

# WEST HEMPSTEAD PUBLIC SCHOOLS

EXTRACLASSROOM ACTIVITY FUNDS FINANCIAL STATEMENT WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

June 30, 2022

# WEST HEMPSTEAD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

# EXTRACLASSROOM ACTIVITY FUNDS June 30, 2022

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Education West Hempstead Union Free School District West Hempstead, New York

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the West Hempstead Union Free School District's (District) extraclassroom activity funds for the year ended June 30, 2022, and the related note to the financial statement.

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to in the paragraph above presents fairly, in all material respects, the cash transactions of the extraclassroom activity funds of the West Hempstead Union Free School District for the year ended June 30, 2022, on the basis of accounting described in Note 1.B.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the West Hempstead Union Free School District, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Basis of Accounting**

We draw attention to Note 1.B. of the financial statement, which describes the basis of accounting. This financial statement is prepared on the cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to that matter.

### Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statement

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of this financial statement in accordance with the cash basis of accounting described in Note 1.B; this includes determining that the cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statement in the circumstances. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

## Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

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

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

November 15, 2022

Cullen & Danowski, LLP

## WEST HEMPSTEAD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

EXTRACLASSROOM ACTIVITY FUNDS STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS For the Year Ended June 30, 2022

	Cash Balance June 30, 2021		Receipts and Transfers		Disbursements and Transfers		Cash Balance June 30, 2022	
CLUBS								
High School	φ.	4.405	φ.		φ.	4.405	φ.	
Class of 2021	\$	1,185	\$	20 = 10	\$	1,185	\$	-
Class of 2022		1,590		20,540		21,334		796
Class of 2023		788		796		440		1,144
Class of 2024		401		1,187		792		796
Class of 2025		-		520		180		340
Art Honor Society		3,574		1,065		1,463		3,176
Class Night		1,463				133		1,330
Debate Club		57						57
Drama Club		10,335		11,210		6,899		14,646
Environmental Club		459						459
GSA		115						115
Key Club		642		195		169		668
Language Honor Society		-		500		300		200
Leadership Club		4,107		7,487		7,534		4,060
National Honor Society		760		619		770		609
Marching Band		-		1,766		1,723		43
Mathletes		3						3
Music Honors Society		747		2,450		1,744		1,453
Public Relations		3,056						3,056
SADD		237						237
Student Council		1,094		910				2,004
Yearbook		5,297		2,751		1,107		6,941
Total High School		35,910		51,996		45,773		42,133
CLUBS								
Middle School								
Honors Society		5,098		1,275				6,373
Yearbook		2,728		713		950		2,491
Student Council		4,858		907		620		5,145
Drama Club		139						139
Total Middle School		12,823		2,895		1,570		14,148
Grand Total - All Schools	\$	48,733	\$	54,891	\$	47,343	\$	56,281

#### WEST HEMPSTEAD UNION FREE SCHOOL DISTRICT

EXTRACLASSROOM ACTIVITY FUNDS NOTE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENT June 30, 2022

#### I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### A. Financial Reporting Entity

The extraclassroom activity funds represent funds of the students of the West Hempstead Union Free School District. Although the extraclassroom activity funds are independent of the District with respect to the designation of student management and the individual transactions related to the activity of the funds, the Board of Education exercises general oversight of these funds and it has been determined that the District management exercises administrative involvement with respect to the financial transactions. Based on this criterion, the extraclassroom activity funds are included in the District's reporting entity and reported as a special revenue fund.

## B. Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statement has been prepared on the cash receipts and disbursements basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. Under that basis, the only asset recognized is cash, and no liabilities are recognized. All transactions are recognized as either cash receipts or disbursements, and noncash transactions are not recognized. The cash basis differs from generally accepted accounting principles primarily because receivables and payables, inventory, long-lived assets, and accrued income and expenses, which would be recognized under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and which may be material in amount, are not recognized in the accompanying financial statement.