State of Illinois REGIONAL OFFICE OF EDUCATION #20

FINANCIAL AUDIT (In Accordance with the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133) For the year ended June 30, 2008

Performed as Special Assistant Auditors for the Auditor General, State of Illinois

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Regional Superintendent (current and during the audit period)	Lawrence Fillingim
Assistant Regional Superintendent (7/1/07 through 12/14/07)	Mr. Kent Wheeler
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COMPLIANCE REPORT SUMMARY

The compliance audit testing performed during this audit was conducted in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and in accordance with the Illinois State Auditing Act.

AUDITORS' REPORTS

The auditors' reports on compliance and on internal controls do not contain scope limitations, disclaimers, or other significant non-standard language.

SUMMARY OF AUDIT FINDINGS

Number of	This Audit	Prior Audit
Audit findings	0	2
Repeated audit findings	0	1
Prior recommendations implemented or not repeated	2	0

An additional matter which is less than a significant deficiency or material weakness but more than inconsequential, has been reported in a Management Letter of Comments to the Regional Superintendent. In prior years, this issue may have been included as an immaterial finding in the auditors' reports.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

Item No.	<u>Page</u>	Description
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FINDINGS (GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS)

There were no findings for the year ended June 30, 2008.

FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (FEDERAL COMPLIANCE)

There were no findings for the year ended June 30, 2008.

PRIOR FINDINGS NOT REPEATED (GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS)

07-01	15	Controls Over Compliance with Laws and Regulations
07-02	15	Cash Collateral

PRIOR FINDINGS NOT REPEATED (FEDERAL COMPLIANCE)

There were no prior findings.

EXIT CONFERENCE

An informal exit conference was held on September 19, 2008. Attending were Lawrence Fillingim, Regional Superintendent, Debbie Grubb, Bookkeeper of the Regional Office of Education #20, and Nathan Earnest and Ryan Markwell of West & Company, LLC. There were no findings to discuss.

Financial Presentation Examined

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT REPORT

A financial statement audit consists of an audit of an agency's financial statements, including an examination of the underlying books and records, to determine whether those financial statements are fairly presented in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

The financial statement report is comprised of the following:

A Summary section providing a brief overview of the financial statement audit.

- An Auditors' Report section containing statements by the auditors on the scope and results of their audit, as required by applicable professional standards.
- A Findings & Recommendations section containing sequentially numbered findings in which the auditors note any instances of nonconformity by the agency with applicable laws, rules, regulations, grant agreements, and other standards governing its conduct that were found by the auditors in the course of their review. All findings are discussed with the agency officials during the post audit process.

Each finding generally contains: a description of the condition found; a recommendation by the auditors for corrective action; a response by the agency either accepting or rejecting the auditors' finding; and a description of the agency's plan for addressing the problem.

- A Financial Statement section generally consisting of:
 - Management's discussion and analysis (MD&A) as required supplementary information;
 - Basic financial statements (entity-wide financial statements, fund financial statements, and notes to the financial statements);
 - Required supplementary information other than MD&A.

Additional financial statements may be presented for agencies with special reporting requirements.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT REPORT

SUMMARY

The audit of the accompanying basic financial statements of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20 was performed by West & Company, LLC.

Based on their audit, the auditors expressed an unqualified opinion on the Regional Office of Education #20's basic financial statements.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Honorable William G. Holland Auditor General State of Illinois

As Special Assistant Auditors for the Auditor General, we have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's management. 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 of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20, as of June 30, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows, where applicable, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated April 24, 2009 on our consideration of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20'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 internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

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The Management's Discussion and Analysis and Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund - Schedule of Funding Progress on pages 16A-16G and 47 are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and budgetary comparison schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by *Guidelines to Auditing and Reporting for a Regional Office of Education*, and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, budgetary comparison schedules, and the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

April 24, 2009

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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

Honorable William G. Holland Auditor General State of Illinois

As Special Assistant Auditors for the Auditor General, we have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated April 24, 2009. 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures 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 Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency 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 significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

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 internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20'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*.

We noted certain matters which we have reported to management of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20 in a separate letter dated April 24, 2009.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Auditor General, the General Assembly, the Legislative Audit Commission, the Governor, agency management, others within the organization, Illinois State Board of Education, federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

April 24, 2009

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE FOR EACH PROGRAM DETERMINED TO BE MAJOR BY THE ILLINOIS STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION IN THEIR MONITORING OF FEDERAL PROGRAMS

Honorable William G. Holland Auditor General State of Illinois

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20 with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2008. The Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133 criteria as required by the *Guidelines to Auditing and Reporting for a Regional Office of Education*. Those standards and criteria require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20 complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to its major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2008.

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Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20 is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20's internal control over compliance.

A control deficiency in an entity's internal control over compliance 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 noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to administer a federal program such that there is more than a remote likelihood that noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Auditor General, the General Assembly, the Legislative Audit Commission, the Governor, agency management, others within the organization, Illinois State Board of Education, federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

West + Company, LLC April 24, 2009



SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS For the year ended June 30, 2008

Section I Summary of Auditors' Results			
Financial statements			
Type of auditors' report issued:	UNQUALIFIED		
Internal control over financial reporting:			
- Material weakness(es) identified?	yes X_no		
 Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)? 	yesXnone reported		
 Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? 	yesXno		
Federal Awards			
Internal control over major programs:			
- Material weakness(es) identified?	yesXno		
 Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)? 	yesXnone reported		
Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for major programs:	UNQUALIFIED		
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Circular A-133, Section .510(a)?	yesXno		

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS For the year ended June 30, 2008

Section I Summary of Auditors' Results (concluded)					
Identification of major programs:					
CFDA Number(s)	Name of federal program or cluster				
84.173A	Fed. Sp. Ed Pre-School Discretionary				
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A a	nd Type B programs: \$300,000				
Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee?					

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS For the year ended June 30, 2008

Section II: Financial Statement Findings

No findings were noted for the year ended June 30, 2008.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS For the year ended June 30, 2008

Section III: Federal Award Findings

No findings were noted for the year ended June 30, 2008.

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS For the year ended June 30, 2008

Finding Number	Condition	Current Status
07-01	Failure to present a report of all his acts including a list of all schools visited and dates of visitation to the county board meetings.	(See Note Below)
07-02	The amount on deposit at a financial institution exceeded the federally insured limit and was not fully collateralized.	Resolved

NOTE: Although the Regional Office of Education #20 has not fully implemented the corrective action plan associated with this finding during the fiscal year 2008, they have made significant progress in addressing the condition. Therefore, the effect of the condition is inconsequential to the specific programs and the overall financial statements and is now being addressed with management in a separate letter dated April 24, 2009.



MANAGEMENTS DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS For the year ended June 30, 2008

The Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne, and White Counties Regional Office of Education #20 provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the ROE's financial statements, which follow.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- General Fund revenue increased from \$484,961 in fiscal year 2006 to \$547,675 in fiscal year 2007 and increased to \$604,292 in fiscal year 2008, while General Fund expenditures increased from \$463,706 in fiscal year 2006 to \$532,694 in fiscal year 2007 and increased to \$672,268 in fiscal year 2008.
- The increase in General Fund revenue was attributable to an increase in local funds, on-behalf payments and interest in fiscal year 2007 and an increase in state funds and on-behalf payments in fiscal year 2008. The increase in expenditures in fiscal year 2007 was due primarily to an increase in salaries, and benefits, while the increase in fiscal year 2008 was due primarily to a large increase in on-behalf payments, an increase in capital outlay, salaries, and benefits.
- Special revenue fund revenue decreased from \$2,037,089 in fiscal year 2006 to \$2,017,647 in fiscal year 2007 and decreased to \$1,908,429 in fiscal year 2008, while special revenue fund expenditures decreased from \$2,065,111 in fiscal year 2006 to \$2,017,430 in fiscal year 2007 and decreased to \$1,896,215 in fiscal year 2008.
- The decrease of special revenue fund revenue from fiscal year 2006 to fiscal year 2007 occurred because the decrease in federal funds was greater than the increase in local and state sources. The decrease from fiscal year 2007 to fiscal year 2008 occurred because the decrease of federal sources was greater than the increase in local and state sources. The decrease in expenditures from fiscal year 2006 to fiscal year 2007 was due primarily to a large decrease in salaries, benefits, and purchased services. The decrease in expenditures from fiscal year 2007 to fiscal year 2008 was due primarily to a decrease in purchased services.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information, as follows:

- Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the ROE's financial activities.
- The government-wide financial statements consist of a Statement of Net Assets and a Statement of Activities. These provide information about the activities of the Regional Office of Education as a whole and present an overall view of the ROE's finances.
- The fund financial statements tell how governmental services were financed in the short term as well
 as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report the Regional Office's
 operations in more detail than the government-wide statements by providing information about the
 most significant funds.
- Notes to the financial statements provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding
 of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

• Required Supplementary information further explains and supports the financial statements, and supplementary information provides detailed information about the non-major funds.

Reporting The Agency As A Whole

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities

The government-wide statements report information about the Regional Office of Education #20 as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the assets and liabilities. All of the current year revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities regardless of when cash is received or paid.

The two government-wide statements report the Office's net assets and how they have changed. Net assets – the difference between the assets and liabilities – are one way to measure the Office's financial health or position.

- Over time, increases or decreases in the net assets are an indicator of whether financial position is improving or deteriorating, respectively.
- To assess the Regional Office's overall health, additional non-financial factors, such as new laws, rules, regulations, and actions by officials at the state level need to be considered.

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide detailed information about the Regional Office's funds, focusing on its most significant or "major" funds – not the ROE as a whole. Funds are accounting devices the Office uses to keep track of specific sources of funding and spending on particular programs. Some funds are required by state law or by bond covenants. The Office establishes other funds to control and manage money for particular purposes.

The ROE has two kinds of funds:

Governmental funds account for the Regional Office's basic services. These focus on how cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash flow in and out and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. Consequently, the governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the ROE's programs. Because this information does not encompass the additional long-term focus of the government-wide statements, a summary reconciliation between the government-wide financial statements and the fund financial statements follows the fund financial statements. The ROE's governmental funds include: 1) the General Fund and 2) the Special Revenue Funds.

The governmental funds require financial statements including a Balance Sheet and a Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances.

Proprietary funds account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to a private business, where, the intent of the governing body is that the costs of providing goods or services to the general public be financed through user charges. The ROE has one proprietary fund, the Workshop Fund.

The three basic financial statements of the proprietary fund include: 1) Statement of Net Assets – Proprietary Funds, 2) Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets – Proprietary Fund, and 3) Statement of Cash Flows – Proprietary Fund.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As noted earlier, net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of financial position. The Edwards, Hardin, Gallatin, Pope, Saline, Wabash, Wayne, and White Counties ROE #20's net assets at June 30, 2008 and 2007 totaled \$463,107 and \$520,366 respectively. The analysis that follows provides a summary of the ROE's net assets at June 30, 2008 and 2007.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

	Governmental Activities		Business-ty	pe Activities	Total	
	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007
Current Assets	\$ 504,782	\$ 577,742	\$ 51,392	\$ 81,363	\$ 556,174	\$ 659,105
Capital Assets, net	70,420	56,683	3,739	5,922	<u>74,159</u>	62,605
Total Assets	575,202	634,425	55,131	87,285	630,333	721,710
Current Liabilities	98,275	115,473	26,502	49,956	124,777	165,429
Long-Term Liabilities	42,449	35,915	-	-	42,449	35,915
Total Liabilities	140,724	151,388	26,502	49,956	167,226	201,344
Net Assets:						
Invested in Capital Assets	70,420	56,683	3,739	5,922	74,159	62,605
Restricted for teacher						
professional development	78,299	91,929	-	-	78,299	91,929
Unrestricted	285,759	334,425	24,890	31,407	310,649	365,832
Total Net Assets	\$ 434,478	\$ 483,037	\$ 28,629	\$ 37,329	\$ 463,107	\$ 520,366

The ROE's combined net assets decreased by \$57,259 in FY08 and decreased by \$17,274 in FY07. These decreases occurred primarily as a result of a decrease in federal and state funding and an increase in total expenditures during the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007.

The following analysis shows the changes in net assets for the years ended June 30, 2008 and 2007.

CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

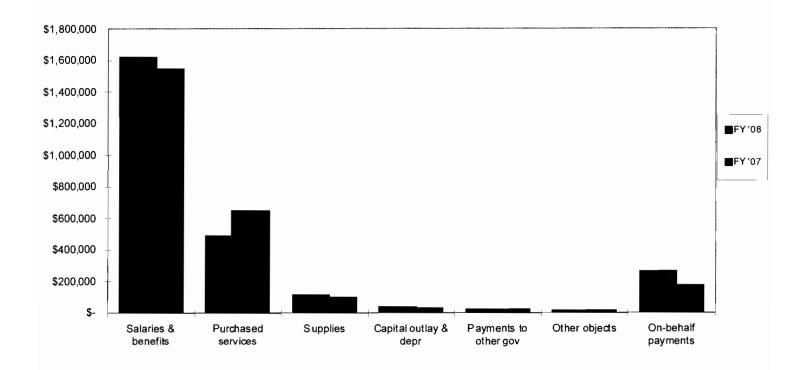
	Governmental Activities		Business-type Activities		Total	
	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007
Revenues:						
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 139,576	\$ 145,890	\$ 139,576	\$ 145,890
Operating grants & contributions	1,185,885	1,320,332	-	-	1,185,885	1,320,332
General revenues:						
Local sources	318,057	324,746	-	-	318,057	324,746
State sources	741,143	729,396	-	-	741,143	729,396
On-behalf payments	259,786	175,357	-	-	259,786	175,357
Interest	7,850	15,491	890	1,698	8,740	17,189
Total revenues	2,512,721	2,565,322	140,466	147,588	2,653,187	2,712,910
Expenses:						
Program expenses:						
Instructional services:						
Salaries and benefits	1,618,800	1,577,482	-	-	1,618,800	1,577,482
Purchased services	491,146	653,876	-	-	491,146	653,876
Supplies and materials	111,203	94,286	-	_	111,203	94,286
Capital outlay-grant funded assets	5,300	3,117	_	_	5,300	3,117
Payments to other governments	24,218	21,462	-	_	24,218	21,462
Other objects	16,673	11,599	-	-	16,673	11,599
Depreciation	34,154	29,137	-	-	34,154	29,137
Administrative expenses:	,,,,,,				- 1,111	,,
On-behalf payments	259,786	175,357	-	_	259,786	175,357
Business-type expenses:		,				,
Instructional	_	-	149,166	163,868	149,166	163,868
Total expenses	2,561,280	2,566,316	149,166	163,868	2,710,446	2,730,184
Change in Net Assets	(48,559)	(994)	(8,700)	(16,280)	(57,259)	(17,274)
Net Assets, beginning of year	483,037	484,031	37,329	53,609	520,366	537,640
Net Assets, end of year	\$ 434,478	\$ 483,037	\$ 28,629	\$ 37,329	\$ 463,107	\$ 520,366

The following analysis compares total revenues for the years ended June 30,:

	2008	2007
Total program revenues Total general revenues	\$1,325,461 	\$1,466,222 1,246,688
Total revenues	\$2,653,187	\$2,712,910

Operating grants and contributions from local, state, and federal sources account for a majority of the total revenue. The ROE's expenses primarily relate to instructional services, which account for 90% of the total expenses.

Instructional Services



Governmental Activities

The analysis of changes in net assets reflects a decrease of \$48,559 in FY08 and a decrease of \$994 in FY07.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE AGENCY'S FUNDS

As previously noted, ROE #20 uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The Office's governmental funds reported combined fund balances of \$406,507 in FY08, \$462,269 in FY07, and \$490,948 in FY06. The primary reason for the decrease in combined fund balance in FY08 was due to large increase in salaries, benefits, and purchased services, and decrease in federal funding, while the decrease in combined fund balances in FY07 and FY06 was due to an increase in expenditures.

Governmental Fund Highlights

- The General Fund balance increased from \$253,110 in FY06 to \$268,091 in FY07 and decreased to \$200,115 in FY08. The decrease was attributable to an increase in spent funds.
- The Education Fund balance decreased from \$84,153 in FY06 to \$55,866 in FY07 and increased to \$88,885 in FY08. The increase in FY08 was attributable, in part, to the increase in revenues from state sources, while the decrease in FY07 was due to a decrease in federal funding.
- The Institute Fund balance decreased from \$132,517 in FY06 to \$91,929 in FY07 to \$78,299 in FY08. This decrease in FY07 was attributable to a reclassification of a proprietary fund while the decrease in FY08 was attributable to increased expenditures.

Proprietary Fund Highlights

- In FY07, the Workshop Fund was reclassified from the Institute Fund, which is a governmental fund to a proprietary fund.
- The net assets in the Workshop Fund decreased from \$37,329 in FY07 to \$28,629 in FY08. The decrease was attributable to a decrease in charges for services.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The ROE #20 annually adopts budgets for certain grants, which are submitted to the State Board of Education. The State Board reviews the proposed budget and either grants approval or returns it without approval with comments. Any unapproved budget must be resubmitted to the State Board for final approval. The budget may be amended during the year utilizing procedures prescribed by the State Board. Over the course of the year, the ROE #20 amended several of its grant budgets to reflect adjustments in revenue and expenditures associated with changes in funding from the federal and state sources or for additional services needed and provided to the local school districts. A schedule showing the original and final grant budget amounts compared to the ROE's actual financial activity is included in the supplementary information section of this report.

CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital assets of the Regional Office of Education #20 include office equipment, computers, audio-visual equipment, and office furniture. The Regional Office of Education #20 maintains an inventory of capital assets, which have been accumulated over time. The increase for FY08 was \$47,891 and came as a result of grant money being used to purchase equipment, and other equipment being provided to the Regional Office of Education #20. More detailed information about capital assets is available in the notes to the financial statements.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET

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

- A decrease is expected in the number of students being served by the local school districts.
- Funding for FY09 is expected to be comparable to FY08. Due to the economic condition of the State of Illinois, funding payments have been delayed on state grants.

CONTACTING THE AGENCY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide the Regional Offices' citizens, taxpayers, customers, and constituents with a general overview of the finances and to demonstrate the accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact the Regional Superintendent of the Regional Office of Education #20, 512 North Main Street, Harrisburg, Illinois 62946.



STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2008

	Primary Government			
	Governmental	Business-Type		
	Activities	Activities	Total	
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash	\$ 478,301	\$ 49,142	\$ 527,443	
Due from other governments	16,067	2,250	18,317	
Prepaid items	10,414		10,414	
Total current assets	504,782	51,392	556,174	
Noncurrent assets:				
Capital assets, net	70,420	3,739	74,159	
Total assets	575,202	55,131	630,333	
LIABILITIES				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	20,044	24,502	44,546	
Salaries and benefits payable	36,492	2,000	38,492	
Deferred revenue	41,739		41,739	
Total current liabilities	98,275	26,502	124,777	
Noncurrent liabilities:				
Liability for compensated absences	42,449	<u> </u>	42,449	
Total liabilities	140,724	26,502	167,226	
NET ASSETS				
Invested in capital assets	70,420	3,739	74,159	
Restricted for teacher professional development	78,299	-	78,299	
Unrestricted	285,759	24,890	310,649	
Total net assets	\$ 434,478	\$ 28,629	\$ 463,107	

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

For the year ended June 30, 2008 STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

			Total		(320 375)	(616,000)	(168,574)	(34,788)	6,900	(3,151)	(1,467)	(34,154)	,	(259,786)	(1,375,395)		(9,590)	(1,384,985)		318,057	741,143	259,786	8,740	1,327,726	(57,259)	520,366	463,107		
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Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets	Primary Government	Business-Type	Activities			1	•	•	•	•	•	,		'	•		(9,590)	(9,590)		•	•	•	860	890	(8,700)	37,329	28,629		
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Net	H H	rnmental	Governmental Activities		(320) 375)	(515,000)	(168,574)	(34,788)	6,900	(3,151)	(1.467)	(34,154)		(259,786)	(1,375,395)		•	(1,375,395)		318,057	741,143	259,786	7,850	1,326,836	(48,559)	483,037	434,478		
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Program Revenues		Charges for	Services			I	•	ı	1	•	1	•		'		7000	139,576	139,576						10					
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	•		Expenses		1 618 800	,,,,,,,,	491,146	111,203	5.300	24,218	16,673	34,154		259,786	2,561,280	771 041	149,166	2,710,446	General revenues:	Local sources	State sources	On-behalf payments	est	Total general revenues	Change in net assets	Net assets - beginning	Net assets - ending		
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			FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS	Governmental activities:	institutional set vices: Salaries and benefits		Purchased services	Supplies and materials	Capital outlay - grant funded assets	Payments to other governments	Other objects	Depreciation	Administrative:	On-behalf payments	Total governmental activities	Business-type activities	instructional services	Total governmental activities											
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BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS June 30, 2008

	General Fund		E	ducation Fund	Institute Fund	
ASSETS						
Cash	\$	184,679	\$	168,301	\$	80,225
Due from other funds		8,373		-		-
Due from other governments		7,780		7,543		-
Prepaid items	_	50	_	8,566		
Total assets	\$	200,882	_\$_	184,410	\$	80,225
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	767	\$	8,921	\$	1,926
Salaries and benefits payable		-		36,492		-
Due to other funds		-		8,373		-
Deferred revenue				41,739		
Total liabilities		767		95,525		1,926
FUND BALANCES						
Reserved for prepaid items, reported in:						
General fund		50		-		-
Special revenue funds		-		8,566		-
Unreserved, reported in:						
General fund		200,065		-		-
Special revenue funds		-		80,319		78,299
Total fund balances		200,115		88,885		78,299
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	200,882	\$	184,410	_\$	80,225

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS (continued) June 30, 2008

	Harrisburg Project		Other Nonmajor Funds		Gov	Total vernmental Funds
ASSETS						
Cash	\$	27,043	\$	18,053	\$	478,301
Due from other funds		60		684		8,373
Due from other governments Prepaid items		1,798		084		16,067 10,414
repaid items		1,770				10,414
Total assets	\$	28,901	\$	18,737	\$_	513,155
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	3,027	\$	5,403	\$	20,044
Salaries and benefits payable		-		-		36,492
Due to other funds		-		-		8,373
Deferred revenue						41,739
Total liabilities		3,027		5,403		106,648
FUND BALANCES						
Reserved for prepaid items, reported in:						
General fund		-		-		50
Special revenue funds Unreserved, reported in:		-		-		8,566
General fund		_		_		200,065
Special revenue funds		25,874		13,334		197,826
Total fund balances		25,874		13,334		406,507
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	28,901	\$	18,737	\$	513,155

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2008

Total fund balances-governmental funds	\$406,507
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:	
Long-term liabilities, including compensated absences, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds.	(42,449)
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore, are not reported in the funds.	70,420
Net assets of governmental activities	\$434,478

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

For the year ended June 30, 2008

	General Fund	Education Fund	Institute Fund		
Revenues:					
Local sources	\$ 257,975	\$ 34,845	\$ 18,601		
State sources	82,834	623,796	-		
Federal sources	-	470,415	-		
On-behalf payments	259,786	-	-		
Interest	3,697	1,028	2,717		
Total revenues	604,292	1,130,084	21,318		
Expenditures:					
Education:					
Salaries and benefits	315,747	679,924	1,186		
Purchased services	57,593	307,934	28,703		
Supplies and materials	26,458	68,025	1,350		
Payments to other governments	-	21,067	-		
Other objects	535	13,650	-		
On-behalf payments	259,786	-	-		
Capital outlay	12,149	6,465	3,709		
Total expenditures	672,268	1,097,065	34,948		
Excess (deficiency) of revenues					
over (under) expenditures	(67,976)	33,019	(13,630)		
Fund balances, beginning of year	268,091	55,866	91,929		
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 200,115	\$ 88,885	\$ 78,299		

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS (continued) For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Harrisburg Project	Other Nonmajor Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:			
Local sources	\$ -	\$ 6,636	\$ 318,057
State sources	703,643	46,340	1,456,613
Federal sources	-	-	470,415
On-behalf payments	-	-	259,786
Interest	304	104	7,850
Total revenues	703,947	53,080	2,512,721
Expenditures:			
Education:			
Salaries and benefits	580,183	35,226	1,612,266
Purchased services	78,093	18,823	491,146
Supplies and materials	15,084	286	111,203
Payments to other governments	30	3,121	24,218
Other objects	-	2,488	16,673
On-behalf payments	-	-	259,786
Capital outlay	30,868		53,191
Total expenditures	704,258	59,944	2,568,483
Excess (deficiency) of revenues			
over (under) expenditures	(311)	(6,864)	(55,762)
Fund balances, beginning of year	26,185	20,198	462,269
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 25,874	\$ 13,334	\$ 406,507

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES-GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

For the year ended June 30, 2008

Net change in fund balances		\$ (55,762)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. Capital outlay Depreciation expense	\$ 47,891 (34,154)	13,737
Certain expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.		(6,534)
Change in net assets of governmental activities		\$ (48,559)

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS June 30, 2008

ASSETS	A Enter	ness-Type ctivities prise Fund sshop Fund
Current assets:		10.1.12
Cash Due from other governments	\$	49,142 2,250
Total current assets		51,392
Noncurrent assets		
Capital assets, net	-	3,739
Total assets		55,131
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable		24,502
Salaries and benefits payable		2,000
Total liabilities		26,502
NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets		3,739
Unrestricted		24,890
Total net assets	\$	28,629

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET ASSETS PROPRIETARY FUNDS For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Business-Type Activities
	Enterprise Fund
	Workshop Fund
Operating revenues:	
Charges for services	\$ 139,576
Operating expenses:	
Salaries and benefits	5,027
Purchased services	117,736
Supplies and materials	21,168
Depreciation	2,183
Capital Outlay	802
Payments to other governments	2,250
Total operating expenses	149,166
Operating loss	(9,590)
Nonoperating revenues:	
Interest	890
Change in net assets	(8,700)
Total net assets - beginning	37,329
Total net assets - ending	\$ 28,629

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS For the year ended June 30, 2008

		siness-Type Activities
	Ente	erprise Fund
		rkshop Fund
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Collection of fees	\$	136,658
Payments to suppliers and providers of	*	.50,050
goods and services		(164,092)
Payments to employees		(3,027)
Payments to other governments		(2,250)
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Net cash used for operating activities		(32,711)
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Interest received		890
Net decrease in cash		(31,821)
Cash - beginning		80,963
Cash - ending	\$	49,142
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash		
provided by (used for) operating activities:		
Operating loss	\$	(9,590)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss		
to net cash provided by (used for)		
operating activities:		
Depreciation		2,183
Due from other governments		(2,250)
Prepaid items		400
Accounts payable		(22,536)
Unearned revenue		(2,918)
Salaries and benefits payable		2,000
Net cash used for operating activities	\$	(32,711)

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Regional Office of Education #20's accounting policies conform to generally accepted accounting principles which are appropriate to local governmental units of this type.

A. Reporting Entity

The Regional Office of Education #20 was created August 8, 1995, upon the consolidation of Education Service Region #20 and Education Service Region #23. Education Service Region #20 consisted of Edwards, Wabash, Wayne, and White Counties while Region #23 consisted of Gallatin, Hardin, Pope, and Saline Counties.

The Regional Superintendent of Schools is the chief administrative officer of the Region and is elected to the position for a four-year term. The Regional Superintendent is responsible for the supervision and control of the school districts.

The Regional Superintendent's responsibilities for administering the school educational service region programs include, but are not limited to, providing directions to teachers and school officials on science, art and teaching methods; implementing the State Board of Education's Policy Programs; encouraging camaraderie among teachers through the teachers' institute; making public notice of unfilled teaching positions within the region; and insuring of the safety, health and welfare of the students in the region by periodically inspecting the school buildings and insuring that the bus drivers have valid driving licenses and are properly trained to operate the school buses. Further, the Regional Superintendent receives an allocation of school funds from the State Board of Education and apportions these funds to the school districts in accordance with the State Board of Education's formula.

The Regional Office of Education #20 derives its oversight power and authority over the school districts from the School Code and is responsible for its own fiscal and budgetary matters. The Regional Office of Education #20 exercises no oversight responsibility on financial interdependency, selection of governing authority, designation of management or the ability to significantly influence the operations of any other outside agencies. Control or dependency is determined on the basis of budget adoption, taxing authority, funding and appointment of the respective governing order. Therefore, no other agency has been included as a component unit in the Regional Office of Education #20's financial statements. In addition, the Regional Office of Education #20 is not aware of any entity that would exercise oversight as to result in the Regional Office of Education #20 being considered a component unit of the entity.

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Assets 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.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. **SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the Regional Office of Education #20's assets and liabilities, including capital assets. The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment is offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. Program revenues include 1) charges to applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. Nonmajor funds are aggregated and presented in a single column.

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 proprietary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue 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. 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 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.

It is the Regional Office of Education #20's policy to first apply restricted resources when an expenditure or expense is incurred for which both restricted and unrestricted resources are available.

The Regional Office of Education #20 reports the following major governmental funds:

<u>General Fund</u> - The General Fund is the general operating fund of the Regional Office of Education #20 and is used to account for all financial resources that are not legally restricted for expenditure for specified purposes. The following funds are included within the General Fund of the Regional Office of Education #20:

<u>Clearing</u> - This fund operates as an imprest account. Money is transferred from various funds and the expenditures appear within the fund in which the cost was incurred.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

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

General Fund (Continued)

<u>Payroll</u> -This fund is utilized for processing payroll. Money is transferred from various funds and the salary expenses appear within the fund in which the salary cost was incurred.

<u>General Budget</u> - This fund is utilized to account for general revenues and pay various general and administrative expenses.

ROE/ISC Operations - This fund accounts for grant monies received and expended for general and administrative expenses.

<u>Media</u> - This fund operates as an imprest account. Money is transferred from various funds for shipping expenses.

<u>Major Special Revenue Funds</u> - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted to expenditures for specific purposes. Major special revenue funds include the following:

<u>Education</u> - These Special Revenue Funds account for State, local and federal grant monies received for, and payment of, administering numerous grant awards for education which include:

ROE/ISC Technology - This fund accounts for grant monies received and expended for implementing regional-based computer software and providing on-going support of that software.

<u>Workforce Investment Act</u> - This fund accounts for grant monies received and expended to prepare youth for entry into the labor force and to afford job training to those economically disadvantaged youth facing serious barriers to employment, who are in special need of such training to obtain productive employment.

<u>Standards-Aligned Classroom</u> - This fund accounts for monies received and expended for creating and supporting learning teams that are focused on alignment of classroom level assessment and instruction.

<u>Federal Special Education - Pre-School Discretionary</u> - This fund is used to account for the federal grant which promotes increasing public awareness of the availability of services and locating, identifying and evaluating children suspected of having disabilities.

<u>Regional Safe Schools</u> - This fund is used to account for the Regional Safe Schools grant monies. The program concentrates on the education of students who have been expelled from the school districts served by the Regional Office of Education #20.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. **SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

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

Major Special Revenue Funds (Continued)

Education (Continued)

<u>Safe Schools State Aid</u> - To account for General State Aid received from the Illinois State Board of Education based on the average daily attendance at the Safe School.

System of Support - To provide improvement support to schools in academic early warning and academic watch status as well as to assist other schools whose performance makes placement on the lists in the near future likely.

<u>Truants Alternative/Optional Education</u> - This fund accounts for the proceeds from State grants expended under a program to reduce student truancy.

<u>Truants Alternative Gen. State Aid</u> - These funds are used to account for the administration of monies to be used for the General State Aid Program.

<u>McKinney Ed. For Homeless Children</u> - This fund is used to account for grant monies received and expended assisting school districts in identifying and providing assistance to at-risk students.

<u>Federal Lunch</u> - To account for monies received from federal funds for reimbursement for meals served through the school lunch program at the regular price as well as reimbursement of free and reduced-price meals for students enrolled in the Regional Safe Schools Program.

<u>Positive Behavioral Intervention Services</u> – To enhance the capacity of schools to safely and effectively educate all students by applying research-based behavior support systems that maximize academic achievement of student and teacher outcomes.

<u>State Lunch</u> – To account for State monies received to provide free lunches and breakfasts to eligible needy children enrolled in the Regional Safe School Program.

<u>Federal Forest Reserve</u> – To account for federal flow-through grant monies for school districts with land in the Shawnee National Forest.

<u>School Breakfast Incentive</u> – This program is used for an incentive program aimed at assisting schools in starting and maintaining the School Breakfast Program.

<u>Federal Breakfast</u> – To account for federal monies received to provide breakfast meals meeting federal requirements, to all children in attendance at the Regional Safe School Program.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. **SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

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

Major Special Revenue Funds (Continued)

<u>Institute</u> - This fund accounts for fees from registrations. These funds are used to help pay certain administrative expenses incurred to conduct workshops and for general meetings with teachers and other school personnel. All funds generated remain restricted until expended only on the aforementioned activities.

<u>Harrisburg Project</u> - This fund is used to account for the contract that creates and maintains computer software and provides an electronic exchange of data for the school districts with other entities.

The Regional Office of Education #20 reports the following major proprietary funds:

Enterprise Funds - Enterprise funds are used to account for operations (a) that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprise where the intent of the governing body is that the costs (expenses, including depreciation) of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis should be financed or recovered primarily through user charges; or (b) where the governing body has decided that periodic determination of revenues earned, expenses incurred, and/or net income is appropriate for capital maintenance, public policy, management control accountability, or other purposes. Included among these funds is:

<u>Workshops</u> – To account for the fees and local revenues received and related disbursements incurred while performing the corresponding program services.

Additionally, the Regional Office of Education #20 reports the following nonmajor funds:

Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted to expenditures for specific purposes. Nonmajor special revenue funds include the following:

<u>General Educational Development (GED)</u> - The GED Fund accounts for proceeds earned from students who pay to participate in the high school equivalency program. These proceeds are used to pay administrative expenses incurred to administer the GED program.

<u>Bus Driver/Transportation</u> - This fund is used to account for the fee charged for annual training courses. Proceeds from these fees are used to pay administrative expenses incurred pertaining to the program.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. **SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

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

Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds (Continued)

<u>Supervisory</u> - This fund accounts for proceeds provided to the Regional Superintendent by the Illinois State Board of Education to be used for travel and related expenses.

<u>Safe Schools-Healthy Students Initiative</u> - This fund is used to account for monies received and expended for the development of community-wide approaches to creating safe and drug free schools and promoting healthy childhood development.

Private-sector standards of accounting and financial reporting issued prior to December 1, 1989, generally are followed in the government-wide financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with or contradict guidance of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

Under the provision of GASB Statement No. 20, Accounting and financial Reporting for Proprietary Funds and Other Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting, the Regional Office of Education #20 applies all GASB pronouncements and has elected to apply only the pronouncements issued on or before November 30, 1989 for the following: Statements and Interpretations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (APB) Opinions, and Accounting Research Bulletins (ARBs) of the Committee on Accounting Procedure.

D. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

1. Cash and Investments

State regulations require that Regional Office of Education #20 deposit funds under its control into accounts insured by the federal government, secured by substantial collateral, or into pooled investment trusts. All funds not needed for immediate disbursement are maintained in interest bearing accounts.

Statutes authorize the Regional Office of Education #20 to make deposits or invest in obligations of states and their political subdivisions, savings accounts, credit union shares, repurchase agreements, commercial paper rated within the three highest classifications by at least two standard rating services, and the Illinois Funds Money Market Fund.

2. Interfund Transactions

Activity between funds that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year are referred to as "due to/from other funds."

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. **SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (Continued)

D. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity (Continued)

3. Capital assets

Capital assets are reported in the applicable columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$1,000 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.

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 straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	<u>Years</u>
Building improvements	10-20
Office equipment	5-10
Computer equipment	3

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

4. Compensated Absences

Employees of Regional Office of Education #20 are permitted to accumulate earned but unused vacation benefits. Accumulated unused vacation benefits are accrued as incurred in the government-wide financial statements. Governmental funds record accumulated unused vacation benefits payable only when due for payment, such as when an employee retires or resigns.

Sick leave accumulates as far as time available but is not reimbursable to employees upon termination. Therefore, no accruals or reserves have been established.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

D. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity (Continued)

5. Equity Classifications

Government-wide Statements

Equity is classified as net assets and displayed in three components:

Invested in capital assets - Consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation.

Restricted net assets – Consists of net assets with constraints placed on the use either by (1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net assets – All other net assets that do not meet the definition of "restricted" or "invested in capital assets."

Fund Statements

Governmental fund equity is classified as fund balance. Fund balance is further classified as reserved and unreserved.

E. New Accounting Pronouncement

The Regional Office of Education #20 has implemented GASB Statement No. 50, Pension Disclosures an amendment of GASB statements No. 25 and No. 27, effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007. These statements changed the way that the Regional Office of Education #20 discloses its postemployment healthcare and pension information. The Regional Office of Education #20 has also implemented GASB Statement No. 48, Sales and Pledges of Receivables and Future Revenues and Intra-Entity Transfers of Assets and Future Revenues, effective for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007. This Statement had no effect on the Regional Office of Education #20's net assets or changes in net assets.

2. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

A. <u>Explanation of Certain Differences Between the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Government-wide Statement of Net Assets</u>

The governmental fund Balance Sheet includes a reconciliation between fund balance-total governmental funds and net assets-governmental activities as reported in the government-wide Statement of Net Assets. One element of that reconciliation explains that "long-term liabilities, including compensated absences, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds." The details of this \$42,449 difference are as follows:

Compensated Absences

\$ 42,449

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

2. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Continued)

B. <u>Explanation of Certain Differences Between the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues,</u> Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances and the Government-wide Statement of Activities

The governmental fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances includes a reconciliation between net changes in fund balances-total governmental funds and changes in net assets of governmental activities as reported in the government-wide Statement of Activities. One element of that reconciliation explains that "Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense." The details of this \$13,737 difference are as follows:

Capital outlay	\$ 47,891
Depreciation expense	(34,154)
Net adjustment to increase net changes in fund balances-	
total governmental funds to arrive at changes in net assets	
of governmental activities	\$ 13,737

3. BUDGETS AND BUDGETARY ACCOUNTING

The Regional Office of Education #20 was not legally required to adopt annual budgets for all funds under its control, and some annual budgets prepared were not based upon the same operating period. Therefore, budgetary reports comparing budgeted to actual expenditures are not presented.

Budgets relating to programs funded by grants from the Illinois State Board of Education are prepared and submitted to the State Board as part of the grant awards process. The State Board must also approve amendments to these budgets. Grant project budgets are based on the award period. Budget versus actual statements have been presented for the following grants: ROE/ISC Operations, Fed. Sp. Ed. – Pre-School Discretionary, Regional Safe Schools, Truants Alternative/Optional Ed., and School Breakfast Incentive.

4. USE OF ESTIMATES

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

5. **DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

A. Deposits

At June 30, 2008, the government-wide carrying amount of the Regional Office of Education #20's cash deposits was \$527,443 and the bank balance was \$588,850, all of which was secured by federal depository insurance or collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department in the Regional Office of Education #20's name, and were, therefore, not exposed to custodial credit risk.

B. Investments

The Regional Office of Education #20 does not have a formal investment policy, as it only investments are internally pooled in the Illinois Funds Money Market Fund. At June 30, 2008, the Regional Office of Education #20 had investments with carrying and fair values of \$13,338 invested in the Illinois Funds Money Market Fund.

Credit Risk

At June 30, 2008, the Illinois Funds Money Market Fund had a Standard and Poor's AAAm rating. The pool is audited annually by an outside independent auditor and copies of the report are distributed to participants. Although not subject to direct regulatory oversight, the fund is administered by the Illinois State Treasurer in accordance with the provisions of the Illinois Public Funds Investment Act, 30 ILCS 235. All investments are fully collateralized.

Interest Rate Risk

The Illinois Funds Money Market Fund, created by the Illinois General Assembly, enables custodians of public funds an investment option with a competitive rate of return on fully collateralized investments and immediate access to the funds. The investment policy of the Illinois Funds Money Market Fund states that, unless authorized specifically by the Treasurer, a minimum of 75% of its investments shall have less than one-year maturity and no investment shall exceed two years maturity.

Concentration of Credit Risk

Unless specifically authorized by the Treasurer, the Illinois Funds Money Market Fund's investment policy limits investment categories to not exceed 25% of the portfolio, with the exception of cash equivalents and U.S. Treasury securities. Further, certificates of deposit cannot exceed 10% of any single financial institution's total receipts.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

6. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2008 was as follows:

Governmental activities:	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance	
Capital assets being depreciated:					
Improvements other than buildings	\$ 5,187	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 5,187	
Machinery and equipment	256,819	47,891	21,815	282,895	
Total capital assets being depreciated	262,006	47,891	21,815	288,082	
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Improvements other than buildings	(5,187)	-	-	(5,187)	
Machinery and equipment	(200,136)	(34,154)	(21,815)	(212,475)	
Total accumulated depreciation	(205,323)	(34,154)	(21,815)	(217,662)	
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 56,683	\$ 13,737	\$	\$ 70,420	
Business-type activities:					
Capital assets being depreciated:					
Improvements other than buildings	\$ 2,182	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,182	
Machinery and equipment	55,740			55,740	
Total capital assets being depreciated	57,922	-		57,922	
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Improvements other than buildings	(1,527)	(218)	-	(1,745)	
Machinery and equipment	(50,473)	(1,965)	-	(52,438)	
Total accumulated depreciation	(52,000)	(2,183)		(54,183)	
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$ 5,922	\$ (2,183)	\$ -	\$ 3,739	

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the Regional Office of Education #20 as follows:

Governmental activities:	
Instructional services:	
Depreciation	\$ 34,154
Business-Type activities:	
Instructional services:	
Depreciation	\$ 2,183

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

7. RETIREMENT FUND COMMITMENTS

A. Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois

The Regional Office of Education #20 participates in the Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois (TRS). TRS is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan that was created by the Illinois legislature for the benefit of Illinois public school teachers employed outside the city of Chicago.

The Illinois Pension Code outlines the benefit provisions of TRS, and amendments to the plan can be made only by legislative action with the Governor's approval. The State of Illinois maintains primary responsibility for the funding of the plan, but contributions from participating employers and members are also required. The TRS Board of Trustees is responsible for the system's administration.

TRS members include all active nonannuitants who are employed by a TRS-covered employer to provide services for which teacher certification is required. The active member contribution rate for the year ended June 30, 2008 was 9.4 percent of creditable earnings. These contributions, which may be paid on behalf of employees by the employer, are submitted to TRS by the employer. The active member contribution rate was also 9.4 percent for the years ended June 30, 2007 and 2006.

In addition, virtually all employers and members pay a contribution to the Teachers' Health Insurance Security (THIS) Fund, a separate fund in the State Treasury that is not a part of this retirement plan. The employer THIS Fund contribution was 0.63 percent during the year ended June 30, 2008, and the member THIS Fund health insurance contribution was 0.84 percent.

The State of Illinois makes contributions directly to TRS on behalf of the Regional Office of Education #20's TRS-covered employees.

On-Behalf Contributions - The State of Illinois makes employer pension contributions on behalf of the Regional Office of Education #20. For the year ended June 30, 2008, State of Illinois contributions were based on 13.11 percent of creditable earnings not paid from federal funds, and the Regional Office of Education #20 recognized revenue and expenditures of \$55,017 in pension contributions that the State of Illinois paid directly to TRS. For the years ended June 30, 2007, and June 30, 2006, the State of Illinois contribution rates as percentages of creditable earnings not paid from federal awards were 9.78 percent (\$40,276) and 7.06 percent (\$28,149), respectively.

The State contributions to TRS for the year ended June 30, 2008 were based on an actuarial formula. The state contributions for the years ended June 30, 2007 and June 30, 2006 were based on dollar amounts specified by the statute and were not actuarially determined.

The Regional Office of Education #20 makes other types of employer contributions directly to TRS.

2.2 Formula Contributions – Employers contribute 0.58 percent of total creditable earnings for the 2.2 formula change. This rate is specified by statute. Contributions for the year ended June 30, 2008 were \$2,433. Contributions for the years ended June 30, 2007, and June 30, 2006, were \$2,388 and \$2,313, respectively.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

7. **RETIREMENT FUND COMMITMENTS** (Continued)

A. Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois (Continued)

Federal and Trust Fund Contributions - When TRS members are paid from federal and special trust funds administered by the Regional Office of Education #20, there is a statutory requirement for the Regional Office of Education #20 to pay an employer pension contribution from those funds. Under a policy adopted by the TRS Board of Trustees that was first effective for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2006, employer contributions for employees paid from federal and special trust funds will be the same as the state contribution rate to TRS.

For the year ended June 30, 2008, the employer pension contribution was 13.11 percent of salaries paid from federal and special trust funds. For the years ended June 30, 2007 and 2006, the employer contribution was 9.78 and 7.06 percent of salaries paid from federal and special trust funds, respectively. For the year ended June 30, 2008, salaries totaling \$125,986 were paid from federal and special trust funds that required employer contributions of \$16,517. For the years ended June 30, 2007, and June 30, 2006, required Regional Office of Education #20 contributions were \$12,833 and \$6,738, respectively.

Early Retirement Option – The Regional Office of Education #20 is also required to make one-time employer contributions to TRS for members retiring under the Early Retirement Option (ERO). The payments vary depending on the age and salary of the member and under which ERO program the member retires.

Under Public Act 94-0004, a "Pipeline ERO" program was provided for members to retire under the same terms as the ERO program that expired June 30, 2005, provided they met certain conditions and retired on or before July 1, 2007. If members did not meet these conditions, they can retire under the "Modified ERO" program which requires higher member and employer contributions to TRS. Also, under Modified ERO, Public Act 94-0004 eliminates the waiver of member and employer ERO contributions that had been in effect for members with 34 years of service (unless the member qualified for the Pipeline ERO).

Under the Pipeline ERO, the maximum employer contribution was 100 percent of the member's highest salary used in the final average salary calculation.

Under the Modified ERO, the maximum employer contribution is 117.5 percent.

Both the 100 percent and the 117.5 percent maximums apply when the member is age 55 at retirement.

For the year ended June 30, 2008, the Regional Office of Education #20 made no payments to TRS for employer contributions under the Pipeline ERO and Modified ERO programs. For the years ended June 30, 2007 and 2006, the Regional Office of Education #20 made no payments for employer ERO contributions.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

7. **RETIREMENT FUND COMMITMENTS** (Continued)

A. <u>Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois</u> (Continued)

Salary Increases Over 6 Percent and Excess Sick Leave – Public Act 94-0004 added two new employer contributions to TRS.

If an employer grants salary increases over 6 percent and those salaries are used to calculate a retiree's final average salary, the employer makes a contribution to TRS. The contribution will cover the difference in actuarial cost of the benefit based on actual salary increases and the benefit based on salary increases of up to 6 percent.

For the years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006, the Regional Office of Education #20 made no payments for employer contributions to TRS due on salary increases in excess of 6 percent.

If an employer grants sick leave days in excess of the normal annual allotment and those days are used as TRS service credit, the employer makes a contribution to TRS. The contribution is based on the number of excess sick leave days used as service credit, the highest salary used to calculate final average salary, and the TRS total normal cost rate (17.62 percent of salary during the year ended June 30, 2008).

For the years ended June 30, 2008, 2007, and 2006, the Regional Office of Education #20 made no payments for employer contributions to TRS for sick leave days granted in excess of the normal annual allotment.

TRS financial information, an explanation of TRS benefits, and descriptions of member, employer and state funding requirements can be found in the TRS *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report* for the year ended June 30, 2007. The report for the year ended June 30, 2008, is expected to be available in late 2008.

The reports may be obtained by writing to the Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois, P.O. Box 19253, 2815 West Washington Street, Springfield, IL 62794-9253. The most current report is also available on the TRS Web site at trs.illinois.gov.

B. <u>Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund</u>

Plan Description – The Regional Office of Education #20's defined benefit pension plan for Regular employees provides retirement and disability benefits, post retirement increases, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. The Regional Office of Education #20's plan is affiliated with the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF), an agent multiple-employer plan. Benefit provisions are established by statute and may only be changed by the General Assembly of the State of Illinois. IMRF issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That report may be obtained on-line at www.imrf.org.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

7. **RETIREMENT FUND COMMITMENTS** (Continued)

B. <u>Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund</u> (Continued)

Funding Policy – As set by statute, the Regional Office of Education #20's Regular plan members are required to contribute 4.50 percent of their annual covered salary. The statute requires employers to contribute the amount necessary, in addition to member contributions, to finance the retirement coverage of its own employees. The employer contribution rate for calendar year 2007 was 10.26 percent of annual covered payroll. The Regional Office of Education #20 also contributes for disability benefits, death benefits and supplemental retirement benefits, all of which are pooled at the IMRF level. Contribution rates for disability and death benefits are set by the IMRF Board of Trustees, while supplemental retirement benefits rate is set by statute.

Annual Pension Cost – For 2007, the Regional Office of Education #20's annual pension cost of \$84,731 for the Regular plan was equal to Regional Office of Education #20's required and actual contributions.

Three-Year Trend Information for the Regular Plan

Trend Information

		Annual	Percentage		
Actuarial	I	Pension	of APC	Net	Pension
Valuation Date	Co	st (APC)	Contributed	Obl	igation
12/31/2007	\$	84,731	100%	\$	
12/31/2006	\$	93,008	100%	\$	-
12/31/2005	\$	80,469	100%	\$	-

The required contribution was determined as part of the December 31, 2005, actuarial valuation using the entry age normal actuarial cost method. The actuarial assumptions at December 31, 2005, included (a) 7.5 percent investment rate of return (net of administrative and direct investment expenses), (b) projected salary increases of 4.0 percent a year, attributable to inflation, (c) additional projected salary increases ranging from 0.4 percent to 10.0 percent per year depending on age and service, attributable to seniority/merit, and (d) post retirement benefit increases of 3 percent annually. The actuarial value of the Regional Office of Education #20's Regular plan assets was determined using techniques that spread the effects of short-term volatility in the market value of investments over a five-year period with 15 percent corridor between the actuarial and market value of assets. The Regional Office of Education #20's Regular plan's unfunded actuarial accrued liability is being amortized as a level percentage of projected payroll on a closed basis. The remaining amortization period at December 31, 2007, was 5 years.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

7. **RETIREMENT FUND COMMITMENTS** (Continued)

B. Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (Continued)

Funded Status and Fund Progress – As of December 31, 2007, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the Regular plan was 96.47 percent funded. The actuarial accrued liability for benefits was \$1,856,826 and the actuarial value of assets was \$1,791,283, resulting in an underfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) of \$65,543. The covered payroll (annual payroll of active employees covered by the plan) was \$825,836 and the ratio of the UAAL to the covered payroll was 8 percent.

The schedule of funding progress, presented as RSI following the notes to the financial statements, presents multiyear trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial liability for benefits.

C. Social Security

Employees not qualifying for coverage under the Illinois Teachers' Retirement System or the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund are considered "nonparticipating employees". These employees and those qualifying for coverage under the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund are covered under Social Security.

8. <u>INTERFUND RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES</u>

At June 30, 2008, interfund receivables and payables were as follows:

Due To	Due From	June 30, 2008
General Fund:	Education Fund:	
General Budget	Workforce Investment Act	1,700
General Budget	Safe Schools State Aid	1,000
General Budget	System of Support	3,873
General Budget	Truants Alternative/Optional Education	1,800
		\$ 8,373

At June 30, 2008 receivables to the General Budget are temporary advances to each fund for expenditure reimbursements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

9. CHANGES IN LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

Long-term liability activity for the year ended June 30, 2008 was as follows:

	Ba	lance at		Balance at		
	Jul	July 1, 2007		ditions	June 30, 20	
Compensated Absences	_\$	35,915	\$	6,534	_\$	42,449

Due to the nature of the obligation for compensated absences, annual requirements to amortize such obligations are not determinable and have not been presented. Compensated absences are liquidated through the fund that provides the particular employee's salary.

10. BOND

The 105 ILCS 5/3-2 directs the Regional Office of Education #20 to execute a bond of not less than \$100,000 on the Regional Superintendent. The Regional Office of Education #20 has secured and maintained such a bond with coverage of \$1,000,000 on the Regional Superintendent.

11. ON-BEHALF PAYMENTS

The Regional Office of Education #20 received on-behalf payments for employee salaries and benefits from the State of Illinois for the following items:

Regional Superintendent salary	\$ 101,218
Regional Superintendent benefits	
(includes State paid insurance)	19,041
Assistant Regional Superintendent salary	80,730
Assistant Regional Superintendent benefits	
(includes State paid insurance)	3,780
TRS Pension contributions	55,017
	\$ 259,786

Salary and benefit data for the Regional Superintendent and Assistant Regional Superintendent was calculated based on data provided by the Illinois State Board of Education.

The on-behalf payments are reflected as revenues and expenditures of the General Fund.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

12. RISK MANAGEMENT - CLAIMS AND JUDGEMENTS

The Regional Office of Education #20 is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; workers' compensation; and natural disasters. The Regional Office of Education #20 is covered by commercial insurance to cover these risks of loss. No settlements have exceeded insurance coverage in the current or three previous years.

13. OPERATING LEASE

The Regional Office of Education #20 leases its office facilities. The lease term is from January 1, 2008 to June 30, 2011. The monthly rental payments under the lease are \$2,860 per month for the first five months and \$3,160 per month the following months with the Regional Office of Education #20 being responsible for all utility bills and trash removal.

In addition, the Regional Office of Education #20 subleases a portion of their facilities to Pre-School Discretionary and IDEA Part B Discretionary. Sublease income was \$20,412 for the year ended June 30, 2008.

The Regional Office of Education #20 leases office space for an Alternative School in Harrisburg, Illinois. The lease term is from January 1, 2008 through June 30, 2011. The monthly rental payments under the lease are \$1,550 per month with the Regional Office of Education #20 being responsible for all utility bills and trash removal.

The Regional Office leases office space for an Alternative School in Mill Shoals, Illinois from the Village of Mill Shoals. The lease term is from July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2009. The monthly rental payments under the lease are \$382 per month with the Regional Office of Education #20 being responsible for all utility bills and trash removal.

During the year ended June 30, 2008, rentals under lease obligations were \$57,504.

Future minimum rentals for the years ending June 30 are:

Year Ending		
<u>June 30,</u>	A	mount_
2009	\$	61,104
2010		56,520
2011		56.520

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

14. DUE FROM OTHER GOVERNMENTS

The Regional Office of Education #20's General Fund, Enterprise Fund and various grant programs have funds due from various other governmental units which consist of the following at June 30, 2008:

Due From Other Governments

General Fund: Gallatin County Clerk Saline County Clerk	\$ 3,250 4,530
Education Fund:	
Regional Office of Education #2	7,543
Harrisburg Project:	
Fremont District #79	60
Nonmajor Governmental Funds:	
Illinois Department of Corrections	100
Southeastern Illinois College	490
Frontier Community College	30
Wabash Valley College	60
Meridian Community School District Unit #101	4
	16,067
Enterprise Funds:	
Illinois Principals Association	 2,250
Total	\$ 18,317

15. **CONTINGENCIES**

The Regional Office of Education #20 has received funding from Federal and State grants in the current and prior years which are subject to audits by granting agencies. The Regional Office of Education #20 believes any adjustments that may arise will be insignificant to the Regional Office of Education #20's operations.

16. **DEFICIT FUND BALANCES**

System of Support carried a deficit fund balance of \$22 as of June 30, 2008. The Regional Office of Education #20 intends to reduce this deficit by reducing expenditures in future periods.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION (OTHER THAN MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS)

ILLINOIS MUNICIPAL RETIREMENT FUND SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS UNAUDITED

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b - a)	Funded Ratio (a / b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b - a) / c]
12/31/2007	\$ 1,791,283	\$ 1,856,826	\$ 65,543	96.47 %	\$ 825,836	7.94 %
12/31/2006	\$ 1,594,179	\$ 1,696,194	\$ 102,015	93.99 %	\$ 788,200	12.94 %
12/31/2005	\$ 1,343,790	\$ 1,417,459	\$ 73,669	94.80 %	\$ 668,346	11.02 %

On a market value basis the actuarial value of assets as of December 31, 2007 was \$1,898,529. On a market basis, the funded ratio would be 102.25 percent.

Digest of Changes

The actuarial assumptions used to determine the actuarial accrued liability for 2007 are based on the 2002-2004 Experience Study.

The principal changes were:

- The 1994 Group Annuity Mortality implemented.
- For regular members, fewer normal and more early retirements are expected to occur.



COMBINING SCHEDULE OF ACCOUNTS GENERAL FUND June 30, 2008

ASSETS	C	learing	P	ayroll	General Budget	DE/ISC erations
Cash Due from other funds Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	2,378	\$	2,470 - - -	\$ 179,816 10,373 7,780 50	\$ 15 - - -
Total assets	\$	2,378	\$	2,470	\$ 198,019	\$ 15
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Due to other funds	\$	2,000	\$	<u>-</u>	\$ 752	\$ 15
Total liabilities		2,000		-	 752	 15
FUND BALANCE						
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved		378		2,470	 50 197,217	 -
Total fund balance		378		2,470	197,267	
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	2,378	\$	2,470	\$ 198,019	\$ 15

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF ACCOUNTS GENERAL FUND (continued) June 30, 2008

ASSETS	Media		minating Entries	Total	
Cash Due from other funds Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	- - -	\$ (2,000)	\$	184,679 8,373 7,780 50
Total assets	\$		\$ (2,000)	\$	200,882
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE					
LIABILITIES					
Accounts payable Due to other funds	\$	· <u>·</u>	\$ (2,000)	\$	767
Total liabilities			 (2,000)		767
FUND BALANCE					
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved		- -	-		50 200,065
Total fund balance					200,115
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	-	\$ (2,000)	\$	200,882

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE GENERAL FUND ACCOUNTS For the year ended June 30, 2008

Revenues:	Clearing Payroll		General Budget	ROE/ISC Operations
Local sources	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 257,975	\$ -
State sources	Ψ -	Ψ -	Ψ 237,773	82,834
On-behalf payments	_	_	259,786	02,037
Interest	107	147	3,372	15
merest		147		
Total revenues	107	147	521,133	82,849
Expenditures:				
Salaries and benefits	-	-	256,508	59,239
Purchased services	82	169	45,666	11,676
Supplies and materials	-	-	20,261	6,197
Capital outlay	-	-	6,412	5,737
Other objects	-	-	535	-
On-behalf payments			259,786	
Total expenditures	82	169	589,168	82,849
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over (under) expenditures	25	(22)	(68,035)	-
Other financing sources (uses):				
Transfers in	-	-	10,335	-
Transfers out			_	
Net other financing sources (uses)		-	10,335	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under)				
expenditures and other financing uses	25	(22)	(57,700)	-
Fund balance, beginning of year	353	2,492	254,967	
Fund balance, end of year	\$ 378	\$ 2,470	\$ 197,267	\$ -

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE GENERAL FUND ACCOUNTS (continued)

For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Media	Eliminating Entries	Total
Revenues:			
Local sources	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 257,975
State sources	-	-	82,834
On-behalf payments	-	-	259,786
Interest	56		3,697
Total revenues	56		604,292
Expenditures:			
Salaries and benefits	-	-	315,747
Purchased services	-	-	57,593
Supplies and materials	-	-	26,458
Capital outlay	-	-	12,149
Other objects	-	-	535
On-behalf payments			259,786
Total expenditures			672,268
Excess (deficiency) of revenues			
over (under) expenditures	56	-	(67,976)
Other financing sources (uses):			
Transfers in	-	(10,335)	-
Transfers out	(10,335)	10,335	
Net other financing sources (uses)	(10,335)		
Excess (deficiency) of revenues			
and other financing sources over (under) expenditures and other financing uses	(10,279)	-	-
Fund balance, beginning of year	10,279		268,091
Fund balance, end of year	\$	\$ -	\$ 200,115

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND ACCOUNTS ROE/ISC OPERATIONS - PROJECT #07-3730-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final	
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget	
Revenues:					
State sources	\$77,520	<u>\$77,520</u>	\$ 3,800	\$ (73,720)	
Total revenues	77,520	77,520	3,800	(73,720)	
Expenditures:					
Salaries and benefits	54,027	56,915	-	56,915	
Purchased services	16,940	10,790	-	10,790	
Supplies and materials	3,558	3,815	-	3,815	
Capital outlay	2,995	6,000	3,800	2,200_	
Total expenditures	77,520	77,520	3,800	73,720	
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -	
Fund balance, beginning of year			<u> </u>		
Fund balance, end of year			\$ -		

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND ACCOUNTS ROE/ISC OPERATIONS - PROJECT #08-3730-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	l Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget
Revenues:				
State sources	\$ 77,520	\$ 79,034	\$ 79,034	\$ -
Interest		-	15	15
Total revenues	77,520	79,034	79,049	15
Expenditures:				
Salaries and Benefits	58,295	59,195	59,239	(44)
Purchased services	14,180	12,150	11,676	474
Supplies and materials	3,045	5,517	6,197	(680)
Capital outlay	2,000	2,172	1,937	235
Total expenditures	77,520	79,034	79,049	(15)
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year				
Fund balance, end of year			\$ -	

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF ACCOUNTS EDUCATION FUND June 30, 2008

	ROE/I		Workforce Investment Act		A	ndards- ligned
ASSETS						
Cash Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	- - -	\$	2,269	\$	3,721
Total assets	\$	-	\$	2,269	\$	3,721
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Salaries and benefits payable Due to other funds Deferred revenue Total liabilities	\$ 	- - - -	\$	504 - 1,700 65 - 2,269	\$	2,000
FUND BALANCE						
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>		1,721
Total fund balance		<u>.</u>				1,721
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$		\$	2,269	\$	3,721

	Fed. Sp. Ed Pre-School Discretionary		Regional Safe Schools		Safe School State Aid	
ASSETS						
Cash Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	28,474	\$	2,196 - 3,194	\$	58,173
Total assets	\$	28,474	\$	5,390	\$	58,173
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Salaries and benefits payable Due to other funds Deferred revenue	\$	935 - - 27,539	\$	39 - - 5,351	\$	939 11,004 1,000
Total liabilities		28,474		5,390		12,943
FUND BALANCE						
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved		-		3,194 (3,194)		45,230
Total fund balance						45,230
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	28,474	\$	5,390	\$	58,173

	System of Support		Truants Alternative/ Optional Education		Truants Alternative Gen. State Aid	
ASSETS						
Cash Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	1,172 7,543	\$	1,803	\$	58,523 5,372
Total assets	\$	8,715	\$	1,803	\$	63,895
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Salaries and benefits payable Due to other funds Deferred revenue	\$	212 4,652 3,873	\$	1,800	\$	1,103 20,836
Total liabilities		8,737		1,803		21,939
FUND BALANCE						
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved		(22)				5,372 36,584
Total fund balance		(22)				41,956
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	8,715	\$	1,803	\$	63,895

	McKinney Ed. For Homeless Children		Federal Lunch		Positive Behavioral Intervention Services	
ASSETS						
Cash Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	11,875	\$	- - -	\$	95
Total assets	\$	11,875	\$	-	\$	95
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Salaries and benefits payable Due to other funds Deferred revenue	\$	3,091 - - 8,784	\$	- - - -	\$	95 - - -
Total liabilities		11,875				95
FUND BALANCE						
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved				-		-
Total fund balance						
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	11,875	\$	_ -	\$	95

	State	Lunch	Federal Forest Reserve		Scho Break Incen	cfast
ASSETS						
Cash Due from other governments Prepaid items	\$	- - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - -
Total assets	\$		\$		\$	
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable Salaries and benefits payable Due to other funds Deferred revenue Total liabilities	\$	- - - -	\$	- - -	\$	- - - -
FUND BALANCE						
Reserved for prepaid items Unreserved		- -		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>
Total fund balance						
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	<u> </u>	\$		\$	-

	leral ıkfast	Total	
ASSETS			
Cash	\$ -	\$	168,301
Due from other governments Prepaid items	 <u>-</u>		7,543 8 ,566
Total assets	\$ 	\$	184,410
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE			
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$	8,921
Salaries and benefits payable	-		36,492
Due to other funds	-		8,373
Deferred revenue	 		41,739
Total liabilities	 		95,525
FUND BALANCE			
Reserved for prepaid items	-		8,566
Unreserved	 		80,319
Total fund balance	 		88,885
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$ -	\$	184,410

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS For the year ended June 30, 2008

	ROE/ISC Technology		Inves	Workforce Investment Act		Standards- Aligned Classroom	
Revenues:							
Local sources	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
State sources		7,500		-		9,000	
Federal sources		-		39,551		-	
Interest							
Total revenues		7,500		39,551		9,000	
Expenditures:							
Salaries and benefits		7,394		31,620		6,630	
Purchased services		106		7,862		370	
Supplies and materials		-		69		_	
Capital outlay		-		-		_	
Payments to other governments		_		_		2,000	
Other objects							
Total expenditures		7,500		39,551		9,000	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures		-		-		-	
Fund balance, beginning of year		<u>.</u>				1,721	
Fund balance, end of year	\$		\$	-	\$	1,721	

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS (continued) For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Pr	l. Sp. Ed e-School cretionary	-	Regional Safe Schools		Safe Schools State Aid	
Revenues:							
Local sources	\$	-	\$	-	\$	2,881	
State sources		-		146,562		108,086	
Federal sources		354,771		-		-	
Interest		327		36		598	
Total revenues		355,098		146,598		111,565	
Expenditures:							
Salaries and benefits		146,234		131,297		43,514	
Purchased services		202,653		9,907		37,184	
Supplies and materials		5,984		798		33,160	
Capital outlay		-		4,596		-	
Payments to other governments		227		-		-	
Other objects						40	
Total expenditures		355,098		146,598		113,898	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues							
over (under) expenditures		-		-		(2,333)	
Fund balance, beginning of year						47,563	
Fund balance, end of year	\$		\$	-	\$	45,230	

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS (continued) For the year ended June 30, 2008

			Al	Truants Alternative/		Γruants ternative
	•	stem of upport		Optional ducation	G	en. State Aid
Revenues:						
Local sources	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,995
State sources		15,791		152,820		176,550
Federal sources		34,228		-		-
Interest				33		26
Total revenues		50,019		152,853		178,571
Expenditures:						
Salaries and benefits		35,930		139,894		109,338
Purchased services		13,214		12,959		16,801
Supplies and materials		897		-		16,563
Capital outlay		-		-		-
Payments to other governments		-		-		-
Other objects						495
Total expenditures		50,041		152,853		143,197
Excess (deficiency) of revenues						
over (under) expenditures		(22)		-		35,374
Fund balance, beginning of year						6,582
Fund balance, end of year	\$	(22)	\$		\$	41,956

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS (continued)

For the year ended June 30, 2008

	E Ho	Kinney d. For omeless hildren	ederal Lunch	Positive Behavioral Intervention Services		
Revenues:						
Local sources	\$	-	\$ -	\$	29,969	
State sources		-	-		-	
Federal sources		10,432	10,439		-	
Interest		6	 		2	
Total revenues		10,438	10,439		29,971	
Expenditures:						
Salaries and benefits		3,760	-		24,313	
Purchased services		1,277	-		5,601	
Supplies and materials		5,395	-		28	
Capital outlay		-	-		-	
Payments to other governments		-	-		-	
Other objects		6	 10,439		29	
Total expenditures		10,438	10,439		29,971	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures		-	-		-	
Fund balance, beginning of year						
Fund balance, end of year	\$	<u> </u>	\$ -	\$	-	

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS (continued) For the year ended June 30, 2008

	State Lunch		Federal Forest Reserve		School Breakfast Incentive	
Revenues:						
Local sources	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
State sources		487		-		7,000
Federal sources		-		18,840		-
Interest						
Total revenues		487		18,840		7,000
Expenditures:						
Salaries and benefits		_		-		-
Purchased services		-		-		-
Supplies and materials		-		-		5,131
Capital outlay		-		-		1,869
Payments to other governments		_		18,840		-
Other objects		487				
Total expenditures		487		18,840		7,000
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures		-		-		-
Fund balance, beginning of year						
Fund balance, end of year	\$		\$		\$	

COMBINING SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS (continued)

For the year ended June 30, 2008

Revenues:	Federal Breakfast		Total		
Local sources	¢		ø	24.045	
State sources	\$	-	\$	34,845	
		2 15 4		623,796	
Federal sources		2,154		470,415	
Interest				1,028	
Total revenues		2,154		1,130,084	
Expenditures:					
Salaries and benefits		-		679,924	
Purchased services		-		307,934	
Supplies and materials		-		68,025	
Capital outlay		-		6,465	
Payments to other governments		-		21,067	
Other objects		2,154		13,650	
Total expenditures		2,154		1,097,065	
Excess (deficiency) of revenues					
over (under) expenditures		-		33,019	
Fund balance, beginning of year				55,866	
Fund balance, end of year			\$_	88,885	

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS FED. - SP. ED. - PRE-SCHOOL DISCRETIONARY - PROJECT #07-4605-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	I Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget
Revenues:				
Federal sources	\$ 509,232	\$ 509,232	\$ 75,563	\$(433,669)
Interest			-	
Total revenues	509,232	509,232	75,563	(433,669)
Expenditures:				
Salaries and benefits	148,701	148,701	_	148,701
Purchased services	353,646	353,646	75,563	278,083
Supplies and materials	6,885	6,885		6,885
Total expenditures	509,232	509,232	75,563	433,669
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year			-	
Fund balance, end of year			\$ -	

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS FED. - SP. ED. - PRE-SCHOOL DISCRETIONARY - PROJECT #08-4605-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	d Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final Budget	
	Original	Final	Amounts		
Revenues:					
Federal sources	\$ 350,000	\$ 350,000	\$ 279,208	\$ (70,792)	
Interest	-	-	327	327	
Total revenues	350,000	350,000	279,535	(70,465)	
Expenditures:					
Salaries and benefits	137,158	137,158	146,234	(9,076)	
Purchased services	205,957	205,957	127,090	78,867	
Supplies and materials	6,885	6,885	5,984	901	
Payments to other governments	-		227	(227)	
Total expenditures	350,000	350,000	279,535	70,465	
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -	
Fund balance, beginning of year					
Fund balance, end of year			\$ -		

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS REGIONAL SAFE SCHOOLS - PROJECT #07-3696-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	d Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget
Revenues:				
State sources	\$ 146,930	\$ 148,319	\$ 4,596	\$(143,723)
Interest			-	
Total revenues	146,930	148,319	4,596	(143,723)
Expenditures:				
Salaries and benefits	127,328	132,796	-	132,796
Purchased services	11,331	7,463	-	7,463
Supplies and materials	3,771	3,260	-	3,260
Capital outlay	4,500	4,800	4,596	204
Total expenditures	146,930	148,319	4,596	143,723
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year				
Fund balance, end of year			<u> </u>	

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS REGIONAL SAFE SCHOOLS - PROJECT #08-3696-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	l Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget
Revenues:				
State sources	\$ 147,317	\$ 147,317	\$ 141,966	\$ (5,351)
Interest			36	36
Total revenues	147,317	147,317	142,002	(5,315)
Expenditures:				
Salaries and benefits	119,758	129,563	131,297	(1,734)
Purchased services	18,359	11,603	9,907	1,696
Supplies and materials	800	800	798	2
Capital outlay	8,400	5,351	-	5,351
Total expenditures	147,317	147,317	142,002	5,315
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year				
Fund balance, end of year			\$ -	

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS TRUANTS ALTERNATIVE/OPTIONAL ED. - PROJECT #08-3695-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	l Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget
Revenues:				
State sources	\$ 143,820	\$ 152,820	\$ 152,820	\$ -
Interest			33	33
Total revenues	143,820	152,820	152,853	33
Expenditures:				
Salaries and benefits	127,876	139,287	139,894	(607)
Purchased services	15,944	13,533	12,959	574
Total expenditures	143,820	152,820	152,853	(33)
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year			-	
Fund balance, end of year			\$ -	

BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE EDUCATION FUND ACCOUNTS SCHOOL BREAKFAST INCENTIVE - PROJECT #08-3365-00 For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Budgeted	d Amounts	Actual	Variance with Final
	Original	Final	Amounts	Budget
Revenues:				
State sources	\$ 7,000	\$ 7,000	7,000	\$ -
Total revenues	7,000	7,000	7,000	
Expenditures:				
Supplies and materials	3,700	5,130	5,131	(1)
Capital outlay	3,300	<u>1,870</u>	1,869	1
Total expenditures	7,000	7,000	7,000	
Excess of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	\$ -	-	\$ -
Fund balance, beginning of year			_	
Fund balance, end of year			<u>\$</u>	

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS June 30, 2008

	General Educational Development		Bus Driver/ Transportation		Supervisory	
ASSETS						
Cash Due from other governments	\$	7,936 680	\$	9,500	\$	614
Total assets	\$	8,616	\$	9,504	\$	614
LIABILITES AND FUND BALANCE						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	5,396	\$	4	\$	-
FUND BALANCE						
Unreserved		3,220		9,500		614
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	8,616	\$	9,504	\$	614

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS (continued) June 30, 2008

	Hea Stud	chools- lthy lents ative	Total		
ASSETS					
Cash Due from other governments	\$	3	\$	18,053 684	
Total assets	\$	3	\$	18,737	
LIABILITES AND FUND BALANCE					
LIABILITIES					
Accounts payable	\$	3	\$	5,403	
FUND BALANCE					
Unreserved				13,334	
Total liabilities and fund balance	\$	3	\$	18,737	

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

For the year ended June 30, 2008

	General Educational Development		Bus Driver/ Transportation		Supervisory	
Revenues:						
Local sources	\$	4,784	\$	1,852	\$	-
State sources		-		840		8,000
Interest		9				5
Total revenues		4,793		2,712		8,005
Expenditures:						
Salaries and benefits		-		2,035		~
Purchased services		2,855		1,035		10,624
Supplies and materials		171		15		100
Payments to other governments		3,121		-		-
Other objects						2,418
Total expenditures		6,147		3,085		13,142
Deficiency of revenues						
under expenditures		(1,354)		(373)		(5,137)
Fund balance, beginning of year		4,574		9,873		5,751
Fund balance, end of year	\$	3,220	\$	9,500	\$	614

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS (continued) For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Safe Schools- Healthy Students	
	Initiative	Total
Revenues:		
Local sources	\$ -	\$ 6,636
State sources	37,500	46,340
Interest	70	104
Total revenues	37,570	53,080
Expenditures:		
Salaries and benefits	33,191	35,226
Purchased services	4,309	18,823
Supplies and materials	-	286
Payments to other governments	-	3,121
Other objects	70	2,488
Total expenditures	37,570	59,944
Deficiency of revenues		
under expenditures	-	(6,864)
Fund balance, beginning of year		20,198
Fund balance, end of year	\$	\$ 13,334



SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For the year ended June 30, 2008

	Federal Grantor/ Pass-Through Grantor Program or Cluster Title	CFDA Number	Project Number	Federal Expenditures 7/1/07 - 6/30/08
	U.S. Department of Education:			
	Passed through Illinois State Board of Education			
(M)	Fed. Sp. Ed Pre-School Discretionary	84.173A	07-4605-00	\$ 75,563
(M)	Fed. Sp. Ed Pre-School Discretionary	84.173A	08-4605-00	279,208
	Total Illinois State Board of Education			354,771
	Passed through Regional Office of Education #2			
	Title I - Grants to Local Education Agencies	84.010A	08-4331-00	29,762
	Improving Teacher Quality State Grants	84.367A	08-4935-00	4,466
	Total Regional Office of Education #2	04.50771	00 1755 00	34,228
	Total Regional Office of Education #2			
	Passed through Regional Office of Education #21			
	McKinney Education for Homeless Children	84.196A	08-4920-00	10,432
	Total Regional Office of Education #21			10,432
	Total U.S. Department of Education			399,431
	U.S. Department of Labor:			
	Passed through Mid-5 Employment & Training, Inc.			
	Workforce Investment Act Youth Activities	17.259	Y70-PY07-01	27,000
	Total Mid-5 Employment & Training, Inc.			27,000
	Passed through Wabash Area Development, Inc.			
	Workforce Investment Act Youth Activities	17.259	WIA-ISY-PY07	12,551
	Total Wabash Area Development, Inc.			12,551
	Total U.S. Department of Labor			39,551
	U.S. Department of Agriculture:			
	Passed through Illinois State Board of Education			
	National School Lunch Program	10.555	07-4210-00	1,417
	National School Lunch Program	10.555	08-4210-00	9,022
	Total National School Lunch Program			10,439
	School Breakfast Program	10.553	08-4220-00	2,154
	Total Illinois State Board of Education			12,593
	Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			12,593
	U.S. Forestry Department:			
	Passed through Illinois Department of Natural Resources			
	Federal Forest Reserve	10.670	08-4473-00	18,840
	Total Illinois Department of Natural Resources			18,840
	·			10,040
	TOTAL			\$ 470,415

(M) Program was audited as a major program.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this schedule.

NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS For the year ended June 30, 2008

1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of the Regional Office of Education #20 and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of the basic financial statements.

2. <u>SUBRECIPIENTS</u>

Of the federal expenditures presented in the schedule, the Regional Office of Education #20 provided federal awards to subrecipients as follows:

	Federal	Amount
	CFDA	Provided to
Program Title	Number	Subrecipients

Federal Forest Reserve 10.670 \$18,840

3. DESCRIPTIONS OF MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAMS

<u>Fed. Sp. Ed. – Pre-School - Discretionary</u> - This fund is used to account for the federal grant which promotes increasing public awareness of the availability of services and locating, identifying and evaluating children suspected of having disabilities.

4. NON-CASH ASSISTANCE

The note is not applicable to Regional Office of Education #20.

5. AMOUNT OF INSURANCE

The note is not applicable to Regional Office of Education #20.

6. LOANS OR LOAN GUARANTEES OUTSTANDING

The note is not applicable to Regional Office of Education #20.