PACIFIC GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

BUILDING FUND (MEASURES A AND D) FINANCIAL AND PERFORMANCE AUDITS

JUNE 30, 2018

PACIFIC GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

BUILDING FUND (MEASURES A AND D) FINANCIAL AUDIT

June 30, 2018

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FINANCIAL SECTION

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Governing Board and Citizens Oversight Committee Pacific Grove Unified School District Pacific Grove, California

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Pacific Grove Unified School District's (the District), Building Fund (Measures A and D), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion 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 involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of financial statements, whether due to error or fraud. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the District's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting principles used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

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

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Building Fund (Measures A and D) of the Pacific Grove Unified School District at June 30, 2018, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Emphasis of Matter

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only the Building Fund specific to Measures A and D, and are not intended to present fairly the financial position and changes in financial position of Pacific Grove Unified School District in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Pacific Grove Unified School District's basic financial statements. The accompanying supplementary information is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements.

The supplementary information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

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In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 10, 2018, on our consideration of the District's Building Fund (Measures A and D) 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* in considering the District's Building Fund (Measures A and D) internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Fresno, California December 10, 2018

BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 2018

A COTTON	Measure A			asure D	Total		
ASSETS Deposits and investments	\$	1,497,221	\$	7,088	\$	1,504,309	
FUND BALANCE Restricted for capital projects	\$	1,497,221	\$	7,088	\$	1,504,309	

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

		Measure A			asure D	Total	
REVENUES	-		The second secon			-	***************************************
Interest income	_	\$	22,930	\$	_	\$	22,930
EXPENDITURES							
Capital outlay			382,944		(-	0	382,944
CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE			(360,014)		_		(360,014)
FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING)*		1,857,235		7,088	320	1,864,323
FUND BALANCE - ENDING		\$	1,497,221	\$	7,088	\$	1,504,309

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2018

NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of the Pacific Grove Unified School District Building Fund (Measures A and D) conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) and the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA). The Pacific Grove Unified School District Funds account for financial transactions in accordance with the policies and procedures of the California School Accounting Manual.

Financial Reporting Entity

The financial statements include the Building Fund of the Pacific Grove Unified School District used to account for Measures A and D projects. The Building Fund was established to account for the expenditures of general obligation bonds issued under Measures A and D. These financial statements are not intended to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the Pacific Grove Unified School District in compliance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Fund Accounting

The operations of the Fund is accounted for in a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, fund balance, revenues, and expenditures. Resources are allocated to and accounted for in the fund based upon the purpose for which they are to be spent and the means by which spending activities are controlled.

Basis of Accounting

The Fund is accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balance reports on the sources (revenues and other financing sources) and uses (expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America for all governmental funds. The District's governing board adopts an operating budget no later than July 1 in accordance with State law. A public hearing must be conducted to receive comments prior to adoption. The District's governing board satisfied these requirements. The Board revises this budget during the year to give consideration to unanticipated revenue and expenditures primarily resulting from events unknown at the time of budget adoption. The District employs budget control by minor object and by individual appropriation accounts. Expenditures cannot legally exceed appropriations by major object account.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2018

Encumbrances

The District utilizes an encumbrance accounting system under which purchase orders, contracts and other commitments for the expenditure of monies are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation. Encumbrances are liquidated when the commitments are paid and all outstanding encumbrances lapse at June 30.

Fund Balance - Building Fund (Measure A and D)

As of June 30, 2018, the fund balance of the Building Fund is classified as follows:

Restricted – amounts that can be spent only for specific purposes because of constitutional provisions or enabling legislation or because of constraints that are externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or the laws or regulations of other governments.

Spending Order Policy

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

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures/expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE 2 - INVESTMENTS

Policies and Practices

The District is authorized under California *Government Code* to make direct investments in local agency bonds, notes, or warrants within the State: U.S. Treasury instrument; registered State warrants or treasury notes: securities of the U.S. Government, or its agencies; bankers acceptances; commercial paper; certificates of deposit placed with commercial banks and/or savings and loan companies; repurchase or reverse repurchase agreement; medium term corporate notes; shares of beneficial interest issued by diversified management companies, certificates of participation, obligations with first priority security, and collateralized mortgage obligations.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2018

Investment in County Treasury

The District is considered to be an involuntary participant in an external investment pool as the District is required to deposit all receipts and collections of monies with their County Treasurer (*Education Code* Section 41001). The fair value of the District's investment in the pool is reported in the accounting financial statement at amounts based upon the District's pro-rata share of the fair value provided by the County Treasurer for the entire portfolio (in relation to the amortized cost of that portfolio). The balance available for withdrawal is based on the accounting records maintained by the County Treasurer, which is recorded on the amortized cost basis.

General Authorizations

Limitations as they relate to interest rate risk are indicated in the schedule below:

	Maximum	Maximum	Maximum
Authorized	Remaining	Percentage	Investment
Investment Type	Maturity	of Portfolio	in One Issuer
Local Agency Bonds, Notes, Warrants	5 years	None	None
Registered State Bonds, Notes, Warrants	5 years	None	None
U.S. Treasury Obligations	5 years	None	None
U.S. Agency Securities	5 years	None	None
Banker's Acceptance	180 days	40%	30%
Commercial Paper	270 days	25%	10%
Negotiable Certificates of Deposit	5 years	30%	None
Repurchase Agreements	1 year	None	None
Reverse Repurchase Agreements	92 days	20% of base	None
Medium-Term Corporate Notes	5 years	30%	None
Mutual Funds	N/A	20%	10%
Money Market Mutual Funds	N/A	20%	10%
Mortgage Pass-Through Securities	5 years	20%	None
County Pooled Investment Funds	N/A	None	None
Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF)	N/A	None	None
Joint Powers Authority Pools	N/A	None	None

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment, the greater the sensitivity of its fair value is to changes in market interest rates. The District manages its exposure to interest rate risk by investing in the Monterey County Investment Pool. The District maintains a Building Fund (Measures A and D) investment of \$1,504,309 with the Monterey County Investment Pool, with a weighted average maturity of 647 days.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2018

NOTE 3 - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The District categorizes the fair value measurements of its investments based on the hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The fair value hierarchy, which has three levels, is based on the valuation inputs used to measure an asset's fair value. The following provides a summary of the hierarchy used to measure fair value:

Level 1 - Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets that the District has the ability to access at the measurement date. Level 1 assets may include debt and equity securities that are traded in an active exchange market and that are highly liquid and are actively traded in over-the-counter markets.

Level 2 - Observable inputs other than Level 1 prices such as quoted prices for similar assets in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets in markets that are not active, or other inputs that are observable, such as interest rates and curves observable at commonly quoted intervals, implied volatilities, and credit spreads. For financial reporting purposes, if an asset has a specified term, a Level 2 input is required to be observable for substantially the full term of the asset.

Level 3 - Unobservable inputs should be developed using the best information available under the circumstances, which might include the District's own data. The District should adjust that data if reasonably available information indicates that other market participants would use different data or certain circumstances specific to the District are not available to other market participants.

Uncategorized - Investments in the Monterey County Treasury Investment Pool are not measured using the input levels above because the District's transactions are based on a stable net asset value per share. All contributions and redemptions are transacted at \$1.00 net asset value per share.

NOTE 4 – CONTINGENCIES

Litigation

The District is not currently a party to any legal proceedings regarding bond projects.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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SCHEDULE OF LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS JUNE 30, 2018

Measure D General Obligation Bonds

The District received authorization at an election held on June 6, 2006, to issue bonds of the District in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$42,000,000 to finance specific construction and renovation projects approved by eligible voters within the District. The proposition required approval by at least 55 percent of the votes cast by eligible voters within the District (the 2006 Authorization).

2006 General Obligation Bonds, Series C

The Pacific Grove Unified School District 2006 General Obligation Bonds, Series C, in the aggregate principal amount of \$9,500,000 were issued by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey on behalf of the Pacific Grove Unified School District. Interest with respect to the Current Interest Series C Bonds accrues from February 1, 2010, and is payable semiannually commencing February 1, 2010. The series is issuable as fully registered Series C bonds. During the 2016-2017 fiscal year, \$7,850,000 of the outstanding Series C bonds were refunded on an advanced basis.

2006 General Obligation Bonds, Series D

The Pacific Grove Unified School District 2006 General Obligation Bonds, Series D, in the aggregate principal amount of \$9,000,000 were issued by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey on behalf of the Pacific Grove Unified School District. Interest with respect to the Current Interest Series D Bonds accrues from February 1, 2011, and is payable semiannually commencing February 1, 2011. The series is issuable as fully registered Series D bonds. During the 2017-2018 fiscal year, \$7,295,000 of the outstanding Series D bonds were refunded on an advanced basis.

2006 Taxable General Obligation Bonds, Series E (Direct Pay Qualified School Construction Bonds)

On July 12, 2011, the District issued \$7,780,000 of Taxable General Obligation Bonds, 2006, Series E (Direct-Pay Qualified School Construction Bonds). The Bonds represent a portion of the \$42,000,000 of General Obligation Bonds approved by more than fifty-five percent of the voters within the District at an election held on June 6, 2006. The Bonds were issued to repair and renovate schools, and build new classrooms and educational facilities in the District. Interest on the Bonds is payable each February 1 and August 1 commencing February 1, 2012. As the issuance is a Qualified School Construction Bond the interest payments are to be paid for by Federal interest subsidies.

Measure A General Obligation Bonds

The District received authorization at an election held on November 4, 2014, to issue bonds of the District in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$18,000,000 to finance technology projects approved by eligible voters within the District. The proposition required approval by at least 55 percent of the votes cast by eligible voters within the District (the 2014 Authorization).

See accompanying note to supplementary information.

SCHEDULE OF LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS JUNE 30, 2018

2014 General Obligation Bonds, Series A

On February 15, 2015, the District issued \$2,370,000 of 2014 Election, Series A General Obligation Ed Tech Bonds (Bank Qualified). The Bonds represent the first series of the bonds to be issued under the 2014 Authorization.

2014 General Obligation Bonds, Series B

On December 15, 2016, the District issued \$2,103,000 of 2014 Election, Series B General Obligation Ed Tech Bonds (Bank Qualified). The Bonds represent the second series of the bonds to be issued under the 2104 Authorization.

Bonded Debt

The outstanding general obligation bonded debt for issuances under Measures A and D is as follows:

					Bonds						
				C	Outstanding						Bonds
Issue	Maturity	Interest	Original]	Beginning					(Outstanding
Date	Date	Rate %	Issue	of Year			Issued		Redeemed	E	End of Year
04/08/09	8/1/2019	5.0 - 7.0	\$ 9,500,000	\$	645,000	\$	=	\$	200,000	\$	445,000
02/09/10	8/1/2020	2.0-5.0	9,000,000		8,115,000		-		7,485,000		630,000
07/12/11	8/1/2026	5.01	7,780,000		7,052,000		-		390,000		6,662,000
02/15/15	8/1/2018	1.55	2,370,000		1,659,000		-		803,000		856,000
12/15/16	8/1/2021	2.29	2,103,000		2,103,000		-		-		2,103,000
Total				\$	19,574,000	\$	-	\$	8,878,000	\$	10,696,000
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Debt Service Requirements to Maturity

2006 Series C Bonds

The bonds mature through 2020 as follows:

			In	terest to		
Fiscal Year	Principal		Maturity		Total	
2019	\$	215,000	\$	22,250	\$	237,250
2020		230,000		11,500		241,500
Total	\$	445,000	\$	33,750	\$	478,750

SCHEDULE OF LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS JUNE 30, 2018

2006 Series D Bonds

The bonds mature through 2021 as follows:

			In	terest to		
Fiscal Year	I	Principal		Maturity		Total
2019	\$	200,000	\$	18,050	\$	218,050
2020		210,000		11,375		221,375
2021		220,000		3,850		223,850
Total	\$	630,000	\$	33,275	\$	663,275

2006 Series E, Qualified School Construction Bonds

The bonds mature through 2027 as follows:

	Interest to						
Fiscal Year	Principal	Maturity 1	Total				
2019	\$ 455,000	\$ 322,368	\$ 777,368				
2020	530,000	297,694	827,694				
2021	595,000	269,513	864,513				
2022	675,000	237,699	912,699				
2023	760,000	201,752	961,752				
2024-2027	3,647,000	366,707	4,013,707				
Total	\$ 6,662,000	\$ 1,695,733	\$ 8,357,733				

The District receives a federal interest subsidy which is projected to pay for the required interest payments on the bonds.

2014 Series A Bonds

The bonds mature through 2019 as follows:

	Interest to					
Fiscal Year	Principal	N	laturity		Total	
2019	\$ 856,000	\$	6,634	\$	862,634	

See accompanying note to supplementary information.

SCHEDULE OF LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS JUNE 30, 2018

2014 Series B Bonds

The bonds mature through 2022 as follows:

		Interest to						
Fiscal Year	Principal	Maturity			Total			
2019	\$ 449,000	\$	48,159	\$	497,159			
2020	921,000		32,758		953,758			
2021	604,000		11,369		615,369			
2022	129,000		1,477		130,477			
Total	\$ 2,103,000	\$	93,763	\$	2,196,763			
				-				

RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL AND BUDGET REPORT WITH AUDITED BUILDING FUND (MEASURES A AND D) JUNE 30, 2018

There were no adjustments to the Unaudited Actual Building Fund (Measures A and D), which required reconciliation to the audited financial statements at June 30, 2018.

NOTE TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION JUNE 30, 2018

NOTE 1 - PURPOSE OF SCHEDULES

Schedule of Long-Term Obligations

This schedule provides a debt repayment schedule associated with the bond proceeds received through issuance of Building Fund (Measures A and D) obligations.

Reconciliation of Annual Financial and Budget Report With Audited Building Fund (Measures A and D)

This schedule provides the information necessary to reconcile the fund balance of the Building Fund (Measures A and D) reported on the Unaudited Actual Financial Report to the audited financial statements.

OTHER INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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

Governing Board and Citizens Oversight Committee Pacific Grove Unified School District Pacific Grove, California

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the accompanying financial statements of the Pacific Grove Unified School District (the District) Building Fund (Measures A and D), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes of the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated December 10, 2018.

As discussed in Note 1, the financial statements present only the Building Fund specific to Measures A and D, and are not intended to present fairly the financial position and changes in financial position of Pacific Grove Unified School District in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of This Report

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

Fresno, California

December 10, 2018

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SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS JUNE 30, 2018

None reported.

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS JUNE 30, 2018

There were no audit findings reported in the prior year's schedule of financial statement findings.

PACIFIC GROVE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

BUILDING FUND (MEASURES A AND D) PERFORMANCE AUDIT

June 30, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON PERFORMANCE

Governing Board and Citizens Oversight Committee Pacific Grove Unified School District Pacific Grove, California

We were engaged to conduct a performance audit of the Pacific Grove Unified School District (the District) Building Fund (Measures A and D) for the year ended June 30, 2018.

We conducted this performance audit in accordance with the standards applicable to performance 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 sufficient, appropriate evidence to provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion based on our audit objectives. We believe that the evidence obtained provides a reasonable basis for our conclusions based on our audit objectives.

Our audit was limited to the objectives listed within the report which includes determining the District's compliance with the performance requirements as referred to in Proposition 39 and outlined in Article XIIIA, Section 1(b)(3)(C) of the California Constitution. Management is responsible for the District's compliance with those requirements.

In planning and performing our performance audit, we obtained an understanding of the District's internal control in order to determine if the internal controls were adequate to help ensure the District's compliance with the requirements of Proposition 39 and outlined in Article XIIIA, Section 1(b)(3)(C) of the California Constitution, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion of the effectiveness of the District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control.

The results of our tests indicated that the District expended Building Fund (Measures A and D) funds only for the specific projects approved by the voters, in accordance with Proposition 39 and outlined in Article XIIIA, Section 1(b)(3)(C) of the California Constitution.

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AUTHORITY FOR ISSUANCE

The Proposition 39 Bonds are issued pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of California (the State), including the provisions of Chapters 1 and 1.5 of Part 10 of the California Education Code, and other applicable provisions of law. The Bonds are authorized to be issued by a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees of the District.

Measure A

The District received authorization at an election held on November 4, 2014, to issue bonds of the District in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$18,000,000 to finance technology projects approved by eligible voters within the District. The proposition required approval by at least 55 percent of the votes cast by eligible voters within the District (the 2014 Authorization).

Measure D

The District received authorization at an election held on June 6, 2006, to issue bonds of the District in an aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$42,000,000 to finance specific construction and renovation projects approved by eligible voters within the District. The proposition required approval by at least 55 percent of the votes cast by eligible voters within the District (the 2006 Authorization).

PURPOSE OF ISSUANCE

The net proceeds of the Bonds and any other series of general obligation bonds issued under the Authorizations will be used for the purposes specified in the District bond propositions submitted at election. The bond ballot language for each Measure is as follows:

Measure A

"To increase student access to computers; maintain and upgrade educational software; keep pace with 21st century technological innovations; and significantly reduce borrowing costs, shall Pacific Grove Unified School District issue \$18 million of short-term bonds with the interest rates at or below the legal limit, independent citizen oversight, and no money for administrator/teacher salaries, so long as all funds are spent locally and cannot be taken by the State."

Measure D

"To repair and renovate classrooms, schools and educational facilities throughout the District and build new classrooms and educational facilities, including science labs and music rooms, shall Pacific Grove Unified School District issue \$42 million of bonds at the lowest possible interest rates so long as spending is annually reviewed by an independent citizens' oversight committee and all funds are spent locally and cannot be transferred to the State."

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AUTHORITY FOR THE AUDIT

On November 7, 2000, California voters approved Proposition 39, the Smaller Classes, Safer Schools and Financial Accountability Act. Proposition 39 amended portions of the California Constitution to provide for the issuance of general obligation bonds by school districts, community college districts, or county offices of education, "for the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, or replacement of school facilities, including the furnishing and equipping of school facilities, or the acquisition or lease of rental property for school facilities", upon approval by 55 percent of the electorate. In addition to reducing the approval threshold from two-thirds to 55 percent, Proposition 39 and the enacting legislation (AB 1908 and AB 2659) requires the following accountability measures as codified in *Education Code* Sections 15278-15282:

- 1. Requires that the proceeds from the sale of the bonds be used only for the purposes specified in Article XIIIA, Section 1(b)(3)(C) of the California Constitution, and not for any other purpose, including teacher and administrator salaries and other school operating expenses.
- 2. The school district must list the specific school facilities projects to be funded in the ballot measure, and must certify that the governing board has evaluated safety, class size reduction and information technology needs in developing the project list.
- 3. Requires the school district to appoint a citizen's oversight committee.
- 4. Requires the school district to conduct an annual independent financial audit and performance audit in accordance with the Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States of the bond proceeds until all of the proceeds have been expended.
- 5. Requires the school district to conduct an annual independent performance audit to ensure that the funds have been expended only on the specific projects listed.

OBJECTIVES OF THE AUDIT

- 1. Determine whether expenditures charged to the Building Fund have been made in accordance with the bond project list approved by the voters through the approval of Measures A and D.
- 2. Determine whether salary transactions charged to the Building Fund, if any, were in support of Measures A and D and not for District general administration or operations.

SCOPE OF THE AUDIT

The scope of our performance audit covered the period of July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018. The population of expenditures tested included all object and project codes associated with the bond projects. The propriety of expenditures for capital projects and maintenance projects funded through other State or local funding sources, other than proceeds of the bonds, were not included within the scope of the audit. Expenditures incurred subsequent to June 30, 2018, were not reviewed or included within the scope of our audit or in this report.

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PROCEDURES PERFORMED

We obtained the general ledger and the project expenditure reports prepared by the District for the period July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018, for the Building Fund (Measures A and D). Within the fiscal year audited, we obtained the actual invoices and other supporting documentation for a sample of expenditures to ensure compliance with the requirements of Article XIIIA, Section 1(b)(3)(C) of the California Constitution and Measures A and D as to the approved bond projects list. We performed the following procedures:

- 1. We selected a sample of expenditures for the period beginning July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018, and reviewed supporting documentation to ensure that such funds were properly expended on the specific projects listed in the ballot text of each Measure.
- 2. Our sample for Measure A included transactions totaling \$262,258. This represents 68 percent of the total expenditures of \$382,944. Measure D had no expenditures.
- 3. We verified that funds from the Building Fund (Measures A and D) were expended for the construction, renovation, furnishing and equipping of District facilities constituting authorized bond projects.

CONCLUSION

The results of our tests indicated that, in all significant respects, the Pacific Grove Unified School District has properly accounted for the expenditures held in the Building Fund (Measures A and D) and that such expenditures were made for authorized Bond projects.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS JUNE 30, 2018

None reported.

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS JUNE 30, 2018

There were no audit findings reported in the prior year's schedule of findings and questioned costs.