UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409

Atchison, Kansas

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

June 30, 2024

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June 3, 2025

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Board of Education
Unified School District No. 409
Atchison, Kansas

Independent Auditor's Report

Adverse and Unmodified Opinions
We have audited the accompanying fund summary statement of regulatory basis receipts, expenditures, and unencumbered cash balances of Unified School District No. 409 (the District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statement.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse and Unmodified Opinions section of our report, the accompanying financial statement referred to above does not present fairly, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of the District as of June 30, 2024, or changes in financial position and cash flows thereof for the year then ended.

Unmodified Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting
In our opinion, the accompanying financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the aggregate cash and unencumbered cash balance of the District as of June 30, 2024, and the aggregate receipts and expenditures for they year then ended in accordance with the financial reporting provisions of the *Kansas Municipal Audit and Accounting Guide* (KMAAG) described in Note 1.

Basis for Adverse and Unmodified Opinions
We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) KMAAG, and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statement section of our report. We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our adverse and unmodified audit opinions.

Matter Giving Rise to the Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
As discussed in Note 1 of the financial statement, the financial statement is prepared by the District on the basis of the financial reporting provisions of the KMAAG, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The effects on the financial statement of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statement
Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statement in accordance with KMAAG as described in Note 1. This includes determining the regulatory basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statement in the circumstances. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

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Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statement

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

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

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

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

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the fund summary statement of regulatory basis receipts, expenditures, and unencumbered cash balances (basic financial statement) as a whole. The summary of regulatory basis expenditures-actual and budget, individual fund schedules of regulatory basis receipts and expenditures-actual and budget, schedule of regulatory basis receipts and expenditures-agency funds (Schedules 1, 2, 3 and 4 as listed in the table of contents) are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not required part of the basic financial statement; however, are required to be presented under the provisions of the KMAAG. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statement. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statement and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statement or to the basic financial statement itself, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary information is fairly stated in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statement as a whole, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Other Supplementary Information
Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statement that collectively comprises the District's basic financial statement. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statement. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statement. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statement and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statement or to the basic financial statement itself, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statement as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards
In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated June 3, 2025 on our consideration of the District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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 District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SUMMARY STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND UNENCUMBERED CASH
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Beginning Unencumbered Cash Balance	Cash Receipts	Expenditures	Ending Unencumbered Cash Balance	Add Outstanding Encumbrances and Accounts Payable	Ending Cash Balance
GOVERNMENTAL TYPE FUNDS						
General Funds:						
General Fund	$ -	$ 12,821,823	$ 12,821,823	$ -	$ -	$ -
Supplemental General Fund	298,646	3,851,643	4,102,706	47,583	-	47,583
Special Purpose Funds						
Preschool-Aged At-Risk	38,571	70,802	70,800	38,573	-	38,573
At-Risk (K-12)	691,498	3,361,750	3,363,319	689,929	-	689,929
Bilingual Education	-	4,600	4,600	-	-	-
Capital Outlay	5,374,271	1,983,876	2,036,802	5,321,345	-	5,321,345
Driver Education	21,005	-	-	21,005	-	21,005
Food Service	635,164	1,026,750	1,151,142	510,772	-	510,772
KPERS Special Retirement Contribution	-	1,799,302	1,799,302	-	-	-
Professional Development	90,083	3,452	32,500	61,035	-	61,035
Parent Education	-	19,000	19,000	-	-	-
Special Education	945,145	3,733,283	3,983,670	694,758	-	694,758
Career and Postsecondary Education Fund	77,505	291,742	310,347	58,900	-	58,900
Gifts and Grants	96,935	64,941	26,571	135,305	-	135,305
Contingency Reserve	812,480	-	-	812,480	-	812,480
Textbook Rental	271,862	46,473	49,942	268,393	-	268,393
Carl Perkins	(2,429)	24,052	21,487	136	-	136
Title I	(7,076)	336,746	501,312	(171,642)	-	(171,642)
Title IIA	(13,717)	90,602	73,506	3,379	-	3,379
Title IVA	(120)	36,947	48,339	(11,512)	-	(11,512)
ESSER II	-	-	193	(193)	-	(193)
ESSER III	(246,197)	1,603,031	1,668,579	(311,745)	-	(311,745)
District Activity funds	98,646	260,019	274,078	84,587	-	84,587
KDHE Grant	(41,038)	166,838	158,810	(33,010)	-	(33,010)
Debt Service Fund						
Bond and Interest	5,426,579	2,469,691	1,510,265	6,386,005	-	6,386,005
Capital Project						
Bond Proceeds	221,787	-	-	221,787	-	221,787
2024 Bond Proceeds	-	28,958,785	522,997	28,435,788		28,435,788
Total Primary Government	$ 14,789,600	$ 63,026,148	$ 34,552,090	$ 43,263,658	$ -	$ 43,263,658

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.
See Independent Auditor's Report.

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SUMMARY STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND UNENCUMBERED CASH (CONTINUED)
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Beginning Unencumbered Cash Balance	Cash Receipts	Expenditures	Ending Unencumbered Cash Balance	Add Outstanding Encumbrances and Accounts Payable	Ending Cash Balance
GOVERNMENTAL TYPE FUNDS (CONTINUED)						
Component Unit						
Atchison Recreation Commission General	$ 244,077	$ 457,036	$ 473,236	$ 227,877	$ -	$ 227,877
Atchison Recreation Commission Employee Benefit	47,761	104,697	106,225	46,233	-	46,233
Total Component Unit	$ 291,838	$ 561,733	$ 579,461	$ 274,110	$ -	$ 274,110
Total Reporting Entity (Excluding Agency Funds)	$ 15,081,438	$ 63,587,881	$ 35,131,551	$ 43,537,768	$ -	$ 43,537,768

Composition of Cash	
Checking Accounts	$ 14,491,323
Investment Account	28,958,785
Total Component Unit	274,110
Total Cash	$ 43,724,218
Less: Agency Funds per Statement 4	(186,450)
Total Reporting Entity	$ 43,537,768

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this financial statement.
See Independent Auditor's Report.

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Unified School District No. 409 (the District) is a municipal corporation governed by an elected seven member board. The District as an entity has been defined to include, on a combined basis, (a) the District (b) organizations for which the District is financially accountable, and (c) other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the District are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statement to be misleading or incomplete.

Discretely presented component unit - The component unit section of this financial statement includes the financial data of the discretely presented component unit. This component unit is reported separately to emphasize that it is legally separate from the District. The governing body of this component unit is appointed by the District.

Recreation Commission - The Recreation Commission oversees recreational activities: The Recreation Commission operates a separate governing body, but the District levies the taxes for the Recreation Commission and the Recreation Commission has only the powers granted by statute, K.S.A. 12-1928. The Recreation Commission cannot purchase real property, but can acquire real property by gift. The accounting policies of the Recreation Commission are the same as those of the District.

Basis of Presentation

Regulatory Basis of Accounting and Departure from Accounting Principles Generally Accepted in the United States of America - The Kansas Municipal Audit and Accounting Guide (KMAAG) regulatory basis of accounting involves the recognition of cash, cash equivalents, marketable investments, and certain accounts payable and encumbrance obligations to arrive at a net unencumbered cash and investments balances on a regulatory basis for each fund, and the reporting of changes in unencumbered cash and investments of a fund resulting from the difference in regulatory basis revenues and regulatory basis expenditures for the fiscal year. All recognized assets and liabilities are measured and reported at cost, unless they have been permanently impaired and have no future cash value or represent no future obligation against cash. The KMAAG regulatory basis does not recognize capital assets, long term debt, accrued receivables and payables, or any other assets, liabilities or deferred inflows or outflows, other than those mentioned above.

The District has approved a resolution that is in compliance with K.S.A. 75-1120a(c), waiving the requirement for application of generally accepted accounting principles and allowing the District to use the statutory basis of accounting.

Fund Descriptions

A fund is defined as an independent fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts recording cash and other financial resources, together with all related liabilities and residual equities or balances, and changes therein, which are segregated for the purpose of carrying on specific activities or attaining certain objectives in accordance with special regulations, restrictions or limitations.

The following types of funds comprise the financial activities of the District:

Governmental Funds

General Fund is used to account for all unrestricted resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Special Purpose Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific tax levies and other specific regulatory receipt sources (other than Capital Project and tax levies for long-term debt) that are intended for specified purposes.

Capital Project Funds are used to account for the debt proceeds and other financial resources to be used for acquisition or construction of major capital facilities or equipment.

Bond and Interest Fund is used to account for the accumulation of resources for and the payment of interest and principal on general long-term debt.

Agency Fund is used to report assets held by the municipal reporting entity in a purely custodial capacity (payroll clearing fund; activity accounts, etc.).

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Reimbursed Expenses

Expenditures in the amount of $129,298 are classified as reimbursed expenses in the General Fund. The purpose of these expenditures is payment for goods and services in which fees are collected and such expenditures are exempt from the budget law under K.S.A. 79-2934.

Reimbursed expenses are defined as repayments of amounts remitted on behalf of another party. All reimbursed expenses shown in the financial statement meet the following criteria: 1) the related disbursement was made in the current year on behalf of the payee, 2) the item paid for was directly identifiable as having been used by or provided to the payee, and 3) the amount of the reimbursed expense was directly tied to the amount of the original cash disbursement.

Budgetary Information

Kansas statutes require that an annual operating budget be legally adopted for the general fund, special purpose funds (unless specifically exempted by statute) and bond and interest funds. The statutes provide for the following sequence and timetable in the adoption of the legal annual operating budget:

1. Preparation of the budget for the succeeding twelve month period on or before August 1 of each year.
2. Publication in a local newspaper of the proposed budget and notice of public hearing on the budget on or before August 5.
3. Public hearing on or before August 15, but at least ten days after publication of notice of hearing.
4. Adoption of the final budget on or before August 25.

If the District is holding a revenue neutral rate hearing, the budget timeline for adoption of the final budget has been adjusted to on or before September 20th. The District did hold a revenue neutral rate hearing for this year.

The statutes allow for the governing body to increase the originally adopted budget for previously unbudgeted increases in revenue other than ad valorem property taxes. To do this, a notice of public hearing to amend the budget must be published in the local newspaper. At least ten days after publication the hearing may be held and the governing body may amend the budget at that time. There were no such amendments this year.

The statutes permit transferring budgeted amounts between line items within an individual fund. However, such statutes prohibit expenditures in excess of the total amount of the adopted budget of expenditures of individual funds. Budget comparison statements are presented for each fund showing actual receipts and expenditures compared to legally budgeted receipts and expenditures.

All legal annual operating budgets are prepared using the regulatory basis of accounting, in which revenues are recognized when cash is received and expenditures include disbursements, accounts payable, and encumbrances, with disbursements being adjusted for prior year's accounts payable and encumbrances. Encumbrances are commitments by the District for future payments and are supported by a document evidencing the commitment, such as a purchase order or contract. Any unused budgeted expenditure authority lapses at year-end.

A legal operating budget is not required for capital projects funds, trust funds, and the following special purpose funds:

Carl Perkins	ESSER III	Title IIA & Carryover
Contingency Reserve	KDHE Grant	Title IVA
District Activity	Textbook	
ESSER II	Title I & Carryover	

Spending in funds which are not subject to the legal annual operating budget requirement is controlled by federal regulations, other statutes, or by the use of internal spending limits established by the governing body.

Use of Estimates

The process of preparing the financial statement requires the use of estimates and assumptions regarding certain types of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses. Such estimates relate primarily to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the financial statement. Accordingly, upon settlement, actual results may differ from estimated amounts.

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Deficit Cash/Unencumbered Cash for Individual Funds

Funds with a Deficit Unencumbered Cash Balance- Generally, school districts are required by K.S.A. 10-1113 to limit fund expenditures to the available monies in that fund. At June 30, 2024, the 2024 Bond Proceeds Fund had a deficit unencumbered cash balance.

K.S.A 12-1663, however, provides an exception for those funds which are to be financed by Federal government sources and other grants and gifts. This exception allows these funds to expend in excess of currently available resources with the expectation that the District will be reimbursed for qualifying grant expenditures.

The following funds had a deficit balance of unencumbered cash as of June 30, 2024: Title I, Title IVA, ESSER II, ESSER III and KDHE Grant. These funds are financed by Federal and State governmental agencies and the District is expecting reimbursement of qualifying grant expenditures.

Note 2: Deposits and Investments

As of June 30, 2024, the District had the following investments:

		Investment Maturities (in Years)		
Investment Type	**Fair Value**	**Less than 1**	**1 - 2**	**Rating U.S.**
Money Market Funds	$ 28,958,785	$ 28,958,785	$ -	N/A

K.S.A. 9-1401 establishes the depositories which may be used by the District. The statute requires banks eligible to hold the District's funds have a main or branch bank in the county in which the District is located and the banks provide an acceptable rate of return on funds. In addition, K.S.A. 9-1402 requires the banks to pledge securities for deposits in excess of FDIC coverage. The District has no other policies that would further limit interest rate risk.

K.S.A. 12-1675 limits the District's investment of idle funds to time deposits, open accounts, and certificates of deposit with allowable financial institutions, U.S. government securities; temporary notes; no-fund warrants, repurchase agreements and the Kansas Municipal Investment Pool. The District has no investment policy that would further limits its investment choices.

Concentration of credit risk - State statutes place no limit on the amount the District may invest in any one issuer as long as the investments are adequately secured under K.S.A. 9-1402 and 9-1405.

Investments	**Percentage of Investments**
Money Market Funds	100%

Custodial credit risk-deposits - Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the District's deposits may not be returned to it. State statutes require the District's deposits in financial institutions to be entirely covered by federal depository insurance or by collateral held under a joint custody receipt issued by a bank within the State of Kansas, the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas District, or the Federal Home Loan Bank of Topeka, except during designated "peak periods" when required coverage is 50%. The District did not utilize peak periods. All deposits were legally secured at June 30, 2024.

At June 30, 2024, the District's carrying amount of deposits was $14,491,323 and the bank balance was $16,283,908. The bank balance was held by one bank resulting in a concentration of credit risk. Of the bank balance, $250,000 was covered by the federal depository insurance, and the remaining balance was collateralized with bank pledged securities held by a third party bank.

Custodial credit risk-investments - For an investment, this is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the issuer or counterparty, the District will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the position of an outside party. State statues require investments to be adequately secured.

Note 3: Defined Benefit Pension Plan

Plan Description

The District participates in the Kansas Public Employees Retirement System (KPERS), a cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan as provided by K.S.A. 74-4901, et seq. Kansas law establishes and amends benefit provisions. KPERS issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. KPERS' financial statements are included in its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report which can be found on the KPERS website at www.kpers.org or by writing to KPERS (611 South Kansas, Suite 100, Topeka, KS 66603) or by calling 1-888-275-5737.

Contributions

K.S.A. 74-4919 and K.S.A. 74-49,210 establish the KPERS member-employee contribution rates. KPERS has multiple benefit structures and contribution rates depending on whether the employee is a KPERS 1, KPERS 2 or KPERS 3 member. KPERS 1 members are active and contributing members hired before July 1, 2009. KPERS 2 members were first employed in a covered position on or after July 1, 2009 and KPERS 3 members were first employed in a covered position on or after January 1, 2015. Effective January 1, 2015, Kansas law established the KPERS member-employee contribution rate of 6% of covered salary for KPERS 1, KPERS 2 and KPERS 3 members. Member contributions are withheld by their employer and paid to KPERS according to the provisions of Section 414(h) of the Internal Revenue Code.

State law provides that the employer contribution rates for KPERS 1, KPERS 2 and KPERS 3 be determined based on the results of each annual actuarial valuation. Kansas law sets a limitation on annual increases in the employer contribution rates. The actuarially determined employer contribution rate and the statutory contribution rate (not including the 1% contribution rate for the Death and Disability Program) was 14.83% and 13.33%, respectively, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. The actuarially determined employer contribution rate and the statutory contribution rate was 13.38% and 12.57% for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024.

The 2015 Legislature passed and the Governor approved Senate Bill 228 authorizing the issuance of $1.0billion in pension obligation bonds to fund a portion of the School-Group's unfunded actuarial liability. The bonds were successfully issued in August 2015 and the proceeds transferred to the System.

The 2021 Legislature passed House Bill 2405, which authorizes the State of Kansas to issue pension obligation bonds, series 2021K, net proceeds of $500 million to fund a portion of the School-Group's unfunded actuarial liability. The bond proceeds were received by KPERS on August 26, 2021.

The 2022 Legislature passed Senate Bill 421, which authorized the State of Kansas to transfer $1.125 billion from the State General Fund directly to KPERS in Fiscal Years 2022 and 2023. The first $253.9 million paid off outstanding accounts receivable for KPERS-School employer contributions withheld in Fiscal Year 2017 and Fiscal Year 2019 while the remaining $871.1 million was applied to the KPERS-School unfunded actuarial liability. In Fiscal Year 2022, $600 million was transferred in May/June 2022. In addition, Senate Bill 421 authorizes two additional transfers in Fiscal Year 2023 which totaled $271.1 million. The first transfer of $146.1 million was received on August 1, 2022. The second transfer of $125 million was received on December 1, 2022.

The State of Kansas is required to contribute the statutory required employer 's share except for retired District employees. The District is responsible for the employer's portion of the cost for retired District employees. The District received and remitted amounts equal to the statutory contribution rate, which totaled $1,799,302 for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Note 3: Defined Benefit Pension Plan (Continued)

Net Pension Liability

At June 30, 2024, the District's proportionate share of the collective net pension liability reported by KPERS was $16,092,876. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2023, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of December 31, 2022, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2023. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the ratio of the District's contributions to KPERS, relative to the total employer and non-employer contributions of the State/School subgroup within KPERS for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. Since the KMAAG regulatory basis of accounting does not recognize long-term debt, this liability is not reported in this financial statement. The complete actuarial valuation report including all actuarial assumptions and methods, and the report on the allocation of the KPERS collective net pension liability to all participating employers are publicly available on the website at www.kpers.org or can be obtained as described previously.

Note 4: 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 and natural disasters for which the District carries commercial insurance. There have been no significant reductions in coverage from prior years and settlements have not exceeded coverage in the past three years.

Note 5: Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability

We noted no material violations of Kansas Statutes for the period under examination.

Note 6: Compensated Absences

Full time, twelve month, non-certified employees earn ten days of vacation time per year. After twelve years, fifteen days of vacation time are earned per year. Vacation time does not accumulate. Sick and emergency leave is accrued at the rate of one day per month worked during the year for all employees, with a maximum accumulation of ninety days. Any days accumulated over ninety are paid the following year at 65% of the beginning pay scale rates. Such pay is made in November after the end of the fiscal year. Certified Staff members who retire and apply for KPERS receive their unused sick and emergency leave at their daily rate. The District has not computed or recorded the liability at year end.

Note 7: Contingency

The District receives federal and state grants for specific purposes that are subject to review and audit by federal and state agencies. Such audits could result in a request for reimbursement by federal and state agencies for expenditures disallowed under the terms and conditions of the appropriate agency. In the opinion of the District's management, such disallowances, if any, will not be significant to the District's financial statement.

Note 8: Other Post Employment Benefits

As provided by K.S.A. 12-5040, the District allows retirees to participate in the group health insurance plan. While each retiree pays the full amount of the applicable premium, conceptually, the District is subsidizing the retirees because each participant is charged a level of premium regardless of age. However, the cost of this subsidy has not been quantified in this financial statement.

Under the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act (COBRA), the District makes health care benefits available to eligible former employees and eligible dependents. Certain requirements are outlined by the federal government for this coverage. The premium is paid in full by the insured. There is no cost to the District under this program.

Note 9: Interfund Transfers

From	To	Statutory Authority	Amount
General	Special Education	K.S.A. 72-6428	$ 2,064,311
General	Preschool-Aged At-Risk	K.S.A. 72-6428	70,802
General	At-Risk (K-12)	K.S.A. 72-6428	2,520,053
General	Bilingual	K.S.A. 72-6428	2,959
General	Career and Postsecondary	K.S.A. 72-6428	131,249
Supplemental General	Bilingual	K.S.A. 72-6425	1,641
Supplemental General	Special Education	K.S.A. 72-6425	750,000
Supplemental General	Career and Postsecondary	K.S.A. 72-6425	160,000
Supplemental General	Parent Education	K.S.A. 72-6425	19,000
Supplemental General	At-Risk (K-12)	K.S.A. 72-6425	841,697
			$ 6,561,712

Note 10: Capital Projects

Capital project authorizations with approved change orders compared with expenditures from inception are as follows:

	Project Authorization	Expenditures to Date
2024 Bond Projects	$ 27,300,000	$ 522,997

Note 11: Subsequent Events

Subsequent events for management's review have been evaluated through the date of the financial statement, which is also the date the financial statement is available to be issued.

Note 12: Long-Term Debt

General Long-Term Debt

The District is subject to statutes of the State of Kansas, which limit the bonded debt outstanding to 14% of the assessed valuation. The District requested and received approval under K.S.A. 75-2315 which allows the issuance of bonded debt in excess of the general bond debt limitation.

Following is a summary of long-term debt transactions of the District's for the year:

	Interest Rates	Date of Issue	Amount of Issue	Date of Final Maturity	Balance Beginning of Year	Additions	Reductions/ Payments	Net Changes	Balance End of Year	Interest Paid
General Obligation Bonds										
Series 2013-A	3.00%	9/1/13	$ 14,515,000	9/1/31	$ 9,580,000	$ -	$ 9,580,000	$ (9,580,000)	$ -	$ 370,998
Series 2013-B	3.00%	3/1/14	980,000	9/1/34	805,000	-	805,000	(805,000)	-	37,396
Series 2024	4.25 - 5.00%	5/2/24	36,330,000	9/1/46	-	36,330,000	-	36,330,000	36,330,000	-
Total Obligation Bonds					$ 10,385,000	$ 36,330,000	$ 10,385,000	$ 25,945,000	$ 36,330,000	$ 408,394

Note 12: Long-Term Debt (Continued)

Current maturities of long-term debt and interest for the next five years and in five-year increments through maturity are as follows:

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030-2034	2035-2039	2040-2044	2045-2049	Total
Principal										
General Obligation Bonds	$ 1,650,000	$ 1,710,000	$ 1,800,000	$ 1,890,000	$ 1,980,000	$ 5,380,000	$ 6,865,000	$ 8,765,000	$ 6,290,000	$ 36,330,000
Interest										
General Obligation Bonds	$ 1,416,250	$ 1,629,600	$ 1,541,850	$ 1,449,600	$ 1,352,850	$ 5,870,500	$ 4,347,375	$ 2,410,113	$ 408,425	$ 20,426,563
TOTAL PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST	$ 3,066,250	$ 3,339,600	$ 3,341,850	$ 3,339,600	$ 3,332,850	$ 11,250,500	$ 11,212,375	$ 11,175,113	$ 6,698,425	$ 56,756,563

REGULATORY-REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

ATCHISON UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Funds	Certified Budget	Adjustments to Comply with Legal Max	Adjustments for Qualifying Budget Credits	Total Budget for Comparison	Expenditures Chargeable to Current Year	Variance - Over (Under)
Governmental Type Funds:						
General Fund	$ 14,354,266	$ (1,661,741)	$ 129,298	$ 12,821,823	$ 12,821,823	$ -
Supplemental General Fund	4,589,175	(486,469)	-	4,102,706	4,102,706	-
Special Revenue Funds						
Preschool-Aged At-Risk Fund	188,571	-	-	188,571	70,800	(117,771)
At-Risk (K-12)	5,283,551	-	-	5,283,551	3,363,319	(1,920,232)
Bilingual Education	30,000	-	-	30,000	4,600	(25,400)
Capital Outlay	6,483,663	-	-	6,483,663	2,036,802	(4,446,861)
Driver Training	21,005	-	-	21,005	-	(21,005)
Food Service	2,300,481	-	-	2,300,481	1,149,942	(1,150,539)
KPERS Special Retirement Contribution	3,282,821	-	-	3,282,821	1,799,302	(1,483,519)
Professional Development	144,582	-	-	144,582	32,500	(112,082)
Parent Education	20,000	-	-	20,000	19,000	(1,000)
Special Education	5,808,674	-	-	5,808,674	3,983,670	(1,825,004)
Career and Postsecondary Education Fund	527,504	-	-	527,504	310,347	(217,157)
Gifts and Grants	196,936	-	-	196,936	26,571	(170,365)
Bond and Interest	1,550,000	-	-	1,550,000	1,510,265	(39,735)
Component Units						
Atchison Recreation Commission General	482,500	-	-	482,500	473,236	(9,264)
Atchison Recreation Commission Employee Benefit	107,075	-	-	107,075	106,225	(850)
Total Funds	$ 45,370,804	$ (2,148,210)	$ 129,298	$ 43,351,892	$ 31,811,108	$ (11,540,784)

SCHEDULE 1

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
GENERAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Reimbursement	$ 129,298	$ -	$ 129,298
State Sources			
State Aid	11,096,162	12,256,666	(1,160,504)
Special Education Aid	1,596,363	2,097,600	(501,237)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 12,821,823	$ 14,354,266	$ (1,532,443)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 2,289,831	$ 3,029,000	$ (739,169)
Student support services	126,596	245,000	(118,404)
Instruction support staff	64,691	87,050	(22,359)
General administration	609,264	477,000	132,264
School administration	1,239,284	1,330,000	(90,716)
Central services	123,313	132,000	(8,687)
Operations and maintenance	2,878,062	2,001,216	876,846
Student transportation services	701,408	863,000	(161,592)
Operating transfers	4,789,374	6,190,000	(1,400,626)
Adjustments for qualifying budget credits	-	129,298	(129,298)
Adjustment to comply with legal maximum	-	(1,661,741)	1,661,741
Total Expenditures	$ 12,821,823	$ 12,821,823	$ -
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ -		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	-		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ -		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SUPPLEMENTAL GENERAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Ad valorem property tax	$ 1,397,258	$ 1,526,076	$ (128,818)
Delinquent tax	-	7,531	(7,531)
Motor vehicle tax	139,528	123,167	16,361
RV tax	1,259	1,397	(138)
Miscellaneous	82	200,000	(199,918)
State Sources			
Special Education Aid	2,313,516	2,587,836	(274,320)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 3,851,643	$ 4,446,007	$ (594,364)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 1,893,833	$ 1,104,175	$ 789,658
Instruction support staff	300,018	305,000	(4,982)
School administration	64,811	-	64,811
Operations and maintenance	71,706	-	71,706
Operating transfers	1,772,338	3,180,000	(1,407,662)
Adjustment to comply with legal maximum	-	(486,469)	486,469
Total Expenditures	$ 4,102,706	$ 4,102,706	$ -
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (251,063)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	298,646		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 47,583		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
PRESCHOOL-AGED AT-RISK FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Operating transfers	$ 70,802	$ 150,000	$ (79,198)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 70,800	$ 188,571	$ (117,771)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ 2		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	38,571		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 38,573		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
AT-RISK FUND (K-12)
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Operating transfers	$ 3,361,750	$ 4,600,000	$ (1,238,250)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 3,006,658	$ 3,254,000	$ (247,342)
Student support services	129,769	175,000	(45,231)
Instruction support staff	70,849	110,100	(39,251)
School administration	156,043	176,000	(19,957)
Operations and maintenance	-	1,568,451	(1,568,451)
Total Expenditures	$ 3,363,319	$ 5,283,551	$ (1,920,232)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (1,569)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	691,498		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 689,929		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
BILINGUAL EDUCATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Operating transfers	$ 4,600	$ 30,000	$ (25,400)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 4,600	$ 30,000	$ (25,400)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ -		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	-		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ -		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Taxes and Shared Revenue			
Ad valorem property tax	$ 554,241	$ 553,954	$ 287
Delinquent tax	-	2,744	(2,744)
Interest on idle funds	776,575	150,000	626,575
Motor vehicle tax	49,272	41,966	7,306
RV tax	444	489	(45)
CV tax	-	1,115	(1,115)
Other	304,339	50,000	254,339
State Sources			
State Aid	299,005	307,561	(8,556)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 1,983,876	$ 1,107,829	$ 876,047
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 537,706	$ 4,483,663	$ (3,945,957)
Instructional support staff	24,600	-	24,600
School administration	25,000	-	25,000
Student transportation	1,369,481	2,000,000	(630,519)
Operations and maintenance	80,015	-	80,015
Total Expenditures	$ 2,036,802	$ 6,483,663	$ (4,446,861)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (52,926)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	5,374,271		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 5,321,345		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
DRIVER TRAINING FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
State Sources			
State Aid	$ -	$ -	$ -
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ -	$ 21,005	$ (21,005)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ -		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	21,005		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 21,005		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
FOOD SERVICE FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Charges for services	$ 16,319	$ 30,440	$ (14,121)
Interest on idle fund	32,357	-	32,357
Miscellaneous revenues	57,167	50,000	7,167
State Sources			
School food assistance	8,776	10,720	(1,944)
Federal Sources			
Child nutrition programs	912,131	1,525,720	(613,589)
Other	-	100,000	(100,000)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 1,026,750	$ 1,716,880	$ (690,130)
EXPENDITURES			
Food service operations	$ 1,149,942	$ 2,300,481	$ (1,150,539)
Operations and maintenance	1,200	-	1,200
Total Expenditures	$ 1,151,142	$ 2,300,481	$ (1,149,339)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (124,392)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	635,164		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 510,772		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
KPERS SPECIAL RETIREMENT CONTRIBUTION FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
State Sources			
State Aid	$ 1,799,302	$ 3,282,821	$(1,483,519)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 1,261,716	$ 2,000,000	$ (738,284)
Student support services	97,042	200,000	(102,958)
Instruction support staff	56,593	150,000	(93,407)
General administration	68,460	32,821	35,639
School administration	139,151	200,000	(60,849)
Operations and maintenance	113,139	50,000	63,139
Student transportation services	15,465	250,000	(234,535)
Central support services	11,177	250,000	(238,823)
Food service operations	36,559	150,000	(113,441)
Total Expenditures	$ 1,799,302	$ 3,282,821	$(1,483,519)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ -		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	-		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ -		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Other	$ 10	$ 50,000	$ (49,990)
State Sources			
Professional development aid	3,442	4,500	(1,058)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 3,452	$ 54,500	$ (51,048)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 32,500	$ 144,582	$ (112,082)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (29,048)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	90,083		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 61,035		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
PARENT EDUCATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Transfers in	$ 19,000	$ 20,000	$ (1,000)
EXPENDITURES			
Student support services	$ 19,000	$ 20,000	$ (1,000)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ -		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	-		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ -		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SPECIAL EDUCATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Other	$ 165,078	$ -	$ 165,078
State Sources			
State Aid	78,939	-	78,939
Federal Sources			
Federal Aid	674,955	755,583	(80,628)
Transfers in	2,814,311	4,100,000	(1,285,689)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 3,733,283	$ 4,855,583	$ (1,122,300)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 2,478,206	$ 3,650,000	$ (1,171,794)
Student support services	1,262,966	1,028,674	234,292
Instructional support staff	-	490,000	(490,000)
General administration	174,197	205,000	(30,803)
Student transportation	68,301	435,000	(366,699)
Total Expenditures	$ 3,983,670	$ 5,808,674	$ (1,825,004)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (250,387)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	945,145		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 694,758		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
CAREER AND POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Other local sources	$ 493	$ -	$ 493
Transfers in	291,249	450,000	(158,751)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 291,742	$ 450,000	$ (158,258)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 310,347	$ 527,504	$ (217,157)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (18,605)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	77,505		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 58,900		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
GIFTS AND GRANTS FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Gifts and grants	$ 37,873	$ 50,000	$ (12,127)
Other	5,000	-	5,000
State Sources			
State aid	22,068	50,000	(27,932)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 64,941	$ 100,000	$ (35,059)
EXPENDITURES			
Instruction	$ 26,571	$ 196,936	$ (170,365)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ 38,370		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	96,935		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 135,305		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
BOND AND INTEREST FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Local Sources			
Ad valorem property tax	$ 1,545,566	$ 1,544,564	$ 1,002
Delinquent tax	-	7,667	(7,667)
Motor vehicle tax	137,548	117,104	20,444
RV tax	1,239	1,364	(125)
CV tax	-	3,111	(3,111)
State Sources			
State aid	785,338	785,338	-
Total Cash Receipts	$ 2,469,691	$ 2,459,148	$ 10,543
EXPENDITURES			
Debt service	$ 1,510,265	$ 1,550,000	$ (39,735)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ 959,426		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	5,426,579		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 6,386,005		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
BOND PROCEEDS FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

CASH RECEIPTS	
Local Sources	
Interest on idle funds	$ -
EXPENDITURES	
Facility acquisition and construction	$ -
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ -
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	221,787
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 221,787

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
2024 BOND PROCEEDS FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

CASH RECEIPTS	
Local Sources	
Bond proceeds	$ 28,958,785
EXPENDITURES	
Facility acquisition and construction	$ 522,997
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ 28,435,788
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	-
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 28,435,788

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
ATCHISON RECREATION COMMISSION - GENERAL FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Taxes and Shared Revenue			
Ad valorem property tax	$ 313,056	$ 304,245	$ 8,811
Delinquent tax	-	1,591	(1,591)
Motor vehicle tax	26,927	22,895	4,032
RV tax	244	266	(22)
CV tax	548	608	(60)
Local sources - Recreation programs	76,009	75,000	1,009
Miscellaneous	40,252	-	40,252
Total Cash Receipts	$ 457,036	$ 404,605	$ 52,431
EXPENDITURES			
Community service operations	$ 473,236	$ 482,500	$ (9,264)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (16,200)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	244,077		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 227,877		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
ATCHISON RECREATION COMMISSION - EMPLOYEE BENEFITS FUND
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES - ACTUAL AND BUDGET
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Actual	Budget	Variance - Over (Under)
CASH RECEIPTS			
Taxes and Shared Revenue			
Ad valorem property tax	$ 96,586	$ 93,740	$ 2,846
Delinquent tax	-	457	(457)
Motor vehicle tax	7,877	6,728	1,149
RV tax	72	78	(6)
CV tax	162	179	(17)
Miscellaneous	-	500	(500)
Total Cash Receipts	$ 104,697	$ 101,682	$ 3,015
EXPENDITURES			
Community service operations	$ 106,225	$ 107,075	$ (850)
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (1,528)		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	47,761		
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 46,233		

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SUMMARY STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND UNENCUMBERED CASH
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Carl Perkins	Contingency Reserve	Textbook	ESSER II	ESSER III	KDHE Grant
CASH RECEIPTS						
Federal aid	$ 24,052	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 1,603,031	$ 166,838
Other	-	-	46,473	-	-	-
Total Cash Receipts	$ 24,052	$ -	$ 46,473	$ -	$ 1,603,031	$ 166,838
EXPENDITURES						
Instruction	$ 21,487	$ -	$ 49,942	$ 193	$ 1,404,761	$ 158,810
Student support services	-	-	-	-	94,283	-
Instruction support staff	-	-	-	-	94,002	-
General administration	-	-	-	-	40,064	-
Student transportation services	-	-	-	-	35,469	-
Total Expenditures	$ 21,487	$ -	$ 49,942	$ 193	$ 1,668,579	$ 158,810
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ 2,565	$ -	$ (3,469)	$ (193)	$ (65,548)	$ 8,028
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	(2,429)	812,480	271,862	-	(246,197)	(41,038)
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ 136	$ 812,480	$ 268,393	$ (193)	$ (311,745)	$ (33,010)

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UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SUMMARY STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND UNENCUMBERED CASH (CONTINUED)
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Title I	Title I Carryover	Title IIA	Title IIA Carryover	Title IVA
CASH RECEIPTS					
Federal aid	$ 267,540	$ 69,206	$ 27,742	$ 62,860	$ 36,947
Other	-	-	-	-	-
Total Cash Receipts	$ 267,540	$ 69,206	$ 27,742	$ 62,860	$ 36,947
EXPENDITURES					
Instruction	$ 439,182	$ 62,130	$ 14,025	$ 59,481	$ 48,339
Student support services	-	-	-	-	-
Instruction support staff	-	-	-	-	-
Student transportation services	-	-	-	-	-
Total Expenditures	$ 439,182	$ 62,130	$ 14,025	$ 59,481	$ 48,339
RECEIPTS OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	$ (171,642)	$ 7,076	$ 13,717	$ 3,379	$ (11,392)
UNENCUMBERED CASH - BEGINNING	-	(7,076)	(13,717)	-	(120)
UNENCUMBERED CASH - ENDING	$ (171,642)	$ -	$ -	$ 3,379	$ (11,512)

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
AGENCY FUNDS
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Beginning Cash Balance	Cash Receipts	Cash Disbursements	Ending Cash Balance
Payroll liabilities				
Revolving	$ 99,891	$ 115,955	$ 148,176	$ 67,670
Flex Spending	40,476	53,265	48,343	45,398
Total Payroll Funds	$ 140,367	$ 169,220	$ 196,519	$ 113,068
Atchison High School	$ 53,268	$ 53,076	$ 67,478	$ 38,866
Atchison Middle School	16,948	23,553	20,139	20,362
Atchison Elementary School	9,791	7,507	10,067	7,231
Atchison Alternative School	142	13,370	6,589	6,923
Total School Funds	$ 80,149	$ 97,506	$ 104,273	$ 73,382
Total Agency Funds	$ 220,516	$ 266,726	$ 300,792	$ 186,450

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
DISTRICT ACTIVITY FUNDS
SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS, EXPENDITURES AND UNENCUMBERED CASH
Regulatory Basis
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Beginning Unencumbered Cash Balance	Cash Receipts	Expenditures	Ending Unencumbered Cash Balance
Gate Receipts				
Atchison High School	$ 33,537	$ 86,237	$ 93,797	$ 25,977
Atchison Middle School	(215)	9,619	9,378	26
Total Gate Receipts	$ 33,322	$ 95,856	$ 103,175	$ 26,003
School Projects				
Atchison High School	$ 38,514	$ 124,805	$ 127,245	$ 36,074
Atchison Middle School	12,112	8,714	5,906	14,920
Atchison Elementary School	14,698	30,644	37,752	7,590
Total School Projects	$ 65,324	$ 164,163	$ 170,903	$ 58,584
Total District Activity	$ 98,646	$ 260,019	$ 274,078	$ 84,587

June 3, 2025

Board of Education
Unified School District No. 409
Atchison, Kansas

Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statement Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*

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 statement of the Unified School District No. 409 (the District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statement, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statement, and have issued our report thereon dated June 3, 2025.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the 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 opinion on the financial statement, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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 misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statement 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 the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations during our 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.

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Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statement is 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.

Varney & Associates, CPAs, LLC

Certified Public Accountants
Manhattan, Kansas

June 3, 2025

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& ASSOCIATES, CPAs, LLC

Board of Education
Unified School District No. 409
Atchison, Kansas

Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance for Each Major Program and Report on Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance with the Uniform Guidance

Unmodified Opinions

We have audited Unified School District No. 409's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2024. The District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the District complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Basis for Unmodified Opinions

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (*Government Auditing Standards*); and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the District and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the District's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the District's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the District's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

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Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance (Continued)

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the District's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the District's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

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UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

	Federal AL Number	Pass-Thru Entity Identifying Number	Federal Award Expenditures	Subrecipient Expenditures
U.S. Dept. of Agriculture				
Passed through State Department of Agriculture				
Child Nutrition Cluster				
School Breakfast Program	10.553	DO409	$ 198,591	$ -
National School Lunch Program	10.555	DO409	650,775	-
Cash for Commodities	10.559	DO409	50,225	-
Fresh Fruits and Vegetables	10.582	DO409	6,821	-
Total Child Nutrition Cluster			$ 906,412	$ -
Local Food for Schools (LFS) Cooperative	10.185	DO409	$ 8,978	$ -
Total U.S. Dept. of Agriculture			$ 915,390	$ -
U.S. Dept. of Education				
Passed through State Department of Education				
Special Education (IDEA) Cluster				
Grants to States	84.027A	DO409	$ 529,076	$ -
Preschool Grants	84.173A	DO409	22,415	-
Total Special Education (IDEA) Cluster			$ 551,491	$ -
Title I	84.010A	DO409	$ 501,312	$ -
Program Improvement	84.048A	DO409	21,487	-
Title II - Teacher Quality	84.367A	DO409	73,506	-
ESSA Student Support	84.424A	DO409	48,339	-
COVID-19 - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief II	84.425D	DO409	98,999	-
COVID-19 - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief III	84.425U	DO409	1,668,772	-
Total U.S. Dept. of Education			$ 2,963,906	$ -
U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services				
Passed through the State Department of Health and Human Services				
COVID-19 - KDHE K-12 COVID Testing Grant	93.323	DO409	$ 158,810	$ -
TOTAL FEDERAL ASSISTANCE			$ 4,038,106	$ -

NOTE A: BASIS OF PRESENTATION

This schedule is prepared on a basis of accounting that demonstrates compliance with the cash basis. Cash receipts are recognized when the cash balance of a fund is increased. Cash disbursements are recognized when the cash balance of a fund is decreased. Expenditures include disbursements, accounts payable and encumbrances. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance).

NOTE B: INDIRECT COST RATE

The District does not allocate indirect costs to its federal award program. Accordingly, use of the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate provisioned by the Uniform Guidance, Section 414, is not applicable.

NOTE C: NON-CASH ASSISTANCE, INSURANCE, AND LOANS

The District did not receive or expend any federal awards in the form of non-cash assistance, insurance, loans or loan guarantees, including interest subsidies during the year ended June 30, 2024.

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
Atchison, Kansas
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
For the Year Ended June 30, 2024

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditors' report issued:	Unmodified	
Internal control over financial reporting:		
Material weaknesses identified?	___ Yes	_X_ None
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	___ Yes	_X_ None reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	___ Yes	_X_ None

Federal Awards

Internal controls over major programs:		
Material weaknesses identified?	___ Yes	_X_ No
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	___ Yes	_X_ None reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs:	Unmodified	
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200.516(a)	___ Yes	_X_ No

Identification of major programs:

Name of Federal Program	CFDA Number
COVID-19 - Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief	84.425D and 84.425U
Child Nutrition Cluster	10.553/10.555/10.559/10.582

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	$	750,000
Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee?	___ Yes	_X_ No

NOTE: Beginning with the year ended June 30, 2016, the criteria for determination of low-risk auditee status changed by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB). Specifically, the regulatory basis of accounting prescribed by the State of Kansas does not meet the criteria established by OMB in the Uniform Grant Guidance (UGG). The District continues, however, to meet each of the other criteria for low-risk auditee status.

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

No matters were reported

Section III - Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

No matters were reported