AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Financial Statements
June 30, 2015

and

Independent Auditor's Report

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the School Board Amherst, New Hampshire School District

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Amherst, New Hampshire School District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility 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; this includes 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

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 Amherst, New Hampshire School District, as of June 30, 2015, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information, schedule of funding progress for other post-employment benefits, schedule of changes in the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability, and schedule of District contributions on pages i-vi and 23-27 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures 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.

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Manchester, New Hampshire

December 11, 2015

Presented herewith please find the Management Discussion & Analysis Report for the Amherst, New Hampshire School District (the District) for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015. The responsibility for accuracy of the data, the completeness and fairness of this documentation (including all disclosures) rests with management. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the data contained herein is accurate in all material aspects. This report and its content have been designed to fairly present the District's financial position, including the results of operations of all the funds of the District. All the disclosures necessary to enable and to assist the reader in acquiring an accurate understanding of the District's financial activities have been included.

The District is responsible for establishing accounting and internal control structures designed to ensure that the physical, data, informational, intellectual, and human resource assets of the District are protected from loss, theft, and misuse, and to ensure that adequate accounting information is maintained and reported in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Management also strives to ensure that these assets are put to good and effective use. The internal control structure is designed to provide reasonable assurances that these objectives are attained.

Overview of the Financial Statements

The financial statements presented herein include all of the activities of the District using the integrated approach as prescribed by GASB Statement 34.

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

- 1. Government-wide financial statements
- 2. Fund financial statements
- 3. Notes to the basic financial statements

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 most private-sector companies.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the District's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, with the remaining difference reported as net position. Over time, increases and decreases 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 District's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into account regardless of when cash is received or paid.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain the control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District uses fund accounting to ensure and to demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All the funds of the District are included in two categories, governmental and fiduciary funds.

Governmental funds: Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of expendable resources, as well as on balances of expendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating the District's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, our readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental funds Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between the governmental activities Statement of Net Position and Statement of Activities, respectively.

The District maintains numerous individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances for the General Fund and Federal Projects Fund, which are considered major funds of the District. Data for the other governmental funds such as the Food Service Fund and Capital Projects Fund is combined into a single, aggregate presentation.

The District adopts an annual appropriation budget for its governmental funds. A budgetary comparison has been provided for the General Fund to demonstrate compliance with this budget. Budgetary information has not been included in these financial statements for the Federal Projects Fund as it is neither practical nor meaningful.

Fiduciary funds: Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside of the general School District's operating budget. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of those funds are not available to support the District's own programs.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

Other Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information which is required to be disclosed by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Financial Highlights

As of the close of the fiscal year, total assets and deferred outflows of resources were exceeded by liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by (\$13,078,330) (i.e., net position), a decrease of (\$25,389) from the previous year.

Total Governmental Funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$1,130,239, a decrease of (\$92,896) from the previous year.

The General Fund shows a year end fund balance of \$1,130,208, a decrease of (\$106,485) from the previous year.

The Nonmajor Governmental Funds show a fund balance of \$31, an increase of \$13,589 from the previous year.

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

During the year ended June 30, 2015, the District adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68 - Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions. Under GASB Statement 68, the District is required to report its proportional share of the New Hampshire Retirement Systems unfunded pension liability as 'Net Pension Liability' on the government-wide financial statements. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2014, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. See the notes to the basic financial statements for further information.

Statement of Net Position for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2015 and 2014:

	FY 2015	FY 2014
Capital and other assets:		
Capital assets, net	\$ 9,141,408	\$ 9,641,206
Other assets	1,318,141	1,540,239
Total Assets	10,459,549	11,181,445
Deferred Outflows of Resources:		
Deferred outflows related to pension	1,375,116	1,358,604
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	1,375,116	1,358,604
Long-term and other liabilities:		
Bonds payable	4,079,162	4,492,800
Compensated absences	1,488,442	1,347,792
Other post-employment benefits	567,759	374,639
Net pension liability	15,719,086	18,990,078
Other liabilities	231,830	369,810
Total Liabilities	22,086,279	25,575,119
Deferred Inflows of Resources:		
Unearned grant revenue	205	473
Unearned food service revenue	17,781	15,048
Other unearned revenue	2,990	2,350
Deferred inflows related to pension	2,805,740	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	2,826,716	17,871

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Net investment in capital assets	5,062,246	5,148,406
Restricted	31	31
Unrestricted (deficit)	(18,140,607)	(18,201,378)
Total Net Position	\$(13,078,330)	\$(13,052,941)

Statement of Activities for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2015 and 2014:

	FY 2015	FY 2014
Program revenues:		
Charges for services	\$ 1,651,428	\$ 1,770,674
Operating grants and contributions	955,666	1,040,054
Capital grants and contributions	145,416	96,529
Total Program revenues	2,752,510	2,907,257
General revenues:		
Property taxes	18,889,809	19,007,753
State adequacy grant	2,052,230	
Interest income	, ,	2,252,927
Miscellaneous	10,687 61,411	7,386 342,977
Total General revenues	21,014,137	
Total Revenues Total Revenues	23,766,647	21,611,043 24,518,300
Total Revenues	23,700,047	
Expenses:		
Instruction	14,379,675	16,256,923
Supporting services	2,658,771	1,138,383
Instructional staff services	537,614	555,648
General administration	3,012,599	2,871,164
Operation and maintenance of plant	1,672,436	1,882,335
Pupil transportation	773,169	713,983
Food service	409,704	454,699
Other miscellaneous	2,669	7,412
Debt service	147,252	159,646
Total Expenses	23,593,889	24,040,193
Increase in net position before loss on		
disposal of capital assets	172,758	478,107
Loss on disposal of capital assets	(198,147)	***
Change in net position	(25,389)	478,107
Net position, beginning of year, as restated	(13,052,941)	(13,531,048)
Net position, end of year	\$(13,078,330)	\$(13,052,941)
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Financial Analysis

Government-Wide

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. At the close of the most recent fiscal year, total net position was a deficit of (\$13,078,330), a decrease of (\$25,389) from the previous year. See page 4 of the Basic Financial Statements for a detailed reconciliation between the government-wide and fund financial statements change in net position.

A significant portion of net position \$5,062,246 reflects our investment in capital assets (e.g., land, buildings, machinery and equipment); less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. These capital assets are used to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

An additional portion of net position in the amount of \$31 represents resources that are subject to restrictions on how they may be used. The significant deficit unrestricted net position balance at year end is due to the implementation of GASB Statement 68 during the current year. A deficit unrestricted net position balance is expected to continue into subsequent years.

Governmental Funds

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 balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

As of the end of the current fiscal year, the District's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$1,130,239, a decrease of (\$92,896) when compared to the last fiscal year. This includes a (\$106,485) decrease in the total fund balance of the General Fund. The General Fund is the chief operating fund of the District.

Fund Balances for the District may fall into one of the five following classifications - Nonspendable, Restricted, Committed, Assigned and Unassigned.

Assigned Fund Balance accounts for the largest percentage of the total fund balances of the District and includes \$927,121 designated to offset the subsequent fiscal year tax rate. There was no Unassigned Fund Balance at year end as the District designates all of what would be unassigned to be returned to the Town to offset the tax rate. The Committed Fund Balance includes Expendable Trusts balances of \$147,387, and \$50,000 committed through Annual District Meeting vote for a subsequent year appropriation to an existing Expendable Trust. The Restricted Fund Balance includes a Capital Projects fund balance of \$31. The Non-spendable Fund Balance consists solely of prepaid expenses in the amount of \$5,700. See Note 11 in the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for additional information on the components of fund balance.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Budgetary information for the District's major governmental funds (General Fund only, see below) is included in the "Required Supplementary Information" section. The budgetary information is not presented for the Federal Projects Fund, as it is neither practical nor meaningful, as the final awarded grants figures are not available at the time of the budget process and no property taxes are raised to support this fund.

Actual revenues on the budgetary basis were higher than the budgeted amount by \$181,102. A significant portion of this difference is due to Catastrophic Aid and Medicaid Reimbursements revenue being higher than anticipated (accounts for roughly \$147,000 of the difference). Actual expenditures on the budgetary basis were \$661,101 lower than anticipated. Significant savings were realized in the instruction and supporting services functions which were roughly \$457,000 and 92,000 under budget, respectively. See the Schedule on page 23 for additional budgetary comparison information.

Capital Assets

The District considers a capital asset to be an asset whose cost equals or exceeds \$5,000 and has a useful life of greater than two years. Assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the course of their estimated useful life. During the year, total net capital assets decreased by (\$499,798) due to current year depreciation expense exceeding capital asset additions by (\$301,651) and the disposal of assets no longer in use (\$198,147). See Note 5 in the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for additional information on the capital assets activity.

Long-Term Obligations

During the current year the District showed a decrease in general obligations bonds of \$395,000 due to scheduled payments made on existing debt and a decrease of \$18,638 due to amortization of the related bond premium. Compensated absences had a net increase in potential future payments of \$140,650. The liabilities for other post-employment benefits and net pension had a net increase and decrease in potential future payments of \$193,120 and \$3,270,992, respectively. See Notes 6, 8 and 9 in the Notes to the Basic Financial Statements for additional information regarding the net pension liability, other post-employment benefits and other outstanding long-term obligations.

Contacting District's Financial Management

This financial report serves to provide our citizens and creditors with a general overview of the District's finances and to show accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need to get additional information, contact the SAU #39 Business Office at PO Box 849-1 School Street, Amherst, NH 03031-0849.

EXHIBIT A

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Statement of Net Position

June 30, 2015

	Governmental <u>Activities</u>
ASSETS	
Current Assets:	0 (00 0 (0
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 602,869
Accounts receivable	2,456
Due from other governments	707,116 5,700
Prepaid expenses Total Current Assets	1,318,141
Total Cultent Assets	1,510,141
Noncurrent Assets:	
Capital assets:	
Non-depreciable capital assets	850,170
Depreciable capital assets, net	8,291,238
Total Noncurrent Assets	9,141,408
Total Assets	10,459,549
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Deferred outflows related to pension	1,375,116
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	1,375,116
LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities:	
Accounts payable	145,228
Accrued expenses	85,966
Due to other governments	636
Current portion of bonds payable	406,836
Current portion of compensated absences payable	107,224
Total Current Liabilities	745,890
Noncurrent Liabilities:	
Bonds payable	3,672,326
Compensated absences payable	1,381,218
Other post-employment benefits payable	567,759
Net pension liability	15,719,086
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	21,340,389
Total Liabilities	22,086,279
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
Unearned grant revenue	205
Unearned food service revenue	17,781
Other unearned revenue	2,990
Deferred inflows related to pension	2,805,740
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	2,826,716
NET POSITION	
Net investment in capital assets	5,062,246
Restricted for:	
Capital projects	31
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(18,140,607)
Total Net Position	\$(13,078,330)

EXHIBIT B AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

			Program Revenue	es	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities
Governmental Activities:					
Instruction	\$14,379,675	\$ 1,353,357	\$ 805,119		\$(12,221,199)
Supporting services	2,658,771				(2,658,771)
Instructional staff services	537,614		77,955		(459,659)
General administration	3,012,599		531		(3,012,068)
Operation and maintenance of plant	1,672,436				(1,672,436)
Pupil transportation	773,169				(773,169)
Food service	409,704	298,071	72,061		(39,572)
Other miscellaneous	2,669				(2,669)
Debt service	147,252		***************************************	\$ 145,416	(1,836)
Total governmental activities	\$23,593,889	<u>\$1,651,428</u>	\$ 955,666	\$ 145,416	(20,841,379)
		General revenu	ies:		
		Property taxe	S		18,889,809
		State adequac	y education grant		2,052,230
		Interest and in	nvestment earning	S	10,687
		Miscellaneou	S		61,411
		Loss on dispos	al of capital asset	S	(198,147)
		Total gener	al revenues and l	oss	
		on dispos	al of capital assets	3	20,815,990
		Change in	net position		(25,389)
		Net Position - l	oeginning, as resta	ated	(13,052,941)
		Net Position - o	ending		<u>\$(13,078,330)</u>

EXHIBIT C

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Balance Sheet

Governmental Funds

June 30, 2015

Cash and eash equivalents	ASSETS		Projects	Governmental	Governmental
Funds	ASSETS		-		
ASSETS	ASSETS	<u>Fund</u>	Fund	Eunda	***
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Counts receivable C. 4.43 Fig. C. 4.55					
Due from other funds	•	•			
Per from other funds			Φ 07.073		
Prepaid expenses			\$ 97,862		
Total Assets				11,540	
DEFERRED OUTLOWS OF RESOURCES 1			97.862	20 272	
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	Total Assets	1,309,204	97,802	20,212	1,427,336
Counts payable	DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Clabilities Committed Co	Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	-	-	-	-
Accounts payable	Total Assets and Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$ 1,309,204	\$ 97,862	\$ 20,272	\$ 1,427,338
Accounts payable \$143,404 \$1,824 \$2,028 Accreed expenses \$21,062 \$636 \$636 \$636 \$636 \$100					
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Other post-employment benefits payable (567,759)			iobla		(567 759)
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EXHIBIT D

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

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

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Net change in fund balances

Fund balances at end of year

Fund balances (deficit) at beginning of year

Nonmajor Total General Projects Governmental Governmental Fund Fund Funds Funds Revenues: Taxes \$ 18,889,809 \$ 18,889,809 Intergovernmental 2,749,806 \$ \$ 331,445 72,061 3.153.312 Charges for services 1,353,357 298,071 1,651,428 Interest income 10,687 10,687 Miscellaneous 45,661 14,999 751 61,411 Total Revenues 23,049,320 346,444 370,883 23,766,647 Expenditures: Current operations: Instruction 14,138,777 253,727 14,392,504 Supporting services 2,699,255 2,699,255 Instructional staff services 445,314 92,186 537,500 General administration 2,999,453 531 2,999,984 Operation and maintenance of plant 1,474,166 1,474,166 Pupil transportation 773,169 773,169 Food service 409.836 409,836 Other miscellaneous 2,743 2,743 Capital outlay 3,823 3,823 Debt service: Principal retirement 395,000 395,000 Interest and fiscal charges 171,563 171,563 23,103,263 346,444 409,836 23,859,543 Total Expenditures Excess revenues over (under) expenditures (53,943)(38,953)(92,896)Other financing sources (uses): 52,542 52,542 Transfers in Transfers out (52,542)(52,542)Total other financing sources (uses) (52,542)52,542

(106,485)

1,236,693

\$ 1,130,208

Federal

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended June 30, 2013

1	Change in Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds	\$	(92,896)
,	Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:		
7	Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation expense exceeded capital outlays in the current period.		(301,651)
ļ. ;	Governmental funds only report the disposal of assets to the extent proceeds are received from the sale. In the statement of activities, a gain or loss is reported for each disposal. This is the amount of the loss on the disposal of capital assets reduced by the actual proceeds received from the disposal.		(198,147)
	Repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position.		395,000
)	Governmental funds report the effect of bond issuance premiums when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are amortized in the statement of activities over the life of the related debt.		18,638
<u>-</u> ()	In the statement of activities, interest is accrued on outstanding bonds payable, whereas in governmental funds, an interest expenditure is reported when due.		5,673
; (2) - - (3)	Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as compensated absences and other post-employment benefits, do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds.		(333,770)
)	Governmental funds report pension contributions as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, pension expense reflects the change in the net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows of resources, and do not require the use of current financial resources. This is the amount by which pension		404.7
	contributions exceeded pension expense in the current period.		481,764
	Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	<u>\$</u>	(25,389)

(92,896)

1,223,135

\$ 1,130,239

13,589

(13,558)

31

EXHIBIT E

${\bf AMHERST, NEW\ HAMPSHIRE\ SCHOOL\ DISTRICT}$

Statement of Fiduciary Net Position

Fiduciary Funds

June 30, 2015

ASSETS	Student Activities <u>Agency Funds</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 71,525
Total Assets	\$ 71,525
LIABILITIES	
Due to student groups	\$ 71,525
Total Liabilities	\$ 71,525

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

NOTE 1—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the Amherst, New Hampshire School District conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for local educational units of government, except as indicated hereinafter. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies.

Financial Reporting Entity

The Amherst, New Hampshire School District (the District) is an independent governmental entity organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire to provide public education within the borders of the Town of Amherst, New Hampshire. The District's legislative body is the annual deliberative session followed by balloting of registered voters within the Town and is governed by an elected School Board. Administrative services are provided to the District by School Administrative Unit #39. The District has no other separate organizational units, which meet criteria for inclusion in the financial statements as defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB).

Basis of Presentation

The District's basic financial statements consist of government-wide statements, including a statement of net position and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements, which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

1. Government-Wide Financial Statements:

The statement of net position and the statement of activities display information about the District as a whole. These statements include the financial activities of the primary government, except for fiduciary funds.

The statement of net position presents the financial condition of the governmental activities of the District at year-end. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each program or function of the District's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program or department and therefore clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program, grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program and interest earned on grants that are required to be used to support a particular program. Revenues, which are not classified as program revenues, are presented as general revenues of the District. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the District.

2. Fund Financial Statements:

During the year, the District segregates transactions related to certain District functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the District at this more detailed level. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds. Each major fund is presented in a separate column. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column. The fiduciary funds are reported by type.

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Fund Accounting

The District uses funds to maintain its financial records during the fiscal year. A fund is defined as a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. The District employs the use of two categories of funds: governmental and fiduciary.

1. Governmental Funds:

Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purposes for which they may or must be used. Current liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be paid. The difference between governmental fund assets and deferred outflows of resources, and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, is reported as fund balance. The following are the District's major governmental funds:

The *General Fund* is the main operating fund of the District and is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The Federal Projects Fund is used to account for the financial transactions related to various state and federal education grants and the related expenditures.

2. Fiduciary Funds:

Fiduciary fund reporting focuses on net position and changes in net position. The District maintains one fiduciary fund, an agency fund known as the Student Activities Agency Funds. The fund was established to account for revenues generated by student managed activities. The District's agency fund is custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and does not involve the measurement of results of operations.

Measurement Focus

1. Government-Wide Financial Statements:

The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources associated with the operation of the District are included on the Statement of Net Position.

2. Fund Financial Statements:

All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets, deferred outflows of resources, current liabilities and deferred inflows of resources generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances reports on the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the statements for governmental funds.

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Fiduciary funds also use the accrual basis of accounting. Governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting. Differences in the accrual and the modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of unearned revenue, and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

1. Revenues – Exchange and Non-exchange Transactions:

Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value, is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On a modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the District, available means expected to be received within sixty days of fiscal year end.

Non-exchange transactions, in which the District receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include property taxes, grants, entitlements and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied (see Note 2). Revenue from grants, entitlements and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted; matching requirements, in which the District must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose; and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the District on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions must also be available before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be both measurable and available at fiscal year-end: property taxes available as an advance, interest, tuition, grants, and student fees.

2. Unearned Revenue:

Unearned revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied. Grants and entitlements received before the eligibility requirements are met are recorded as unearned revenue. On governmental fund financial statements, receivables that will not be collected within the available period have also been reported as unearned revenue.

3. Expenses/Expenditures:

On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. The measurement focus of governmental fund accounting is on decreases in net financial resources (expenditures) rather than expenses. Expenditures are generally recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred, if measurable. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation and amortization are not recognized in governmental funds.

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Budgetary Data

The District's budget represents functional appropriations as authorized by annual District meetings. The school board may transfer funds between operating categories, as they deem necessary. The District adopts its budget under State regulations, which differ somewhat from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in that the focus is on the entire governmental unit rather than on the basis of fund types.

State law requires balanced budgets, but also requires the use of beginning fund balance to reduce the property tax rate. For the year ended June 30, 2015, the District applied \$940,347 of its unappropriated fund balance to reduce taxes.

Capital Assets

General capital assets result from expenditures in the governmental funds. These assets are reported in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net position, but are not reported in the fund financial statements.

All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair values as of the date received. The District maintains a capitalization threshold of \$5,000. The District does not possess any infrastructure or intangible assets. Improvements are capitalized; the costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are not.

All reported capital assets except for land are depreciated. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Years</u>
Land improvements	20
Buildings and building improvements	10-40
Machinery, equipment, and furnishings	5-20
Books	5-7

Compensated Absences

District employees earn vacation and sick leave as they provide services. Pursuant to District personnel policy and certain collective bargaining agreements, employees may accumulate (subject to certain limitations) unused sick and vacation pay earned and, upon retirement, resignation, or death may be compensated for such amounts at current rates of pay or at a rate agreed to in the collective bargaining agreements.

For governmental fund financial statements, compensated absences are reported as liabilities and expenditures as payments come due each period upon the occurrence of employee death or retirement. The entire compensated absences liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements. In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current resources are reported as obligations of the funds. However, compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as liabilities in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current fiscal year. General obligation bonds and other long-term obligations that will be paid from governmental funds are recognized as a liability in the fund financial statements when due.

Bond Premium

Bond premiums are amortized as a component of interest expense over the life of the related bond using the effective interest rate method. Bonds payable are reported in the accompanying financial statements gross of any applicable unamortized bond premium. The balance of the unamortized bond premium included in bonds payable of the governmental activities as of June 30, 2015 is \$64,162.

Pensions

During the year ended June 30, 2015, the District adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68 - *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the New Hampshire Retirement System (NHRS) and additions to/deductions from NHRS's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by NHRS. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms.

Net Position

Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows of resources, and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances on any borrowings used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the District or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments. Unrestricted net position is the net amount of the assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources that are not included in the determination of net investment in capital assets or the restricted components of net position.

The District's policy is to first apply restricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position is available.

Fund Balance Policy

Under GASB Statement 54, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions, the District has segregated fund balance into five classifications: Nonspendable, Restricted, Committed, Assigned, and Unassigned. These components of fund balance are defined as follows:

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

- <u>Nonspendable Fund Balance</u>: Amounts that are not in a spendable form or are required to be maintained intact.
- <u>Restricted Fund Balance</u>: Amounts that can only be spent for specific purposes stipulated by external resource providers or by enabling legislation. Restrictions may be changed or lifted only with the consent of the resource providers or the enabling legislation.
- <u>Committed Fund Balance</u>: Amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by a formal action of the District's highest level of decision making authority (the Annual District Meeting). Commitments may be changed or lifted only by taking the same formal action that imposed the constraint originally. The action must be approved or rescinded, as applicable, prior to the last day of the fiscal year for which the commitment is made. The amount subject to the constraint may be determined in the subsequent period.
- <u>Assigned Fund Balance</u>: Amounts the District intends to use for a specific purpose; intent can be expressed by the School Board or by an official or body to which the School Board delegates the authority.
- <u>Unassigned Fund Balance</u>: Amounts that are available for any purpose; these amounts are reported only in the General Fund, with the exception of any deficit fund balance of another governmental fund.

The School Board's policy is to return to the Town, any 'Unassigned' fund balance at fiscal year end, to be used to offset the subsequent fiscal year's tax rate.

Spending Prioritizations

When expenditures are incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balance is available, restricted fund balance is considered to have been spent first. When expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications can be used, committed amounts should be reduced first, followed by assigned amounts and then unassigned amounts.

Interfund Activity

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/ expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds. Repayments from funds responsible for particular expenditures/ expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates. Significant estimates include depreciation expense and the liability for other post-employment benefits.

NOTE 2—PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes levied to support the Amherst, New Hampshire School District are based on the assessed valuation of the prior April 1st for all taxable real property.

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Under state statutes, the Town of Amherst, New Hampshire (an independent governmental unit) collects School District taxes as part of local property tax assessments. As collection agent, the Town is required to pay over to the District its share of property tax assessments through periodic payments based on cash flow requirements of the District. The Town assumes financial responsibility for all uncollected property taxes under state statutes. For the year ended June 30, 2015, School District taxes were \$16,490,966 and State of New Hampshire Education taxes were \$2,398,843.

The District is entitled to receive monies under the established payment schedule and the unpaid amount at the fiscal year end, if any, is considered to be an "accounts receivable" since the revenue is both measurable and available.

NOTE 3—RISK MANAGEMENT

The District is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. During the year ended June 30, 2015, the District was a member of and participated in a public entity risk pool (Trust) for property and liability insurance and worker's compensation coverage. Coverage has not been significantly reduced from the prior year and settled claims have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three years.

The Trust agreements permit the Trust to make additional assessments to members should there be a deficiency in Trust assets to meet its liabilities. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require members of pools with a sharing of risk to determine whether or not such assessment is probable and, if so, a reasonable estimate of such assessment. At this time, the Trust foresees no likelihood of an additional assessment for any of the past years. Claims expenditures and liabilities are reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred and the amount of that loss can be reasonably estimated. These losses include an estimate of claims that have been incurred but not reported. Based on the best available information there is no liability at June 30, 2015.

Property and Liability Insurance

The Trust provides certain property and liability insurance coverage to member school districts, school administrative units, and other qualified political subdivisions of New Hampshire. As a member of the Trust, the District shares in contributing to the cost of and receiving benefit from a self-insured pooled risk management program. The program includes a Self-Insured Retention Fund from which is paid up to \$500,000 for each and every covered property, crime and/or liability loss that exceeds \$1,000, up to an aggregate of \$5,000,000. Each property loss is subject to a \$1,000 deductible. All losses over the aggregate are covered by insurance policies.

Worker's Compensation

The Trust provides statutory worker's compensation coverage to member school districts, school administrative units, and other qualified political subdivisions of New Hampshire. The Trust is self-sustaining through annual member premiums and provides coverage for the statutorily required workers' compensation benefits and employer's liability coverage up to \$2,000,000. The program includes a Loss Fund from which is paid up to \$500,000 for each and every covered claim.

Deposits with financial institutions

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

NOTE 4—DEPOSITS

Deposits as of June 30, 2015 are classified in the accompanying financial statements as follows:

Statement of Net Position:	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 602,869
Statement of Fiduciary Net Position:	
Cash and cash equivalents	 71,525
	\$ 674,394
Deposits at June 30, 2015 consist of the following:	

The School District's investment policy requires that deposits and investments be made in New Hampshire based financial institutions that are participants in one of the federal depository insurance programs. The District's deposits with financial institutions consist of demand deposits and savings accounts. Deposits for Student Activities Agency Funds are at the discretion of the School Principals and Superintendent of Schools.

674,394

Custodial Credit Risk

Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned. The District's investment policy stipulates that all deposits and investments be covered by federal depository insurance, with all balances in excess of FDIC insurance limits collateralized.

Of the District's deposits with financial institutions at year end, \$1,351,838 was collateralized by securities held by the bank in the bank's name.

NOTE 5—CAPITAL ASSETS

The following is a summary of changes in capital assets of the governmental activities:

	E	Balance					E	Balance
	<u>Jul</u>	y 1, 2014	<u>Addi</u>	tions	Red	<u>uctions</u>	<u>Jun</u>	e 30, 2015
Capital assets not being depreciated:								
Land	\$	850,170					\$	850,170
Total capital assets not being depreciated		850,170	\$		\$			850,170
Other capital assets:								
Land improvements		591,567						591,567
Buildings and building improvements	1	4,164,618	128	8,351	(.	305,023)	1	3,987,946
Machinery, equipment, and furnishings		1,039,001	6	7,229	(746,677)		359,553
Books		469,584						469,584
Total other capital assets at historical cost	1	6,264,770	19:	5,580	(1,0	051,700)	1	5,408,650

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Less accumulated depreciation for:				
Land improvements	(196,264)	(29,578)		(225,842)
Buildings and building improvements	(6,099,819)	(346,865)	107,309	(6,339,375)
Machinery, equipment, and furnishings	(927,135)	(31,843)	746,244	(212,734)
Books	(250,516)	(88,945)		(339,461)
Total accumulated depreciation	(7,473,734)	(497,231)	853,553	(7,117,412)
Total other capital assets, net	8,791,036	(301,651)	(198,147)	8,291,238
Total capital assets, net	\$ 9,641,206	<u>\$ (301,651)</u>	\$ (198,147)	\$ 9,141,408

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental functions as follows:

Instruction	\$ 89,847
Instructional staff services	3,095
General administration	21,293
Operation and maintenance of plant	382,374
Food service	 622
	\$ 497,231

NOTE 6—DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

Plan Description

The District contributes to the New Hampshire Retirement System (NHRS), a component unit of the State of New Hampshire, as defined in Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 67, *Financial Reporting for Pension Plans - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 25.* The New Hampshire Retirement System is a public employee retirement system that administers a single cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. The plan provides service, disability, death and vested retirement allowances to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established and may be amended by the New Hampshire State legislature.

The NHRS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for NHRS. That report may be obtained by writing to New Hampshire Retirement System, 54 Regional Drive, Concord, New Hampshire 03301.

Substantially all full-time state employees, public school teachers and administrators, permanent firefighters and permanent police officers with in the State are eligible and required to participate in the Pension Plan.

The Pension Plan is divided into two membership groups. State and local employees and teachers belong to Group I. Police and firefighters belong to Group II. All assets are held in a single trust and are available to pay retirement benefits to all members. Substantially all of the District's eligible employees are classified as Group I.

Benefits Provided

Group I members at age 60 or 65 (for members who commence service after July 1, 2011) qualify for a normal service retirement allowance based on years of creditable service and average final salary for the highest of either three or five years, depending on when their service commenced. The yearly pension

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amount is 1/60 or 1.667% of average final compensation (AFC), multiplied by years of creditable service. At age 65, the yearly pension amount is recalculated at 1/66 or 1.515% of AFC multiplied by years of creditable service.

Members may qualify for vested deferred allowances, disability allowances and death benefit allowances subject to meeting various eligibility requirements. Benefits are based on AFC or earnable compensation and/or service.

Funding Policy

Plan members are required to contribute 7.0% of their covered salary and the District is required to contribute at an actuarially determined rate. The District's contribution rates for the covered payroll of teachers and general employees were 14.16% and 10.77%, respectively, for the year ended June 30, 2015. The District contributes 100% of the employer cost for teachers and general employees of the District.

Per RSA-100:16, plan member contribution rates are established and may be amended by the New Hampshire State legislature and employer contribution rates are determined by the NHRS Board of Trustees based on an actuarial valuation. The District's contributions to the NHRS for the year ending June 30, 2015 was \$1,593,974.

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

At June 30, 2015, the District reported a liability of \$15,719,086 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2014, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2013. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on actual contributions by the District during the relevant fiscal year relative to the actual contributions of all participating plan members, excluding contributions to separately finance specific liabilities of individual employers or NHRS. At June 30, 2014, the District's proportion was approximately 0.4188 percent, which was a decrease of 0.0224 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2013.

For the year ended June 30, 2015, the District recognized pension expense of \$893,352. At June 30, 2015, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of	Deferred Inflows of
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	Resources	<u>Resources</u> \$ 2,011,270
Changes in proportion and differences between District contributions and proportionate share of contributions		794,470
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	\$ 1,375,116	
Totals	\$ 1,375,116	\$ 2,805,740

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The net amount of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions is reflected as a decrease to unrestricted net position in the amount of \$1,430,624. The District reported \$1,375,116 as deferred outflows of resources related to pension resulting from District contributions subsequent to the measurement date that will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2016. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pension will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended	
<u>June 30,</u>	
2015	\$ (675,244)
2016	(675,244)
2017	(675,244)
2018	(675,244)
2019	(104,764)
	\$ (2,805,740)

Actuarial Assumptions

Inflation

The total pension liability in the July 1, 2013 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

innation	3.0 percent
Wage inflation	3.75 percent
Salary increases	5.8 percent, average, including inflation
Investment rate of return	7.75 percent, net of pension plan investment expense, including inflation

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Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 mortality table projected to 2020 with Scale AA. The table includes a margin of 15% for men and 17% for women for mortality improvements.

Retirement rates were based on a table of rates that are specific to the type of eligibility condition, last updated in 2011 pursuant to an experience study of the period 2005-2010.

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 by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of weighted average long-term expected real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

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		Weighted Average Long-Term
		Expected Real Rate of Return
Asset Class	Target Allocation	(Net of inflation assumption of 3.0%)
Fixed income	25%	(1.75)-2.0%
Domestic equity	30%	3.3%
International equity	20%	4.25-6.5%
Real estate	10%	3.3%
Private equity	5%	5.8%
Private debt	5%	5.0%
Opportunistic	5%	2.5%
Total	100%	

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the collective pension liability was 7.75%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that employee 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 collective pension liability.

Sensitivity of the District'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 7.75 percent, 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 or 1-percentage-point higher than the single discount rate:

	Current		
	1% Decrease (6.75%)	Discount Rate (7.75%)	1% Increase (8.75%)
District's proportionate share of the			
net pension liability	\$ 20,704,593	\$ 15,719,086	\$ 11,513,064

NOTE 7—DEFINED CONTRIBUTION PLAN

The District contributes to the Amherst School District 403(b) Plan and the Amherst School District 457 Plan. Both plans are considered to be defined contribution plans and were established under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) section 457. The plans allow employees to defer income taxation on retirement savings into future years and are administered by the District. All employees of the District are eligible to make contributions to the plans. The plans have no required minimum contributions for employees. Under the terms of the plans, employees covered under the Amherst Support Staff Association and all non-union support staff will receive a dollar for dollar match on their contributions, up to \$250. Employees covered under the Amherst Education Association will receive a 15% match of their contributions, up to a maximum

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of \$500. The District contributes an additional \$1,500 in lieu of additional long-term disability coverage for administrators. Contributions to the 403(b) Plan made by the plan members and the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 were \$373,481 and \$28,998, respectively. Contributions to the 457 Plan made by the plan members and the District for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 were \$274,570 and \$14,671, respectively.

NOTE 8—OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

In addition to providing pension benefits, the District provides post-employment health care and life insurance benefits to its eligible retirees and their spouses. The District provides medical, prescription drug, mental health and substance abuse benefits, as well as life insurance, to retirees and their covered dependents. Retirees under the age of 65 have a choice for a medical insurance plan of Anthem Matthew Thornton Blue HMO, Anthem BCBS Blue Choice POS, and Anthem BCBS Blue Shield JY Plan. Retirees over the age of 65 must enroll in the Medicare Supplement Plan Medicomp III or Medicomp III without prescription drug. To qualify for these benefits employees hired before July 1, 2011 must meet one of the following eligibility requirements: age 60 or older with no minimum service requirement, age 50 with 10 years of service, or age plus service equals 70 with a minimum of 20 years of service. Employees hired after July 1, 2011 must be either age 65 or older with no minimum service requirement, or age 60 with a minimum of 30 years of service, to qualify for these benefits. Retirees and their covered spouses pay the full cost of the medical premium. The benefits, benefit levels, employee contributions and employer contributions are governed by RSA 100-A:50. As of July 1, 2014, the most recent actuarial valuation date, approximately 22 retirees and 186 active employees meet the eligibility requirements. The plan does not issue a separate financial report.

Annual OPEB Costs

For the year ended June 30, 2015 the District's annual OPEB expense is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid, on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover the normal cost each year and amortize the unfunded actuarial liability over a period of thirty years. The District's annual OPEB cost for the year ending June 30, 2015, including the amount actually contributed to the plan and the change in the District's net OPEB obligation based on an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2014 is as follows:

Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	\$ 217,198
Interest on net OPEB obligation	14,986
Adjustment to ARC	 (21,245)
Annual OPEB cost	210,939
Contributions made	 (17,819)
Increase in net OPEB obligation	193,120
Net OPEB obligation - beginning of year	 374,639
Net OPEB obligation - end of year	\$ 567,759

The District's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan, and the net OPEB obligation for the years ended June 30, 2015, 2014, and 2013 are as follows:

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		Percentage of			
Fiscal Year	Annual	Annual OPEB	Net OPEB	Covered	OPEB Cost
Ending	OPEB Cost	Cost Contributed	Obligation	<u>Payroll</u>	% of Pay
6/30/2015	\$ 210,939	8.5%	\$ 567,759	\$ 12,084,479	1.7%
6/30/2014	\$ 140,045	43.8%	\$ 374,639	\$ 12,706,970	1.1%
6/30/2013	\$ 134,100	34.1%	\$ 295,943	\$ 12,397,044	1.1%

The District's net OPEB obligation as of June 30, 2015 is recognized as a liability of the governmental activities in these financial statements.

Funded Status and Funding Progress for OPEB

The funded status of the plan as of July 1, 2014, the date of the most recent actuarial valuation is as follows:

Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)	\$ 1,980,239
Actuarial value of plan assets	 w
Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)	\$ 1,980,239
Funded ratio (actuarial value of plan assets/AAL)	 0.0%
Covered payroll (active plan members)	\$ 12,084,479
UAAL as a percentage of covered payroll	16.4%

Actuarial valuations involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events in the future. The total cost of providing post-employment benefits is projected, taking into account assumptions about current claim cost, turnover, mortality, health care trends, and other actuarial assumptions. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The required schedule of funding progress presented as required supplementary information provides multi-year trend information that shows whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions for OPEB

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the plan as understood by the District and the plan members and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the District and plan members to that point. Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective and employ methods and assumptions that are designed to reduce short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets.

For the July 1, 2014 actuarial valuation, the Entry Age Normal Method was used. The actuarial value of assets was not determined as the District has not advance funded its obligation. The District employs the Pay-as-you-go Cash Basis to fund the plan. The actuarial assumptions included a 4.0% investment rate of return. The initial annual health care cost trend is (1.53%), which increases to 9% for the second year, and then decreases annually in 1% decrements to an ultimate rate of 5.0% after six years. The amortization costs for the initial Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) is a level percentage of payroll for a period of thirty years on an open basis.

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NOTE 9—LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Changes in Long-Term Obligations of Governmental Activities

The changes in the long-term obligations for the year ended June 30, 2015 are as follows:

					Amounts
	Balance			Balance	Due Within
Type	July 1, 2014	Additions	Reductions	June 30, 2015	One Year
Bonds payable	\$ 4,410,000		\$ (395,000)	\$ 4,015,000	\$ 390,000
Unamortized bond premium	82,800		(18,638)	64,162	16,836
Total Bonds payable	4,492,800	\$ -	(413,638)	4,079,162	406,836
Compensated absences payable	1,347,792	246,502	(105,852)	1,488,442	107,224
Totals	\$ 5,840,592	\$ 246,502	<u>\$ (519,490)</u>	\$ 5,567,604	\$ 514,060

Payments on the general obligation bonds payable and compensated absences are paid out of the General Fund. Amortization of the bond premium is recognized as a component of interest expense on the Statement of Activities (Exhibit B).

General Obligation Bonds

Bonds payable at June 30, 2015 are comprised of the following individual issues:

	Original		Final		
	Issue	Interest	Maturity	E	Balance at
<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>	Rate	<u>Date</u>	<u>Ju</u>	ne 30, 2015
2008 Series A Bonds	\$ 3,883,620	4.24%	August 2028	\$	2,715,000
2011 Series F Refunding Bonds	1,717,000	2.0-4.0%	July 2021		1,300,000
	\$ 5,600,620				4,015,000
		Add: Unamori	tized bond premium		64,162
		ገ	Total Bonds Payable	\$_	4,079,162

Debt service requirements to retire general obligation bonds outstanding at June 30, 2015 are as follows:

Year Ending			
<u>June 30, </u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Totals</u>
2016	\$ 390,000	\$ 157,375	\$ 547,375
2017	390,000	142,263	532,263
2018	385,000	126,250	511,250
2019	380,000	110,387	490,387
2020	375,000	94,019	469,019
2021-2025	1,330,000	283,400	1,613,400
2026-2029	765,000	68,034	833,034
Sub-total Bonds Payable	4,015,000	981,728	4,996,728
Add: Unamortized Bond Premium	64,162	_	64,162
Total Bonds Payable	\$ 4,079,162	\$ 981,728	\$ 5,060,890

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NOTE 10—INTERFUND BALANCES

The District has combined the cash resources of its governmental funds. For accounting and reporting purposes, that portion of the pooled cash balance is reported in the specific fund as an interfund balance. Interfund balances at June 30, 2015 are as follows:

			D	ue from		
			F	ederal		
		General	P	rojects		
		<u>Fund</u>		<u>Fund</u>	,	<u> Totals</u>
۵	General Fund		\$	97,657	\$	97,657
Due to	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	\$ 11,540				11,540
Δ		<u>\$ 11,540</u>	\$	97,657	\$	109,197

During the year, an interfund transaction occurred between funds. The General Fund transferred \$52,542 to the Food Service Fund, a Nonmajor Governmental Fund, to offset a deficit fund balance. The transfer was made in accordance with budgetary authorization.

NOTE 11—COMPONENTS OF FUND BALANCE

The components of the District's fund balance for its governmental funds at June 30, 2015 are as follows:

			Non	major	,	Γotal
	C	General	Gover	nmental	Gove	rnmental
Fund Balances		<u>Fund</u>	<u>Fu</u>	<u>nds</u>	<u>F</u>	unds
Nons pendable:						
Prepaid expenses	\$	5,700			\$	5,700
Restricted for:						
Capital projects			\$	31		31
Committed for:						
Subsequent year appropriation		50,000				50,000
Expendable trusts		147,387				147,387
Assigned for:						
Designated to offset subsequent fiscal year tax rate		927,121				927,121
	\$ 1	,130,208	\$	31	\$ 1	,130,239

NOTE 12—CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Federal Grants

The District participates in a number of federally assisted grant programs. These programs are subject to financial and compliance audits by the grantors or their representatives. The amounts, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the granting agency cannot be determined at this time, although the District expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

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Litigation

There may be various claims and suits pending against the District, which arise in the normal course of the District's activities. In the opinion of District management, any potential claims against the District, which are not covered by insurance are immaterial and would not affect the financial position of the District.

NOTE 13—RESTATEMENT OF NET POSITION

During the year ended June 30, 2015, the District adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68 - Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, as described in Note 1 of these financial statements. The impact on net position of the Governmental Activities as of July 1, 2014 is as follows:

	Governmental
	<u>Activities</u>
Net Position - July 1, 2014 (as previously reported)	\$ 4,578,533
Amount of restatement due to:	
Net Pension Liability	(18,990,078)
Contributions subsequent to measurement date	1,358,604
Net Position - July 1, 2014, as restated	<u>\$ (13,052,941</u>)

SCHEDULE 1
AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis) - General Fund

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

				Variance with
	Budgeted	Amounts	A . 1	Final Budget -
	<u>Original</u>	<u>Final</u>	Actual Amounts	Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenues:	Original	111141	rimounts	(Omaroidolo)
Taxes	\$ 18,889,809	\$ 18,889,809	\$ 18,889,809	\$ -
Intergovernmental	2,603,676	2,603,676	2,749,806	146,130
Charges for services	1,327,275	1,327,275	1,353,357	26,082
Interest income	6,000	6,000	10,503	4,503
Miscellaneous	35,500	38,531	42,918	4,387
Total Revenues	22,862,260	22,865,291	23,046,393	181,102
Expenditures:				
Current operations:				
Instruction	16,393,496	14,587,393	14,130,537	456,856
Supporting services	1,157,376	2,791,085	2,699,255	91,830
Instructional staff services	481,401	485,399	445,314	40,085
General administration	3,003,390	3,050,838	2,999,168	51,670
Operation and maintenance of plant	1,443,433	1,493,624	1,474,166	19,458
Pupil transportation	751,948	773,194	773,169	25
Capital outlay	5,000	5,000	3,823	1,177
Debt service:				
Principal retirement	395,000	395,000	395,000	-
Interest and fiscal charges	171,563	171,563	171,563	*
Total Expenditures	23,802,607	23,753,096	23,091,995	661,101
Excess revenues over (under) expenditures	(940,347)	(887,805)	(45,602)	842,203
Other financing uses:				
Transfers out	(50,000)	(102,542)	(102,542)	_
Total other financing uses	(50,000)	(102,542)	(102,542)	
Net change in fund balance	(990,347)	(990,347)	(148,144)	842,203
Fund balances at beginning of year - Budgetary Basis Fund balances at end of year	1,130,965	1,130,965	1,130,965	
- Budgetary Basis	\$ 140,618	\$ 140,618	\$ 982,821	\$ 842,203

SCHEDULE 2 AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT Schedule of Funding Progress for Other Post-Employment Benefits For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

Actuarial Valuation <u>Date</u>	Actuarial Value of <u>Assets</u>	Actuarial Accrued <u>Liability (AAL)</u>	Unfunded AAL (UAAL)	Funded <u>Ratio</u>	Covered <u>Payroll</u>	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll
7/1/2010	\$ -	\$ 1,025,084	\$ 1,025,084	0%	\$ 10,937,427	9.4%
7/1/2012	\$ -	\$ 958,812	\$ 958,812	0%	\$ 12,397,044	7.7%
7/1/2014	\$ -	\$ 1,980,239	\$ 1,980,239	0%	\$ 12,084,479	16.4%

SCHEDULE 3

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Schedule of Changes in the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

	2014	2013
District's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.4188%	0.4412%
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 15,719,086	\$ 18,990,078
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 11,620,271	\$ 12,326,226
District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	135.27%	154.06%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	66.32%	59.81%

SCHEDULE 4

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Schedule of District Contributions

For the Year Ended June 30, 2015

	2015	2014
Contractually required contribution	\$ 1,375,116	\$ 1,358,604
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(1,375,116)	(1,358,604)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ -	\$ -
District's covered-employee payroll	\$ 11,770,429	\$ 11,620,271
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	11.68%	11.69%

AMHERST, NEW HAMPSHIRE SCHOOL DISTRICT NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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NOTE 1—BUDGET TO ACTUAL RECONCILIATION

General Fund

Amounts recorded as budgetary amounts in the Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance – Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis) – General Fund (Schedule 1) are reported on the basis budgeted by the District. Those amounts differ from those reported in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances – Governmental Funds (Exhibit D). General Fund budgetary revenues and other financing sources and expenditures and other financing uses were adjusted for encumbrances, non-budgetary revenues and expenditures and budgetary transfers out as follows:

	Revenues	Expenditures
	and Other	and Other
	Financing	Financing
	Sources	<u>Uses</u>
Per Exhibit D	\$ 23,049,320	\$ 23,155,805
Encumbrances - June 30, 2014		(8,525)
Non-budgetary revenues and expenditures	(2,927)	(2,743)
Budgetary transfers out		50,000
Per Schedule 1	\$ 23,046,393	\$ 23,194,537

Major Special Revenue Fund

The District adopts its budgets under regulations of the New Hampshire Departments of Education and Revenue Administration which differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Consequently, budgetary information is not presented for the Federal Projects Fund as the information is neither practical nor meaningful.

NOTE 2—SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS FOR OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

In accordance with GASB Statement #45, Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Post-Employment Benefits Other Than Pensions, the District is required to disclose the schedule of funding progress for each of the three most recent actuarial valuations. The District implemented the provisions of GASB Statement #45 during the year ended June 30, 2009. Accordingly, the funding progress has been presented for the three most recent actuarial valuation reports.

NOTE 3—SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY AND SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT CONTRIBUTIONS

In accordance with GASB Statement #68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions, the District is required to disclose historical information for each of the prior ten years within a schedule of changes in the district's proportionate share of the net pension liability, and schedule of district contributions. The District implemented the provisions of GASB Statement #68 during the year ended June 30, 2015. Accordingly, the historic information has only been presented for those years which information was readily available. Additional disclosures will be made in future years as the information becomes available.