

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
CHARTER SCHOOL NUMBER: 1620**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors
East Bay Innovation Academy
Oakland, California

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of East Bay Innovation Academy (the Academy), a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2021, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

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.

Auditors' 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 of America. 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 auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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 on page 1 present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Academy as of June 30, 2021, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the Academy's financial statements as a whole. The accompanying supplementary schedules, as identified in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated November 12, 2021 on our consideration of the Academy's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness on the Academy's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Academy's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California
November 12, 2021

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
JUNE 30, 2021**

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 869,588
Accounts Receivable - Federal and State	1,866,624
Accounts Receivable - Other	19,294
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	<u>43,186</u>
Total Assets	<u><u>\$ 2,798,692</u></u>

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 485,004
Deferred Revenue	300,071
PPP Loan Payable, Current Portion	<u>952,534</u>
Total Current Liabilities	1,737,609

NET ASSETS

Without Donor Restrictions	1,038,663
With Donor Restrictions	<u>22,420</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>1,061,083</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u><u>\$ 2,798,692</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
REVENUES			
State Revenue:			
State Aid	\$ 3,819,371	\$ -	\$ 3,819,371
Other State Revenue	963,394	-	963,394
Federal Revenue:			
Grants and Entitlements	490,957	22,420	513,377
Local Revenue:			
In-Lieu Property Tax Revenue	1,693,598	-	1,693,598
Contributions	102,536	-	102,536
Interest Income	1	-	1
Other Local Revenue	266,027	-	266,027
Other Revenue	28,535	-	28,535
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	3,571	(3,571)	-
Total Revenues	7,367,990	18,849	7,386,839
EXPENSES			
Program Services	6,516,715	-	6,516,715
Management and General	482,468	-	482,468
Fundraising	14,797	-	14,797
Total Expenses	7,013,980	-	7,013,980
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	354,010	18,849	372,859
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	684,653	3,571	688,224
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 1,038,663	\$ 22,420	\$ 1,061,083

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

	<u>Program Services</u>	<u>Management and General</u>	<u>Fundraising</u>	<u>Total Expenses</u>
Salaries and Wages	\$ 3,894,307	\$ 176,895	\$ -	\$ 4,071,202
Pension Expense	551,814	-	-	551,814
Other Employee Benefits	297,943	19,018	-	316,961
Payroll Taxes	103,939	6,326	-	110,265
Legal Expenses	-	57,867	-	57,867
Accounting Expenses	-	14,355	-	14,355
Other Fees for Service	405,974	66,706	-	472,680
Advertising and Promotions	4,279	-	-	4,279
Office Expenses	47,723	11,699	-	59,422
Information Technology	109,632	-	-	109,632
Occupancy	538,874	36,953	-	575,827
Travel	2,910	727	-	3,637
Insurance	49,927	12,482	-	62,409
Instructional Materials	424,992	-	-	424,992
Other Expenses	84,401	79,440	14,797	178,638
	<u>\$ 6,516,715</u>	<u>\$ 482,468</u>	<u>\$ 14,797</u>	<u>7,013,980</u>
Total Functional Expenses	<u>\$ 6,516,715</u>	<u>\$ 482,468</u>	<u>\$ 14,797</u>	<u>7,013,980</u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Change in Net Assets	\$ 372,859
Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash Used by Operating Activities:	
Change in Operating Assets:	
Accounts Receivable - Federal and State	(1,012,933)
Accounts Receivable - Other	28,948
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	46,006
Change in Operating Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	24,332
Deferred Revenue	300,071
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	<u>(240,717)</u>
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(240,717)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	<u>1,110,305</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	<u><u>\$ 869,588</u></u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Activities

East Bay Innovation Academy (the Academy) is a California nonprofit public benefit corporation and is organized to manage and operate a public charter schools located in Alameda County. The Academy is economically dependent on state and federal funding.

The charter may be revoked by the Oakland Unified School District for material violations of the charter, failure to meet pupil outcomes identified in the charter, failure to meet generally accepted standards of fiscal management, or violation of any provision of the law.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Academy defines its cash and cash equivalents to include only cash on hand, demand deposits, and liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less.

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, liabilities, and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual method of accounting and accordingly, reflect all significant receivables and liabilities.

Functional Allocation of Expenses

Costs of providing the Academy's programs and other activities have been presented in the statement of functional expenses. During the year, such costs are accumulated into separate groupings as either direct or indirect. Indirect or shared costs are allocated among program and support services by a method that best measures the relative degree of benefit.

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Financial Accounting Standards Board.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Net Asset Classes

Net assets, revenues, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor or grantor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions – Net assets available for use in general operations and not subject to donor (or certain grantor) restrictions.

Net Assets With Donor Restrictions – Net assets subject to donor- (or certain grantor-) imposed restrictions. Some donor-imposed restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those that will be met by the passage of time or other events specified by the donor. Other donor-imposed restrictions are perpetual in nature, where the donor stipulates that resources be maintained in perpetuity. Gifts of long-lived assets and gifts of cash restricted for the acquisition of long-lived assets are recognized as restricted revenue when received and released from restrictions when the assets are placed in service. Donor-imposed restrictions are released when a restriction expires, that is, when the stipulated time has elapsed, when the stipulated purpose for which the resource was restricted has been fulfilled, or both.

Accounts Receivables

Accounts receivable primarily represent amounts due from federal and state governments as of June 30, 2021. Management believes that all receivables are fully collectible; therefore, no provisions for uncollectible accounts were recorded.

Property Taxes

Secured property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are levied on September 1 and are payable in two installments on or before November 1 and February 1. Unsecured property taxes are not a lien against real property and are payable in one installment on or before August 31. The County bills and collects property taxes for all taxing agencies within the County and distributes these collections to the various agencies. The sponsor agency of the Academy is required by law to provide in-lieu property tax payments on a monthly basis, from August through July. The amount paid per month is based upon an allocation per student, with a specific percentage to be paid each month.

Compensated Absences

Accumulated unpaid employee vacation benefits are recognized as a liability of the Academy. The entire compensated absences liability is reported on the statement of financial position. Employees of the Academy are paid for days or hours worked based upon board approved schedules which include vacation. Sick leave is accumulated; however, not paid out. Certificated unionized staff receive 10 days of sick leave at the beginning of the year per union contracts. Noncertified hourly staff eligible for sick days are accrued at one hour per 30 hours worked.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Revenue Recognition

Amounts received from the California Department of Education are conditional and recognized as revenue by the Academy based on the average daily attendance (ADA) of students. Revenue that is restricted is recorded as an increase in net assets without donor restriction, if the restriction expires in the reporting period in which the revenue is recognized. All other restricted revenues are reported as increases in net assets with donor restriction.

Contributions

All contributions are considered to be available for use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are restricted to specific use or future periods are reported as contributions with donor restrictions. Restricted contributions that are received and released in the same period are reported as promises to give without donor restrictions. Unconditional promises to give expected to be received in one year or less are recorded at net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give expected to be received in more than one year are recorded at fair value at the date of the promise. Conditional promises to give (those with a measurable performance or other barrier and a right of return) are not recognized until they become unconditional, that is, when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met.

Conditional Grants

Grants and contracts that are conditioned upon the performance of certain requirements or the incurrence of allowable qualifying expenses (barriers) are recognized as revenues in the period in which the conditions are met. Amounts received are recognized as revenue when the School has incurred expenditures in compliance with specific contract or grant provisions. Amounts received prior to incurring qualifying expenditures are reported as deferred revenues in the statement of financial position. As of June 30, 2021, the Academy has conditional grants of \$891,370 of which \$300,071 are recognized as deferred revenue in the statement of financial position.

Income Taxes

The Academy is a nonprofit entity exempt from the payment of income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) and California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 23701d. Accordingly, no provision has been made for income taxes. Management has determined that all income tax positions are more likely than not of being sustained upon potential audit or examination; therefore, no disclosures of uncertain income tax positions are required. The Academy is subject to income tax on net income that is derived from business activities that are unrelated to the exempt purposes. The Academy files an exempt return and applicable unrelated business income tax return in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and with the California Franchise Tax Board.

Subsequent Events

The Academy has evaluated subsequent events through November 12, 2021, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 2 LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

Financial assets available for general expenditure are those without donor or other restrictions limiting their use, within one year of the statement of financial position date. Financial assets available for general expenditures are comprised of the following as of June 30, 2021:

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 869,588
Accounts Receivable - Federal and State	1,866,624
Accounts Receivable - Other	19,294
Less: Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	<u>(22,420)</u>
Financial Assets Available for General Expenditure	<u><u>\$ 2,733,086</u></u>

As part of its liquidity management plan, the Academy monitors liquidity required and cash flows to meet operating needs on a monthly basis. The Academy structures its financial assets to be available as general expenditures, liabilities and other obligations come due.

NOTE 3 CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Academy maintains an interest bearing-cash account with a financial institution. The account at this institution is insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). At times, cash in this account exceeds the maximum insured amount. The Academy has not experienced any losses regarding this account and believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

NOTE 4 LONG-TERM DEBT

PPP Loan

In May 2020 the Academy received a loan from Wells Fargo in the amount of \$952,534 to fund payroll, rent, utilities, and interest on mortgages and existing debt through the Paycheck Protection Program (the PPP Loan). The original loan agreement was written prior to the PPP Flexibility Act of 2020 (June 5) and was due over 24 months deferred for six months. Subsequent to this, the law changed the loan deferral terms retroactively. The PPP Flexibility Act and subsequent regulations supersede the loan agreement. The PPP Loan bears interest at a fixed rate of 1.0% per annum, with the first six months of interest deferred, has a term of two years, and is unsecured and guaranteed by the U.S. Small Business Administration. Payment of principal and interest is deferred until the date on which the amount of forgiveness is remitted to the lender or, if the organization fails to apply for forgiveness within 10 months after the covered period, then payment of principal and interest shall begin on that date. These amounts may be forgiven subject to compliance and approval based on the timing and use of these funds in accordance with the program. To the extent that all or part of the PPP Loan is not forgiven, the Academy will be required to pay interest on the PPP Loan at a rate of 1.0% per annum and commencing in September 2021 principal and interest payments will be required through the maturity date in May 2022. The loan repayment is due in full in May 2022.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 5 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT

Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

Qualified employees are covered under multiple employer defined benefit pension plans maintained by agencies of the state of California. Certificated employees are members of the State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS).

The risks of participating in this multiemployer defined benefit pension plan are different from single employer plans because: (a) assets contributed to the multiemployer plan by one employer may be used to provide benefits to employees of other participating employers, (b) the required member, employer, and state contribution rates are set by the California Legislature and detailed in Teachers' Retirement Law, and (c) if the Academy chooses to stop participating in the multiemployer plan, it may be required to pay a withdrawal liability to the plan. The Academy has no plans to withdraw from this multi-employer plan.

State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS)

Plan Description

The Academy contributes to the State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS), a cost-sharing multiple employer public employee retirement system defined benefit pension plan administered by STRS.

The plan provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by State statutes, as legislatively amended, within the State Teachers' Retirement Law. According to the most recently available Comprehensive Annual Financial Report and Actuarial Valuation Report for the year ended June 30, 2020 total STRS plan net assets are \$283 billion, the total actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits is \$405 billion, contributions from all employers totaled \$6.1 billion, and the plan is 67.1% funded. The Academy did not contribute more than 5% of the total contributions to the plan.

Copies of the STRS annual financial reports may be obtained from STRS, 7667 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento, California 95826 and www.calstrs.com.

Funding Policy

Active plan members hired before January 1, 2013 are required to contribute 10.25% of their salary and those hired after are required to contribute 10.21% of their salary. The Academy is required to contribute an actuarially determined rate. The actuarial methods and assumptions used for determining the rate are those adopted by the STRS Teachers' Retirement Board. The required employer contribution rate for year ended June 30, 2021 was 16.15% of annual payroll. The contribution requirements of the plan members are established and may be amended by state statute.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 5 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT (CONTINUED)

State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS) (Continued)

The Academy's contributions to STRS for the past three years are as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Required Contribution</u>	<u>Percent Contributed</u>
2019	\$ 428,671	100%
2020	528,598	100%
2021	551,814	100%

NOTE 6 OPERATING LEASE

The Academy leases its facility on an annual renewable basis. Lease expense for the year ended June 30, 2021 was \$248,745.

Future minimum lease payments for fiscal year June 30, 2022 are \$291,500.

NOTE 7 FUNCTIONALIZED EXPENSES

The financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributed to more than one program or supporting function. Therefore, expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. The expenses that are allocated include salaries and wages, pension expense, other employee benefits, payroll taxes, other expenses, travel, and other fees for service which are allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort. Also allocated are occupancy and insurance expenses which are allocated on a square footage basis. Office expenses and travel expenses were allocated based on estimated usage.

NOTE 8 LINE OF CREDIT

The Academy has a revolving line of credit with Bank of America for \$70,000 that carries an interest rate of 12.250%. There was no balance as of June 30, 2021.

In July 2020, the Academy obtained a revolving line of credit with Charter Asset Management Fund, LP for up to \$800,000 that carries an interest rate of 7.95%. There was no balance as of June 30, 2021.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2021**

NOTE 9 NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

As of June 30, 2021 the Academy had the following net assets with donor restrictions:

Subject to Expenditure for Specific Purpose:	
Title Funding	\$ 22,420
Total Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	<u>\$ 22,420</u>

Net assets were released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the restricted purpose as follows for the years ended June 30:

Releases from Net Assets for Specific Purpose:	
Measure N	\$ 3,571
Total	<u>\$ 3,571</u>

NOTE 10 CONTINGENCIES, RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

The Academy has received state and federal funds for specific purposes that are subject to review and audit by the grantor agencies. Although such audits could generate disallowances under terms of the grants, it is believed that any required reimbursement would not be material.

In the prior fiscal year, the World Health Organization declared the spread of Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) a worldwide pandemic. Subsequent to year-end, the COVID-19 pandemic continues to have significant effects on global markets, supply chains, businesses, and communities. Specific to the Academy, COVID-19 may impact various parts of its 2022 operations and financial results, including, but not limited to, loss of revenues, additional bad debts, costs for increased use of technology, or potential shortages of personnel. Management believes the Academy is taking appropriate actions to mitigate the negative impact. However, the full impact of COVID-19 is unknown and cannot be reasonably estimated as these events are still developing.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
 LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021
 (SEE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT)**

East Bay Innovation Academy (the Academy) was established in October 2013 and granted its charter through Oakland Unified School District (the District) and its charter school status from the California Department of Education. The charter may be revoked by the District for material violations of the charter, failure to meet or make progress towards student outcomes, failure to meet generally accepted standards of fiscal management, or violation of any provision of the law.

Charter School number authorized by the State: 1620

The Board of Directors and the Administrator as of the year ended June 30, 2021 were as follows:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

<u>Member</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Term Expires (3-Year Term)</u>
Shelley Benning	Board Chair / Co-Founder	August 2022
Laurie Jacobson Jones	Vice Chair and Treasurer / Co-Founder	August 2022
Kelly Garcia	Secretary	August 2022
Ken Berrick	Board Member	June 2022
Bradley Edgar	Board Member	October 2022
Kimberly Smith	Board Member	Emeritus

ADMINISTRATORS

Michelle Cho	Executive Director
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**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021
(SEE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT)**

	Traditional Calendar Days	Status
Grade 6	185	In Compliance
Grade 7	185	In Compliance
Grade 8	185	In Compliance
Grade 9	185	In Compliance
Grade 10	185	In Compliance
Grade 11	185	In Compliance
Grade 12	185	In Compliance

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT WITH
AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021
(SEE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT)**

There were no differences between the net assets reported on the June 30, 2021 Annual Financial Report and the audited net assets.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
NOTES TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
JUNE 30, 2021**

PURPOSE OF SCHEDULES

NOTE 1 SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME

This schedule presents information on the amount of instructional time offered by the Academy and whether the Academy complied with the provisions of California Education Code.

NOTE 2 RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT WITH AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This schedule provides the information necessary to reconcile the net assets of the charter school as reported on the Annual Financial Report form to the audited financial statements.



**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' 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***

Board of Directors
East Bay Innovation Academy
Oakland, 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 of America, the financial statements of East Bay Innovation Academy (the Academy), a nonprofit California public benefit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2021, and the related statements of activities, cash flows, and functional expenses for the year then ended, the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 12, 2021.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Academy's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Academy's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Academy'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 a combination of deficiencies in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the 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 material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Academy's financial statements are free from 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 financial statements. 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 entity'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 entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California
November 12, 2021



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON STATE COMPLIANCE

Board of Directors
East Bay Innovation Academy
Oakland, California

We have audited East Bay Innovation Academy's (the Academy) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *2020-2021 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel for the year ended June 30, 2021. The Academy's state compliance requirements are identified in the table below.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for the compliance with the state laws and regulations as identified below.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Academy's compliance based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to below. 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 of America, and the *2020-2021 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the specific areas listed below has occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Academy'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 on state compliance. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Academy's compliance.

Compliance Requirements Tested

In connection with the audit referred to above, we selected and tested transactions and records to determine the Academy's compliance with the laws and regulations applicable to the following items:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Procedures Performed</u>
Local Education Agencies:	
Attendance and Distance Learning	Yes
Instructional Time	Yes
School Districts, County Offices of Education, and Charter Schools:	
California Clean Energy Jobs Act	Not Applicable
Proper Expenditure of Education Protection Account Funds	Yes

<u>Description</u>	<u>Procedures Performed</u>
Unduplicated Local Control Funding Formula Pupil Counts	Yes
Charter Schools:	
Independent Study-Course Based	Not Applicable
Attendance	Yes
Mode of Instruction	Yes
Nonclassroom-based instructional/independent study	Not Applicable
Determination of funding for nonclassroom-based instruction	Not Applicable
Charter School Facility Grant Program	Yes

Opinion on State Compliance

In our opinion, the Academy complied with the laws and regulations of the state programs referred to above in all material respects for the year ended June 30, 2021.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report on state compliance is solely to describe the results of testing based on the requirements of the *2020-2021 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California
November 12, 2021

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

All audit findings must be identified as one or more of the following categories:

<u>Five Digit Code</u>	<u>Finding Types</u>
10000	Attendance
20000	Inventory of Equipment
30000	Internal Control
40000	State Compliance
42000	Charter School Facilities Program
43000	Apprenticeship: Related and Supplemental Instruction
50000	Federal Compliance
60000	Miscellaneous
61000	Classroom Teacher Salaries
62000	Local Control Accountability Plan
70000	Instructional Materials
71000	Teacher Misassignments
72000	School Accountability Report Card

Our audit did not disclose any matters required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* or the *2020-2021 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel.

**EAST BAY INNOVATION ACADEMY
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021**

There were no findings and questioned costs related to the basic financial statements or state awards for the prior year.

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