190,000
Interest	-	3,539,437	-	-	3,539,437
Service fees on bonds	<u>-</u>	<u>5,100</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>5,100</u>
Total expenditures	<u>72,222,457</u>	<u>12,734,537</u>	<u>4,604,422</u>	<u>6,675,787</u>	<u>96,237,203</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>6,620,087</u>	<u>343,878</u>	<u>168,240</u>	<u>(4,521,711)</u>	<u>2,610,494</u>

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes In Fund Balances Governmental Funds (Continued)

Year Ended June 30, 2024	General Fund	Debt Service Fund	Transportation Fund	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Total
Other financing sources (uses)					
Transfers in	-	-	-	4,750,000	4,750,000
Transfers out	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(4,750,000)</u>
Total other financing sources (uses)	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balance	1,870,087	343,878	168,240	228,289	2,610,494
Fund balances at beginning of year	<u>31,783,767</u>	<u>6,480,273</u>	<u>5,165,229</u>	<u>2,455,304</u>	<u>45,884,573</u>
Fund balances at end of year	<u>\$ 33,653,854</u>	<u>\$ 6,824,151</u>	<u>\$ 5,333,469</u>	<u>\$ 2,683,593</u>	<u>\$ 48,495,067</u>

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities Year Ended June 30, 2024

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds \$ 2,610,494

Amounts 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 - modified cash basis, the cost of these assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation \$3,478,271 exceeded net capital additions \$2,858,960 in the current period.

(619,311)

The governmental funds record bond and loan proceeds as other financing sources, while repayment of bond and loan principal is reported as an expenditure. In the statement of activities, debt issuance and repayments of bond principal are not reported as they are an increase, or a reduction of long-term liabilities. The net effect of these differences in the treatment of general obligation bonds and related items is as follows:

Repayment of bond principal	9,190,000
Change in net pension liability - TRS	6,412
Change in net pension liability - IMRF	1,404,596
Change in net OPEB obligation - HIPRE	373,254
Change in net OPEB obligation - THIS	<u>(256,062)</u>

Total 10,718,200

Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.

Accrued interest on long-term debt	18,392
Amortization of deferred amounts on refunding	(3,281,977)
Amortization of bond premium	783,282
Accretion on bonds	(1,367,704)
Changes in pension deferred outflows and inflows of resources	(721,473)
Changes in OPEB deferred outflows and inflows of resources	<u>3,359,904</u>

(1,209,576)

Change in net position of governmental activities \$ 11,499,807

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Notes to Financial Statements

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

New Lenox School District No. 122 (the "District") operates as a public school system governed by a seven member board. The District is organized under the School Code of the State of Illinois, as amended. The accounting policies of the District conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. A summary of the significant accounting policies, consistently applied in the accompanying financial statements is described below.

A. Reporting Entity

The District is governed by the Board of Education and provides primary education, transportation, cafeteria, building maintenance and general administrative services.

These financial statements include the District and its component units, entities for which the District is considered financially accountable. At June 30, 2024, no entities were considered component units of the District. At June 30, 2024, the District was not considered a component unit of another entity.

B. Basis of Presentation

1. Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the District. The effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. The District's operating activities are all considered "governmental activities", that is, activities normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues. The District has no operating activities that would be considered "business activities"

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct cash disbursements of a given function are offset by program receipts. Direct cash disbursement are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program receipts include (1) amounts paid by the recipient of goods or services offered by the program and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Taxes and other items not properly included among program receipts are reported instead as general receipts.

2. Governmental Funds Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds. Separate statements for each fund category - governmental are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental funds. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds.

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Notes to Financial Statements

B. Basis of Presentation (Continued)

The District reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the District's primary operating fund. It is comprised of four subfunds: the Educational Fund, the Operations and Maintenance Fund, the Tort Fund, and the Working Cash Fund. The General Fund accounts for all financial resources of the District, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The Debt Service Fund accounts for the accumulation of resources for and the payment of long-term debt principal, interest and related costs.

The Transportation Fund accounts for financial resources held by the District to be used for the transportation of students for school purposes. Revenues received and disbursements from this fund are legally restricted for this specific purpose.

The District has the following nonmajor governmental funds:

Special revenue fund type:

This fund type is used to account for the specific revenue sources that are restricted by law or administrative action to expenditure for specific purposes other than debt service or capital projects. The District's nonmajor special revenue funds is the Municipal Retirement/Social Security Fund.

Capital project fund type:

This fund type accounts for the receipt and disbursement of monies used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of the District's capital facilities. The District's nonmajor capital project funds are the Capital Projects Fund and the Fire Prevention and Safety Fund.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as *current financial resources or economic resources*. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of recognition in the financial statements of various kinds of transaction or events.

Basis of Accounting

In the government-wide statement of net position and statement of activities, governmental activities are presented using the economic resources of management focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

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Notes to Financial Statements

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting (Continued)

The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they have been earned and they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. The District considers all revenues available if they are collected within 60 days after year-end. Revenues collected after 60 days are recorded as unavailable revenue. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. However, unmatured principal and interest on long-term debt is recognized when due; and certain claims and judgments are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources.

Property taxes, sales taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, and interest associated with the current fiscal year are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal year. Entitlements are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time the requirement, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue resource (within 60 days of year end). Expenditure -driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditure has been incurred and all other eligibility requirements have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability for this revenue source (within 60 days of year end). All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the District.

D. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance

1. Cash and Investments

The District's investments are carried at fair value. Changes in the fair value of investments are included in investment income. The Illinois statutes authorize the District to invest in U.S. government, state of Illinois and municipal securities; certificates of deposit or time savings deposits insured by the FDIC; mortgage notes, bonds or debentures issued by the Federal Housing Administration; bonds and other obligations of the Federal Housing Finance Administration; certain short-term obligations of U.S. corporations; and external investment pools.

Illinois School District Liquid Asset Fund Plus (ISDALF+) is an investment trust formed pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code and managed by a board of trustees elected from participating members. ISDLAF+ is not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as an investment company.

Cash and investments of the District are pooled into a common pooled account in order to maximize investment opportunities. Each fund whose monies are deposited into the pooled account has an equity therein, and interest earned on the investment of these monies is allocated based upon relative equity at month end. An individual fund's equity in the pooled account is available upon demand and is considered to be a cash equivalent when preparing these financial statements. Each fund's portion of the pool is displayed on its respective balance sheet as "equity in pooled cash and investments." In addition, non-pooled cash and investments are separately held and reflected in the respective funds as "cash" and "investments."

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2. Capital Assets

The District's capital assets are tangible and intangible assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (land, building, and equipment), are reported in the applicable governmental activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year.

As the District constructs or acquires additional capital assets each period, including infrastructure assets, they are capitalized and reported at historical cost. The reported value excludes normal maintenance and repairs which are essentially amounts spent in relation to capital assets that do not increase the capacity or efficiency of the item or increase its estimated useful life. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated acquisition value at the date of the donation. Acquisition value is the price that would be paid to acquire an asset worth equivalent service potential on the date of donation. Intangible assets follow the same capitalization policies as tangible capital assets and are reported with tangible assets in the appropriate capital asset class.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed.

Depreciation of all exhaustible capital assets is recorded as an allocated expense in the statement of activities, with accumulated depreciation reflected in the statement of net position. Depreciation is provided over the assets' estimated useful lives using the straight-line method of depreciation. The range of estimated useful lives by type of asset is as follow:

Assets	Years
Land improvements	20 years
Buildings	40-50 years
Equipment	3-10 years

In the fund financial statements, capital assets acquired for use in governmental fund operations are accounted for as capital outlay expenditures of the governmental fund upon acquisition.

3. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the financial statements will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. The separate financial statement element, *deferred outflows of resources*, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an outflow if resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The District has two types of items that qualifies for reporting in this category. *Deferred charge of refunding and deferred amounts related to pension and OPEB*. A deferred charge on a refunding results from the difference in the carrying value of refunded debt and its reacquisition price. The amount is deferred and amortized over the shorter of the life of the refunded or refunding debt. The deferred amount related to pension and OPEB relate differences between the estimated and actual investment earnings, changes in actuarial assumptions, and other pension and OPEB related charges.

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3. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources (Continued)

In addition to liabilities, the financial statements will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred inflows of resources*, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenues) until that time. The District has two items that qualify for reporting in this category. Unavailable revenue is reported in the governmental funds balance sheet and government-wide financial statements. The governmental funds and government-wide financial statements report unavailable revenues from two sources: property taxes and grants. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available. In the government-wide financial statements the District reports deferred amounts related to pensions and OPEB.

4. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as gains (losses) on refunding, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discounts. Gains (losses) on refunding are reported as deferred inflows (outflows) of resources. Bond issuance costs, whether or not withheld or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as expenses.

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

5. Equity Classifications

Equity is classified as net position in the government-wide financial statements and displayed in three components:

Net investment in capital assets. Consists of capital assets, including restricted capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes or other borrowing that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets less than an unspent debt proceeds.

Restricted. Consists of net position with constraints placed on its use wither by 1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or, 2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted. All other net position that does not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets."

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

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5. *Equity Classifications* (Continued)

Equity is classified as fund balance in the fund financial statements and displayed in five components:

Nonspendable - includes amounts not in spendable form, such as inventory, or amounts required to be maintained intact legally or contractually (principal endowment) (e.g. inventory, prepaid items, permanent scholarships)

Restricted - includes amounts constrained for a specific purpose by external parties (e.g. Debt Service, Capital Projects, State and Federal Grant Funds).

Committed - includes amounts constrained for a specific purpose by a government using its highest level of decision making authority, the Board of Education. This formal action (a resolution) must occur prior to the end of the reporting period, but the amount of the commitment, which will be subject to the constraints, may be determined in the subsequent period. Any changes to the constraint imposed require the same formal action of the Board of Education that originally created the commitment.

Assigned - includes general fund amounts constrained for a specific purpose by the Board of Education or by an Official that has been delegated authority to assign amounts. The Board of Education has declared that the Superintendent of the Superintendent's designee may assign amounts for a specific purpose. The Board of Education may also take official action to assign amounts. Additionally, all remaining positive spendable amounts in governmental funds, other than the General Fund, that are neither restricted nor committed are considered assigned. Assignments may take place after the end of the reporting period.

Unassigned - includes residual positive fund balance within the General Fund which has not been classified within the other above mentioned categories. Unassigned fund balance may also include negative balances for any governmental fund if expenditures exceed amounts restricted, committed, or assigned for those specific purposes.

In circumstances where an expenditure is to be made for a purpose for which amounts are available in multiple fund balance classifications, the order in which resources will be expended in the General Fund is as follows: restricted fund balance, followed by committed fund balance, assigned fund balance, and lastly, unassigned fund balance. In all other funds (Special Revenue, Debt Service, Capital Projects), assigned fund balance will be spent first, followed by committed fund balance, and then restricted fund balance.

Governmental fund balances reported on the fund financial statements at June 30, 2024 are as follows:

The restricted fund balance in the General Fund is comprised of \$317,029 for student activities and \$33,996 for tort immunity. The remaining restricted fund balances are for the purpose of the respective funds as described above in the Major and Nonmajor Governmental Funds section.

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E. Revenue

1. Program Revenues

Amounts reported as program revenues include 1) charges to individuals or entities that purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. All taxes, including those dedicated for specific purposes, and other internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

2. Property Tax Revenue

The District's property tax is levied each year on all taxable real property located in the District on or before the last day in December. The lien date for the levy is January 1. The Board of Education approved the 2023 tax levy on November 14, 2023. Property taxes are payable in two installments on June 1 and September 1 of the following year. The District receives significant distributions of tax receipts approximately one month after these due dates.

F. Estimates

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and deferred outflows/inflows of resources; the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities; and the reported revenues and expenses/expenditures. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. Deposits and Investments

Deposits

Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that, in the event of bank failure, the District's deposits might not be covered. As of June 30, 2024, the bank balance of the District's deposits with financial institutions totaled \$2,932,568, of which all was collateralized and insured. The carrying amount of the District cash and cash equivalents was \$2,247,563.

The District categorizes its fair value measurement within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

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2. Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Investments

The District had the following investments as of June 30, 2024:

Investment Type (3)	Investment Maturities (in Years)			Percent of Portfolio	Applicable Agency Rating	Fair Value Level
	Fair Value	Less than 1	1 - 5			
ISDLAF	\$ 18,895,998	\$ 18,895,998	\$ -	37.0 %	AAAm	NAV
Certificates of deposit	13,780,800	13,780,800	-	27.0 %	N/A	N/A
IntraFi	4,000,000	4,000,000	-	7.8 %	N/A	N/A
Savings Deposit Account (SDA)	5,594,410	5,594,410	-	10.9 %	N/A	N/A
Securities	1,226,613	1,226,613	-	2.4 %	Aaa	2
Term Series	<u>7,600,000</u>	<u>7,600,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14.9 %</u>	N/A	2
Total Investments	\$ <u>51,097,821</u>	\$ <u>51,097,821</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>		

- (1) Standard & Poor's ratings are provided where applicable to indicate associated *Credit Risk*. N/A indicates not applicable.
- (2) *Interest Rate Risk* is estimated using weighted average years to maturity.
- (3) Pooled cash and investments are reported as *equity in pooled cash and investments*. Investments in the pool are not separately reported in the financial statements as ownership of investments cannot be assigned to individual funds including fiduciary funds. Therefore, total investments will not agree to the financial statements.

Investments Policies

The District's investments are subject to the following risks:

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of the District's in a single issuer.

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. State statutes limit investment in commercial paper, corporate bonds, and mutual funds to the top two ratings issued by nationally recognized statistical rating organizations. As of June 30, 2024, the District's investments were rated as shown above by the applicable rating agency.

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The District has a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits might not be recovered. The District's investment policy protects the District from custodial risk by requiring funds on deposit (checking accounts, certificates of deposit, etc.), in excess of FDIC limits, to be collateralized in accordance with Public Funds Investment Act, 30 ILCS 235. All investments are required to be registered and held by a third-party custodian.

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3. Capital Assets

Governmental activities capital asset balances and activity for the year ended June 30, 2024, were as follows:

Governmental Activities	Balance June 30, 2023	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2024
Capital assets, not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 10,807,123	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,807,123
Construction in progress	-	1,952,374	-	1,952,374
Total capital assets, not being depreciated	10,807,123	1,952,374	-	12,759,497
Capital assets, being depreciated:				
Land improvements	7,648,020	135,366	-	7,783,386
Buildings and improvements	111,505,606	440,749	-	111,946,355
Equipment	10,766,680	330,471	-	11,097,151
Total capital assets, being depreciated	129,920,306	906,586	-	130,826,892
Accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	(4,709,026)	(298,400)	-	(5,007,426)
Buildings and improvements	(59,252,762)	(2,996,694)	-	(62,249,456)
Equipment	(9,724,603)	(183,177)	-	(9,907,780)
Total accumulated depreciation	(73,686,391)	(3,478,271)	-	(77,164,662)
Total capital assets, being depreciated, net	56,233,915	(2,571,685)	-	53,662,230
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 67,041,038	\$ (619,311)	\$ -	\$ 66,421,727

Depreciation expense was charged to functions of the District as follows:

Instructional	\$ 2,714,791
Pupil support	573,219
Other support	82,435
Administration	<u>107,826</u>
Total depreciation expense	\$ <u>3,478,271</u>

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4. Interfund Transfers

Interfund transfers in the fund financial statements on June 30, 2024, are as follows:

Transfer From	Transfer To	Amount
General Fund - Educational Account	Capital Projects Fund	\$ <u>4,750,000</u>
Total		\$ <u>4,750,000</u>

Transfers are used to move revenues from the fund that statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that statute or budget requires to expend them or to transfer investment earnings from one fund to another. Transfers are also used to move unrestricted revenues collected in the General Fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorization.

4. Long-Term Debt

Changes in General Long-term Liabilities. The following is the long-term liability activity for the District for the year ended June 30, 2024:

	Balance June 30, 2023	Additions	Adjustments/ Reductions	Balance June 30, 2024	Amounts due Within One Year
Bonds payable	\$ 124,816,238	\$ 1,367,704	\$ 9,190,000	\$ 116,993,942	\$ 9,600,000
Unamortized premium	8,078,025	-	783,282	7,294,743	-
Net Pension Liability - Illinois					
Municipal Retirement	4,608,083	-	1,404,596	3,203,487	-
Net Pension Liability - TRS	2,360,570	-	6,412	2,354,158	-
Net OPEB Liability - THIS	7,145,263	256,062	-	7,401,325	-
Net OPEB Liability - Health Insurance Plan for Retired Employees (HIPRE)	<u>5,755,521</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>373,254</u>	<u>5,382,267</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	\$ <u>152,763,700</u>	\$ <u>1,623,766</u>	\$ <u>11,757,544</u>	\$ <u>142,629,922</u>	\$ <u>9,600,000</u>

At June 30, 2023, \$13,364,222 of restricted balance was available in the Debt Services Fund to service the above listed bonds payable.

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4. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

General Obligation Bonds

Series 2013A dated April 30, 2013 were issued by the District in the amount of \$5,960,000. Principal payments are due through October 1, 2032; interest payments at rate of 4.70% are due on April 1 and October 1. \$ 2,710,000

Series 2018 dated July 10, 2018 were issued by the District in the amount of \$15,250,000. Principal payments are due through October 1, 2026; interest payments at rates from 2.350% and 3.632% are due on April 1 and October 1. 8,410,000

Series 2019A dated September 10, 2019 were issued by the District in the amount of 9,670,000. Principal payments are due beginning October 1, 2022 through October 1, 2027; interest payments at rates from 1.825% and 2.111% are due on April 1 and October 1. 8,215,000

Series 2019B dated September 10, 2019 were issued by the District in the amount of \$4,760,000. Principal payments are due beginning October 1, 2028 through October 1, 2032; interest payments at a rates from 1.800% to 2.550% are due on April 1 and October 1. 4,760,000

Series 2021 dated September 14, 2021 were issued by the District in the amount of \$15,145,000. Principal payments are due beginning October 1, 2029 through October 1, 2031; interest payments at rates from 1.08% and 1.23% are due on April 1 and October 1. 15,145,000

Series 2022A dated April 1, 2022 were issued by the District in the amount of \$23,055,000. Principal payments are due beginning October 1, 2032 through October 1, 2033; interest payments at rates from 2.18% to 2.28% are due on April 1 and October 1. 23,055,000

Series 2022B dated March 16, 2022 were issued by the District in the amount of \$39,085,000. Principal payments are due beginning October 1, 2023 through October 1, 2032; interest payments at rates at 2.770% are due on April 1 and October 1. 38,230,000

Total general obligation bonds \$ 100,525,000

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4. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

Capital Appreciation Bonds Payable

Series 2004D dated November 23, 2004 were issued by the District in the amount of \$6,280,299. Principal payments are due through November 1, 2024; interest payments at rate from 5.20% to 5.47% are due on November 1.

\$ 8,686,642

Series 2007C dated March 15, 2008 were issued by the District in the amount of \$2,924,275. Principal payments are due beginning October 1, 2025 through October 1, 2026; interest payments at rates from 5.80% and 5.85% are due on October 1.

7,782,300

Total capital appreciation bonds

16,468,942

Total bonds payable

\$ 116,993,942

Annual Debt Service Requirements

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for all general obligation bonds are as follows:

Fiscal Year	Principal	Interest	Total
2025	\$ 390,000	\$ 3,493,485	\$ 3,883,485
2026	6,020,000	3,389,254	9,409,254
2027	5,400,000	3,201,468	8,601,468
2028	10,800,000	2,978,244	13,778,244
2029	11,245,000	2,623,808	13,868,808
2030 - 2033	66,670,000	6,577,404	73,247,404
Total	<u>\$ 100,525,000</u>	<u>\$ 22,263,663</u>	<u>\$ 122,788,663</u>

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for capital appreciation bonds are as follows:

Fiscal Year	Principal	Interest	Total
2025	\$ 9,210,000	\$ (912,673)	\$ 8,297,327
2026	3,845,000	(389,315)	3,455,685
2027	4,915,000	(199,070)	4,715,930
Total	<u>\$ 17,970,000</u>	<u>\$ (1,501,058)</u>	<u>\$ 16,468,942</u>

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4. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

Prior Year Defeasance of Debt

In prior years, the District defeased various bond issues by placing proceeds of the new bonds in irrevocable trust funds to provide for future debt service payments on the old bonds. Accordingly, the trust account assets and liability for the defeased bonds are not included in the District's financial statements. As of June 30, 2024, \$18,713,846 of the defeased bonds remain outstanding.

Legal Debt Margin

The District's statutory debt limit is 6.9% of the Equalized Assessed Valuation of all taxable property located within the boundaries of the District. However, pursuant to the Illinois School Code, certain of the District's bonds are subject to a debt limitation of 15% as a result of the District's successful bond referenda in 1996, 2000, and 2004. Such bonds are eligible for the "exploding enrollment exception" due to an unusually high increase in the District's student enrollment. Alternate Revenue Source Bonds do not constitute debt for the statutory debt limitation purposes. Shown below is the calculation of the District's debt limitation and debt margin as of June 30, 2024:

	15% of Assessed Valuation	6.9% of Assessed Valuation
Assessed valuation - 2023 tax year	\$ <u>1,792,727,469</u>	\$ <u>1,792,727,469</u>
Statutory debt limitation	\$ 268,909,120	\$ 123,698,195
Less debt subject to the limitation: Bonds payable	<u>(16,468,942)</u>	<u>(24,095,000)</u>
Total	\$ <u>252,440,178</u>	\$ <u>99,603,195</u>

5. Other Information

A. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to tort's; thefts of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; employee medical coverage; and workers' compensation for which the District carries commercial insurance. The amount of coverage has not decreased nor have the amount of settlements exceeded coverage in the current year or any of the past three years.

B. Employee Retirement Systems

The retirement plans of the District include the Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois (TRS) and the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF). Most funding for TRS is provided through payroll withholdings of certified employees and contributions made by the State of Illinois on-behalf of the District. IMRF is funded through property taxes and a perpetual lien of the District's corporate personal property replacement tax. Each retirement system is discussed below.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

a. Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois (TRS)

Plan Description

The District participates in the TRS. TRS is a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that was created by the Illinois legislature for the benefit of Illinois public school teachers employed outside the City of Chicago.

TRS members include all active non-annuitants who are employed by a TRS-covered employer to provide services for which teacher licensure is required. The Illinois Pension Code outlines the benefit provisions of TRS, and amendments to the plan can be made only by legislative action with the Governor's approval. The TRS Board of Trustees is responsible for the System's administration.

TRS issues a publicly available financial report that can be obtained at <https://www.trsil.org/financial/acfrs/fy2023>; by writing to TRS at 2815 W. Washington, PO Box 19253, Springfield, IL 62794; or by calling (888) 678-3675, option 2.

Benefits Provided

TRS provides retirement, disability, and death benefits. Tier I members have TRS or reciprocal system service prior to January 1, 2011. Tier I members qualify for retirement benefits at age 62 with five years of service, at age 60 with 10 years, or age 55 with 20 years. The benefit is determined by the average of the four highest consecutive years of creditable earnings within the last 10 years of creditable service and the percentage of average salary to which the member is entitled. Most members retire under a formula that provides 2.2 percent of final average salary up to a maximum of 75 percent with 34 years of service.

Tier II members qualify for retirement benefits at age 67 with 10 years of service, or a discounted annuity can be paid at age 62 with 10 years of service. Creditable earnings for retirement purposes are capped and the final average salary is based on the highest consecutive eight years of creditable service rather than the last four. Disability provisions for Tier II are identical to those of Tier I. Death benefits are payable under a formula that is different from Tier I.

Essentially all Tier I retirees receive an annual 3 percent increase in the current retirement benefit beginning January 1 following the attainment of age 61 or on January 1 following the member's first anniversary in retirement, whichever is later. Tier II annual increases will be the lesser of three percent of the original benefit or one-half percent of the rate of inflation beginning January 1 following attainment of age 67 or on January 1 following the member's first anniversary in retirement, whichever is later.

Public Act 100-0023, enacted in 2017, creates an optional Tier III hybrid retirement plan, but it has not yet gone into effect. Public Act 100-0587, enacted in 2018, requires TRS to offer two temporary benefit buyout programs that expire on June 30, 2026. One program allows retiring Tier 1 members to receive a partial lump-sum in exchange for accepting a lower, delayed annual increase. The other allows inactive vested Tier 1 and 2 members to receive a partial lump-sum payment in lieu of a retirement annuity. Both programs will begin in 2019 and will be funded by bonds issued by the state of Illinois.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

Contributions

The state of Illinois maintains the primary responsibility for funding TRS. The Illinois Pension Code, as amended by Public Act 88-0593 and subsequent acts, provides that for years 2010 through 2045, the minimum contribution to the System for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined to be sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of fiscal year 2045.

Contributions from active members and TRS contributing employers are also required by the Illinois Pension Code. The contribution rates are specified in the pension code. The active member contribution rate for the year ended June 30, 2023, was 9.0% of creditable earnings. The member contribution, which may be paid on behalf of employees by the employer, is submitted to TRS by the employer.

On-behalf contributions to TRS. The State of Illinois makes employer pension contributions on-behalf of the District. For the year ended June 30, 2024, State of Illinois contributions recognized by the District were based on the State's proportionate share of the pension expense associated with the District, and the District recognized revenue and expenses of \$17,118,594 in the governmental activities based on the economic resources measurement focus and revenues and expenditures of \$14,369,261 in the General Fund based on the current financial resources measurement focus.

2.2 formula contributions. The District contributes 0.58% of total creditable earnings for the 2.2 formula change. This rate is specified by statute. Contributions for the year ended June 30, 2024 were \$174,171, and are deferred because they were paid after the June 30, 2023 measurement date.

Federal and special trust fund contributions. When TRS members are paid from federal and special trust funds administered by the District, there is a statutory requirement for the District to pay an employer pension contribution from those funds. Under Public Act 100-0340, the federal and special trust fund contribution rate is the total employer normal cost beginning with the year ended June 30, 2018.

Previously, employer contributions for employees paid from federal and special trust funds were at the same rate as the state contribution rate to TRS and were much higher.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the employer pension contribution was 10.60% of salaries paid from federal and special trust funds. For the year ended June 30, 2024, \$178,720 of salaries were paid from the federal and special trust funds and there \$18,944 was the required employer contributions. These contributions are deferred because they were paid after the June 30, 2023 measurement date.

Employer retirement cost contributions. Under GASB Statement No. 68, contributions that an employer is required to pay because of a TRS member retiring are categorized as specific liability payments. The District is required to make a one-time contribution to TRS for members granted salary increases over 6 percent if those salaries are used to calculate a retiree's final average salary.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

A one-time contribution is also required for members granted sick leave days in excess of the normal annual allotment if those days are used as TRS service credit. For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District paid \$3,554 to TRS for contributions due on salary in excess of 6 percent and no payment for sick leave days granted in excess of the normal annual allotment.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

At June 30, 2023, the District reported a liability for its proportionate share of the net pension liability (first amount shown below) that reflected a reduction for State pension support provided to the District. The State's support and total are for disclosure purposes only. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net pension liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net pension liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 2,354,158
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the District	<u>203,165,045</u>
Total	<u>\$ 205,519,203</u>

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2023. The employer's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the employer's share of contributions to TRS for the measurement year ended June 30, 2023, relative to the contributions of all participating TRS employers and the state during that period. At June 30, 2023, the employer's proportion was 0.002777%, which was a decrease of 0.000046% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2022.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized pension expense of \$17,118,594 and revenue of \$17,118,594 for support provided by the state. At June 30, 2024, the District had deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflow of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ 9,786	\$ 9,490
Changes in assumptions	8,030	2,071
Net difference between projected and actual earnings in pension plan investments	-	67
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	<u>87,923</u>	<u>305,249</u>
Total deferred amounts to be recognized in pension expense in future periods	105,739	316,877
District's contributions subsequent to the measurement date	<u>196,669</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 302,408</u>	<u>\$ 316,877</u>

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

\$196,669 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2025. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending June 30	Net Deferred Outflows (Inflows) of Resources
2025	\$ (63,630)
2026	(70,858)
2027	(37,913)
2028	(35,869)
2029	<u>(2,868)</u>
Total	\$ <u><u>(211,138)</u></u>

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability in the June 30, 2023 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation	2.50%
Salary increases	varies by amount of service credit
Investment rate of return	7.00% net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

In the June 30, 2023 actuarial valuation, mortality rates were based on the PubT-2010 Table with appropriate adjustments for the TRS experience. The rates are based on a fully-generational basis using projection table MP-2020. In the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation, mortality rates were also based on the PubT-2010 White Collar Table with appropriate adjustments for TRS experience. The rates were used on a fully-generational basis using projection table MP-2020.

The long-term (20-year) expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class that were used by the actuary are summarized in the following table:

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Global Equity	37.0 %	5.35 %
Private Equity	15.0 %	8.03 %
Income	26.0 %	4.32 %
Real Assets	18.0 %	4.60 %
Diversifying Strategies	4.0 %	3.40 %
Total	100.0 %	

Based on the 2023 Horizon Survey of Capital Market Assumptions and TRS's target asset allocation provided by RVK.

Discount Rate

At June 30, 2023, the discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.0%, which was the same as the June 30, 2022 rate. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee contributions, employer contributions, and State contributions will be made at the current statutorily-required rates.

Based on those assumptions, TRS's fiduciary net position at June 30, 2023 was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive members and all benefit recipients. Tier I's liability is partially funded by Tier II members, as the Tier II member contribution is higher than the cost of Tier II benefits. Due to this subsidy, contributions from future members in excess of the service cost are also included in the determination of the discount rate. All projected future payments were covered, so the long-term expected rate of return on TRS investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.00%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.00%) than the current rate:)

	1% Decrease (6.00%)	Current Discount Rate (7.00%)	1% Increase (8.00%)
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 2,897,637	\$ 2,354,158	\$ 1,903,128

Detailed information about the TRS's fiduciary net position as of June 30, 2023 is available in the separately issued TRS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

b. Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF)

Plan Description and Benefits

Plan description – The District’s defined benefit pension plan for regular employees provides retirement and disability benefits, post-retirement increases, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. The employer’s plan is managed by the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), the administrator of an agent multi-employer public pension fund. A summary of IMRF’s pension benefits is provided in the “Benefits Provided” section of this document. Details of all benefits are available from IMRF. Benefit provisions are established by statute and may only be changed by the General Assembly of the State of Illinois. IMRF issues a publicly available Annual Comprehensive Financial Report that includes financial statements, detailed information about the pension plan’s fiduciary net position, and required supplementary information. The report is available for download at www.imrf.org.

Benefits provided - IMRF has three benefit plans. The vast majority of IMRF members participate in the Regular Plan (RP). The Sheriff’s Law Enforcement Personnel (SLEP) plan is for sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, and selected police chiefs. Counties could adopt the Elected County Official (ECO) plan for officials elected prior to August 8, 2011 (the ECO plan was closed to new participants after that date).

All three IMRF benefit plans have two tiers. Employees hired **before** January 1, 2011, are eligible for Tier 1 benefits. Tier 1 employees are vested for pension benefits when they have at least eight years of qualifying service credit. Tier 1 employees who retire at age 55 (at reduced benefits) or after age 60 (at full benefits) with eight years of service are entitled to an annual retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, in an amount equal to 1-2/3% of the final rate of earnings for the first 15 years of service credit, plus 2% for each year of service credit after 15 years to a maximum of 75% of their final rate of earnings. Final rate of earnings is the highest total earnings during any consecutive 48 months within the last 10 years of service, divided by 48. Under Tier 1, the pension is increased by 3% of the original amount on January 1 every year after retirement.

Employees hired **on or after** January 1, 2011, are eligible for Tier 2 benefits. For Tier 2 employees, pension benefits vest after ten years of service. Participating employees who retire at age 62 (at reduced benefits) or after age 67 (at full benefits) with ten years of service are entitled to an annual retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, in an amount equal to 1-2/3% of the final rate of earnings for the first 15 years of service credit, plus 2% for each year of service credit after 15 years to a maximum of 75% of their final rate of earnings. Final rate of earnings is the highest total earnings during any 96 consecutive months within the last 10 years of service, divided by 96. Under Tier 2, the pension is increased on January 1 every year after retirement, upon reaching age 67, by the *lesser* of:

- 3% of the original pension amount, or
- 1/2 of the increase in the Consumer Price Index of the original pension amount.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

Employees Covered by the Benefit Terms - At the December 31, 2022 valuation date, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	242
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	298
Active employees	<u>181</u>
Total	<u><u>721</u></u>

Contributions - As set by statute, the employer's Regular Plan Members are required to contribute 4.5% of their annual covered salary. The statute requires employers to contribute the amount necessary, in addition to member contributions, to finance the retirement coverage of its own employees. The employer's annual contribution rate for calendar year 2023 was 8.69%. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, the employer contributed \$553,876 to the plan. The employer also contributes for disability benefits, death benefits, and supplemental retirement benefits, all of which are pooled at the IMRF level. Contribution rates for disability and death benefits are set by IMRF's Board of Trustees, while the supplemental retirement benefits rate is set by statute.

Net Pension Liability - The employer's Net Pension Liability was measured as of December 31, 2023, and the total pension liability used to calculate the Net Pension Liability was determined by an annual actuarial valuation as of that date.

Actuarial assumptions – The following are the methods and assumptions used to determine total pension liability at December 31, 2023:

Actuarial cost method	Entry Age Normal
Asset valuation method	Market Value of Assets
Inflation	2.25%
Salary increases	2.85% to 13.75%, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.25%
Retirement age	Experience-based table of rates that are specific to the type of eligibility condition. Last updated for the 2023 valuation pursuant to an experience study of the period 2020-2022.
Mortality	For non-disabled retirees, the Pub-2010, amount-weighted, below-median income, General, Retiree, Male (adjusted 108%) and Female (adjusted 106.4%) tables, and future mortality improvements projected using scale MP-2021. For disabled retirees, the Pub-2010, amount-weighted, below-median income, general, disabled retirees, male and female (both unadjusted) tables, and future mortality improvements projected using scale MP-2021. For active members, the Pub-2010, amount-weighted, below-median income, general, employee, male and female (both unadjusted) tables, and future mortality improvements projected using scale MP-2021.
Other information: Notes	There were no benefit changes during the year.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

The **long-term expected rate of return** on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense, and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return to the target asset allocation percentage and adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table as of December 31, 2023:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Domestic Equities	34.5 %	5.00 %
International equities	18.0 %	6.35 %
Fixed income	24.5 %	4.75 %
Real estate	10.5 %	6.30 %
Alternatives	11.5 %	6.05-8.65 %
Cash	1.0 %	3.80 %
Total	100.0 %	

Single Discount Rate

A Single Discount Rate of 7.25% was used to measure the total pension liability as of December 31, 2023. The projection of cash flow used to determine this Single Discount Rate assumed that the plan members' contributions will be made at the current contribution rate, and that employer contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between actuarially determined contribution rates and the member rate. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability. The Single Discount Rate reflects:

1. The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments (during the period in which the fiduciary net position is projected to be sufficient to pay benefits), and
2. The tax-exempt municipal bond rate based on an index of 20-year general obligation bonds with an average AA credit rating (which is published by the Federal Reserve) as of the measurement date (to the extent that the contributions for use with the long-term expected rate of return are not met).

For the purpose of the most recent valuation, the expected rate of return on plan investments is 7.25%, the municipal bond rate is 3.77%, and the resulting single discount rate is 7.25%.

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

Changes in Net Pension (Asset)/Liability

	Total Pension Liability (A)	Plan Fiduciary Net Position (B)	Net Pension Liability (A) - (B)
Balances at December 31, 2022	\$ <u>32,190,635</u>	\$ <u>27,582,552</u>	\$ <u>4,608,083</u>
Changes for the year:			
Service cost	594,990	-	594,990
Interest on the total Pension liability	2,295,506	-	2,295,506
Differences between expected and actual experience	208,318	-	208,318
Changes of assumptions	5,331	-	5,331
Contributions - employer	-	546,018	(546,018)
Contributions - employees	-	277,605	(277,605)
Net investment income	-	3,029,995	(3,029,995)
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions	(1,651,953)	(1,651,953)	-
Other (net transfer)	-	655,123	(655,123)
Net changes	<u>1,452,192</u>	<u>2,856,788</u>	<u>(1,404,596)</u>
Balances at December 31, 2023	\$ <u>33,642,827</u>	\$ <u>30,439,340</u>	\$ <u>3,203,487</u>

Sensitivity of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate

The following presents the plan's net pension liability, calculated using the single discount rate of 7.25 percent, as well as what the plan's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a single discount rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher:

	1% Decrease (6.25%)	Current Discount Rate (7.25%)	1% Increase (8.25%)
Net pension liability	\$ 7,018,597	\$ 3,203,487	\$ 111,138

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions -

For year ended June 30, 2023, the District recognized pension expense of \$35,675. At June 30, 2024, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources which are not reported due to the financial reporting provisions of the Illinois State Board of Education.

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflow of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ 175,111	\$ -
Changes in assumptions	2,814	-
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	<u>1,561,185</u>	-
Total deferred amounts to be recognized in pension expense in future periods	1,739,110	-
District's contributions subsequent to the measurement date	<u>316,151</u>	-
Total	\$ <u>2,055,261</u>	\$ -

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B. Employee Retirement Systems (Continued)

\$316,151 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending December 31	Net Deferred Outflows (Inflows) of Resources
2024	\$ 343,416
2025	538,857
2026	1,064,144
2027	<u>(207,307)</u>
Total	\$ <u>1,739,110</u>

Aggregate Pension Amounts - At June 30, 2024, the District reported the following from all pension plans:

	TRS	IMRF	Total
Net pension liability	\$ 2,354,158	\$ 3,203,487	\$ 5,557,645
Deferred outflows of resources	302,408	2,055,261	2,357,669
Deferred inflows of resources	316,877	-	316,877
Pension expense	17,118,594	35,675	17,154,269

C. Other Postemployment Benefits

a. Teacher Health Insurance Security (THIS)

Plan Description. The Teacher Health Insurance Security Fund (THISF) (also known as The Teacher Retirement Insurance Program, "TRIP") is a non-appropriated trust fund held outside the State Treasury, with the State Treasurer as custodian. Additions deposited into the Trust are for the sole purpose of providing the health benefits to retirees, as established under the plan, and associated administrative costs. TRIP is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit post-employment healthcare plan with a special funding situation that covers retired employees of participating school districts throughout the State of Illinois, excluding the Chicago Public School System. TRIP health coverage includes provisions for medical, prescription, and behavioral health benefits, but does not provide vision, dental, or life insurance benefits. Annuitants may participate in the State administered Preferred Provider Organization plan or choose from several managed care options. As a result of the Governor's Executive Order 12-01, the responsibilities to TRIP were transferred to the Department of Central Management Services (Department) as of July 1, 2013. The Department administers the plan with the cooperation of the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS).

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C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

The audit report is available on the office of the Auditor General website at www.auditor.illinois.gov, which includes the financial statements of the Department of Central Management Services. Questions regarding the financial statements can be addressed to the Department of Central Management Services at 401 South Spring, Springfield, Illinois 62706. A copy of the actuarial valuation report will be made available by the Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability on its website at <http://cgfa.ilga.gov/>.

Plan Membership

In order to be eligible, retirees of public schools must have been certified educators or administrators during their time of employment. Eligibility to participate in the plan is currently limited to former full-time employees, or if not a full-time employee, an individual that is in a permanent and continuous basis position in which services are expected to be rendered for at least one school term, and their dependents.

Benefits Provided

The State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971 (5 ILCS 375/6.5) establishes the eligibility and benefit provisions of the plan.

Contributions

The State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971 (5 ILCS 375/6.5) requires that all active contributors of the TRS, who are not employees of a department, make contributions to the plan at a rate of 0.90% of salary and for every employer of a teacher to contribute an amount equal to 0.67% of each teacher's salary. The Department determines, by rule, the percentage required, which each year shall not exceed 105% of the percentage of salary actually required to be paid in the previous fiscal year. In addition, under the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriations Act (40 ILCS 15/1.3), there is appropriated, on a continuing annual basis, from the General Revenue Fund, an account of the General Fund, to the State Comptroller for deposit in the TRS, an amount equal to the amount certified by the Board of Trustees of TRS as the estimated total amount of contributions to be paid under 5 ILCS 376/6.6(a) in that fiscal year.

The State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971 (5 ILCS 375/6.5) requires that the Department's Director determine the rates and premiums of annuitants and dependent beneficiaries and establish the cost-sharing parameters, as well as funding. Member premiums are set by this statute, which provides for a subsidy of either 50% or 75%, depending upon member benefit choices. Dependents are eligible for coverage, at a rate of 100% of the cost of coverage.

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C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

At June 30, 2024, the District's reported a liability for its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability. The State's support and total are for disclosure purposes only. The amount recognized by the District as its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability, the related State support, and the total portion of the net OPEB liability that was associated with the District were as follows:

District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 7,401,325
State's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability associated with the District	<u>10,008,949</u>
Total	<u>\$ 17,410,274</u>

The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2022 and rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The District's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on the District's share of contributions to THISF for the measurement year ended June 30, 2023, relative to the projected contributions of all participating THISF employers and the state during that period. At June 30, 2023, the District's proportion was 0.103844%, which was a decrease of (0.000547)% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2022.

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized OPEB expense of \$2,883,099. At June 30, 2024, the District report deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources, related to OPEB:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflow of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ -	\$ 4,133,055
Changes in assumptions	98,102	14,547,607
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on OPEB plan investments	2,946	-
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions	<u>3,292,352</u>	<u>3,195,440</u>
Total deferred amounts to be recognized in OPEB expense in future periods	3,393,400	21,876,102
District's contributions subsequent to the measurement date	<u>201,197</u>	<u>-</u>
Total	<u>\$ 3,594,597</u>	<u>\$ 21,876,102</u>

\$201,197 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net OPEB liability in the year ended June 30, 2024. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

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C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Year Ending June 30	Net Deferred Outflows (Inflows) of Resources
2025	\$ (3,383,059)
2026	(3,019,236)
2027	(2,923,446)
2028	(2,886,485)
2029	(2,662,334)
Thereafter	<u>(3,608,142)</u>
Total	\$ <u>(18,482,702)</u>

Actuarial Assumptions

The total OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2022, using the following assumptions, applied to all periods including in the measurement date, unless otherwise specified:

Inflation	2.25%
Salary increases	Depends on service and ranges from 8.50% at 1 year of service to 3.50% at 20 or more years of service.
Investment rate of return	2.75%, net of OPEB plan investment expense, including inflation, for all plan years.
Healthcare cost trend rates	Trend for fiscal year 2024 are based on actual premium increases. For non-medicare costs, trend rates start at 8.00% for plan year 2025 and decrease gradually to an ultimate rate of 4.25% in 2040. For MAPD costs, trend rates are 0% in 2024 to 2028, 19.42% in 2029 to 2033 and 6.08% in 2034, declining gradually to an ultimate rate of 4.25% in 2040.

Mortality rates for retirement and beneficiary annuitants were based on PubT-2010 Retiree Mortality Table, adjusted for TRS experience. For disabled annuitants mortality rates were based on the PubNS-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree table. Mortality rates for pre-retirement were based on PubT-2010 Employee Mortality Table. All tables reflect future mortality improvements using Projection Scale MP-2020.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2020.

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C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Projected benefit payments were discounted to their actuarial present value using a Single Discount Rate that reflects (1) a long-term expected rate of return on OPEB plan investments (to the extent that the plan's fiduciary net position is projected to be sufficient to pay benefits), and (2) tax-exempt municipal bond rate based on an index of 20-year general obligation bond with an average AA credit rating as of the measurement date (to the extent that the contributions for use with the long-term expected rate of return are not met). Since TRIP is financed on a pay-as-you-go basis, a discount rate consistent with fixed income municipal bonds with 20 years to maturity that include only federally tax-exempt municipal bonds as reported in Fidelity's index's "20-year Municipal GO AA Index" has been selected. The discount rates are 3.86% as of June 30, 2023, and 3.69% as of June 30, 2022. The increase in the single discount rate from 3.69% to 3.86% caused the total OPEB liability to increase by approximately \$137 million from 2022 to 2023.

Sensitivity of Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Single Discount Rate

The following presents the District's net OPEB liability, calculated using the Single Discount Rate of 3.69%, as well as what the District's net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated a Single Discount Rate that is one percentage point higher (4.69%) or lower (2.69%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease 2.69%	Current Discount Rate 3.69%	1% Increase 4.69%
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 8,264,436	\$ 7,401,325	\$ 6,639,958

Sensitivity of Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rate

The following presents the District's net OPEB liability, calculated using the healthcare cost trend rate, as well as what the District's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a healthcare cost trend rate that is one percentage higher or lower.

	1% Decrease (a)	Healthcare Cost Trend Rate Assumptions	1% Increase (b)
District's net OPEB liability	\$ 6,299,568	\$ 7,401,325	\$ 8,751,129

Current healthcare trend rates - Pre-Medicare capita costs: 6.00% in 2024, 8.00% in 2025, decreasing by 0.25% per year to an ultimate rate of 4.25% in 2040. Post-Medicare per capita costs: 0.00% from 2024 to 2028, 19.42% from 2029 to 2033, 6.08% in 2034 decreasing ratably to an ultimate trend rate of 4.25% in 2040.

(a) One percentage point decrease in current healthcare trend rates - Pre-Medicare per capita costs: 5.00% in 2024, 7.00% in 2025, decrease by 0.25% per year to an ultimate rate of 3.25% in 2040. Post-Medicare per capita costs: 0.00% from 2024 to 2028, 18.42% from 2029 to 2033, 5.08% in 2034 decreasing ratably to an ultimate rate of 3.25% in 2040.

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(b) One percentage point increase in current healthcare trend rates - Pre-Medicare per capita costs: 7.00% in 2024, 9.00% in 2025, decreasing by 0.25% per year to an ultimate rate of 5.25% in 2040. Post-Medicare per capita costs: 0.00% from 2024 to 2028, 20.42% from 2029 to 2033, 7.08% in 2034 decreasing ratably to an ultimate trend rate of 5.25% in 2040.

b. Defined Post-Employment Benefit Plan

Plan Description:

The District administers a single-employer defined benefit healthcare plan (the "Health Insurance Plan for Retired Employees - HIPRE"). Eligible administrators and support staff that retire from the District may continue their health care coverage for up to the earlier of five years since the benefit commencement date or age 65. IMRF employees that retire from the District may elect to continue their health coverage by paying the monthly premium. HIPRE also provides Teachers Retirement Insurance Program (TRIP) for certified teachers with 15 full years of service with the District. Benefit provisions are established through contractual agreements and may only be amended through negotiations with the Board. All insurance benefits cease when the retired employee begins receiving Medicare coverage, or attains age 65, whichever comes first.

Eligibility

Employees are eligible upon retirement if enrolled in the active medical plan immediately prior to retiring.

The criteria for TRS retirement is as follows:

Tier 1 - Employees must be age 60 with at least 10 years of service, or age 62 with at least 5 years of service

The criteria for IMRF retirement is as follows:

Age 55 and 8 years of service for those hired before January 1, 2011

Age 62 and 10 years of service for those hired on or after January 1, 2011

Employees Covered by Benefit Terms

As of June 30, 2024, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Active participants	556
Retired participants (including spouses)	<u>30</u>
Total	<u><u>586</u></u>

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C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Contributions

Contribution requirements are established through contractual agreements and may only be amended through negotiations with the Board. The retiree is responsible for paying the full monthly premium. However, the District provides a monthly reimbursement toward the premium cost at established rates. Retired certified teachers and administrators are receiving an 85% reimbursement of the single TRIP premium from the District. Retired support staff are receiving a 50% reimbursement of the single premium for health benefits.

Net OPEB Liability

The District's net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2023. The total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2022, which was rolled forward to July 1, 2023.

Plan Fiduciary Net Position

The District currently pays for postemployment health care benefits on a pay-as-you-go basis. Therefore, no trust has been established for future costs, and no net position is held for postemployment health care obligations.

Actuarial Assumptions

The following are the methods and assumptions used to determine the total OPEB liability at June 30, 2024:

Actuarial cost method	Entry Age Cost
Asset valuation method	N/A
Payroll increases	N/A
Investment rate of return	N/A
Participation	100% of active employees are assumed to participate upon retirement.
Mortality	Pub-2010 Public Retirement Plans General mortality table projected generationally with scale MP-2021.
Other information: Notes	The medical trend rate table was reset in fiscal 2024. The dental trend rate is 3.00% per year.

Discount Rate

The District does not have a dedicated Trust to pay the benefits of the Plan. Per GASB 75, this discount rate is a yield or index rate for 20-year, tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher (or equivalent quality on another rating scale). The discount rate used is 3.86%.

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Notes to Financial Statements

C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

Changes in Net OPEB Liability

	Total OPEB Liability (A)	Plan Fiduciary Net Position (B)	Net OPEB Liability (A) - (B)
Balances at June 30, 2023	\$ 5,755,521	\$ -	\$ 5,755,521
Changes for the year:			
Service cost	225,244	-	225,244
Interest on the total OPEB liability	216,002	-	216,002
Changes of benefit terms	(54,737)	-	(54,737)
Differences between expected and actual experience	(507,907)	-	(507,907)
Changes of assumptions	2,291	-	2,291
Contributions - employer	-	254,147	254,147
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions	(254,147)	(254,147)	-
Net changes	(373,254)	-	(373,254)
Balances at June 30, 2024	\$ 5,382,267	\$ -	\$ 5,382,267

Sensitivity of the Employer's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 3.86%, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (2.86%) or 1-percentage-point higher (4.86%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease (2.86%)	Current Discount Rate (3.86%)	1% Increase (4.86%)
Total OPEB liability	\$ 5,906,971	\$ 5,382,267	\$ 4,903,363

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Trend Rate

The actuarial valuation did not include a health care trend rate, yet assumed there would be no increase in benefit level. Therefore, an estimation of what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a trend rate that is 1% higher and lower is not applicable.

	1% Decrease	Healthcare Cost Trend Rate Assumptions	1% Increase
Total OPEB liability	\$ 4,792,296	\$ 5,382,267	\$ 6,068,441

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Notes to Financial Statements

C. Other Postemployment Benefits (Continued)

OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB

For the year ended June 30, 2024, the District recognized OPEB income of \$138,628. At June 30, 2024, the District reported \$482,328 deferred outflows of resources and \$2,182,116 deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB. The following represents the deferred outflows of resources related to OPEB:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflow of Resources
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$ -	\$ 1,711,139
Changes in assumptions	<u>482,328</u>	<u>470,977</u>
Total	<u>\$ 482,328</u>	<u>\$ 2,182,116</u>

The total deferred outflows related to OPEB will be recognized in future years as follows:

Year ended June 30:	Net Deferred Outflows (Inflows) of Resources
2025	\$ (525,138)
2026	(496,369)
2027	(124,911)
2028	(208,554)
2029	(147,595)
Thereafter	<u>(197,221)</u>
Total	<u>\$ (1,699,788)</u>

Aggregate OPEB Amounts - At June 30, 2024, the District reported the following from all pension plans:

	THIS	HIPRE	Total
Net OPEB liability/(asset)	\$ 7,401,325	\$ 5,382,267	\$ 12,783,592
Deferred outflows of resources	3,594,637	482,328	4,076,965
Deferred inflows of resources	21,876,142	2,182,116	24,058,258
OPEB expense (income)	(2,883,099)	(138,628)	(3,021,727)

6. Jointly Governed Organization

The District has an intergovernmental agreement with the Lincoln-Way Area Special Education Cooperative 843. The Cooperative charged the District \$1,275,149 for special education transportation during the year ended June 30, 2024.

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Schedule of Changes in the Employer's Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios

Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund

Last Ten Calendar Years

<i>Calendar year ending December 31,</i>	2023	2022	2021	2020
Total Pension Liability				
Service cost	\$ 594,990	\$ 594,207	\$ 557,907	\$ 594,154
Interest	2,295,506	2,167,217	2,053,216	1,976,825
Differences between expected and actual experience	208,318	576,498	343,667	(12,662)
Changes of assumption	5,331	-	-	(224,788)
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	<u>(1,651,953)</u>	<u>(1,485,658)</u>	<u>(1,315,380)</u>	<u>(1,208,093)</u>
Net change in total pension liability	1,452,192	1,852,264	1,639,410	1,125,436
Total pension liability, beginning	<u>32,190,635</u>	<u>30,338,371</u>	<u>28,698,961</u>	<u>27,573,525</u>
Total pension liability, ending	<u>\$ 33,642,827</u>	<u>\$ 32,190,635</u>	<u>\$ 30,338,371</u>	<u>\$ 28,698,961</u>
Plan Fiduciary Net Position				
Contributions - employer	\$ 546,018	\$ 628,552	\$ 700,471	\$ 649,748
Contributions - employees	277,605	275,948	291,458	250,117
Net investment income	3,029,995	(4,039,243)	4,704,483	3,542,451
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	(1,651,953)	(1,485,658)	(1,315,380)	(1,208,093)
Administrative expense	<u>655,123</u>	<u>(120,428)</u>	<u>(128,018)</u>	<u>(132,789)</u>
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	2,856,788	(4,740,829)	4,253,014	3,101,434
Plan net position, beginning	<u>27,582,552</u>	<u>32,323,381</u>	<u>28,070,367</u>	<u>24,968,933</u>
Plan net position, ending	<u>\$ 30,439,340</u>	<u>\$ 27,582,552</u>	<u>\$ 32,323,381</u>	<u>\$ 28,070,367</u>
Net pension liability (asset)	<u>\$ 3,203,487</u>	<u>\$ 4,608,083</u>	<u>\$ (1,985,010)</u>	<u>\$ 628,594</u>
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	90.48 %	85.69 %	106.54 %	97.81 %
Covered valuation payroll	6,168,980	6,132,215	5,911,151	5,558,155
Net pension liability as a percentage of covered payroll	51.93 %	75.15 %	(33.58)%	11.31 %

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
\$ 567,058	\$ 517,729	\$ 539,117	\$ 514,489	\$ 511,852	\$ 477,671
1,853,963	1,766,374	1,728,579	1,630,248	1,542,037	1,384,694
					-
431,662	76,474	(63,893)	83,686	8,873	147,571
-	722,810	(699,634)	(112,220)	54,090	868,321
<u>(1,135,075)</u>	<u>(1,040,512)</u>	<u>(938,582)</u>	<u>(929,392)</u>	<u>(831,502)</u>	<u>(702,723)</u>
1,717,608	2,042,875	565,587	1,186,811	1,285,350	2,175,534
<u>25,855,917</u>	<u>23,813,042</u>	<u>23,247,455</u>	<u>22,060,644</u>	<u>20,775,294</u>	<u>18,599,760</u>
<u>\$ 27,573,525</u>	<u>\$ 25,855,917</u>	<u>\$ 23,813,042</u>	<u>\$ 23,247,455</u>	<u>\$ 22,060,644</u>	<u>\$ 20,775,294</u>
\$ 554,139	\$ 641,433	\$ 619,438	\$ 575,500	\$ 562,038	\$ 517,712
252,621	232,218	221,934	207,181	202,326	189,353
3,982,848	(1,181,384)	3,382,957	1,246,961	91,398	1,053,637
(1,135,075)	(1,040,512)	(938,582)	(929,392)	(831,502)	(702,723)
<u>32,704</u>	<u>304,720</u>	<u>(261,476)</u>	<u>122,542</u>	<u>(259,338)</u>	<u>(15,303)</u>
3,687,237	(1,043,525)	3,024,271	1,222,792	(235,078)	1,042,676
<u>21,281,696</u>	<u>22,325,221</u>	<u>19,300,950</u>	<u>18,078,158</u>	<u>18,313,236</u>	<u>17,270,560</u>
<u>\$ 24,968,933</u>	<u>\$ 21,281,696</u>	<u>\$ 22,325,221</u>	<u>\$ 19,300,950</u>	<u>\$ 18,078,158</u>	<u>\$ 18,313,236</u>
<u>\$ 2,604,592</u>	<u>\$ 4,574,221</u>	<u>\$ 1,487,821</u>	<u>\$ 3,946,505</u>	<u>\$ 3,982,486</u>	<u>\$ 2,462,058</u>
90.55 %	82.31 %	93.75 %	83.02 %	81.95 %	88.15 %
5,432,731	5,160,369	4,931,840	4,603,996	4,495,881	4,338,184
47.94 %	88.64 %	30.17 %	85.72 %	88.58 %	56.75 %

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Schedule of Employer Contributions

Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund

Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year	Actuarially Determined Contribution	Actual Contribution	Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	Covered Valuation Payroll	Actual Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Valuation Payroll
2024	\$ 553,876	\$ 553,876	\$ -	\$ 6,202,186	8.93 %
2023	573,845	573,845	-	6,121,029	9.37 %
2022	673,102	673,102	-	6,145,274	10.95 %
2021	665,430	665,430	-	5,648,345	11.78 %
2020	614,854	614,854	-	5,571,945	11.03 %
2019	559,866	559,866	-	5,118,916	10.94 %
2018	649,969	649,969	-	5,206,651	12.48 %
2017	592,953	592,953	-	4,730,821	12.53 %
2016	559,821	559,821	-	4,478,564	12.50 %
2015	572,490	572,490	-	4,481,686	12.77 %

Notes to Schedule

Valuation date:

Notes:

Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated as of December 31 of each year, which are 12 months prior to the beginning of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported.

Methods and assumptions used to determine contribution rates:

Actuarial cost method	Aggregate entry age normal
Amortization method	Level percent of payroll, closed
Remaining amortization period	Non-Taxing bodies: 10-year rolling period. Taxing bodies (Regular, SLEP and ECO groups): 20-year closed. Early Retirement Incentive Plan liabilities: a period up to 10 years selected by the Employer upon adoption of ERI. SLEP supplemental liabilities attributable to Public Act 94-712 were financed over 16 years for most employers (five employers were financed over 16 years; one employer was financed over 17 years; two employers were financed over 18 years; one employer was financed over 21 years; three employers were financed over 24 years; four employers were financed over 25 years and one employer was financed over 26 years).
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market; 20% corridor
Wage growth	2.75%
Inflation	2.25%
Salary increases	2.75% to 13.75%, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.25%
Retirement age	Experience-based table of rates that are specific to the type of eligibility condition. Last updated for the 2020 valuation pursuant to an experience study of the period 2017 - 2019.
Mortality	For non-disabled retirees, the Pub-2010, Amount-Weighted, below-median income, General, Retiree, Male (adjusted 106%) and Female (adjusted 105%) tables, and future mortality improvements projected using scale MP-2020. For disabled retirees, the Pub-2010, Amount-Weighted, below-median income, General, Disabled Retiree, Male and Female (both unadjusted) tables, and future mortality improvements projected using scale MP-2020. For active members, the Pub-2010, Amount-Weighted, below-median income, General, Employee, Male and Female (both unadjusted) tables, and future mortality improvements projected using scale MP-2020.

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Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Teachers' Retirement System

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024*	2023*	2022*	2021*
District's proportion of the net pension liability	0.002777 %	0.002816 %	0.003278 %	0.003162 %
District's proportion share of the net pension liability	\$ 2,354,158	\$ 2,360,570	\$ 2,557,024	\$ 2,726,115
State's proportionate share of the net pension liability associated with the District	<u>203,165,045</u>	<u>204,763,815</u>	<u>214,305,817</u>	<u>213,523,494</u>
Total	<u>\$ 205,519,203</u>	<u>\$ 207,124,385</u>	<u>\$ 216,862,841</u>	<u>\$ 216,249,609</u>
District's covered payroll	\$ 29,033,340	\$ 28,808,419	\$ 27,076,347	\$ 26,616,256
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of covered payroll	8.11 %	8.19 %	9.44 %	10.24 %
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	43.90 %	42.80 %	45.10 %	37.80 %

Notes to Schedule

Changes of assumptions

For the 2023 measurement year, the assumed investment rate of return was of 7.0 percent, including an inflation rate of 2.50 percent and a real return of 4.50 percent. Salary increases were assumed to vary by service credit. These actuarial assumptions were based on an experience study dated September 30, 2021.

For the 2022-2018 measurement years, the assumed investment rate of return was of 7.0 percent, including an inflation rate of 2.25 percent and a real return of 4.75 percent. Salary increases were assumed to vary by service credit. The assumptions used for the 2020-2018 and 2017-2016 measurement years were based on an experience study dated September 18, 2018 and August 13, 2015, respectively.

For the 2015 measurement year, the assumed investment rate of return was 7.5 percent, including an inflation rate of 3.0 percent and a real return of 4.5 percent. Salary increases were assumed to vary by service credit. Various other changes in assumptions were adopted based on the experience analysis for the three-year period ending June 30, 2014.

* Amounts presented were determined as of the prior fiscal year end

2020*	2019*	2018*	2017*	2016*	2015*
0.002950 %	0.003450 %	0.005140 %	0.005060 %	0.006690 %	0.005980 %
\$ 2,395,094	\$ 2,694,171	\$ 3,930,005	\$ 3,995,794	\$ 4,383,488	\$ 3,642,230
<u>170,456,203</u>	<u>184,562,023</u>	<u>175,003,435</u>	<u>182,421,377</u>	<u>156,688,550</u>	<u>143,578,207</u>
<u>\$ 172,851,297</u>	<u>\$ 187,256,194</u>	<u>\$ 178,933,440</u>	<u>\$ 186,417,171</u>	<u>\$ 161,072,038</u>	<u>\$ 147,220,437</u>
\$ 23,119,431	\$ 24,761,207	\$ 20,507,714	\$ 22,937,723	\$ 24,235,074	\$ 23,254,021
10.36 %	10.88 %	19.16 %	17.42 %	18.09 %	15.66 %
39.60 %	40.00 %	39.30 %	36.40 %	41.50 %	43.00 %

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Schedule of Employer Contributions

Teachers' Retirement System

Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Contractually Required Contributions	Contributions in Relation to Contractually Required Contribution	Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	District's Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
2024	\$ 174,171	\$ 174,171	\$ -	\$ 30,029,439	0.58 %
2023	168,393	168,393	-	29,033,340	0.58
2022	167,089	167,089	-	28,808,419	0.58
2021	157,043	157,043	-	27,076,347	0.58
2020	154,374	154,374	-	26,616,256	0.58
2019	134,093	134,093	-	23,119,431	0.58
2018	143,615	143,615	-	24,761,207	0.58
2017	118,945	118,945	-	20,507,714	0.58
2016	133,039	133,039	-	22,937,723	0.58
2015	140,563	140,563	-	24,235,074	0.58

New Lenox School District No. 122

Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability Teachers' Health Insurance Security Fund

Last Seven Fiscal Years

	2024*	2023*	2022*	2021*
District's proportion of the net OPEB liability	0.103844 %	0.104391 %	0.113097 %	0.102853 %
District's proportion share of the net OPEB liability	\$ 7,401,325	\$ 7,145,263	\$ 24,943,921	\$ 27,498,633
State's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability associated with the District	<u>10,008,949</u>	<u>9,720,427</u>	<u>33,820,317</u>	<u>37,253,158</u>
	<u>\$ 17,410,274</u>	<u>\$ 16,865,690</u>	<u>\$ 58,764,238</u>	<u>\$ 64,751,791</u>
District's covered payroll	\$ 29,033,340	\$ 28,808,419	\$ 27,076,347	\$ 26,616,256
District's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as a percentage of covered payroll	25.49 %	24.80 %	92.12 %	103.32 %
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total OPEB liability	6.21 %	5.24 %	1.40 %	(0.24)%

* The amounts presented were determined as of the prior fiscal-year end.

2020*	2019*	2018*
0.096457 %	0.104315 %	0.102781 %
\$ 26,696,724	\$ 27,482,727	\$ 26,671,150
<u>36,150,770</u>	<u>36,903,376</u>	<u>35,025,847</u>
<u>\$ 62,847,494</u>	<u>\$ 64,386,103</u>	<u>\$ 61,696,997</u>
\$ 23,119,431	\$ 24,761,207	\$ 20,507,714
115.47 %	110.99 %	130.05 %
(0.22)%	(0.07)%	(0.17)%

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Schedule of Employer Contributions

Teachers' Health Insurance Security Fund

Last Seven Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year	Contractually Required Contribution	Contributions in Relation to Contractually Required Contribution	Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
2024	\$ 201,197	\$ 201,197	\$ -	\$ 30,029,439	0.67 %
2023	194,523	194,523	-	29,033,340	0.67 %
2022	193,016	193,016	-	28,808,419	0.67 %
2021	249,102	249,102	-	27,076,347	0.92 %
2020	244,870	244,870	-	26,616,256	0.92 %
2019	218,188	218,188	-	23,119,431	0.94 %
2018	194,751	194,751	-	24,761,207	0.79 %

The District implemented GASB 75 beginning with the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018. Therefore 10 years of information are not available.

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Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability and Related Ratios

Health Insurance Plan for Retired Employees (HIPRE)

Last Seven Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021
Total OPEB Liability				
Service cost	\$ 225,244	\$ 293,703	\$ 326,014	\$ 251,879
Interest	216,002	121,063	128,341	171,239
Changes of benefit terms	(54,737)	-	-	-
Differences between expected and actual experience	(507,907)	-	(296,463)	-
Changes of assumption	2,291	139,219	(130,231)	585,505
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	(254,147)	(219,057)	(176,646)	(159,410)
Net change in total OPEB liability	(373,254)	334,928	(148,985)	849,213
Total OPEB liability, beginning	5,755,521	5,420,593	5,569,578	4,720,365
Total OPEB liability - ending	<u>\$ 5,382,267</u>	<u>\$ 5,755,521</u>	<u>\$ 5,420,593</u>	<u>\$ 5,569,578</u>
Plan Fiduciary Net Position				
Contributions - employer	\$ 254,147	\$ 219,057	\$ 176,646	\$ 159,410
Benefit payments, including refunds of member contributions	(254,147)	(219,057)	(176,646)	(159,410)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	-	-	-	-
Employer's net pension liability (asset)	<u>\$ 5,382,267</u>	<u>\$ 5,755,521</u>	<u>\$ 5,420,593</u>	<u>\$ 5,569,578</u>
Covered payroll	\$ 32,737,341	\$ 30,913,260	\$ 29,920,605	\$ 28,770,878
Employer's net OPEB liability as a percentage of covered payroll	16.44 %	18.62 %	18.12 %	19.36 %

The District implemented GASB Statement No. 75 in fiscal year 2018. Information prior to fiscal year 2018 is not available.

2020	2019	2018
\$ 382,616	\$ 378,686	\$ 456,033
278,955	222,867	213,931
-	-	-
(3,055,384)	-	(445,379)
455,157	(201,377)	(667,207)
(332,994)	(299,743)	(207,806)
(2,271,650)	100,433	(650,428)
6,992,015	6,891,582	7,542,010
\$ 4,720,365	\$ 6,992,015	\$ 6,891,582
\$ 332,994	\$ 299,743	\$ 207,806
(332,994)	(299,743)	(207,806)
-	-	-
\$ 4,720,365	\$ 6,992,015	\$ 6,891,582
\$ 28,491,443	\$ 26,515,035	\$ 19,802,924
16.57 %	26.37 %	34.80 %

New Lenox School District No. 122
Schedule of Employer Contributions
Health Insurance Plan for Retired Employees (HIPRE)
Last Seven Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year	Contractually Required Contribution	Contributions in Relation to Contractually Required Contribution	Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	Covered Payroll	Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
2024	\$ -	\$ 254,147	\$ (254,147)	\$ 32,737,341	0.78 %
2023	-	219,057	(219,057)	30,913,260	0.71 %
2022	-	176,646	(176,646)	29,920,605	0.59 %
2021	23,318	159,410	(136,092)	28,770,878	0.55 %
2020	178,127	332,994	(154,867)	28,491,443	1.17 %
2019	489,570	299,743	189,827	26,515,035	1.13 %
2018	669,964	207,806	462,158	19,802,924	1.05 %

The District implemented GASB Statement No. 75 in fiscal year 2018. Information prior to fiscal year 2018 is not available.

New Lenox School District No. 122

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual General Fund and Major Special Revenue Fund

Year Ended June 30, 2024	General Fund			Transportation Fund		
	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues						
Local sources	\$ 54,645,025	\$ 55,571,890	\$ 926,865	\$ 2,747,644	\$ 2,544,321	\$ (203,323)
State sources	22,258,434	21,027,149	(1,231,285)	2,126,369	2,228,341	101,972
Federal sources	<u>1,744,789</u>	<u>2,243,505</u>	<u>498,716</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total revenues	<u>78,648,248</u>	<u>78,842,544</u>	<u>194,296</u>	<u>4,874,013</u>	<u>4,772,662</u>	<u>(101,351)</u>
Expenditures						
Instruction	52,625,880	50,516,539	2,109,341	-	-	-
Support services	22,639,075	21,507,584	1,131,491	4,714,639	4,604,422	110,217
Community services	<u>79,754</u>	<u>198,334</u>	<u>(118,580)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total expenditures	<u>75,344,709</u>	<u>72,222,457</u>	<u>3,122,252</u>	<u>4,714,639</u>	<u>4,604,422</u>	<u>110,217</u>
Excess of revenue over expenditures	<u>3,303,539</u>	<u>6,620,087</u>	<u>3,316,548</u>	<u>159,374</u>	<u>168,240</u>	<u>8,866</u>
Other financing uses						
Transfers out	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balance	<u>\$ (1,446,461)</u>	<u>1,870,087</u>	<u>\$ 3,316,548</u>	<u>\$ 159,374</u>	<u>168,240</u>	<u>\$ 8,866</u>
Fund balance at beginning of year		<u>31,783,767</u>			<u>5,165,229</u>	
Fund balance end of year		<u>\$ 33,653,854</u>			<u>\$ 5,333,469</u>	

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Notes to Required Supplementary Information

Budgetary Data

Annual budgets for all Governmental Funds are adopted on the modified accrual basis, consistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) for local governments.

The Board of Education follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

1. The Superintendent submits to the Board of Education a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing July 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
2. Public hearings are conducted and the proposed budget is available for inspection to obtain taxpayer comments.
3. Prior to October 1 the budget is legally adopted through passage of a resolution. On or before the last Tuesday in December, a tax levy ordinance is filed with the County Clerk to obtain tax revenues.
4. The Superintendent is authorized to transfer up to 10% of the total budget between departments within any fund without Board of Education approval; however, any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any fund must be approved by the Board of Education following the public hearing process mandated by law. The budget, which was amended on May 21, 2024, was originally adopted on September 19, 2023.
5. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for all Governmental Funds.
6. The Board of Education may amend the budget (in other ways) by the same procedures required of its original adoption.
7. The budget lapses at the end of each fiscal year.

Excess of Expenditures over Budgets in Individual Funds

No expenditures exceeded the budgeted amount in the governmental funds.

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Combining Balance Sheet by Account General Fund

<i>As of June 30, 2024</i>	Educational	Operations and Maintenance	Working Cash	Tort	Total
Assets					
Cash and investments	\$ 30,043,717	\$ 5,571,857	\$ 2,463,838	\$ 34,066	\$ 38,113,478
Receivables					
Taxes receivable	23,390,805	1,781,724	-	-	25,172,529
Grants receivables	<u>274,044</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>274,044</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 53,708,566</u>	<u>\$ 7,353,581</u>	<u>\$ 2,463,838</u>	<u>\$ 34,066</u>	<u>\$ 63,560,051</u>
Liabilities					
Accounts payables	\$ 88,070	\$ 94,081	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 182,151
Accrued payroll expenditures	<u>3,017,397</u>	<u>340,265</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,357,662</u>
Total liabilities	<u>3,105,467</u>	<u>434,346</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,539,813</u>
Deferred inflow of resources					
Property taxes levied for subsequent year	<u>24,499,957</u>	<u>1,866,287</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>26,366,384</u>
Fund balances					
Restricted	317,029	-	-	33,996	351,025
Unassigned	<u>25,786,113</u>	<u>5,052,948</u>	<u>2,463,768</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>33,302,829</u>
Total fund balances	<u>26,103,142</u>	<u>5,052,948</u>	<u>2,463,768</u>	<u>33,996</u>	<u>33,653,854</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balances	<u>\$ 53,708,566</u>	<u>\$ 7,353,581</u>	<u>\$ 2,463,838</u>	<u>\$ 34,066</u>	<u>\$ 63,560,051</u>

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Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances by Account General Fund

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Educational	Operations and Maintenance	Working Cash	Tort	Total
Revenue					
Local sources					
Property taxes	\$ 46,121,228	\$ 4,678,097	\$ 1,712	\$ 1,712	\$ 50,802,749
Replacement taxes	571,618	-	-	-	571,618
Investment income	1,196,182	306,935	140,751	2,369	1,646,237
Other	<u>2,544,116</u>	<u>7,170</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,551,286</u>
Total local sources	<u>50,433,144</u>	<u>4,992,202</u>	<u>142,463</u>	<u>4,081</u>	<u>55,571,890</u>
State sources					
Evidence based funding	5,525,290	-	-	-	5,525,290
Grants-in-aid	<u>862,333</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>862,333</u>
Total state sources	<u>6,387,623</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,387,623</u>
Federal sources					
Unrestricted	<u>2,243,505</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,243,505</u>
On behalf revenues	<u>14,639,526</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,639,526</u>
Total revenues	<u>73,703,798</u>	<u>4,992,202</u>	<u>142,463</u>	<u>4,081</u>	<u>78,842,544</u>
Expenditures					
Instruction	<u>50,516,539</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>50,516,539</u>
Support services					
Pupils	5,038,255	-	-	-	5,038,255
Instructional staff	3,112,407	-	-	-	3,112,407
General administration	1,458,303	-	-	-	1,458,303
School administration	4,291,611	-	-	-	4,291,611
Business	1,500,204	4,876,209	-	-	6,376,413
Central	1,185,516	-	-	-	1,185,516
Other	<u>45,079</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>45,079</u>
Total support services	<u>16,631,375</u>	<u>4,876,209</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>21,507,584</u>
Community services	<u>40,682</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>40,682</u>
Payments to other districts and government units	<u>157,652</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>157,652</u>
Total expenditures	<u>67,346,248</u>	<u>4,876,209</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>72,222,457</u>

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Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances by Account General Fund (Continued)

Year Ended June 30, 2024	Educational	Operations and Maintenance	Working Cash	Tort	Total
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>6,357,550</u>	<u>115,993</u>	<u>142,463</u>	<u>4,081</u>	<u>6,620,087</u>
Other financing (uses)					
Transfers out	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(4,750,000)</u>
Total other financing uses	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(4,750,000)</u>
Net change in fund balance	1,607,550	115,993	142,463	4,081	1,870,087
Fund balances at beginning of year	<u>24,495,592</u>	<u>4,936,955</u>	<u>2,321,305</u>	<u>29,915</u>	<u>31,783,767</u>
Fund balances at end of year	<u>\$ 26,103,142</u>	<u>\$ 5,052,948</u>	<u>\$ 2,463,768</u>	<u>\$ 33,996</u>	<u>\$ 33,653,854</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

Year Ended June 30, 2024	Educational Account			
	2024			Variance with Final Budget
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 44,404,790	\$ 44,404,790	\$ 46,121,228	\$ 1,716,438
Replacement taxes	645,268	645,268	571,618	(73,650)
Investment income	650,000	984,529	1,196,182	211,653
Other	<u>2,600,753</u>	<u>2,600,753</u>	<u>2,544,116</u>	<u>(56,637)</u>
Total local sources	<u>48,300,811</u>	<u>48,635,340</u>	<u>50,433,144</u>	<u>1,797,804</u>
State sources				
Evidence based funding	5,521,267	5,521,267	5,525,290	4,023
Grants-in-aid	<u>113,167</u>	<u>737,167</u>	<u>862,333</u>	<u>125,166</u>
Total state sources	<u>5,634,434</u>	<u>6,258,434</u>	<u>6,387,623</u>	<u>129,189</u>
Federal sources				
Unrestricted	<u>1,744,789</u>	<u>1,744,789</u>	<u>2,243,505</u>	<u>498,716</u>
On behalf revenues	<u>16,000,000</u>	<u>16,000,000</u>	<u>14,639,526</u>	<u>(1,360,474)</u>
Total revenues	<u>71,680,034</u>	<u>72,638,563</u>	<u>73,703,798</u>	<u>1,065,235</u>
Expenditures				
Instruction	<u>52,071,477</u>	<u>52,625,880</u>	<u>50,516,539</u>	<u>2,109,341</u>
Support services				
Pupils	5,189,531	5,189,531	5,038,255	151,276
Instructional staff	3,834,190	3,886,339	3,112,407	773,932
General administration	1,384,517	1,384,517	1,458,303	(73,786)
School administration	4,372,408	4,372,408	4,291,611	80,797
Business	1,672,894	1,672,894	1,500,204	172,690
Central	1,096,923	1,096,923	1,185,516	(88,593)
Other	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>45,079</u>	<u>4,921</u>
Total support services	<u>17,600,463</u>	<u>17,652,612</u>	<u>16,631,375</u>	<u>1,021,237</u>
Community services	<u>39,754</u>	<u>39,754</u>	<u>40,682</u>	<u>(928)</u>
Payments to other districts and government units	<u>40,000</u>	<u>40,000</u>	<u>157,652</u>	<u>(117,652)</u>
Total expenditures	<u>69,751,694</u>	<u>70,358,246</u>	<u>67,346,248</u>	<u>3,011,998</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Educational Account			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Excess of revenues over expenditures	<u>1,928,340</u>	<u>2,280,317</u>	<u>6,357,550</u>	<u>4,077,233</u>
Other financing sources (uses)				
Transfers out	<u>(3,750,000)</u>	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>(4,750,000)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balance	(1,821,660)	(2,469,683)	1,607,550	4,077,233
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>24,495,592</u>	<u>24,495,592</u>	<u>24,495,592</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 22,673,932</u>	<u>\$ 22,025,909</u>	<u>\$ 26,103,142</u>	<u>\$ 4,077,233</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Operations and Maintenance Account			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 5,773,213	\$ 5,773,213	\$ 4,678,097	\$ (1,095,116)
Investment income	140,000	140,000	306,935	166,935
Other	<u>10,000</u>	<u>10,000</u>	<u>7,170</u>	<u>(2,830)</u>
Total revenues	<u>5,923,213</u>	<u>5,923,213</u>	<u>4,992,202</u>	<u>(931,011)</u>
Expenditures				
Current				
Support services				
Business	<u>4,742,670</u>	<u>4,986,463</u>	<u>4,876,209</u>	<u>110,254</u>
Net change in fund balance	1,180,543	936,750	115,993	(820,757)
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>4,936,955</u>	<u>4,936,955</u>	<u>4,936,955</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 6,117,498</u>	<u>\$ 5,873,705</u>	<u>\$ 5,052,948</u>	<u>\$ (820,757)</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Working Cash Account			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 1,736	\$ 1,736	\$ 1,712	\$ (24)
Investment income	<u>82,000</u>	<u>82,000</u>	<u>140,751</u>	<u>58,751</u>
Total revenues	<u>83,736</u>	<u>83,736</u>	<u>142,463</u>	<u>58,727</u>
Net change in fund balance	83,736	83,736	142,463	58,727
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>2,321,305</u>	<u>2,321,305</u>	<u>2,321,305</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 2,405,041</u>	<u>\$ 2,405,041</u>	<u>\$ 2,463,768</u>	<u>\$ 58,727</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

	Tort Immunity Account			
	2024			
Year Ended June 30, 2024	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 1,736	\$ 1,736	\$ 1,712	\$ (24)
Investment income	<u>1,000</u>	<u>1,000</u>	<u>2,369</u>	<u>1,369</u>
Total revenues	<u>2,736</u>	<u>2,736</u>	<u>4,081</u>	<u>1,345</u>
Net change in fund balance	2,736	2,736	4,081	1,345
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>29,915</u>	<u>29,915</u>	<u>29,915</u>	-
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 32,651</u>	<u>\$ 32,651</u>	<u>\$ 33,996</u>	<u>\$ 1,345</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Debt Service Fund			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 12,900,447	\$ 12,900,447	\$ 12,940,775	\$ 40,328
Investment income	<u>55,000</u>	<u>55,000</u>	<u>137,640</u>	<u>82,640</u>
 Total revenues	 <u>12,955,447</u>	 <u>12,955,447</u>	 <u>13,078,415</u>	 <u>122,968</u>
Expenditures				
Debt service				
Principal	4,720,156	4,720,156	9,190,000	(4,469,844)
Interest	8,009,281	8,009,281	3,539,437	4,469,844
Service fees on bonds	<u>15,850</u>	<u>15,850</u>	<u>5,100</u>	<u>10,750</u>
 Total expenditures	 <u>12,745,287</u>	 <u>12,745,287</u>	 <u>12,734,537</u>	 <u>10,750</u>
 Net change in fund balance	 210,160	 210,160	 343,878	 133,718
 Fund balance at beginning of year	 <u>6,480,273</u>	 <u>6,480,273</u>	 <u>6,480,273</u>	 <u>-</u>
 Fund balance at end of year	 <u>\$ 6,690,433</u>	 <u>\$ 6,690,433</u>	 <u>\$ 6,824,151</u>	 <u>\$ 133,718</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Transportation Fund			
	2024			Variance with Final Budget
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 2,473,490	\$ 2,473,490	\$ 2,007,503	\$ (465,987)
Earnings on investments	150,000	150,000	271,461	121,461
Other	<u>124,154</u>	<u>124,154</u>	<u>265,357</u>	<u>141,203</u>
Total local sources	<u>2,747,644</u>	<u>2,747,644</u>	<u>2,544,321</u>	<u>(203,323)</u>
State sources				
Grants-in-aid	<u>2,126,369</u>	<u>2,126,369</u>	<u>2,228,341</u>	<u>101,972</u>
Total revenues	<u>4,874,013</u>	<u>4,874,013</u>	<u>4,772,662</u>	<u>(101,351)</u>
Expenditures				
Current				
Supporting services				
Business	<u>4,606,455</u>	<u>4,714,639</u>	<u>4,604,422</u>	<u>110,217</u>
Net change in fund balance	267,558	159,374	168,240	8,866
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>5,165,229</u>	<u>5,165,229</u>	<u>5,165,229</u>	-
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 5,432,787</u>	<u>\$ 5,324,603</u>	<u>\$ 5,333,469</u>	<u>\$ 8,866</u>

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Combining Balance Sheet Nonmajor Governmental Funds

<i>As of June 30, 2024</i>	IMRF/Social Security Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Fire Prevention & Safety Fund	Total
Assets				
Cash and investments	\$ 1,303,135	\$ 1,317,076	\$ 121,751	\$ 2,741,962
Receivables				
Taxes receivable	<u>720,557</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>720,557</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 2,023,692</u>	<u>\$ 1,317,076</u>	<u>\$ 121,751</u>	<u>\$ 3,462,519</u>
Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>24,356</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ <u>24,356</u>
Deferred inflow of resources				
Property taxes levied for subsequent year	<u>754,570</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>754,570</u>
Fund balances				
Restricted	1,269,122	-	121,751	1,390,873
Assigned	<u>-</u>	<u>1,292,720</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,292,720</u>
Total fund balances	<u>1,269,122</u>	<u>1,292,720</u>	<u>121,751</u>	<u>2,683,593</u>
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balances	<u>\$ 2,023,692</u>	<u>\$ 1,317,076</u>	<u>\$ 121,751</u>	<u>\$ 3,462,519</u>

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Combining Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Nonmajor Governmental Funds

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	IMRF/Social Security Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Fire Prevention & Safety Fund	Total
Revenues				
Local Sources				
Property taxes	\$ 1,567,755	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,567,755
Investment income	62,467	195,414	6,280	264,161
Other	<u>25,000</u>	<u>247,160</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>272,160</u>
Total local sources	<u>1,655,222</u>	<u>442,574</u>	<u>6,280</u>	<u>2,104,076</u>
State Sources				
Grants-in-aid	<u>-</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>50,000</u>
Total revenues	<u>1,655,222</u>	<u>492,574</u>	<u>6,280</u>	<u>2,154,076</u>
Expenditures				
Instruction	<u>652,062</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>652,062</u>
Support Services				
Pupil	194,695	-	-	194,695
Instructional Staff	115,681	-	-	115,681
General Administration	46,245	-	-	46,245
School Administration	173,335	-	-	173,335
Business	206,135	5,257,423	-	5,463,558
Central	<u>30,211</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>30,211</u>
Total support services	<u>766,302</u>	<u>5,257,423</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,023,725</u>
Total expenditures	<u>1,418,364</u>	<u>5,257,423</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,675,787</u>
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	<u>236,858</u>	<u>(4,764,849)</u>	<u>6,280</u>	<u>(4,521,711)</u>
Other financing sources				
Transfer in	<u>-</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>
Total other financing sources	<u>-</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>
Net change in fund balance	236,858	(14,849)	6,280	228,289
Fund balances at beginning of year	<u>1,032,264</u>	<u>1,307,569</u>	<u>115,471</u>	<u>2,455,304</u>
Fund balances at end of year	\$ <u>1,269,122</u>	\$ <u>1,292,720</u>	\$ <u>121,751</u>	\$ <u>2,683,593</u>

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Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance Budget and Actual

Year Ended June 30, 2024	Municipal Retirement/Social Security Fund			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Property taxes	\$ 1,698,295	\$ 1,698,295	\$ 1,567,755	\$ (130,540)
Investment income	25,000	25,000	62,467	37,467
Other	-	-	25,000	25,000
Total revenues	<u>1,723,295</u>	<u>1,723,295</u>	<u>1,655,222</u>	<u>(68,073)</u>
Expenditures				
Instruction	<u>690,838</u>	<u>690,838</u>	<u>652,062</u>	<u>38,776</u>
Support Services				
Pupils	214,004	214,004	194,695	19,309
Instructional Staff	158,979	158,979	115,681	43,298
General Administration	48,737	48,737	46,245	2,492
School Administration	181,979	181,979	173,335	8,644
Business	202,240	202,240	206,135	(3,895)
Central	<u>26,335</u>	<u>26,335</u>	<u>30,211</u>	<u>(3,876)</u>
Total support services	<u>832,274</u>	<u>832,274</u>	<u>766,302</u>	<u>65,972</u>
Total expenditures	<u>1,523,112</u>	<u>1,523,112</u>	<u>1,418,364</u>	<u>104,748</u>
Net change in fund balance	200,183	200,183	236,858	36,675
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>1,032,264</u>	<u>1,032,264</u>	<u>1,032,264</u>	-
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 1,232,447</u>	<u>\$ 1,232,447</u>	<u>\$ 1,269,122</u>	<u>\$ 36,675</u>

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

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Capital Projects Fund			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Investment income	\$ 90,000	\$ 90,000	\$ 195,414	\$ 105,414
Other	<u>250,000</u>	<u>250,000</u>	<u>247,160</u>	<u>(2,840)</u>
Total local sources	<u>340,000</u>	<u>340,000</u>	<u>442,574</u>	<u>102,574</u>
State sources				
Restricted				
Grants-in-aid	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Total state sources	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>50,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Total revenues	<u>390,000</u>	<u>390,000</u>	<u>492,574</u>	<u>102,574</u>
Expenditures				
Current operating				
Support services				
Business	<u>4,709,777</u>	<u>5,792,000</u>	<u>5,257,423</u>	<u>534,577</u>
Deficiency of revenue under expenditures	<u>(4,319,777)</u>	<u>(5,402,000)</u>	<u>(4,764,849)</u>	<u>637,151</u>
Other Financing Sources				
Transfers in	<u>3,750,000</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Total other financing sources	<u>3,750,000</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>4,750,000</u>	<u>-</u>
Net change in fund balance	(569,777)	(652,000)	(14,849)	637,151
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>1,307,569</u>	<u>1,307,569</u>	<u>1,307,569</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 737,792</u>	<u>\$ 655,569</u>	<u>\$ 1,292,720</u>	<u>\$ 637,151</u>

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

<i>Year Ended June 30, 2024</i>	Fire Prevention & Safety Fund			
	2024			
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance with Final Budget
Revenues				
Local sources				
Investment income	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 6,280	\$ 2,280
Fund balance at beginning of year	<u>115,471</u>	<u>115,471</u>	<u>115,471</u>	<u>-</u>
Fund balance at end of year	<u>\$ 119,471</u>	<u>\$ 119,471</u>	<u>\$ 121,751</u>	<u>\$ 2,280</u>

STATISTICAL SECTION (UNAUDITED)

Financial Trends (pages 81-89)

These schedules contain trend information to help the reader understand how the District's financial performance and well being have changed over time.

Revenue Capacity (pages 90-95)

These schedules contain information to help the reader assess the District's most significant local revenue source, the property tax.

Debt Capacity (pages 96-100)

These schedules present information to help the reader assess the affordability of the District's current levels of outstanding debt and the District's ability to issue additional debt in the future.

Demographic and Economic Information (pages 101-104)

These schedules offer demographic and economic indicators to help the reader understand the environment within which the District's financial activities take place.

Operating Information (pages 105-109)

These schedules contain service and infrastructure data to help the reader understand how the information in the District's financial report relates to the services the District provides and the activities it performs.

New Lenox School District No. 122

Net Position By Component

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021
Governmental activities				
Net investment in capital assets	\$ (47,113,431)	\$ (47,217,415)	\$ (44,544,322)	\$ (52,980,096)
Restricted	13,899,518	13,078,110	12,742,583	13,743,541
Unrestricted	(2,561,853)	(13,136,268)	(19,184,765)	(19,775,691)
Total governmental activities net position (deficit)	<u>\$ (35,775,766)</u>	<u>\$ (47,275,573)</u>	<u>\$ (50,986,504)</u>	<u>\$ (59,012,246)</u>

Source of Information: Annual Financial Statements

* Note: Years prior to 2021 are reported on the modified cash basis.

2020 *	2019 *	2018 *	2017 *	2016 *	2015 *
\$ (53,474,302)	\$ (36,895,263)	\$ (37,707,997)	\$ (38,592,791)	\$ (38,007,662)	\$ (39,555,335)
6,773,381	6,703,251	5,754,694	7,193,725	7,286,060	7,448,677
(16,637,470)	29,793,157	28,956,052	23,587,947	22,425,228	19,599,786
\$ (63,338,391)	\$ (398,855)	\$ (2,997,251)	\$ (7,811,119)	\$ (8,296,374)	\$ (12,506,872)

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Changes in Net Position

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021
Expenses				
Governmental activities				
Instruction				
Regular programs	\$ 25,037,265	\$ 30,255,275	\$ 22,515,595	22,400,915
Special programs	9,119,995	8,437,187	7,061,216	6,841,851
Other instructional programs	1,291,282	1,088,602	1,505,962	605,383
State retirement contributions	12,864,571	11,847,030	14,903,247	12,136,800
Support services				
Pupils	5,806,169	5,858,996	5,325,379	5,264,418
Instructional staff	3,122,670	3,036,019	2,784,290	3,405,771
General administration	1,612,374	1,530,995	1,467,243	1,374,538
School administration	4,464,946	4,362,813	3,915,454	4,077,219
Business	4,008,115	3,074,936	3,688,569	4,485,388
Operations and maintenance	4,789,442	3,305,059	6,888,348	6,746,609
Transportation	4,604,422	4,393,234	3,899,803	3,380,849
Central	1,215,727	1,207,770	1,032,406	27,788
Other supporting services	45,079	-	-	-
Community services	40,682	59,669	65,992	24,025
Payments to other dist & govt units	157,652	36,106		
Interest and fees	7,392,544	7,920,879	8,735,056	9,858,824
Total governmental activities expenses	85,572,935	86,414,570	83,788,560	80,630,378
Program revenues				
Governmental activities				
Charges for services				
Instruction				
Regular programs	1,631,566	1,668,036	1,639,656	1,278,648
Special programs	157,549	220,871	299,282	173,013
State retirement contributions	12,864,571	11,847,030	14,903,247	12,136,800
Support services				
Transportation	24,610	13,907	14,049	12,250
Other support programs	357,983	389,397	54,990	56,600
Operating grants and contributions	5,091,895	3,918,080	6,741,782	5,650,321
Capital grants and contributions	297,160	284,341	269,850	261,900
Total governmental activities program revenues	20,425,334	18,341,662	23,922,856	19,569,532
Net expense	(65,147,601)	(68,072,908)	(59,865,704)	(61,060,846)
Governmental activities				
General revenues				
Taxes				
Real estate taxes, levied for general purposes	50,432,303	47,757,165	45,756,416	43,722,007
Real estate taxes, levied for specific purposes	3,945,704	3,198,727	3,141,700	3,864,517
Real estate taxes, levied for debt service	12,940,775	12,567,923	12,221,557	11,785,737
Personal property replacement taxes	596,618	905,785	801,371	367,645
Federal and state aid	5,525,290	5,373,000	5,224,292	5,070,147
Investment earnings	2,319,499	1,200,069	32,026	66,800
Miscellaneous	887,219	781,170	714,084	560,119
Total governmental activities general revenues and extraordinary item	76,647,408	71,783,839	67,891,446	65,436,972
Change in net position	\$ 11,499,807	\$ 3,710,931	\$ 8,025,742	\$ 4,376,126

Source of Information: Annual Financial Statements

* Note: Years prior to 2021 are reported on the modified cash basis.

2020 *	2019 *	2018 *	2017 *	2016 *	2015 *
23,629,078	20,240,236	\$ 20,617,528	\$ 19,935,319	\$ 18,703,407	\$ 22,989,302
6,617,822	6,657,338	6,475,345	5,579,513	5,047,654	4,798,628
885,702	676,508	812,521	1,293,200	1,695,141	426,844
18,809,044	17,627,495	11,305,673	8,058,412	13,082,823	8,244,772
4,745,006	4,641,878	4,533,690	4,429,339	4,381,277	4,030,123
3,346,261	3,152,900	2,758,517	2,751,623	2,193,163	2,454,416
1,496,671	1,334,296	1,311,766	1,305,750	1,278,654	1,200,723
4,104,985	3,606,807	3,530,661	3,404,084	3,316,229	3,010,444
3,342,372	5,462,340	4,819,671	4,063,712	4,327,621	4,117,113
3,996,453	4,245,248	4,404,199	3,657,431	4,033,024	4,252,206
3,774,919	3,563,755	3,715,788	3,697,332	4,014,939	4,017,226
972,193	970,188	627,903	776,763	972,193	1,398,746
-	-	-	-	154,617	506
-	-	-	-	-	-
11,900,680	9,156,206	7,888,939	8,326,082	8,606,012	8,429,556
87,621,186	81,335,195	72,802,201	67,278,560	71,806,754	69,370,605
1,084,827	1,381,442	1,290,807	1,258,937	1,131,359	1,080,009
109,832	158,318	302,018	250,540	172,371	100,047
18,809,044	17,627,495	11,305,673	8,058,412	8,606,012	8,244,772
41,911	81,145	69,898	71,840	64,856	54,453
327,739	348,549	214,102	162,281	167,118	180,546
3,579,097	3,560,721	4,981,050	4,508,521	9,748,491	4,977,346
298,740	199,140	312,650	451,657	369,728	433,357
24,251,190	23,356,810	18,476,198	14,762,188	20,259,935	15,070,530
(63,369,996)	(57,978,385)	(54,326,003)	(52,516,372)	(51,546,819)	(54,300,075)
40,700,962	39,606,072	39,717,674	37,406,500	37,169,289	36,303,582
3,848,215	4,413,190	4,196,627	3,162,987	3,048,370	2,961,993
10,936,379	10,274,023	9,439,197	8,379,862	8,222,032	8,126,454
289,850	264,791	244,765	292,519	263,332	286,037
5,070,258	4,894,589	4,758,038	2,916,269	2,870,461	2,159,621
563,440	513,633	375,820	171,780	62,390	34,080
461,688	610,483	407,750	671,710	4,121,443	208,968
61,870,792	60,576,781	59,139,871	53,001,627	55,757,317	50,080,735
\$ (1,499,204)	\$ 2,598,396	\$ 4,813,868	\$ 485,255	\$ 4,210,498	\$ (4,219,340)

New Lenox School District No. 122

Fund Balances, Governmental Funds

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020 *
General Fund					
Restricted	\$ 351,025	\$ 284,873	\$ 287,565	\$ 275,528	\$ 22,199
Assigned	-	-	-	-	2,492,537
Unassigned	33,302,829	31,498,894	28,314,671	25,158,460	27,049,746
Total general fund	<u>\$ 33,653,854</u>	<u>\$ 31,783,767</u>	<u>\$ 28,602,236</u>	<u>\$ 25,433,988</u>	<u>\$ 29,564,482</u>
All Other Governmental Funds					
Restricted	\$ 13,548,493	\$ 12,793,237	\$ 12,455,018	\$ 14,784,390	\$ 6,751,182
Assigned	1,292,720	1,307,569	1,027,315	-	5,934,884
Total all other governmental funds	<u>\$ 14,841,213</u>	<u>\$ 14,100,806</u>	<u>\$ 13,482,333</u>	<u>\$ 14,784,390</u>	<u>\$ 12,686,066</u>

Source of Information: Annual Financial Statements

* Note: Years prior to 2021 are reported on the modified cash basis.

2019 *	2018 *	2017 *	2016 *	2015 *
\$ 6,820	\$ 5,387	\$ 2,235,620	\$ 2,102,399	\$ 1,200
2,754,068	2,371,470	6,163,558	6,035,181	2,244,462
28,152,376	29,057,196	22,069,387	21,069,133	19,277,114
<u>\$ 30,913,264</u>	<u>\$ 31,434,053</u>	<u>\$ 30,468,565</u>	<u>\$ 29,206,713</u>	<u>\$ 21,522,776</u>
\$ 6,696,431	\$ 5,749,307	\$ 4,958,105	\$ 5,183,661	\$ 5,203,091
4,341,994	3,008,154	859,962	848,770	404,933
<u>\$ 11,038,425</u>	<u>\$ 8,757,461</u>	<u>\$ 5,818,067</u>	<u>\$ 6,032,431</u>	<u>\$ 5,608,024</u>

New Lenox School District No. 122

Changes in Fund Balances, Governmental Funds

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020 *
Revenues					
Local sources					
Taxes	\$ 67,318,782	\$ 63,523,815	\$ 61,119,673	\$ 59,372,261	\$ 55,485,556
Earnings on investments	2,319,499	1,200,069	32,026	66,800	563,440
Other local sources	3,660,421	4,034,318	3,559,547	2,640,195	2,426,112
Total local sources	73,298,702	68,758,202	64,711,246	62,079,256	58,475,108
State sources	23,305,490	22,214,373	22,085,714	19,394,802	25,832,463
Federal sources	2,243,505	1,971,292	4,834,752	3,532,446	1,817,583
Total revenues	98,847,697	92,943,867	91,631,712	85,006,504	86,125,154
Expenditures					
Current					
Instruction	51,115,601	48,500,704	47,319,672	41,802,414	47,765,760
Supporting services	27,740,456	26,677,189	25,855,632	25,706,840	24,594,412
Non-programmed charges	198,334	95,775	65,992	24,025	131,641
Debt service					
Principal	9,190,000	7,970,000	7,430,000	6,703,163	4,005,396
Interest and other	3,544,537	3,618,575	3,588,240	4,919,010	7,448,231
Capital outlay	4,448,275	2,281,620	3,640,286	2,133,817	1,775,620
Total expenditures	96,237,203	89,143,863	87,899,822	81,289,269	85,721,060
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenditures	2,610,494	3,800,004	3,731,890	3,717,235	404,094
Other Financing Sources (Uses)					
Proceeds from borrowing	-	-	77,285,000	-	14,430,000
Payments to escrow agent	-	-	(87,588,930)	-	(15,042,927)
Premium on bonds sold	-	-	8,438,231	-	-
Sale of capital assets	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers in	4,750,000	2,700,000	2,025,000	5,231,579	4,483,253
Transfers out	(4,750,000)	(2,700,000)	(2,025,000)	(5,231,579)	(4,483,253)
Other	-	-	-	-	507,692
Total other financing sources (uses)	-	-	(1,865,699)	-	(105,235)
Net change in fund balances	\$ 2,610,494	\$ 3,800,004	\$ 1,866,191	\$ 3,717,235	\$ 298,859
Debt service as a percentage of noncapital expenditures	13.87%	13.34%	13.08%	14.30%	14.16%

Source of information: Annual Financial Statements

* Note: Years prior to 2021 are reported on the modified cash basis.

2019 *	2018 *	2017 *	2016 *	2015 *
\$ 54,293,285	\$ 53,353,498	\$ 48,949,349	\$ 48,703,023	\$ 47,678,066
513,633	375,820	171,780	62,390	34,080
2,885,649	2,673,778	3,027,936	2,126,875	2,197,010
57,692,567	56,403,096	52,149,065	50,892,288	49,909,156
24,623,757	19,669,259	13,941,270	19,812,019	13,587,144
1,617,706	1,543,714	1,673,480	1,658,420	1,794,595
83,934,030	77,616,069	67,763,815	72,362,727	65,290,895
45,075,211	37,889,576	32,878,978	37,559,269	33,477,718
23,275,566	23,073,394	22,006,812	21,622,146	22,296,447
96,936	92,202	464,335	732,260	1,154,566
3,233,177	3,505,797	2,599,181	1,561,544	1,669,686
7,197,094	5,796,119	6,258,381	6,576,128	6,432,259
3,526,167	3,820,417	4,375,356	2,207,679	2,483,782
82,404,151	74,177,505	68,583,043	70,259,026	67,514,458
1,529,879	3,438,564	(819,228)	2,103,701	(2,223,563)
15,250,000	-	-	2,020,000	-
(15,019,704)	-	-	(2,015,357)	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	6,000,000	447,549
3,583,253	4,464,016	2,266,679	1,800,000	1,500,000
(3,583,253)	(4,464,016)	(2,266,679)	(1,800,000)	(1,500,000)
-	466,318	1,866,716	-	-
230,296	466,318	1,866,716	6,004,643	447,549
\$ 1,760,175	\$ 3,904,882	\$ 1,047,488	\$ 8,108,344	\$ (1,776,014)
13.01%	13.22%	13.80%	11.96%	12.46%

New Lenox School District Number 122

Equalized Assessed Valuation and Estimated Actual Value of Taxable Property Last Ten Tax Levy Years

Tax Levy Year	Equalized Assessed Valuation	Amount of Increase/ (Decrease) Over Previous Year	Percentage Increase/ (Decrease) Over Previous Year	Actual Estimated Value*		
2023	\$ 1,792,727,469	109,151,550	6.48%	5,378,182,407		
2022	1,683,575,919	111,362,070	7.08%	5,050,727,757		
2021	1,572,213,849	71,993,685	4.80%	4,716,641,547		
2020	1,500,220,164	58,285,884	4.04%	4,500,660,492		
2019	1,441,934,280	67,706,313	4.93%	4,325,802,840		
2018	1,374,227,967	55,344,991	4.20%	4,122,683,901		
2017	1,318,882,976	47,690,410	3.75%	3,956,648,928		
2016	1,271,192,566	54,828,829	4.51%	3,813,577,698		
2015	1,216,363,737	26,418,833	2.22%	3,649,091,211		
2014	1,189,944,904	4,491,680	38.00%	3,569,834,712		
Tax Levy Year	Residential	Farm	Commercial	Industrial	Railroad	Total
2023	1,601,895,661	7,803,214	125,585,967	56,015,995	1,426,632	1,792,727,469
2022	1,494,552,511	7,259,735	125,674,012	54,692,217	1,397,444	1,683,575,919
2021	1,384,981,129	6,696,014	124,604,322	54,652,420	1,279,964	1,572,213,849
2020	1,314,476,236	6,426,946	126,367,919	54,677,571	1,271,492	1,500,220,164
2019	1,261,103,085	6,168,305	121,159,921	52,245,474	1,257,495	1,441,934,280
2018	1,203,936,012	5,696,408	112,800,134	50,509,160	1,286,253	1,374,227,967
2017	1,152,450,757	5,371,643	109,209,641	50,619,986	1,230,949	1,318,882,976
2016	1,104,002,491	5,080,702	110,231,299	50,486,512	1,391,562	1,271,192,566
2015	1,050,949,060	4,910,850	108,333,636	50,786,700	1,383,491	1,216,363,737
2014	1,023,779,898	4,689,563	109,110,920	51,126,235	1,238,288	1,189,944,904

* Equalized Assessed Valuation is one-third of the Actual Estimated Value.

Source of information: Will County County Clerk, IL
Rate and Extension Reports for the years 2014 to 2023

New Lenox School District Number 122

Property Tax Rates -Representative Direct and Overlapping Governments Last Ten Tax Levy Years

	2023	2022	2021	2020
Overlapping Governments				
Will County	\$ 0.5495	\$ 0.5620	\$ 0.5761	\$ 0.5788
Will County Forest Preserve District	0.1164	0.1257	0.1339	0.1443
Will County Public Building Commission	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
New Lenox Township	0.0792	0.0810	0.0830	0.0844
New Lenox Township Road Fund	0.1702	0.0950	0.0977	0.0997
Village of New Lenox	0.3045	0.3114	0.3133	0.3182
Village of New Lenox Road & Bridge	0.0795	0.0795	0.0809	0.0824
New Lenox Community Park District	0.2333	0.2338	0.2339	0.2368
New Lenox Public Library District	0.2092	0.2103	0.2120	0.2157
New Lenox Fire Protection District	0.5861	0.5902	0.5953	0.5923
High School District #210	2.1908	2.1877	2.1986	2.1911
Community College District #525	0.2818	0.2876	0.2848	0.2891
Total Overlapping Governments	4.8005	4.7642	4.8095	4.8328
NEW LENOX SCHOOL DISTRICT 122	3.8449	3.8884	3.9546	4.0160
Total Tax Rate	\$ 8.6454	\$ 8.6526	\$ 8.7641	\$ 8.8488
NEW LENOX SCHOOL DISTRICT 122				
Percentage of Total Tax Rate	44%	45%	45%	45%

Source of information: Will County Clerk, IL

	2019		2018		2017		2016		2015		2014
\$	0.5842	\$	0.5927	\$	0.5986	\$	0.6121	\$	0.6140	\$	0.6210
	0.1462		0.1504		0.1895		0.1944		0.1937		0.1977
	0.0000		0.0000		0.0000		0.0026		0.0218		0.0223
	0.0861		0.0878		0.0892		0.0903		0.0924		0.0924
	0.1002		0.1045		0.1020		0.1043		0.1080		0.1093
	0.3201		0.3263		0.3291		0.3297		0.3358		0.3338
	0.0833		0.0863		0.0899		0.0903		0.0943		0.0926
	0.2378		0.2391		0.2418		0.2414		0.2446		0.2452
	0.1497		0.2239		0.2321		0.2349		0.2415		0.2427
	0.5769		0.5771		0.3907		0.3904		0.3971		0.3954
	2.1550		2.1292		2.1207		2.1189		2.1594		2.1394
	0.2938		0.2924		0.2994		0.3099		0.3065		0.3085
	4.7333		4.8097		4.6830		4.7192		4.8091		4.8003
	4.0237		4.0701		4.0208		3.9779		4.0494		4.0293
\$	8.7570	\$	8.8798	\$	8.7038	\$	8.6971	\$	8.8585	\$	8.8296
	46%		46%		46%		46%		46%		46%

New Lenox School District Number 122

Principal Taxpayers in the District Current Tax Year and Nine Years Ago

Rank	Name	Type of Business or Property	2023 Equalized Assessed Valuation*	Percent of District's Total EAV
1	Silver Cross Hospital & Med Center	Hospital and medical center	\$16,264,256	0.91%
2	2400 Haven LLC	Michael's distribution warehouse	7,070,000	0.40%
3	Wal-Mart Stores Inc.	Discount Department Store	4,132,000	0.23%
4	TCH Cherry Hills LLC	Industrial Property	2,772,957	0.16%
5	HCRI Illinois Properties	Healthcare corporation	2,674,067	0.15%
6	Lowe's Home Centers Inc	Home Improvement center-lumber	2,574,970	0.14%
7	Target Corp.	Discount Department Store	2,488,880	0.14%
8	2301 Ellis Industrial Inc.	Industrial Warehouse/Distribution	2,320,000	0.13%
9	Life Storage LP	Storage Units	2,221,322	0.12%
10	Agree New Lenox 2 LLC		<u>2,086,070</u>	<u>0.12%</u>
			<u>\$44,604,522</u>	<u>2.50%</u>

* These figures were compiled using the Top Taxpayer Report from Will County Clerk's Office

Rank	Name	Type of Business or Property	2014 Equalized Assessed Valuation	Percent of District's Total EAV
1	2400 Haven LLC	Michael's distribution warehouse	\$8,000,000	0.67%
2	Silver Cross Hospital & Med Center	Hospital and med center	9,257,660	0.78%
3	WAL-MART Stores Inc.	Discount department store	6,330,000	0.53%
4	Metro Chicago Ind. Acqstn Corp.	Industrial property - Distribution warehouse	5,093,159	0.43%
5	Cherry Hill LLC and Cherry Hill HF LLC	Warehouses	4,761,130	0.40%
6	Century Oaks LLC	Vacant land	4,055,550	0.34%
7	Lowe's Home Centers	Home improvement center-lumber, hardware, garden center etc.	3,367,888	0.28%
8	Target Corp. T-2028	Discount department store	3,301,922	0.28%
9	Albertson's - Eagle New Lenox Realty and Jewel Food Stores Inc.	Supermarkets	3,166,016	0.27%
10	24 North New Lenox	Commercial property	<u>2,802,500</u>	<u>0.24%</u>
			<u>\$50,135,825</u>	<u>4.23%</u>

*The figures above include only those parcels with EAVs of approximately \$300,000 and over as recorded in the County Assessor's Office. They were compiled from a meticulous page by page search of a listing of such records. It is possible, however, that certain smaller parcels have been overlooked.

Source: Will County Clerk and New Lenox Township Assessor's Offices

New Lenox School District Number 122

Schedule of Property Tax Rates, Extensions and Collections

Last Ten Tax Levy Years

	2023	2022	2021	2020
Rates extended				
Education	2.7086	2.5375	2.6917	2.5968
Operations, building, maintenance	0.2083	0.3326	0.3333	0.3400
Transportation	0.0896	0.1425	0.0158	0.1640
Working Cash	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
Illinois municipal retirement/ Social security	0.0373	0.0430	0.0428	0.0437
Tort/Liability Insurance	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
Special education	0.0204	0.0206	0.0196	0.0200
Lease/Purchase	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
Bond and interest	0.7295	0.7554	0.7929	0.7982
PA 102 0519 ADJ	0.0042	0.0031	0.0062	0.0000
Total rates extended	3.8449	3.8884	3.9546	4.0160
Property tax extensions				
Education	\$ 48,557,816	\$ 42,720,739	\$ 42,319,280	\$ 38,957,717
Operations, building, maintenance	3,734,251	5,599,573	5,240,189	5,100,749
Transportation	1,606,284	2,399,096	248,410	2,460,361
Working Cash	1,793	1,684	1,572	1,500
Illinois municipal retirement/ Social security	668,687	723,938	672,908	655,596
Tort/Liability Insurance	837,204	899,029	817,551	795,117
Special education	1,793	1,684	1,572	1,500
Lease/Purchase	365,716	346,817	308,154	300,044
Bond and interest	1,793	1,683	1,572	1,500
PA 102 0519 ADJ	13,077,947	12,717,732	12,466,084	11,974,757
	75,295	52,191	97,477	-
Total levies extended	\$ 68,928,579	\$ 65,464,166	\$ 62,174,769	\$ 60,248,842
Total collections	\$ 36,024,498	\$ 65,317,644	\$ 62,069,346	\$ 60,083,363
Percentage of current extensions collected	52.26%	99.78%	99.83%	99.73%
Percentage of total extensions collected	52.26%	99.78%	99.83%	99.73%

Source of information: Will County Clerk

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
2.6032	2.6338	2.5684	2.6791	2.7481	2.7370
0.3410	0.3178	0.3417	0.3306	0.3374	0.3361
0.1652	0.1962	0.2413	0.1653	0.1686	0.1680
0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
0.0439	0.0519	0.0603	0.0471	0.0430	0.0428
0.0534	0.0519	0.0603	0.0511	0.0430	0.0428
0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
0.0198	0.0201	0.0203	0.0195	0.0200	0.0200
0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001	0.0001
0.7969	0.7981	0.7282	0.6849	0.6890	0.6823
0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
4.0237	4.0701	4.0208	3.9779	4.0494	4.0293
\$ 37,536,433	\$ 36,194,416	\$ 33,874,190	\$ 34,056,520	\$ 33,426,892	\$ 32,568,792
4,916,996	4,367,296	4,506,623	4,202,563	4,104,011	3,999,404
2,382,075	2,696,235	3,182,465	2,101,281	2,050,789	1,999,107
1,442	1,374	1,319	1,271	1,216	1,190
633,009	713,224	795,286	598,731	523,036	509,296
769,993	713,224	795,286	649,579	523,036	509,296
1,442	1,374	1,319	1,271	1,216	1,190
285,503	276,220	267,733	247,883	243,273	237,988
1,442	1,374	1,319	1,271	1,216	1,190
11,490,774	10,967,713	9,604,106	8,706,397	8,380,746	8,118,994
-	-	-	-	-	-
\$ 58,019,109	\$ 55,932,450	\$ 53,029,646	\$ 50,566,767	\$ 49,255,431	\$ 47,946,447
\$ 57,919,325	\$ 55,911,633	\$ 53,014,632	\$ 50,516,045	\$ 49,192,930	\$ 47,841,917
99.83%	99.96%	99.97%	99.90%	99.87%	99.78%
99.83%	99.96%	99.97%	99.90%	99.87%	99.78%

New Lenox School District No. 122

Outstanding Debt by Type

Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Tax Levy Year	General Obligation Bonds	Installment Contract	Totals	Percentage of Personal Income	Outstanding Debt Per Capita
2024	2023	\$ 124,288,685	-	124,288,685	6.17%	2,914
2023	2022	132,894,263	-	132,894,263	6.67%	3,123
2022	2021	139,717,341	-	139,717,341	7.09%	3,291
2021	2020	141,565,168	-	141,565,168	7.50%	3,395
2020	2019	132,703,150	116,580	132,819,730	7.28%	3,235
2019	2018	135,720,288	699,838	136,420,126	7.48%	3,322
2018	2017	137,450,204	1,282,802	138,733,006	7.96%	3,415
2017	2016	140,372,448	1,400,037	141,772,485	8.74%	3,514
2016	2015	142,504,950	-	142,504,950	9.36%	3,581
2015	2014	144,036,495	-	144,036,495	10.17%	3,660

Source of information: Annual Financial Statements

New Lenox School District No. 122
Ratio of General Bonded Debt to Assessed Valuation and
Net General Bonded Debt Per Capita
Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Tax Levy Year	General Bonded Debt	Less Amount Available in Debt Service Fund	Net General Bonded Debt	Equalized Assessed Valuation	Percentage of Net General Bonded Debt to Assessed Valuation	Estimated population	Net Bonded Debt Per Capita	Percentage of Net General Bonded Debt to Personal Income
2024	2023	\$ 124,288,685	\$ 6,824,151	\$ 117,464,534	\$ 1,792,727,469	6.55%	42,658	\$ 2,754	5.83%
2023	2022	132,894,263	6,480,273	126,413,990	1,683,575,919	7.51%	42,558	\$ 2,970	6.34%
2022	2021	139,717,341	5,444,801	134,272,540	1,572,213,849	8.54	42,457	3,163	6.82%
2021	2020	141,565,168	6,106,946	135,458,222	1,500,220,164	9.03	41,061	3,299	7.17%
2020	2019	132,703,150	5,813,888	126,889,262	1,441,934,280	8.80	41,061	3,090	6.95%
2019	2018	135,720,288	5,794,500	129,925,788	1,374,227,967	9.45	40,620	3,199	7.46%
2018	2017	137,450,205	5,069,254	132,380,951	1,318,882,976	10.04	40,348	3,281	8.16%
2017	2016	140,372,449	4,320,019	136,052,430	1,271,192,566	10.70	39,791	3,419	8.94%
2016	2015	142,504,951	4,317,795	138,187,156	1,216,363,737	11.36	39,352	3,512	9.76%
2015	2014	144,036,495	4,220,425	139,816,070	1,189,944,904	11.75	38,889	3,595	10.06%

Source of information: Annual financial statements 2015 to 2024.

New Lenox School District Number 122

Direct and Overlapping General Obligation Bonded Debt

June 30, 2024

<u>Overlapping Agencies</u>	<u>Outstanding Bonds</u>	<u>Estimated % Applicable</u>	<u>Amount Applicable (1)</u>
Will County	\$358,200,000 (3)	6.578%	\$23,562,396
Will County Forest Preserve	56,320,000	6.578%	3,704,730
Homer Township	0 (3)	0.021%	0
New Lenox Township	814,641 (3)	94.103%	766,602
Library Districts:			
Homer Twp Public Library	0 (3)	0.021%	0
Fire Protection Districts:			
Homer Twp Fire	1,868,000 (3)	0.048%	897
Municipalities:			
City of Joliet	105,832,268	2.811%	2,974,945
Village of Mokena	4,870,000 (3)	13.452%	655,112
Village of New Lenox	36,584,251 (1)	96.554%	35,323,558
Park Districts:			
Joliet Park District	33,186,720	0.026%	8,629
Mokena Community Park District	5,137,155	14.653%	752,747
New Lenox Community Park District	2,397,510	93.999%	2,253,635
School Districts:			
Joliet HSD #204	76,625,000	1.453%	1,113,361
Lockport HSD #205	4,550,000	0.012%	546
Lincoln-Way HSD #210	192,834,579 (2)	34.249%	66,043,915
Joliet Community College District #525	44,535,000 (3)	6.718%	2,991,861
Total Overlapping General Obligation Bonded Debt			140,152,934
NEW LENOX SCHOOL DISTRICT 122	107,819,743 (2)	100.000%	107,819,743
Total Direct and Overlapping General Obligation Bonded Debt			<u>\$ 247,972,677</u>

(1) Excludes outstanding debt certificates

(2) Includes outstanding general obligation bonds and original principal amounts of outstanding Capital Appreciation Bonds.

(3) Excludes principal amounts of outstanding General Obligation Alternate Revenue Source Bonds which are expected to be paid from sources other than general taxation.

Source: Office of the Will County Clerk

New Lenox School District No. 122

Legal Debt Margin Information

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Debt limit	\$ 123,698,195	\$ 116,166,738	\$ 108,482,756	\$ 103,515,191	\$ 99,493,465
Total net debt applicable to limit	17,270,849	18,744,727	21,210,199	33,313,054	126,889,262
Legal debt margin	106,427,346	97,422,011	87,272,557	70,202,137	(27,395,797)
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	13.96%	16.14%	19.55%	32.18%	127.54%

Legal Debt Margin calculation for fiscal year June 30, 2024

Assessed valuation of taxable properties
for the tax year 2023

\$ 1,792,727,469 \$ 1,792,727,469

Rate

15.0%

6.9%

Bonded debt limit

268,909,120

123,698,195

Debt subject to limitation:

General obligation bonds payable

16,468,942

24,095,000

Total debt subject to limitation

16,468,942

24,095,000

Less Debt Service Fund balance

(6,824,151)

Net Debt outstanding

subject to limitation

16,468,942

17,270,849

Legal bonded debt margin

at June 30, 2024

\$ 252,440,178

\$ 106,427,346

Source of Information: Annual Financial Statements

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
\$	94,821,730	\$ 91,002,925	\$ 87,712,287	\$ 83,929,098	\$ 82,106,198
	129,925,788	132,380,951	136,052,430	138,187,156	139,816,070
	(35,104,058)	(41,378,026)	(48,340,143)	(54,258,058)	(57,709,872)
	137.02%	145.47%	155.11%	164.65%	170.29%

New Lenox School District Number 122

Demographic and Miscellaneous Statistics

Last Ten Calendar Years

Calendar Year	Estimated Population	Estimated Personal Income	Estimated Per Capita Personal Income	Unemployment Rate*
2023	42,658	\$ 2,015,419,868	\$ 47,246	4.0%
2022	42,558	1,992,523,002	46,819	3.9%
2021	42,457	1,969,834,972	46,396	4.4%
2020	41,693	1,888,359,356	45,292	7.8%
2019	41,061	1,824,915,084	44,444	3.2%
2018	40,620	1,742,354,280	42,894	3.5%
2017	40,348	1,622,554,472	40,214	4.0%
2016	39,791	1,522,562,824	38,264	4.9%
2015	39,352	1,415,963,664	35,982	5.3%
2014	38,889	1,390,242,861	35,749	6.6%

Source of Information: National Center for Education Statistics
EDGE - Education Demographic and Geographic Estimates
which uses the U.S. Census Bureau's American Community Survey's
5- year annual averages. (i.e. for 2021, 2017-2021)

New Lenox School District Number 122

Principal Employers Current Year and Nine Years Ago

Employer	2024		
	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Village Employment
Silver Cross Hospital	3,469	1	23.28%
New Lenox School District 122	601	2	4.03%
Lincoln Way High School District 210	436	3	2.93%
Michaels Procurement Center	350	4	2.35%
Walmart Supercenter	338	5	2.27%
Trinity Services, Inc.	329	6	2.21%
Jewel Food Stores (2)	326	7	2.19%
New Lenox Park District	239	8	1.60%
WestRock	215	9	1.44%
Target	185	10	1.24%
Total	6,488		43.54%

** Using the Illinois Department of Employment Security reports the estimated number of persons employed in the District in 2022 is 17,784, the most current data available.

Data Sources:

Village Records

Official Employer Website

Data Axle Reference Solutions

Employer	2015		
	Employees	Rank	Percentage of Total Village Employment
Silver Cross Hospital	2,216	1	16.90%
New Lenox Community Park District	596	2	4.55%
New Lenox School District 122	533	3	4.07%
Lincoln Way High School District 210	460	4	3.51%
Jewel-Osco (2 locations)	350	5	2.67%
Trinity Services, Inc.	300	6	2.29%
Silver Oaks Behavioral Hospital	286	7	2.18%
Michaels Distribution Center	259	8	1.98%
Walmart Supercenter	255	9	1.94%
WestRock (formerly Rock-Tenn)	159	10	1.21%
Target	153	11	1.17%
Providence Catholic High School	139	12	1.06%
Total	5,706		43.52%

The Illinois Department of Employment Security reported that the number of persons employed in the Village in 2014 was 13,111.

Source of Information: Village of New Lenox 2014 Official Statement

New Lenox School District No. 122

Number of Full-Time Employees

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Administration					
Superintendent	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Assistant Superintendent, Associate,	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
District Administration	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0
Principals and Assistants	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0	20.0
Total Administration	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0	28.0
Teachers					
K - 5 and 6 - 8	244.0	245.0	251.0	244.0	237.0
Special Education (LD)	96.6	92.0	88.4	83.5	79.0
Nurse	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0	12.0
Instructional Media Center Directors	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0
Speech Pathologists	16.0	16.0	15.0	14.0	14.0
Counselors	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Teachers	372.6	369.0	370.4	357.5	346.0
Other Supporting Staff					
Clerical	42.0	42.0	45.0	44.0	44.0
Custodial and Maintenance	20.0	20.0	18.0	19.0	19.0
Food Service Workers *	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Lunchroom and Playground Aides *	35.0	33.0	33.0	33.0	33.0
Paraprofessionals	97.5	96.2	93.2	86.2	90.7
Other Salaries	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Total Other Supporting Staff	194.5	191.2	189.2	182.2	186.7
Total	595.1	588.2	587.6	567.7	560.7

* These positions require less than an 4 hour day.

Source: District personnel records

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0
7.0	6.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0	16.0
25.0	24.0	23.0	23.0	24.0
237.0	231.0	252.0	251.0	261.0
75.0	82.0	51.0	50.0	46.0
12.0	14.0	14.0	14.0	13.0
4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	6.0
15.0	15.0	15.0	15.0	16.0
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
343.0	346.0	336.0	334.0	342.0
42.0	45.0	45.00	45.00	36.00
17.0	17.0	17.00	17.00	17.00
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.0
33.0	33.0	33.00	32.00	32.00
85.0	87.0	80.00	74.00	66.00
0.0	0.0	7.0	7.0	23.0
177.0	182.0	182.0	175.0	184.0
545.0	552.0	541.0	532.0	550.0

New Lenox School District No. 122

School Building Information

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Alex M. Martino Jr. High					
Grounds area (acres)	16	16	16	16	16
Buildings (square feet)	94,525	94,525	94,525	94,525	94,525
Available capacity (students)	850	850	850	850	850
Enrollment (students housed)	572	572	588	552	563
Arnold J. Tyler					
Grounds area (acres)	14	14	14	14	14
Buildings (square feet)	52,646	52,646	52,646	52,646	52,646
Available capacity (students)	494	494	494	494	494
Enrollment (students housed)	371	371	351	360	378
Caroline Bentley					
Grounds area (acres)	14	14	14	14	14
Buildings (square feet)	57,864	57,864	57,864	57,864	57,864
Available capacity (students)	588	588	588	588	588
Enrollment (students housed)	370	370	370	384	412
Cherry Hill Early Childhood Center					
Grounds area (acres)	10	10	10	10	10
Buildings (square feet)	45,843	45,843	45,843	45,843	45,843
Available capacity (students)	336	336	336	336	336
Enrollment (students housed)	154	154	129	143	156
Haines Elementary					
Grounds area (acres)	4	4	4	4	4
Buildings (square feet)	56,869	56,869	56,869	56,869	56,869
Available capacity (students)	572	572	572	572	572
Enrollment (students housed)	368	368	347	347	350
Liberty Jr. High					
Grounds area (acres)	15	15	15	15	15
Buildings (square feet)	112,895	112,895	112,895	112,895	112,895
Available capacity (students)	850	850	850	850	850
Enrollment (students housed)	591	591	604	639	635
Nelson Prairie					
Grounds area (acres)	12	12	12	12	12
Buildings (square feet)	60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600
Available capacity (students)	598	598	598	598	598
Enrollment (students housed)	396	396	413	414	435

Source of information: District records

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
16	16	16	16	16
94,525	94,525	94,525	94,525	94,525
850	850	850	850	850
575	571	592	590	598
14	14	14	14	14
52,646	52,646	52,646	52,646	52,646
494	494	494	494	494
364	309	329	347	350
14	14	14	14	14
57,864	57,864	57,864	57,864	57,864
588	588	588	588	588
402	359	361	395	407
10	10	10	10	10
45,843	45,843	45,843	45,843	45,843
336	336	336	336	336
180	141	135	104	103
4	4	4	4	4
56,869	56,869	56,869	56,869	56,869
572	572	572	572	572
383	418	441	439	463
15	15	15	15	15
112,895	112,895	112,895	112,895	112,895
850	850	850	850	850
636	665	680	671	674
12	12	12	12	12
60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600
598	598	598	598	598
441	410	427	417	443

New Lenox School District No. 122

School Building Information

Last Ten Fiscal Years

	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
Nelson Ridge					
Grounds area (acres)	15	15	15	15	15
Buildings (square feet)	60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600
Available capacity (students)	644	644	644	644	644
Enrollment (students housed)	467	467	487	437	470
Oster Oakview					
Grounds area (acres)	14	14	14	14	14
Buildings (square feet)	68,236	68,236	68,236	68,236	68,236
Available capacity (students)	532	532	532	532	532
Enrollment (students housed)	369	369	372	379	443
Spencer Crossing					
Grounds area (acres)	20	20	20	20	20
Buildings (square feet)	68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458
Available capacity (students)	672	672	672	672	672
Enrollment (students housed)	503	503	431	393	442
Spencer Pointe					
Grounds area (acres)	20	20	20	20	20
Buildings (square feet)	68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458
Available capacity (students)	624	624	624	624	624
Enrollment (students housed)	488	488	494	481	496
Spencer Trail					
Grounds area (acres)	20	20	20	20	20
Buildings (square feet)	46,708	46,708	46,708	46,708	46,708
Available capacity (students)	336	336	336	336	336
Enrollment (students housed)	382	382	431	400	562

Source of information: District records

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
15	15	15	15	15
60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600	60,600
644	644	644	644	644
459	468	467	489	505
14	14	14	14	14
68,236	68,236	68,236	68,236	68,236
532	532	532	532	532
447	475	452	492	491
20	20	20	20	20
68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458
672	672	672	672	672
459	475	456	461	449
20	20	20	20	20
68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458	68,458
624	624	624	624	624
457	475	442	431	409
20	20	20	20	20
46,708	46,708	46,708	46,708	46,708
336	336	336	336	336
448	474	414	437	465

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Operating Statistics

Last Ten Fiscal Years

Fiscal Year Ended June 30,	Total Expenditures	Less Non- Operating Expenditures	Operating Expenditures	Average Daily Attendance	Operating Expenditures Per Pupil
2024	\$ 75,892,002	\$ 11,920,444	\$ 63,971,558	4,485	\$ 14,263
2023	71,174,327	9,442,541	61,731,786	4,502	13,712
2022	70,115,400	9,816,812	60,298,588	4,524	13,329
2021	66,583,227	8,404,201	58,179,026	4,544	12,803
2020	64,510,724	5,817,422	58,693,302	5,099	11,511
2019	61,250,489	4,853,631	56,396,858	4,735	11,911
2018	59,123,294	5,264,573	53,858,721	4,992	10,789
2017	58,064,385	5,851,633	52,212,752	4,838	10,792
2016	55,365,262	4,119,818	51,245,444	4,841	10,586
2015	56,826,369	4,138,223	52,688,146	4,854	10,855

Source: Illinois State Board of Education Annual Financial Report