

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Annual Financial Report
Year Ended August 31, 2018

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CERTIFICATE OF THE BOARD

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Name of School District

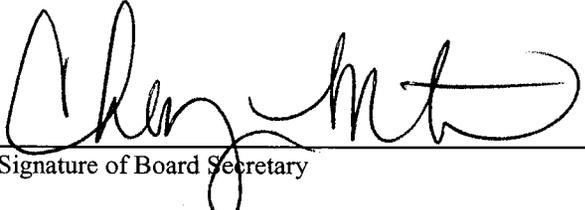
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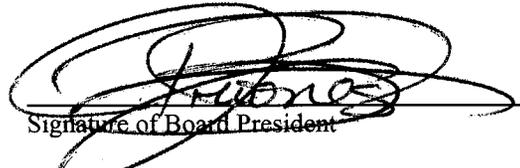
We, the undersigned, certify that the attached annual financial report of the above-named School District was reviewed and

X approved ___ disapproved for the year ended August 31, 2018, at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of such School District
(Check One)

on the 16th day of January, 2019.



Signature of Board Secretary



Signature of Board President

If the Board of Trustees disapproved the annual financial report, the reason(s) for disapproving it is (are) (attach list as necessary):

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Board of Trustees
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P.O. Box 416
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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 Marathon Independent School District as of and for the year ended August 31, 2018, 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 and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free 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 risk 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 District'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 District'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 Marathon Independent School District as of August 31, 2018, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note I., J. to the financial statements, in 2018 the District adopted new accounting guidance prescribed by GASB Statement No. 75 for its other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan - a multiple-employer, cost-sharing defined other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan that has a special funding situation. Because GASB Statement No. 75 implements new measurement criteria and reporting provisions, significant information has been added to the government-wide statements. Exhibit A-1 discloses the District's net OPEB liability and deferred resource outflows and deferred resource inflows related to the District's OPEB plan. Exhibit B-1 discloses the adjustment to the District's beginning net position. Our opinion is not modified with respect to the matter.

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, and net pension liability and contributions information and net OPEB liability and contributions information for the Teacher Retirement System of Texas on pages 4 through 8, 43, and 44 through 47, respectively, 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.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Marathon Independent School District's basic financial statements. The other supplementary information listed in the table of contents is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The other supplementary 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. Such 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 information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 3, 2018, on our consideration of the Marathon Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Marathon Independent School District'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 Marathon Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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December 3, 2018

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MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Our discussion and analysis of the Marathon Independent School District's financial performance provides an overview of the District's financial activities for the year ended August 31, 2018. It should be read in conjunction with the District's basic financial statements and independent auditor's report.

Financial Highlights

The District's assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows of resources at the end of the current year by \$2,268,772 (net position). Of this amount, \$1,310,940 (unrestricted) may be used to meet the District's ongoing obligations.

The District's total net position decreased by \$358,125 or 14%. This amount consists of a \$246,759 increase attributable to current year operations and a \$604,884 decrease attributable to prior period adjustments described in Note IV., K. to the financial statements. The District's statement of activities shows total revenues of \$1,455,605 and total expenses of \$1,208,846.

The total fund balance of the General Fund is \$1,960,088 which is an increase of \$143,615 or 8% compared to the prior year.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements. The District's basic financial statements consist of government-wide financial statements, fund financial statements, and notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition 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 a private-sector business.

The statement of net position presents information on all of the District's assets/deferred outflows of resources and liabilities/deferred inflows of resources, with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time, increases or 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 current year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future years.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Continued

Overview of the Financial Statements - Continued

The governmental activities of the District include all activities related to public elementary and secondary education within the jurisdiction of the District.

The District has no component units.

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 two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

Governmental Funds - Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike 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 current year.

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

Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the General Fund which is a major fund. Data from other governmental funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation.

The District adopts an annual appropriated budget for its General Fund. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for this fund to demonstrate compliance with the budget.

Fiduciary Funds - Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the District. 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 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.

MANAGEMENT’S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Continued

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

Net Position - A summary of the District’s net position is presented below:

	NET POSITION	
	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	
	<u>August 31,</u>	
	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Current and Other Assets	\$ 2,052,647	\$ 1,898,928
Capital Assets	<u>1,044,961</u>	<u>914,575</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 3,097,608</u>	<u>\$ 2,813,503</u>
Deferred Outflows of Resources	<u>\$ 133,008</u>	<u>\$ 181,680</u>
Long-Term Liabilities Outstanding	\$ 637,338	\$ 300,655
Other Liabilities	<u>58,910</u>	<u>50,306</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>\$ 696,248</u>	<u>\$ 350,961</u>
Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>\$ 265,596</u>	<u>\$ 17,325</u>
Net Position		
Net Investment in Capital Assets	\$ 957,832	\$ 914,575
Unrestricted	<u>1,310,940</u>	<u>1,712,322</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 2,268,772</u>	<u>\$ 2,626,897</u>

A large portion of the District's net position (\$957,832) reflects the District's investment in capital assets. These capital assets, less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. These capital assets are used to provide public elementary and secondary education within the jurisdiction of the District; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the District's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position (\$1,310,940) may be used to meet the District’s ongoing obligations.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Continued

Government-Wide Financial Analysis - Continued

Governmental Activities - Governmental activities increased the District's net position by \$246,759 and decreased the District's net position by \$62,024 for the fiscal years ended August 31, 2018 and 2017, respectively. Key elements of these increases (decreases) are as follows:

CHANGES IN NET POSITION

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	
	<u>Year Ended August 31,</u>	
	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
Revenues		
Program Revenues		
Charges for Services	\$ 10,210	\$ 6,264
Operating Grants and Contributions*	(156,317)	91,523
General Revenues		
Maintenance and Operations Taxes	1,049,305	1,005,565
State Aid - Formula Grants	492,075	528,427
Other	60,332	107,414
	<u>\$ 1,455,605</u>	<u>\$ 1,739,193</u>
Expenses		
Instruction and Instructional-Related Services	\$ 568,392	\$ 1,009,010
Instructional and School Leadership	61,505	87,767
Support Services - Student (Pupil)	96,402	137,952
Administrative Support Services	208,362	268,585
Support Services - Nonstudent Based	230,292	249,419
Ancillary Services	308	640
Debt Service	276	0
Intergovernmental Charges	43,309	47,844
	<u>1,208,846</u>	<u>\$ 1,801,217</u>
Change in Net Position	\$ 246,759	\$ (62,024)
Net Position - Beginning	2,626,897	2,635,730
Prior Period Adjustments	<u>(604,884)</u>	<u>53,191</u>
Net Position - Ending	<u>\$ 2,268,772</u>	<u>\$ 2,626,897</u>

*See Note IV., J.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS - Continued

Financial Analysis of the District's Funds

The District uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

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. The unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of the District's net resources available for spending at the end of the current year.

The District's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$1,961,820, an increase of \$145,347 or 8% in comparison with the prior year. This fund balance is reported as follows:

General Fund \$1,960,088. Of this balance \$400,000 is committed for future construction, and \$100,000 is committed for technology.

Special Revenue Funds \$1,732. The balance is committed for use by the Campus Activity Funds of the District.

General Fund Budget

The original budget for the General Fund was \$2,107,308 and the final amended budget was \$1,982,283 which represents a \$125,025 decrease in appropriations. Variances between the original budget and the final amended budget are reflected in Exhibit E-1 in the required supplementary information section of the audit report.

The District has adopted a budget for the General Fund in the amount of \$1,964,399 for the fiscal year 2019, which is a decrease of \$17,884 from the fiscal year 2018.

Capital Assets and Debt

Capital Assets - Financial statement footnote III., D. discloses the District's capital asset activity for the year ended August 31, 2018.

Long-Term Debt - Financial statement footnote III., F. discloses the District's debt activity for the year ended August 31, 2018.

Requests for Information

The financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the District's finances for all those with an interest in the District's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to: Guadalupe Singh, Superintendent, Marathon Independent School District, P.O. Box 416, Marathon, TX 79842-0416.

Basic Financial Statements

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
AUGUST 31, 2018

EXHIBIT A-1

Data Control Codes	Primary Government Governmental Activities
ASSETS	
1110 Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,005,384
1220 Property Taxes - Delinquent	51,017
1230 Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes	(19,100)
1240 Due from Other Governments	15,307
1250 Accrued Interest	39
Capital Assets:	
1510 Land	25,000
1520 Buildings, Net	820,051
1530 Furniture and Equipment, Net	99,753
1550 Leased Property Under Capital Leases, Net	100,157
1000 Total Assets	3,097,608
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
1705 Deferred Outflow Related to TRS Pension	127,856
1706 Deferred Outflow Related to TRS OPEB	5,152
1700 Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	133,008
LIABILITIES	
2110 Accounts Payable	15,047
2160 Accrued Wages Payable	42,893
2200 Accrued Expenses	970
Noncurrent Liabilities:	
2501 Due Within One Year	20,842
2502 Due in More Than One Year	66,287
2540 Net Pension Liability (District's Share)	168,545
2545 Net OPEB Liability (District's Share)	381,664
2000 Total Liabilities	696,248
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES	
2605 Deferred Inflow Related to TRS Pension	105,945
2606 Deferred Inflow Related to TRS OPEB	159,651
2600 Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	265,596
NET POSITION	
3200 Net Investment in Capital Assets	957,832
3900 Unrestricted	1,310,940
3000 Total Net Position	\$ 2,268,772

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

EXHIBIT B-1

Data Control Codes	1	Program Revenues		6
	Expenses	3	4	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Primary Gov. Governmental Activities

Primary Government:

GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES:

11 Instruction	\$ 556,347	\$ -	\$ (95,830)	\$ (652,177)
12 Instructional Resources and Media Services	1,070	-	-	(1,070)
13 Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development	10,975	-	-	(10,975)
23 School Leadership	61,505	-	(17,533)	(79,038)
31 Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services	11,619	-	(3,214)	(14,833)
33 Health Services	6,883	-	2,135	(4,748)
34 Student (Pupil) Transportation	16,614	-	(475)	(17,089)
35 Food Services	11,987	-	12,451	464
36 Extracurricular Activities	49,299	3,946	(1,537)	(46,890)
41 General Administration	208,362	-	(38,062)	(246,424)
51 Facilities Maintenance and Operations	180,615	6,264	(14,202)	(188,553)
52 Security and Monitoring Services	3,992	-	-	(3,992)
53 Data Processing Services	45,685	-	(50)	(45,735)
61 Community Services	308	-	-	(308)
72 Debt Service - Interest on Long-Term Debt	276	-	-	(276)
93 Payments Related to Shared Services Arrangements	7,043	-	-	(7,043)
99 Other Intergovernmental Charges	36,266	-	-	(36,266)
[TP] TOTAL PRIMARY GOVERNMENT:	\$ 1,208,846	\$ 10,210	\$ (156,317)	\$ (1,354,953)

Data Control Codes	General Revenues:		
	Taxes:		
MT	Property Taxes, Levied for General Purposes		1,049,305
SF	State Aid - Formula Grants		492,075
IE	Investment Earnings		31,777
MI	Miscellaneous Local and Intermediate Revenue		28,555
TR	Total General Revenues		1,601,712
CN	Change in Net Position		246,759
NB	Net Position - Beginning		2,626,897
PA	Prior Period Adjustment		(604,884)
NE	Net Position--Ending		\$ 2,268,772

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BALANCE SHEET
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
AUGUST 31, 2018

Data Control Codes	10 General Fund	Other Funds	Total Governmental Funds
ASSETS			
1110 Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 2,003,652	\$ 1,732	\$ 2,005,384
1220 Property Taxes - Delinquent	51,017	-	51,017
1230 Allowance for Uncollectible Taxes	(19,100)	-	(19,100)
1240 Due from Other Governments	13,245	2,062	15,307
1250 Accrued Interest	39	-	39
1260 Due from Other Funds	2,062	-	2,062
1000 Total Assets	<u>\$ 2,050,915</u>	<u>\$ 3,794</u>	<u>\$ 2,054,709</u>
LIABILITIES			
2110 Accounts Payable	\$ 15,047	\$ -	\$ 15,047
2160 Accrued Wages Payable	42,893	-	42,893
2170 Due to Other Funds	-	2,062	2,062
2200 Accrued Expenditures	970	-	970
2000 Total Liabilities	<u>58,910</u>	<u>2,062</u>	<u>60,972</u>
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
2601 Unavailable Revenue - Property Taxes	31,917	-	31,917
2600 Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	<u>31,917</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>31,917</u>
FUND BALANCES			
Committed Fund Balance:			
3510 Construction	400,000	-	400,000
3545 Other Committed Fund Balance	100,000	1,732	101,732
3600 Unassigned Fund Balance	1,460,088	-	1,460,088
3000 Total Fund Balances	<u>1,960,088</u>	<u>1,732</u>	<u>1,961,820</u>
4000 Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows & Fund Balances	<u>\$ 2,050,915</u>	<u>\$ 3,794</u>	<u>\$ 2,054,709</u>

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE
STATEMENT OF NET POSITION
AUGUST 31, 2018

EXHIBIT C-2

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$	1,961,820
1 Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds. The net effect of including the beginning balances for capital assets (net of depreciation) in the governmental activities is to increase net position.		914,575
2 Current year capital outlays and long-term debt principal payments are expenditures in the fund financial statements, but they are shown as increases in capital assets and reductions in long-term debt in the government-wide financial statements. The net effect of including capital outlays and debt principal payments is to increase net position.		209,211
3 Depreciation expense increases accumulated depreciation. The net effect of the current year's depreciation is to decrease net position.		(55,689)
4 Included in the items related to debt are the recognition of the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability required by GASB 68 and related deferred resources inflows and deferred resources outflows. The net effect of these adjustments is to decrease net position.		(146,634)
5 Included in the items related to debt are the recognition of the District's proportionate share of the net other postemployment benefits liability required by GASB 75 and related deferred resources inflows and deferred resources outflows. The net effect of these adjustments is to decrease net position.		(536,163)
6 Various other reclassifications and eliminations are necessary to convert from the modified accrual basis of accounting to the accrual basis of accounting. These include recognizing unavailable revenue from property taxes as revenue, eliminating interfund transactions, and reclassifying debt proceeds as an increase in debt payable. The net effect of these reclassifications and recognitions is to decrease net position.		(78,348)
19 Net Position of Governmental Activities	\$	2,268,772

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

Data Control Codes	10 General Fund	Other Funds	Total Governmental Funds
REVENUES:			
5700 Total Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 1,115,433	\$ 4,646	\$ 1,120,079
5800 State Program Revenues	543,595	6,071	549,666
5900 Federal Program Revenues	14,586	5,121	19,707
5020 Total Revenues	<u>1,673,614</u>	<u>15,838</u>	<u>1,689,452</u>
EXPENDITURES:			
Current:			
0011 Instruction	752,880	11,192	764,072
0012 Instructional Resources and Media Services	1,070	-	1,070
0013 Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development	10,930	-	10,930
0023 School Leadership	93,933	-	93,933
0031 Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services	16,888	-	16,888
0033 Health Services	6,883	-	6,883
0034 Student (Pupil) Transportation	54,081	-	54,081
0035 Food Services	14,626	-	14,626
0036 Extracurricular Activities	85,075	2,914	87,989
0041 General Administration	274,580	-	274,580
0051 Facilities Maintenance and Operations	187,928	-	187,928
0052 Security and Monitoring Services	3,992	-	3,992
0053 Data Processing Services	59,529	-	59,529
0061 Community Services	308	-	308
Debt Service:			
0071 Principal on Long-Term Debt	23,136	-	23,136
0072 Interest on Long-Term Debt	276	-	276
Capital Outlay:			
0081 Facilities Acquisition and Construction	75,202	-	75,202
Intergovernmental:			
0093 Payments to Fiscal Agent/Member Districts of SSA	7,043	-	7,043
0099 Other Intergovernmental Charges	36,266	-	36,266
6030 Total Expenditures	<u>1,704,626</u>	<u>14,106</u>	<u>1,718,732</u>
1100 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	<u>(31,012)</u>	<u>1,732</u>	<u>(29,280)</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):			
7913 Capital Leases	110,265	-	110,265
7915 Transfers In	2,175	-	2,175
8911 Transfers Out (Use)	(2,175)	-	(2,175)
7080 Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>110,265</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>110,265</u>
1200 Net Change in Fund Balances	79,253	1,732	80,985
0100 Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	1,816,473	-	1,816,473
1300 Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance	64,362	-	64,362
3000 Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	<u>\$ 1,960,088</u>	<u>\$ 1,732</u>	<u>\$ 1,961,820</u>

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES,
 AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

EXHIBIT C-4

Total Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$	80,985
Current year capital outlays and long-term debt principal payments are expenditures in the fund financial statements, but they are shown as increases in capital assets and reductions in long-term debt in the government-wide financial statements. The net effect of including capital outlays and debt principal payments is to increase net position.		209,211
Depreciation is not recognized as an expense in governmental funds since it does not require the use of current financial resources. The net effect of the current year's depreciation is to decrease net position.		(55,689)
Current year changes due to GASB 68 include adjustments to net pension liability, deferred resources inflows, deferred resources outflows, and the corresponding effect on pension expense. The net effect of these adjustments is to decrease net position.		(10,334)
Current year changes due to GASB 75 include adjustments to the net other postemployment benefits liability, deferred resources inflows, deferred resources outflows, and the corresponding effect on other postemployment benefits expense. The net effect of these adjustments is to increase net position.		133,083
Various other reclassifications and eliminations are necessary to convert from the modified accrual basis of accounting to the accrual basis of accounting. These include recognizing unavailable revenue from property taxes as revenue, adjusting current year revenue to show the revenue earned from the current year's tax levy, eliminating interfund transactions, and reclassifying debt proceeds as an increase in debt payable. The net effect of these reclassifications and recognitions is to decrease net position.		(110,497)
 Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities	 \$	 <u>246,759</u>

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION
 FIDUCIARY FUNDS
 AUGUST 31, 2018

EXHIBIT D-1

	Private Purpose Trust Fund	Agency Fund
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ -	\$ 1,601
Restricted Assets	41,494	-
Total Assets	41,494	\$ 1,601
LIABILITIES		
Due to Student Groups	-	\$ 1,601
Total Liabilities	-	\$ 1,601
NET POSITION		
Restricted for Scholarships	41,494	
Total Net Position	\$ 41,494	

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY FUND NET POSITION
FIDUCIARY FUNDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

	Private Purpose Trust Fund
ADDITIONS:	
Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 7,237
Total Additions	<u>7,237</u>
DEDUCTIONS:	
Other Operating Costs	<u>3,514</u>
Total Deductions	<u>3,514</u>
Change in Net Position	3,723
Total Net Position - September 1 (Beginning)	<u>37,771</u>
Total Net Position - August 31 (Ending)	<u><u>\$ 41,494</u></u>

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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements
August 31, 2018

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Marathon Independent School District is a public educational agency operating under the applicable laws and regulations of the State of Texas. The District prepares its basic financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America applicable to state and local governments. Additionally, the District complies with the requirements of the Texas Education Agency's *Financial Accountability System Resource Guide* (the *Resource Guide*) and the requirements of contracts and grants of agencies from which it receives funds.

A. Reporting Entity

The District is governed by the Board of Trustees, a seven-member group, which is elected by the public and has governance responsibilities, including fiscal accountability, over all activities related to public elementary and secondary education within the jurisdiction of the Marathon Independent School District (the primary government). There are no component units included within the reporting entity.

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities include programs supported primarily by taxes, State foundation funds, grants, and other intergovernmental revenues.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include: (1) charges for services - payments from parties that purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment of the District and (2) grants and contributions - payments from organizations outside the District that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment of the District. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

All interfund transactions between governmental funds are eliminated in the government-wide financial statements. Interfund activities between governmental funds and fiduciary funds remain as due to/due froms on the government-wide statement of net position.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as other funds.

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recognized when they are earned and become measurable, and expenses are recognized when they become measurable and a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenues as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets, current liabilities, and fund balances are included in the balance sheet. Revenues are recognized as soon as 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

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting, and Financial Statement Presentation - Continued

the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

Property taxes, revenues received from the state, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

Grant funds are considered to be earned to the extent of expenditures made under the provisions of the grant. Accordingly, when such funds are received they are recorded as unearned revenue until related and authorized expenditures have been made.

The government reports the following major governmental fund:

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

Additionally, the government reports the following fund type:

The Private Purpose Trust Fund accounts for resources used to provide scholarships for former students.

D. Interfund Receivables and Payables

Activity between individual funds may result in amounts owed between funds which are classified as Due To and From Other Funds. Other than amounts due to or from fiduciary funds these balances are eliminated in the statement of net position.

E. Receivables and Payables

Receivables are stated at their gross value and, where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible.

The District believes that sufficient detail of receivable and payable balances is provided in the financial statements to avoid the obscuring of significant components by aggregation. Therefore, no disclosure is provided which disaggregates those balances.

There are no significant receivables which are not scheduled for collection within one year.

F. Capital Assets

Capital assets are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

F. Capital Assets - Continued

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

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Buildings and Improvements	30-50
Vehicles	10
Furniture and Equipment	7-10

G. Restricted Assets

Restricted assets consist of cash held to provide scholarships for former students.

H. 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

In the fund financial statements, the face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources.

I. Pensions

In accordance with accounting guidance prescribed by GASB Statement No. 68, the fiduciary net position of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, pension expense, and information about assets, liabilities, and additions to/deductions from TRS's fiduciary net position. Benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

J. Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

In accordance with new accounting guidance prescribed by GASB Statement No. 75, the fiduciary net position of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) TRS-Care Plan has been determined using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and full accrual basis of accounting. This includes for purposes of measuring the net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to other postemployment benefits, OPEB expense, and information about assets, liabilities, and additions to/deductions from TRS-Care's fiduciary net position. Benefit payments are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. There are no investments as this is a pay-as you-go plan, and all cash is held in a cash account.

K. Compensated Absences

The District's policy does not permit employees to accumulate unused vacation and sick leave to be paid to the employees upon separation from service.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

L. Net Position on the Statement of Net Position

Net position on the statement of net position includes the following:

Net Investment in Capital Assets - This component of net position represents the difference between capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and the outstanding balance of debt, excluding any unspent debt proceeds, which is directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

Unrestricted - This is the difference between assets/deferred outflows of resources and liabilities/deferred inflows of resources that is not reported as Net Investment in Capital Assets.

M. Fund Balances

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the following classifications of fund balance:

Committed - Amounts that can be used only for specific purposes determined by a formal action of the Board of Trustees, the District's highest level of decision-making authority. Commitments may be modified or rescinded only through formal action by the Board of Trustees.

Unassigned - Amounts that have not been assigned to other funds or restricted, committed, or assigned to a specific purpose within the General Fund.

The details of the fund balances are included in the governmental funds balance sheet.

When an expenditure is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted fund balances are available, the District considers restricted funds to have been spent first. When an expenditure is incurred for which committed, assigned, or unassigned fund balances are available, the District considers amounts to have been spent first out of committed funds, then assigned funds, and finally unassigned funds, as needed, unless the Board of Trustees has provided otherwise in its commitment or assignment actions.

N. Property Tax Revenues

Property taxes are levied by October 1 on the assessed value listed as of the prior January 1 for all property located in the District in conformity with Subtitle E, Texas Property Tax Code. Taxes are due on receipt of the tax bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1 of the year following the year in which imposed. On January 1 of each year, a tax lien attaches to property to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed.

The District recognizes as tax revenues those taxes that are measurable and available. Measurable means the amount can be determined, and available means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. The District considers property taxes as available if they are collected within the current period.

Allowances for uncollectibles are based upon historical experience. Uncollectible personal property taxes are periodically reviewed and written off, but the District is prohibited from writing off real property taxes without specific statutory authority from the Texas Legislature.

O. Interfund Transfers

Permanent relocations of resources between funds of the reporting entity are classified as interfund transfers. For purposes of the statement of activities, all interfund transfers between individual governmental funds have been eliminated.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

II. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. Budget

Formal budgetary accounting is employed for all required governmental fund types and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting consistent with generally accepted accounting principles.

The official school budget is prepared for adoption for required governmental fund types prior to August 20 of the preceding fiscal year for the subsequent fiscal year beginning September 1. The budget is formally adopted by the Board of Trustees at a public meeting held at least ten days after public notice has been given.

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for the General Fund. The remaining Special Revenue Funds adopt project-length budgets which do not correspond to the District's fiscal year. Each annual budget is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting which is consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. The budget was amended throughout the year by the Board of Trustees. Such amendments are before the fact and are reflected in the official minutes of the Board.

III. DETAIL NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS

A. Deposits and Investments

The Public Funds Investment Act (Government Code Chapter 2256) contains specific provisions in the areas of investment practices, management reports, and establishment of appropriate policies. Among other things, it requires the District to adopt, implement, and publicize an investment policy. That policy must address the following areas: (1) safety of principal and liquidity, (2) portfolio diversification, (3) allowable investments, (4) acceptable risk levels, (5) expected rates of return, (6) maximum allowable stated maturity of portfolio investments, (7) maximum average dollar-weighted maturity allowed based on the stated maturity date for the portfolio, (8) investment staff quality and capabilities, and (9) bid solicitation preferences for certificates of deposit. Statutes authorize the District to invest in (1) obligations of the U.S. Treasury, certain U.S. agencies, and the State of Texas, (2) certificates of deposit, (3) certain municipal securities, (4) money market savings accounts, (5) repurchase agreements, (6) bankers' acceptances, (7) mutual funds, (8) investment pools, (9) guaranteed investment contracts, and (10) common trust funds. The Act also requires the District to have independent auditors perform test procedures related to investment practices as provided by the Act. The District is in substantial compliance with the requirements of the Act and with local policies.

In compliance with the Public Funds Investment Act, the District has adopted a deposit and investment policy.

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits: In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits and investments in certificates of deposit may not be returned to it. The District's policy does not contain legal or policy requirements that would limit the exposure to custodial credit risk for deposits and investments, other than the following: The State of Texas requires that a financial institution secure deposits and investments made by state and local governments by pledging securities in excess of the highest cash balance of the government. The District is not exposed to custodial credit risk for its deposits since they are covered by depository insurance and pledged securities held by a third party in the District's name.

Concentration of Credit Risk: The investment policy of the District contains no limitations on the amount that can be invested in any one issuer. Investments in any one issuer (other than U.S. Treasury securities, mutual funds, and external investment pools) that represent five percent or more of the total entity investments represent a concentration risk. The District is not exposed to this risk as described in the preceding paragraph.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

III. DETAIL NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS - Continued

A. Deposits and Investments - Continued

Credit Risk: Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The ratings of securities by nationally recognized rating agencies are designed to give an indication of credit risk. At August 31, 2018, the District was not significantly exposed to credit risk.

Interest Rate Risk: Not applicable

Foreign Currency Risk: Not applicable

At August 31, 2018, the District's investments with respective maturities and credit ratings consisted of the following:

	<u>Fair Value</u>	<u>Percent</u>	<u>Weighted Average Maturity</u>	<u>Credit Rating</u>
<u>Public Funds Investment Pools</u>				
Lone Star				
Corporate Overnight Fund	\$ 613,609	33%	37 Days	AAAm
Government Overnight Fund	<u>1,228,554</u>	<u>67%</u>	20 Days	AAAm
Total Public Funds Investment Pools	<u>\$ 1,842,163</u>	<u>100%</u>		

Public Funds Investment Pools

Public funds investment pools in Texas (“Pools”) are established under the authority of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code, and are subject to the provisions of the Public Funds Investment Act, Chapter 2256 of the Texas Government Code. In addition to other provisions of the Act designed to promote liquidity and safety of principal, the Act requires Pools to: 1) have an advisory board composed of participants in the Pool and other persons who do not have a business relationship with the Pool and are qualified to advise the Pool; 2) maintain a continuous rating of no lower than AAA or AAAm or an equivalent rating by at least one nationally recognized rating service; and 3) maintain the market value of its underlying investment portfolio within one half of one percent of the value of its shares.

The District’s investment in Pools is reported at an amount determined by the fair value per share of the Pool’s underlying portfolio, unless the Pool is 2a7-like, in which case they are reported at share value. A 2a7-like pool is one which is not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission as an investment company, but nevertheless has a policy that it will, and does, operate in a manner consistent with the SEC’s Rule 2a-7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

III. DETAIL NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS - Continued

B. Due from Other Governments

The District participates in a variety of federal and state programs from which it receives grants to partially or fully finance certain activities. In addition, the District receives entitlements from the State through the School Foundation and Per Capita Programs. Amounts due from other governments are summarized as follows:

	State Entitlements	Federal Grants	Other	Total
General Fund	\$ 12,476	\$ 602	\$ 167	\$ 13,245
Special Revenue Funds	0	2,062	0	2,062
Totals	\$ 12,476	\$ 2,664	\$ 167	\$ 15,307

C. Interfund Balances and Transfers

1. The following is a summary of amounts due from and due to other funds:

	Due From	Due To	Purpose
General Fund			
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	\$ 2,062	\$ 0	Operating Advance
Nonmajor Governmental Funds			
General Fund	0	2,062	Operating Advance
Totals	\$ 2,062	\$ 2,062	

All amounts due are expected to be repaid within one year.

2. Interfund transfers consist of the following:

Transfers From	Transfers To	Amount	Purpose
General Fund	General Fund - Child Nutrition	\$ 2,175	Subsidize Food Services

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

III. DETAIL NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS - Continued

D. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended August 31, 2018, was as follows:

<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>
Capital Assets				
Land	\$ 25,000	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25,000
Buildings and Improvements	1,748,682	62,040	0	1,810,722
Furniture and Equipment	404,992	13,770	0	418,762
Property Under Capital Leases	<u>0</u>	<u>110,265</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>110,265</u>
Total Capital Assets	<u>\$ 2,178,674</u>	<u>\$ 186,075</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 2,364,749</u>
Less Accumulated Depreciation				
Buildings and Improvements	\$ (961,201)	\$ (29,470)	\$ 0	\$ (990,671)
Furniture and Equipment	(302,898)	(16,111)	0	(319,009)
Property Under Capital Leases	<u>0</u>	<u>(10,108)</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>(10,108)</u>
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>\$ (1,264,099)</u>	<u>\$ (55,689)</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ (1,319,788)</u>
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	<u>\$ 914,575</u>	<u>\$ 130,386</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 1,044,961</u>

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental activities functions as follows:

Instruction	\$ 34,543
Instructional Resources and Media Services	45
School Leadership	4,811
Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services	860
Student (Pupil) Transportation	111
Food Services	363
Extracurricular Activities	1,163
General Administration	10,217
Facilities Maintenance and Operations	3,565
Data Processing Services	<u>11</u>
Total	<u>\$ 55,689</u>

E. Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources

A deferred outflow of resources is a consumption of a government's net position (a decrease in assets in excess of any related decrease in liabilities or an increase in liabilities in excess of any related increase in assets) by the government that is applicable to a future reporting period.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

III. DETAIL NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS - Continued

E. Deferred Outflows and Inflows of Resources - Continued

A deferred inflow of resources is an acquisition of a government’s net position (an increase in assets in excess of any related increase in liabilities or a decrease in liabilities in excess of any related decrease in assets) by the government that is applicable to a future reporting period.

Deferred outflows and inflows of resources are reported as described below:

Deferred Outflows (Statement of Net Position)

District's proportionate share of Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) pension plan deferred outflows as detailed in financial statement footnote IV., A.

District's proportionate share of Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) OPEB plan deferred outflows as detailed in financial statement footnote IV., B.

Deferred Inflows (Statement of Net Position)

District's proportionate share of Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) pension plan deferred inflows as detailed in financial statement footnote IV., A.

District's proportionate share of Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) OPEB plan deferred inflows as detailed in financial statement footnote IV., B.

Deferred Inflows (Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds)

Unavailable revenue - property taxes.

F. Long-Term Debt

The following is a summary of changes in long-term debt for the year ended August 31, 2018:

	<u>Beginning Balance</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Reductions</u>	<u>Ending Balance</u>	<u>Due Within One Year</u>
Capital Lease	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 110,265</u>	<u>\$ 23,136</u>	<u>\$ 87,129</u>	<u>\$ 20,842</u>

The District’s outstanding capital lease payable is as follows:

Capital lease to finance the acquisition of a bus as authorized by Section 271 of the Local Government Code. This lease qualifies as a capital lease for accounting purposes and is payable from the General Fund with an interest rate of 2.95%.

\$ 87,129

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

III. DETAIL NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS - Continued

F. Long-Term Debt - Continued

The annual debt service requirements are as follows:

Year Ending August 31,	Capital Lease		Total
	Principal	Interest	
2019	\$ 20,842	\$ 2,570	\$ 23,412
2020	21,457	1,955	23,412
2021	22,089	1,323	23,412
2022	22,741	671	23,412
Totals	<u>\$ 87,129</u>	<u>\$ 6,519</u>	<u>\$ 93,648</u>

G. Outstanding Encumbrances

There were no outstanding encumbrances that were provided for in the subsequent year's budget.

H. Revenues from Local and Intermediate Sources

Local and intermediate source revenues consist of the following:

	General Fund	Special Revenue Funds	Total
Property Taxes	\$ 1,060,458	\$ 0	\$ 1,060,458
Other Local Sources	54,975	700	55,675
Cocurricular, Enterprising Services, or Activities	0	3,946	3,946
Totals	<u>\$ 1,115,433</u>	<u>\$ 4,646</u>	<u>\$ 1,120,079</u>

I. General Fund Federal Source Revenues

Program or Source	CFDA Number	Amount
School Breakfast Program	10.553	\$ 12,451
Medicaid Administrative Claiming Program (MAC)	93.778	2,135
Total		<u>\$ 14,586</u>

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
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August 31, 2018

IV. OTHER INFORMATION

A. Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Plan Description - The Marathon Independent School District participates in a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that has a special funding situation. The plan is administered by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS). It is a defined benefit pension plan established and administered in accordance with the Texas Constitution, Article XVI, Section 67 and Texas Government Code, Title 8, Subtitle C. The pension trust fund is a qualified pension trust under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Texas Legislature establishes benefits and contribution rates within the guidelines of the Texas Constitution. The pension's Board of Trustees does not have the authority to establish or amend benefit terms.

All employees of public, state-supported educational institutions in Texas who are employed for one-half or more of the standard work load and who are not exempted from membership under Texas Government Code, Title 8, Section 822.002 are covered by the system.

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Detailed information about the Teacher Retirement System's fiduciary net position is available in a separately-issued Comprehensive Annual Financial Report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained on the Internet at <http://www.trs.state.tx.us/about/documents/cafr.pdf#CAFR>; by writing to TRS at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, Texas 78701-2698; or by calling (512)542-6592.

Benefits Provided - TRS provides service and disability retirement, as well as death and survivor benefits, to eligible employees (and their beneficiaries) of public and higher education in Texas. The pension formula is calculated using 2.3% (multiplier) times the average of the five highest annual creditable salaries times years of credited service to arrive at the annual standard annuity except for members who are grandfathered; for those the three highest annual salaries are used. The normal service retirement is at age 65 with 5 years of credited service or when the sum of the member's age and years of credited service equals 80 or more years. Early retirement is at age 55 with 5 years of service credit or earlier than 55 with 30 years of service credit. There are additional provisions for early retirement if the sum of the member's age and years of service credit total at least 80, but the member is less than age 60 or 62 depending on date of employment, or if the member was grandfathered in under a previous rule. There are no automatic postemployment benefit changes, including automatic COLAs. Ad hoc postemployment benefit changes, including ad hoc COLAs, can be granted by the Texas Legislature as noted in the plan description above.

Contributions - Contribution requirements are established or amended pursuant to Article 16, Section 67 of the Texas Constitution which requires the Texas Legislature to establish a member contribution rate of not less than 6% of the member's annual compensation and a state contribution rate of not less than 6% and not more than 10% of the aggregate annual compensation paid to members of the system during the fiscal year. Texas Government Code Section 821.006 prohibits benefit improvements, if as a result of the particular action, the time required to amortize TRS' unfunded actuarial liabilities would be increased to a period that exceeds 31 years, or, if the amortization period already exceeds 31 years, the period would be increased by such action.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

IV. OTHER INFORMATION - Continued

A. Defined Benefit Pension Plan - Continued

Employee contribution rates are set in state statute, Texas Government Code 825.402. Senate Bill 1458 of the 83rd Texas Legislature amended Texas Government Code 825.402 for member contributions and established employee contribution rates for fiscal years 2014 through 2017. The 84th Texas Legislature, General Appropriations Act (GAA) established the employer contribution rates for fiscal years 2016 and 2017:

Contribution Rates		
	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Member	7.7%	7.7%
Non-Employer Contributing Entity (State)	6.8%	6.8%
Employers	6.8%	6.8%
District's 2018 Employer Contributions		\$ 15,436
District's 2018 Member Contributions		51,696
District's 2017 NECE On-Behalf Contributions		36,273

Contributors to the plan include members, employers, and the State of Texas as the only non-employer contributing entity. The State contributes to the plan in accordance with state statutes and the General Appropriations Act (GAA).

As the non-employer contributing entity for public education, the State of Texas contributes to the retirement system an amount equal to the current employer contribution rate times the aggregate annual compensation of all participating members of the pension trust fund during that fiscal year reduced by the amounts described below which are paid by the employers. Employers including public schools are required to pay the employer contribution rate in the following instances:

- On the portion of the member's salary that exceeds the statutory minimum for members entitled to the statutory minimum under Section 21.402 of the Texas Education Code.
- During a new member's first 90 days of employment.
- When any part or all of an employee's salary is paid by federal funding sources or a privately sponsored source.

In addition to the employer contributions listed above, there are two additional surcharges an employer is subject to:

- When employing a retiree of the Teacher Retirement System the employer shall pay both the member contribution and the state contribution as an employment after retirement surcharge.
- When a school district does not contribute to the Federal Old-Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance (OASDI) program for certain employees, it must contribute 1.5% of the state contribution rate for certain instructional or administrative employees and 100% of the state contribution rate for all other employees.

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A. Defined Benefit Pension Plan - Continued

Actuarial Assumptions - The total pension liability in the August 31, 2017 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Valuation Date	August 31, 2017
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal
Asset Valuation Method	Market Value
Single Discount Rate	8.0%
Long-Term Expected Investment Rate of Return	8.0%
Inflation	2.5%
Salary Increases Including Inflation	3.5% to 9.5%
Payroll Growth Rate	2.5%
Benefit Changes During the Year	None
Ad hoc Postemployment Benefit Changes	None

The actuarial methods and assumptions are based primarily on a study of actual experience for the four-year period ended August 31, 2014, and adopted on September 24, 2015.

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 8%. There was no change in the discount rate since the previous year. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from plan members and those of the contributing employers and the non-employer contributing entity are made at the statutorily required rates. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. 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 long-term rate of return on pension plan investments is 8%. The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimates 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

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A. Defined Benefit Pension Plan - Continued

the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class included in the System's target asset allocation as of August 31, 2017, are summarized below:

<u>Asset Class</u>	<u>Target Allocation</u>	<u>Real Return Geometric Basis</u>	<u>Long-Term Expected Portfolio Real Rate of Return*</u>
Global Equity			
U.S.	18.0%	4.6%	1.0%
Non-U.S. Developed	13.0%	5.1%	0.8%
Emerging Markets	9.0%	5.9%	0.7%
Directional Hedge Funds	4.0%	3.2%	0.1%
Private Equity	13.0%	7.0%	1.1%
Stable Value			
U.S. Treasuries	11.0%	0.7%	0.1%
Absolute Return	0.0%	1.8%	0.0%
Hedge Funds (Stable Value)	4.0%	3.0%	0.1%
Cash	1.0%	-0.2%	0.0%
Real Return			
Global Inflation Linked Bonds	3.0%	0.9%	0.0%
Real Assets	16.0%	5.1%	1.1%
Energy and Natural Resources	3.0%	6.6%	0.2%
Commodities	0.0%	1.2%	0.0%
Risk Parity			
Risk Parity	5.0%	6.7%	0.3%
Inflation Expectations			2.2%
Alpha			<u>1.0%</u>
Totals	<u>100.0%</u>		<u>8.7%</u>

* The Expected Contribution to Returns incorporates the volatility drag resulting from the conversion between Arithmetic and Geometric mean returns.

Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis - The following schedule shows the impact of the net pension liability if the discount rate used was 1% less than and 1% greater than the discount rate that was used (8%) in measuring the 2017 net pension liability:

	<u>1% Decrease in Discount Rate (7%)</u>	<u>Discount Rate (8%)</u>	<u>1% Increase in Discount Rate (9%)</u>
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	<u>\$ 284,134</u>	<u>\$ 168,545</u>	<u>\$ 72,299</u>

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A. Defined Benefit Pension Plan - Continued

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions - At August 31, 2018, the Marathon Independent School District reported a net pension liability of \$168,545 for its proportionate share of the TRS's net pension liability. This liability reflects a reduction for State pension support provided to the District. 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 Collective Net Pension Liability	\$	168,545
State's Proportionate Share that is Associated with the District		<u>475,544</u>
Total		<u><u>\$ 644,089</u></u>

The net pension liability was measured as of August 31, 2017, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The employer's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the employer's contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all employers to the plan for the period September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2017.

At August 31, 2017, the employer's proportion of the collective net pension liability was 0.0005271225% which was a decrease of 0.0002685019% from its proportion measured as of August 31, 2016.

Changes Since the Prior Actuarial Valuation - There were no changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total pension liability since the prior measurement period.

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the total pension liability during the measurement period.

For the year ended August 31, 2018, the Marathon Independent School District recognized pension expense of \$36,273 and revenue of \$36,273 for support provided by the State in the government-wide statement of activities.

At August 31, 2018, the Marathon Independent School District reported its proportionate share of the TRS's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>	<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>
Differences Between Expected and Actual Actuarial Experience	\$ 2,466	\$ 9,089
Changes in Actuarial Assumptions	7,678	4,395
Net Difference Between Projected and Actual Investment Earnings	-	12,284
Changes in Proportion and Difference Between the Employer's Contributions and the Proportionate Share of Contributions	102,276	80,177
Contributions Paid to TRS Subsequent to the Measurement Date	<u>15,436</u>	<u>-</u>
Totals	<u><u>\$ 127,856</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 105,945</u></u>

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A. Defined Benefit Pension Plan - Continued

The net amounts of the employer's balances of deferred outflows and inflows (not including the deferred contribution paid subsequent to the measurement date) of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending August 31,	Pension Expense Amount
2019	\$ 3,337
2020	14,096
2021	2,512
2022	(770)
2023	(2,096)
Thereafter	(10,604)

B. Defined Other Postemployment Benefit Plans

Plan Description - The Marathon Independent School District participates in the Texas Public School Retired Employees Group Insurance Program (TRS-Care). It is a multiple-employer, cost-sharing defined other postemployment benefit (OPEB) plan that has a special funding situation. The plan is administered through a trust by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) Board of Trustees. It is established and administered in accordance with the Texas Insurance Code, Chapter 1575.

OPEB Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Detailed information about the TRS-Care's fiduciary net position is available in the separately-issued TRS Comprehensive Annual Financial Report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained on the Internet at <http://www.trs.state.tx.us/about/documents/cafr.pdf#CAFR>; by writing to TRS at 1000 Red River Street, Austin, TX, 78701-2698; or by calling (512) 542-6592.

Components of the net OPEB liability of the TRS-Care plan as of August 31, 2017, are as follows:

Net OPEB Liability	Total
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 43,885,784,621
Less: Plan Fiduciary Net Position	(399,535,986)
Net OPEB Liability	\$ 43,486,248,635
Net Position as a Percentage of Total OPEB Liability	0.91%

Benefits Provided - TRS-Care provides a basic health insurance coverage (TRS-Care 1), at no cost to all retirees from public schools, charter schools, regional education service centers, and other educational districts who are members of the TRS pension plan. Optional dependent coverage is available for an additional fee.

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B. Defined Other Postemployment Benefit Plans - Continued

Eligible retirees and their dependents not enrolled in Medicare may pay premiums to participate in one of two optional insurance plans with more comprehensive benefits (TRS-Care 2 and TRS-Care 3). Eligible retirees and dependents enrolled in Medicare may elect to participate in one of the two Medicare health plans for an additional fee. To qualify for TRS-Care coverage, a retiree must have at least 10 years of service credit in the TRS pension system. The Board of Trustees is granted the authority to establish basic and optional group insurance coverage for participants as well as to amend benefit terms as needed under Chapter 1575.052. There are no automatic postemployment benefit changes, including automatic COLAs.

The premium rates for the optional health insurance are based on years of service of the member. The schedule below shows the monthly rates for the average retiree with Medicare Parts A and B coverage, with 20 to 29 years of service for the basic plan and the two optional plans:

TRS-Care Plan Premium Rates
Effective September 1, 2016 - December 31, 2017

	TRS-Care 1 Basic Plan	TRS-Care 2 Optional Plan	TRS-Care 3 Optional Plan
Retiree or Surviving Spouse	\$ 0	\$ 70	\$ 100
Retiree and Spouse	20	175	255
Retiree or Surviving Spouse and Children	41	132	182
Retiree and Family	61	237	337
Surviving Children Only	28	62	82

Contributions - Contribution rates for the TRS-Care plan are established in state statute by the Texas Legislature, and there is no continuing obligation to provide benefits beyond each fiscal year. The TRS-Care plan is currently funded on a pay-as-you-go basis and is subject to change based on available funding. Funding for TRS-Care is provided by retiree premium contributions and contributions from the state, active employees, and school districts based upon public school district payroll. The TRS Board of Trustees does not have the authority to set or amend contribution rates.

Texas Insurance Code, Section 1575.202 establishes the state's contribution rate which is 1% of the employee's salary. Section 1575.203 establishes the active employee's rate which is 0.65% of pay. Section 1575.204 establishes an employer

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B. Defined Other Postemployment Benefit Plans - Continued

contribution rate of not less than 0.25% or not more than 0.75% of the salary of each active employee of the public. The actual employer contribution rate is prescribed by the Legislature in the General Appropriations Act. The following table shows contributions to the TRS-Care plan by type of contributor:

	<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>
Active Employee	0.65%	0.65%
Non-Employer Contributing Entity (State)	1.00%	1.25%
Employers	0.55%	0.75%
Federal/Private Funding Remitted by Employers	1.00%	1.25%
District's 2018 Employer Contributions	\$	5,091
District's 2018 Member Contributions		4,364
District's 2017 NECE On-Behalf Contributions		(220,938)

In addition to the employer contributions listed above, there is an additional surcharge all TRS employers are subject to (regardless of whether or not they participate in the TRS-Care OPEB program). When employers hire a TRS retiree, they are required to pay to TRS-Care a monthly surcharge of \$535 per retiree.

TRS-Care received supplemental appropriations from the State of Texas as the Non-Employer Contributing Entity in the amount of \$15.6 million in fiscal year 2017. House Bill 21 was passed in special session and provided a supplemental appropriation in the amount of \$212 million in fiscal year 2018. The District's proportionate share of the \$212 million received during the District's 2018 fiscal year is reported in the fund level financial statements as an on-behalf contribution as required by GASB 85 and GASB 24.

Actuarial Assumptions - The total OPEB liability in the August 31, 2017 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions.

The actuarial valuation of TRS-Care is similar to the actuarial valuations performed for the pension plan, except that the OPEB valuation is more complex. All of the demographic assumptions, including mortality, and most of the economic assumptions are identical to those which were adopted by the Board in 2015 and are based on the 2014 actuarial experience study of TRS.

The active mortality rates were based on 90% of the RP-2014 Employee Mortality Tables for males and females. The post-retirement mortality rates were based on the 2015 TRS of Texas Healthy Pensioner Mortality Tables.

The following assumptions and other inputs used for members of TRS-Care are identical to the assumptions used in the August 31, 2017 TRS pension actuarial valuation:

Rates of Mortality	General Inflation
Rates of Retirement	Wage Inflation
Rates of Termination	Expected Payroll Growth
Rates of Disability Incidence	

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B. Defined Other Postemployment Benefit Plans - Continued

Additional Actuarial Methods and Assumptions:

Valuation Date	August 31, 2017
Actuarial Cost Method	Individual Entry Age Normal
Inflation	2.50%
Discount Rate	3.42%
Aging Factors	Based on Plan Specific Experience
Expenses	Third-party administrative expenses related to the delivery of health care benefits are included in the age-adjusted claims costs.
Payroll Growth Rate	2.50%
Projected Salary Increases	3.50% to 9.50%
Healthcare Trend Rates	4.50% to 12.00%
Election Rates	Normal Retirement: 70% Participation Prior to Age 65 and 75% Participation After Age 65
Ad hoc Postemployment Benefit Changes	None

Discount Rate - A single discount rate of 3.42% was used to measure the total OPEB liability. There was a change of 0.44% in the discount rate since the previous year. Because the plan is essentially a “pay-as-you-go” plan, the single discount rate is equal to the prevailing municipal bond rate. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from active members and those of the contributing employers and the non-employer contributing entity are made at the statutorily required rates. Based on those assumptions, the OPEB plan’s fiduciary net position was projected to not be able to make all future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the municipal bond rate was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total OPEB liability. The source of the municipal bond rate was fixed-income municipal bonds with 20 years to maturity that include only federally tax-exempt municipal bonds as reported in Fidelity Index’s “20-Year Municipal GO AA Index” as of August 31, 2017.

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability

Discount Rate Sensitivity Analysis - The following schedule shows the impact of the net OPEB liability if the discount rate used was 1% less than and 1% greater than the discount rate that was used (3.42%) in measuring the net OPEB liability:

	1% Decrease in Discount Rate (2.42%)	Discount Rate (3.42%)	1% Increase in Discount Rate (4.42%)
District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	<u>\$ 450,459</u>	<u>\$ 381,664</u>	<u>\$ 326,369</u>

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B. Defined Other Postemployment Benefit Plans - Continued

Healthcare Cost Trend Rates Sensitivity Analysis - The following presents the net OPEB liability of the plan using the assumed healthcare cost trend rate, as well as what the net OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a trend rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher than the assumed healthcare cost trend rate:

	1% Decrease	Current Healthcare Cost Trend Rate	1% Increase
District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 317,774	\$ 381,664	\$ 465,497

OPEB Liabilities, OPEB Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEBs - At August 31, 2018, the Marathon Independent School District reported a liability of \$381,664 for its proportionate share of the TRS's net OPEB liability. This liability reflects a reduction for State OPEB support provided to the District. 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 Collective Net OPEB Liability	\$ 381,664
State's Proportionate Share that is Associated with the District	660,251
Total	\$ 1,041,915

The net OPEB liability was measured as of August 31, 2017, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The employer's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on the employer's contributions to the OPEB plan relative to the contributions of all employers to the plan for the period September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2017.

At August 31, 2017, the employer's proportion of the collective net OPEB liability was 0.0008776669% which was the same proportion measured as of August 31, 2016.

Changes Since the Prior Actuarial Valuation - The following were changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement period:

1. Significant plan changes were adopted during fiscal year ending August 31, 2018. Effective January 1, 2018, only one health plan option will exist (instead of three), and all retirees will be required to contribute monthly premiums for coverage. The health plan changes triggered changes to several of the assumptions, including participation rates, retirement rates, and spousal participation rates.
2. The August 31, 2016 valuation had assumed that the savings related to the Medicare Part D reimbursements would phase out by 2022. This assumption was removed for the August 31, 2017 valuation. Although there is uncertainty regarding these federal subsidies, the new assumption better reflects the current substantive plan. This change was unrelated to the plan amendment, and its impact was included as an assumption change in the reconciliation of the total OPEB liability. This change significantly lowered the OPEB liability.
3. The discount rate changed from 2.98% as of August 31, 2016 to 3.42% as of August 31, 2017. This change lowered the total OPEB liability.

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In this valuation the impact of the Cadillac Tax has been calculated as a portion of the trend assumption. Assumptions and methods used to determine the impact of the Cadillac Tax include:

- 2018 thresholds of \$850/\$2,292 were indexed annually by 2.5%.
- Premium data submitted was not adjusted for permissible exclusions to the Cadillac Tax.
- There were no special adjustments to the dollar limit other than those permissible for non-Medicare retirees over 55.

Results indicate that the value of the excise tax would be reasonably represented by a 25-basis point addition to the long-term trend rate assumption.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements due to such factors as the following: plan experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions, changes in economic or demographic assumptions, increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements, and changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the total OPEB liability during the measurement period.

For the year ended August 31, 2018, the Marathon Independent School District recognized OPEB expense of \$(220,938) and revenue of \$(220,938) for support provided by the State.

At August 31, 2018, the Marathon Independent School District reported its proportionate share of the TRS's deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to other postemployment benefits from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences Between Expected and Actual Actuarial Experience	\$ -	\$ 7,968
Changes in Actuarial Assumptions	-	151,683
Net Difference Between Projected and Actual Investment Earnings	58	-
Changes in Proportion and Difference Between the Employer's Contributions and the Proportionate Share of Contributions	3	-
Contributions Paid to TRS Subsequent to the Measurement Date	5,091	-
Totals	\$ 5,152	\$ 159,651

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B. Defined Other Postemployment Benefit Plans - Continued

The net amounts of the employer’s balances of deferred outflows and inflows (not including the deferred contribution paid subsequent to the measurement date) of resources related to OPEBs will be recognized in OPEB expense as follows:

<u>Year Ending August 31,</u>	<u>OPEB Expense Amount</u>
2019	\$ (21,057)
2020	(21,057)
2021	(21,057)
2022	(21,058)
2023	(21,073)
Thereafter	(54,288)

C. Health Care Coverage

The District participates in TRS-Active Care sponsored by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas. TRS-Active Care (the Plan) provides health care coverage to employees (and their dependents) of participating public education entities. Optional life and long-term care insurance are also provided to active members and retirees. Authority for the Plan can be found in the Texas Insurance Code, Title 8, Subtitle H, Chapter 1579 and in the Texas Administrative Code, Title 34, Part 3, Chapter 41. The Plan began operations on September 1, 2002. This is a premium-based plan. Payments are made on a monthly basis for all covered employees.

D. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters, for which the District participated in a public entity risk pool. There were no significant reductions in coverage in the past fiscal year, and there were no settlements exceeding coverage for each of the past three fiscal years.

E. Property and Liability Programs

During the year ended August 31, 2018, the District participated in the TASB Risk Management Fund’s (the Fund’s) Property and Liability Programs.

The Fund was created and is operated under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code. All members participating in the Fund execute Interlocal Agreements that define the responsibilities of the parties.

The Fund purchases stop-loss coverage for protection against catastrophic and larger than anticipated claims for the Property and Liability Programs. The terms and limits of the stop-loss program vary by line of coverage. The Fund uses the services of an independent actuary to determine the adequacy of reserves and fully funds those reserves. For the year ended August 31, 2018, the Fund anticipates that the District has no additional liability beyond the contractual obligations for payment of contributions.

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E. Property and Liability Programs - Continued

The Fund engages the services of an independent auditor to conduct a financial audit after the close of each year on August 31. The audit is accepted by the Fund's Board of Trustees in February of the following year. The Fund's audited financial statements as of August 31, 2017, are available on the TASB Risk Management Fund website.

F. Unemployment Compensation Coverage

During the year ended August 31, 2018, the District provided unemployment compensation coverage to its employees through participation in the TASB Risk Management Fund (the Fund). The Fund was created and is operated under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code. The Fund's Unemployment Compensation Program is authorized by Section 22.005 of the Texas Education Code and Chapter 172 of the Texas Local Government Code. All members participating in the Fund execute Interlocal Agreements that define the responsibilities of the parties.

The Fund meets its quarterly obligation to the Texas Workforce Commission. Expenses are accrued monthly until the quarterly payment has been made. Expenses can be reasonably estimated; therefore, there is no need for specific or aggregate stop-loss coverage for the Unemployment Compensation pool. For the year ended August 31, 2018, the Fund anticipates that the District has no additional liability beyond the contractual obligations for payment of contributions.

The Fund engages the services of an independent auditor to conduct a financial audit after the close of each year on August 31. The audit is accepted by the Fund's Board of Trustees in February of the following year. The Fund's audited financial statements as of August 31, 2017, are available on the TASB Risk Management Fund website.

G. Workers' Compensation Insurance

During the year ended August 31, 2018, the District met its statutory workers' compensation obligations through participation in the TASB Risk Management Fund (the Fund). The Fund was created and is operated under the provisions of the Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code. The Fund's Workers' Compensation Program is authorized by Chapter 504, of the Texas Labor Code. All members participating in the Fund execute Interlocal Agreements that define the responsibilities of the parties. The Fund provides statutory workers' compensation benefits to its members injured employees.

The Fund and its members are protected against higher than expected claims costs through the purchase of stop-loss coverage for any claim in excess of the Fund's self-insured retention of \$2 million. The Fund uses the services of an independent actuary to determine reserve adequacy and fully funds those reserves. As of August 31, 2017, the Fund carries a discounted reserve of \$49,076,113 for future development on reported claims and claims that have been incurred but not yet reported. For the year ended August 31, 2018, the Fund anticipates no additional liability to members beyond their contractual obligations for payment of contributions.

The Fund engages the services of an independent auditor to conduct a financial audit after the close of each year on August 31. The audit is accepted by the Fund's Board of Trustees in February of the following year. The Fund's audited financial statements as of August 31, 2017, are available on the TASB Risk Management Fund website.

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H. Contingencies

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

I. Shared Services Arrangement

The District participates in a shared services arrangement for a cooperative education program with several other school districts. The District does not account for revenues or expenditures in this program and does not disclose them in these financial statements. The Alpine Independent School District is the fiscal agent manager and is responsible for all financial activities of the shared services arrangement.

J. Negative Operating Grants and Contributions - Statement of Activities

Expense activity is required to be recorded by districts who are participants in cost-sharing pension and OPEB plans with a special funding situation where non-employer contributing entities (NECE) also participate in contributions to the plans. TRS-retirement and TRS-Care benefit plans are both cost-sharing plans with special funding situations. Therefore, on-behalf expense activity of the NECE must be recorded at the government-wide level of reporting on the statement of activities in accordance with GASB 68 and 75.

During the year under audit, the NECE expense related to GASB 75 was negative due to changes in benefits within the TRS-Care plan. The accrual for the proportionate share of that expense was a negative on-behalf revenue and negative on-behalf expense. This resulted in negative revenue for operating grants and contributions on the statement of activities. According to guidance provided directly from GASB, this is the correct reporting.

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J. Negative Operating Grants and Contributions - Statement of Activities - Continued

Following are the effects on the statement of activities related to GASB 75 as a result of the negative on-behalf accruals recorded:

	<u>Operating Grants and Contributions</u>	<u>Negative On-Behalf Accruals</u>	<u>Operating Grants and Contributions (Excluding On-Behalf Accruals)</u>
11 Instruction	\$ (95,830)	\$ 129,850	\$ 34,020
23 School Leadership	(17,533)	21,274	3,741
31 Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services	(3,214)	3,900	686
33 Health Services	2,135	0	2,135
34 Student (Pupil) Transportation	(475)	577	102
35 Food Services	12,451	0	12,451
36 Extracurricular Activities	(1,537)	1,864	327
41 General Administration	(38,062)	46,181	8,119
51 Facilities Maintenance and Operations	(14,202)	17,232	3,030
53 Data Processing Services	(50)	60	10
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
Totals	<u>\$ (156,317)</u>	<u>\$ 220,938</u>	<u>\$ 64,621</u>

K. Adjustments to Net Position/Fund Balances

During fiscal year 2018, the District adopted GASB Statement No. 75, "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Other Than Pensions." With GASB 75, the District must assume its proportionate share of the net OPEB liability of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas. Adoption of GASB 75 required a prior period adjustment to report the effect of GASB 75 retroactively. The amount of the prior period adjustment is a decrease in net position of \$669,246.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements - Continued
August 31, 2018

IV. OTHER INFORMATION - Continued

K. Adjustments to Net Position/Fund Balances - Continued

The financial statements reflect the following prior period adjustments:

	Net Position <u>Exhibit B-1</u>	Fund Balances <u>Exhibit C-3</u>
General Fund		
Foundation Adjustment	\$ (6,066)	\$ (6,066)
SHARS Payments	63,630	63,630
Refund Prior Year's Ad Valorem Taxes	(1,396)	(1,396)
Appraisal Cost Refund of 2017 Excess Budget	2,087	2,087
Prior Year's Voided Checks	<u>6,107</u>	<u>6,107</u>
Total General Fund	\$ 64,362	\$ 64,362
GASB 75 as Noted Above	<u>(669,246)</u>	<u>0</u>
Totals	<u>\$ (604,884)</u>	<u>\$ 64,362</u>

L. Subsequent Events

The District's management has evaluated subsequent events through December 3, 2018, the date which the financial statements were available for issue.

Required Supplementary Information

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

Data Control Codes	Budgeted Amounts		Actual Amounts (GAAP BASIS)	Variance With Final Budget Positive or (Negative)	
	Original	Final			
REVENUES:					
5700	Total Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 1,063,303	\$ 1,087,923	\$ 1,115,433	\$ 27,510
5800	State Program Revenues	549,361	550,605	543,595	(7,010)
5900	Federal Program Revenues	75,949	77,029	14,586	(62,443)
5020	Total Revenues	1,688,613	1,715,557	1,673,614	(41,943)
EXPENDITURES:					
Current:					
0011	Instruction	837,869	829,576	752,880	76,696
0012	Instructional Resources and Media Services	7,000	2,152	1,070	1,082
0013	Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development	25,686	16,386	10,930	5,456
0023	School Leadership	101,550	103,283	93,933	9,350
0031	Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services	12,676	23,889	16,888	7,001
0033	Health Services	7,300	7,600	6,883	717
0034	Student (Pupil) Transportation	73,906	63,677	54,081	9,596
0035	Food Services	22,046	22,046	14,626	7,420
0036	Extracurricular Activities	101,399	102,834	85,075	17,759
0041	General Administration	278,289	289,222	274,580	14,642
0051	Facilities Maintenance and Operations	385,832	250,832	187,928	62,904
0052	Security and Monitoring Services	16,100	31,468	3,992	27,476
0053	Data Processing Services	45,088	69,251	59,529	9,722
0061	Community Services	1,000	1,000	308	692
Debt Service:					
0071	Principal on Long-Term Debt	23,136	23,136	23,136	-
0072	Interest on Long-Term Debt	276	276	276	-
Capital Outlay:					
0081	Facilities Acquisition and Construction	100,000	80,000	75,202	4,798
Intergovernmental:					
0091	Contracted Instructional Services Between Schools	10,225	10,225	-	10,225
0093	Payments to Fiscal Agent/Member Districts of SSA	12,000	9,500	7,043	2,457
0099	Other Intergovernmental Charges	37,500	37,500	36,266	1,234
6030	Total Expenditures	2,098,878	1,973,853	1,704,626	269,227
1100	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(410,265)	(258,296)	(31,012)	227,284
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):					
7913	Capital Leases	110,265	110,265	110,265	-
7915	Transfers In	8,430	8,430	2,175	(6,255)
8911	Transfers Out (Use)	(8,430)	(8,430)	(2,175)	6,255
7080	Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	110,265	110,265	110,265	-
1200	Net Change in Fund Balances	(300,000)	(148,031)	79,253	227,284
0100	Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	1,816,473	1,816,473	1,816,473	-
1300	Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance	-	-	64,362	64,362
3000	Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	\$ 1,516,473	\$ 1,668,442	\$ 1,960,088	\$ 291,646

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY
 TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

	FY 2018 Plan Year 2017	FY 2017 Plan Year 2016	FY 2016 Plan Year 2015	FY 2015 Plan Year 2014
District's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability (Asset)	0.000527123%	0.000795624%	0.0005122%	0.0003192%
District's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability (Asset)	\$ 168,545	\$ 300,655	\$ 181,056	\$ 85,263
State's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) Associated with the District	475,544	503,557	453,139	357,478
Total	<u>\$ 644,089</u>	<u>\$ 804,212</u>	<u>\$ 634,195</u>	<u>\$ 442,741</u>
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 806,399	\$ 732,231	\$ 634,145	\$ 611,766
District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	20.90%	41.06%	28.55%	13.94%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	82.17%	78.00%	78.43%	83.25%

Note: GASB 68, Paragraph 81 requires that the information on this schedule be data from the period corresponding with the periods covered as of the measurement dates of August 31, 2017 for year 2018, August 31, 2016 for Year 2017, August 31, 2015 for Year 2016 and August 31, 2014 for 2015.

Note: In accordance with GASB 68, Paragraph 138, only four years of data are presented this reporting period. "The information for all periods for the 10-year schedules that are required to be presented as required supplementary information may not be available initially. In these cases, during the transition period, that information should be presented for as many years as are available. The schedules should not include information that is not measured in accordance with the requirements of this Statement."

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT'S CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PENSIONS
TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS
FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018

	2018	2017	2016	2015
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 15,436	\$ 17,276	\$ 25,149	\$ 15,166
Contribution in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	(15,436)	(17,276)	(25,149)	(15,166)
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 671,379	\$ 806,399	\$ 732,231	\$ 634,145
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	2.30%	2.14%	3.43%	2.39%

Note: GASB 68, Paragraph 81 requires that the data in this schedule be presented as of the District's respective fiscal years as opposed to the time periods covered by the measurement dates ending August 31 of the preceding year.

Note: In accordance with GASB 68, Paragraph 138, only four years of data are presented this reporting period. "The information for all periods for the 10-year schedules that are required to be presented as required supplementary information may not be available initially. In these cases, during the transition period, that information should be presented for as many years as are available. The schedules should not include information that is not measured in accordance with the requirements of this Statement."

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET OPEB LIABILITY
 TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

	<u>FY 2018</u> <u>Plan Year 2017</u>
District's Proportion of the Net Liability (Asset) for Other Postemployment Benefits	0.000877667%
District's Proportionate Share of Net Postemployment Benefit Liability (Asset)	\$ 381,664
State's Proportionate Share of the Net Postemployment Benefit Liability (Asset) Associated with the District	660,251
Total	<u>\$ 1,041,915</u>
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 803,699
District's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability (Asset) as a Percentage of its Covered Payroll	47.49%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total OPEB Liability	0.91%

Note: GASB Codification, Vol. 2, P50.238 states that the information on this schedule should be determined as of the measurement date. Therefore the amounts reported for FY 2018 are based on the August 31, 2017 measurement date.

This schedule shows only the year for which this information is available. Additional information will be added until 10 years of data are available and reported.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF DISTRICT'S CONTRIBUTIONS FOR OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)
 TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF TEXAS
 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2018

	2018
Contractually Required Contribution	\$ 5,091
Contribution in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution	(5,091)
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$ -0-
District's Covered Payroll	\$ 671,379
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	0.76%

Note: GASB Codification, Vol. 2, P50.238 requires that the data in this schedule be presented as of the District's respective fiscal years as opposed to the time periods covered by the measurement dates ending August 31 of the preceding year.

Information in this schedule should be provided only for the years where data is available. Eventually 10 years of data should be presented.

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notes to the Required Supplementary Information
August 31, 2018

Note A - Net Pension Liability

Changes of Benefit Terms

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the total pension liability during the measurement period.

Changes of Assumptions

There were no changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total pension liability since the prior measurement period.

Note B - Net OPEB Liability

Changes of Benefit Terms

There were no changes of benefit terms that affected measurement of the total OPEB liability during the measurement period.

Changes of Assumptions

The following were changes to the actuarial assumptions or other inputs that affected measurement of the total OPEB liability since the prior measurement period:

1. Significant plan changes were adopted during fiscal year ending August 31, 2018. Effective January 1, 2018, only one health plan option will exist (instead of three), and all retirees will be required to contribute monthly premiums for coverage. The health plan changes triggered changes to several of the assumptions, including participation rates, retirement rates, and spousal participation rates.
2. The August 31, 2016 valuation had assumed that the savings related to the Medicare Part D reimbursements would phase out by 2022. This assumption was removed for the August 31, 2017 valuation. Although there is uncertainty regarding these federal subsidies, the new assumption better reflects the current substantive plan. This change was unrelated to the plan amendment, and its impact was included as an assumption change in the reconciliation of the total OPEB liability. This change significantly lowered the OPEB liability.
3. The discount rate changed from 2.98% as of August 31, 2016 to 3.42% as of August 31, 2017. This change lowered the total OPEB liability.

In this valuation the impact of the Cadillac Tax has been calculated as a portion of the trend assumption. Assumptions and methods used to determine the impact of the Cadillac Tax include:

- 2018 thresholds of \$850/\$2,292 were indexed annually by 2.5%.
- Premium data submitted was not adjusted for permissible exclusions to the Cadillac Tax.
- There were no special adjustments to the dollar limit other than those permissible for non-Medicare retirees over 55.

Results indicate that the value of the excise tax would be reasonably represented by a 25-basis point addition to the long-term trend rate assumption.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements due to such factors as the following: plan experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions, changes in economic or demographic assumptions, increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements, and changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

Other Supplementary Information

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF DELINQUENT TAXES RECEIVABLE
FISCAL YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2018

Last 10 Years Ended August 31	(1)	(2)	(3)
	Tax Rates		Assessed/Appraised Value for School Tax Purposes
	Maintenance	Debt Service	
2009 and prior years	Various	Various	\$ Various
2010	1.040000	0.000000	68,568,321
2011	1.170000	0.000000	59,685,509
2012	1.170000	0.000000	63,549,400
2013	1.170000	0.000000	65,240,400
2014	1.170000	0.000000	66,986,000
2015	1.140000	0.000000	74,316,735
2016	1.170000	0.000000	83,958,794
2017	1.170000	0.000000	88,838,601
2018 (School year under audit)	1.170000	0.000000	91,688,586
1000 TOTALS			

(10) Beginning Balance 9/1/2017	(20) Current Year's Total Levy	(31) Maintenance Collections	(32) Debt Service Collections	(40) Entire Year's Adjustments	(50) Ending Balance 8/31/2018
\$ 12,823	\$ -	\$ 1,148	\$ -	\$ 93	\$ 11,768
2,273	-	133	-	(113)	2,027
1,905	-	115	-	(160)	1,630
2,337	-	501	-	(169)	1,667
2,198	-	115	-	(169)	1,914
3,138	-	1,010	-	(141)	1,987
4,317	-	1,724	-	(138)	2,455
6,374	-	2,083	-	(152)	4,139
16,012	-	8,514	-	(308)	7,190
-	1,054,219	1,034,192	-	(3,787)	16,240
<u>\$ 51,377</u>	<u>\$ 1,054,219</u>	<u>\$ 1,049,535</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ (5,044)</u>	<u>\$ 51,017</u>

COMPLIANCE AND INTERNAL CONTROLS SECTION



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

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We have audited, in accordance with the 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, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Marathon Independent School District as of and for the year ended August 31, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 3, 2018.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Marathon Independent School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Marathon Independent School District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Marathon Independent School District's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the District's financial statements will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during the audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Marathon Independent School District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the District's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Eckert & Company, LLP

December 3, 2018

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
 Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
 Year Ended August 31, 2018

A. Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued

Unmodified

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

Material weaknesses identified?

 Yes X No

Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?

 Yes X None Reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?

 Yes X No

B. Findings - Financial Statements Audit

None

C. Findings - State Compliance

None

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Schedule of Status of Prior Findings
Year Ended August 31, 2018

(Prepared by the District's Management)

Prior Year Finding:

2017-001 The District purchased a modular building from a BuyBoard vendor but did not go through the BuyBoard process.

Status of Prior Year Finding:

This condition did not exist in the current year.

SCHOOLS FIRST QUESTIONNAIRE

MARATHON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Fiscal Year 2018

SF2	Were there any disclosures in the Annual Financial Report and/or other sources of information concerning nonpayment of any terms of any debt agreement at fiscal year end?	No
SF4	Was there an unmodified opinion in the Annual Financial Report on the financial statements as a whole?	Yes
SF5	Did the Annual Financial Report disclose any instances of material weaknesses in internal controls over financial reporting and compliance for local, state, or federal funds?	No
SF6	Was there any disclosure in the Annual Financial Report of material noncompliance for grants, contracts, and laws related to local, state, or federal funds?	No
SF7	Did the school district make timely payments to the Teachers Retirement System (TRS), Texas Workforce Commission (TWC), Internal Revenue Service (IRS), and other government agencies?	Yes
SF8	Did the school district not receive an adjusted repayment schedule for more than one fiscal year for an over allocation of Foundation School Program (FSP) funds as a result of a financial hardship?	Yes
SF10	Total accumulated accretion on CABs included in government-wide financial statements at fiscal year-end.	0
SF11	Net Pension Assets (1920) at fiscal year-end.	0
SF12	Net Pension Liabilities (2540) at fiscal year-end.	168545
SF13	Pension Expense (6147) at fiscal year-end.	0