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Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees Covington Independent School District 501 N. Main Street Covington, Texas 76636

Report on the Financial Statements

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental fund activities for Covington Independent School District (the "District") related to the Hill County Special Education Cooperative (the "Co-op") as of and for the year ended August 31, 2021, and the related notes to the 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

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my 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 I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, I 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. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinions.

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental fund activities of Covington Independent School District related to the Hill County Special Education Cooperative as of August 31, 2021, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with account principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Other Information

As discussed in Note I, the financial statements present only the special revenue funds related to the Hill County Special Education Cooperative and are not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of Covington Independent School District, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Cameron L. Gulley Certified Public Accountant

Eastland, Texas

January 11, 2022

COVINGTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT HILL COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS AUGUST 31, 2021

Data			313	314	437	Total
Control			IDEA Part B	IDEA Part B	Special	Governmental
Codes			Formula	Preschool	Education	Funds
ASS	SETS					
1110	Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 634,933	\$ 634,933
1240	Receivables from Other Governments		143,189	-	-	143,189
1260	Due from Other Funds	_			143,189	143,189
1000	Total Assets	=	143,189	-	778,122	921,311
LIA	BILITIES AND FUND BALANCES					
	Liabilities:					
2110	Accounts Payable	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 9,644	\$ 9,644
2170	Due to Other Funds		143,189	-	7,198	150,387
2300	Unearned Revenue	_	-		10,000	10,000
2000	Total Liabilities	_	143,189	-	26,842	170,031
	Fund Balances:					
3490	Other Restricted Fund Balance	_	_		751,280	751,280
3000	Total Fund Balances	_			751,280	751,280
4000	Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$	143,189	\$	\$ 778,122	\$ 921,311

COVINGTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT HILL COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2021

Data			313	314	437	Total
Control			IDEA Part B	IDEA Part B	Special	Governmental
Codes			Formula	Preschool	Education	Funds
RE	EVENUES:					
5700	Total Local and Intermediate Sources	\$	- \$	- \$	2,511,511 \$	2,511,511
5800	State Program Revenues		-	-	98,901	98,901
5900	Federal Program Revenues	_	916,931	25,250	<u> </u>	942,181
5020	Total Revenues	_	916,931	25,250	2,610,412	3,552,593
EX	PENDITURES:					
	Current:					
0011	Instruction		259,972	250	1,483,947	1,744,169
0013	Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development		12,468	-	2,241	14,709
0031	Guidance, Counseling and Evaluation Services		644,491	-	32,815	677,306
0041	General Administration		-	-	450,251	450,251
0051	Facilities Maintenance and Operations		-	-	250,292	250,292
0093	Payments to Fiscal Agent/Member Districts of SSA	_		25,000	315,857	340,857
6030	Total Expenditures	_	916,931	25,250	2,535,403	3,477,584
1200	Net Change in Fund Balance		-	-	75,009	75,009
0100	Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)		-	-	676,271	676,271
1300	Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance	_	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	
3000	Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	\$	- \$	- \$	751,280 \$	751,280

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2021

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Covington Independent School District (the "District") is a public educational agency operating under the applicable laws and regulations of the State of Texas. It is governed by a seven-member Board of Trustees (the "Board") elected by registered voters of the District. The District prepares its basic financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and other authoritative sources identified in Statement of Auditing Standards No. 69 of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants; and it complies with the requirements of the appropriate version of the Texas Education Agency (TEA) Financial Accountability System Resource Guide (the "Resource Guide" of FASRG) and the requirements of contracts and grants of agencies from which it receives funds.

These financial statements contain only the assets, liabilities, fund equity and related revenues of expenditures of Covington Independent School District's special revenue funds related to the Hill County Special Education Cooperative. This is not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of Covington Independent School District as of and for the year ended August 31, 2021.

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

The financial statements of Hill County Special Education Cooperative are reported using the current financial resources measurement of focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. 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 the current period. For this purpose, the Coop considers revenues to be available if they are collected within sixty days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred.