MAKING WAVES ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL NUMBER: 0868

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors Making Waves Academy Richmond, California

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Making Waves Academy (the School), a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2022, and the related statements of activities, cash flows, and functional expenses for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the School as of June 30, 2022, 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.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Making Waves Academy and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management 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.

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 School's ability to continue as a going concern for one year after the date the financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditors' 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 auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government 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 GAAS and Government 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 School'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 School's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the School's financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information (as identified in the table of contents) accompanying supplementary schedules, and the accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, except for the portion marked "unaudited", 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. The Local Education Agency Organization Structure, which is marked "unaudited", has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued a report dated November 29, 2022 on our consideration of the School's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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 School's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Clifton Larson Allen LLP

Glendora, California November 29, 2022

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION JUNE 30, 2022

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS Cash and Cash Equivalents Accounts Receivable - Federal and State Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets Total Current Assets	\$ 5,105,196 4,099,453 310,496 9,515,145
LONG-TERM ASSETS	
Property, Plant, and Equipment, Net	 287,695
Total Long-Term Assets	 287,695
Total Assets	\$ 9,802,840
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 2,160,247
Deferred Revenue	651,789
Total Current Liabilities	2,812,036
NET ASSETS	
Without Donor Restrictions	 6,990,804
Total Net Assets	 6,990,804
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 9,802,840

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

REVENUES, WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS State Revenue:		
Principal Apportionment	\$	8,094,603
Other State Revenue	Ψ	3,087,894
Federal Revenue:		3,007,034
Grants and Entitlements		3,061,597
Local Revenue:		3,001,337
In-Lieu Property Tax Revenue		3,010,543
Contributions		
		10,075,994
Investment Income		562
Total Revenues		27,331,193
EXPENSES		
Program Services		23,950,784
Management and General		2,073,441
Total Expenses		26,024,225
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CHANGE IN NET ASSETS		1,306,968
Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions - Beginning of Year		5,683,836

NET ASSETS WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS - END OF YEAR

\$ 6,990,804

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Change in Net Assets Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:	\$ 1,306,968
Depreciation	18,201
Change in Operating Assets:	
Accounts Receivable - Federal and State	257,349
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	42,463
Change in Operating Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	515,433
Deferred Revenue	 88,632
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	2,229,046
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	2,229,046
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	 2,876,150
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	\$ 5,105,196

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

	Program Services	Management and General	Total Expenses
Salaries and Wages	\$ 12,649,089	\$ 1,237,740	\$ 13,886,829
Pension and Retirement Plan	1,276,347	83,737	1,360,084
Other Employee Benefits	1,667,352	152,677	1,820,029
Payroll Taxes	413,346	64,622	477,968
Oversight Fees	110,386	-	110,386
Legal Expenses	88,660	8,769	97,429
Accounting Expenses	25,279	2,809	28,088
Other Fees for Services	2,639,631	168,565	2,808,196
Office Expenses	487,580	43,417	530,997
Information Technology Expenses	896,167	88,632	984,799
Occupancy Expenses	2,694,174	171,075	2,865,249
Advertising and Promotion	-	12,945	12,945
Travel Expenses	7,037	696	7,733
Conference and Meeting Expenses	87,304	8,635	95,939
Depreciation Expense	18,201	-	18,201
Insurance Expense	216,970	21,459	238,429
Instructional Materials	311,642	-	311,642
Student Transportation	144,118	-	144,118
Other Expenses	217,501	7,663	225,164
Total	\$ 23,950,784	\$ 2,073,441	\$ 26,024,225

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Activities

Making Waves Academy (the School) is a nonprofit public benefit corporation. The School was approved by the Contra Costa County Board of Education for a five-year charter and was approved as a public charter school by the State of California Department of Education on May 9, 2007 (charter #868). On February 15, 2017, the Contra Costa County Board of Education renewed the School's charter through June 30, 2022. In July 2021, Governor Gavin Newsom signed into law a requirement to extend most charter school petition terms by two years. The extensions apply to all charters that would otherwise expire on or between January 1, 2022 and June 30, 2025. Therefore, the School's charter term is extended to June 30, 2024.

The School started in August 2007, and currently serves approximately 1,124 students in grades 5 through 12.

The charter may be revoked by the Contra Costa County Board of Education 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.

<u>Mission</u>

The School commits to rigorously and holistically preparing students to gain acceptance to and graduate from college to ultimately become valuable contributors to the workforce and their communities.

Basis of Accounting

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

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.

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.

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Functional Allocation of Expenses

Costs of providing the School'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. The expenses that are allocated include salaries and wages, pension expense, other employee benefits, payroll taxes, other fees for services, office expenses, printing and postage, information technology, and other expenses, which are allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The School 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.

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. There were no net assets with donor restrictions at June 30, 2022.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable – other represents amounts due from private persons, firms, or corporations based on contractual agreements or amounts billed but not received as of June 30, 2022. Accounts receivable – federal and state represents amounts due from federal and state governments as of June 30, 2022. Management believes that all receivables are fully collectible; therefore, no provisions for uncollectible accounts were recorded.

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Property, Plant, and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment are stated at cost, if purchased, or at estimated fair value, if donated. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the asset. Useful lives range between 5 years for equipment to 39 years for certain leasehold improvements. The School capitalizes all expenditures for land, buildings, and equipment in excess of \$25,000.

Contributed Assets and Services

Contributions of donated noncash assets are recorded at fair value in the period received. Contributions of donated services that create or enhance nonfinancial assets or that require specialized skills, are provided by individuals possessing those skills, and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation, are recorded at fair value in the period received. There was no contributed assets and services during the year ended June 30, 2022.

Compensated Absences

Accumulated unpaid employee vacation benefits are recognized as a liability of the School. The current portion of the liability, if material, is recognized at year-end. The entire compensated absences liability is reported on the statement of financial position. Employees of the School are paid for days or hours worked based upon board-approved schedules which include vacation. Sick leave is accumulated without limit for each employee at the equivalent rate of two-thirds of a day for each full month of service. Sick leave with pay is provided when employees are absent for health reasons.

Revenue Recognition

Amounts received from the California Department of Education are conditional and recognized as revenue by the School 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 are not recognized until they become unconditional, that is, when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met.

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

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, 2022, the School has conditional grants of \$2,396,191 of which \$651,789 is recognized as deferred revenue in the statement of financial position.

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 School 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.

Income Taxes

The School 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 School files an exempt School return in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and with the California Franchise Tax Board.

Evaluation of Subsequent Events

The School has evaluated subsequent events through November 29, 2022, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

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 comprise cash and cash equivalents and accounts receivable for the total amount of \$9,204,649.

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

NOTE 3 CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The School maintains cash balances held in banks which are insured up to \$250,000 by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation (FDIC). At times, cash in these accounts exceeds the insured amounts. The School has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

During the year ended June 30, 2022, approximately 31% of the School's total revenue was derived from one major donor. There was no related accounts receivable balance as of June 30, 2022.

NOTE 4 PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT

The School's property, plant, and equipment consisted of the following as of June 30, 2022:

Leasehold Improvements		435,813
Vehicles		22,400
Total		458,213
Less: Accumulated Amortization		(170,518)
Total Property, Plant, and Equipment	\$	287,695

Depreciation expense for the year ended June 30, 2022 was \$18,201.

NOTE 5 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT

Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

Qualified employees are covered under multiemployer defined benefit pension plans maintained by agencies of the state of California.

The risks of participating in these multiemployer defined benefit pension plans 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 (c) if the School chooses to stop participating in the multiemployer plan, it may be required to pay a withdrawal liability to the plan. The School has no plans to withdraw from these multiemployer plans.

NOTE 5 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT (CONTINUED)

State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS)

Plan Description

The School contributes to the State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS), a cost-sharing multiemployer 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, 2021 total STRS plan net assets are \$310 billion, the total actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits is \$414 billion, contributions from all employers totaled \$5.744 billion, and the plan is 73% funded. The School 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, CA 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 School 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, 2022 was 16.92% of annual payroll. The contribution requirements of the plan members are established and may be amended by state statute.

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

		Required	Percent
Year Ending June 30,	<u>C</u>	ontribution	Contributed
2020	\$	958,196	100%
2021	\$	1,402,076	100%
2022	\$	1,239,354	100%

Defined Contribution 403(b) Retirement Plan

The School offers an Internal Revenue Code Section 403(b) retirement plan to each of its qualifying employees. Employees may contribute their own amounts to the plan at any time. The employer will match noninstructional staff contributions on the following schedule: after six months of service 3%; after three years of service 4%; after five years of service 5% and after ten years of service 6%. Employees are fully vested at the time contributions are made. The amount of employer contributions used to purchase annuity contracts for the year ended June 30, 2022 was \$120,730.

NOTE 6 OPERATING LEASES

The School leases its facilities from Making Waves Foundation under a lease agreement expiring in June 2022, which was renewed through June 2023. Lease expense under these agreements for the year ended June 30, 2022 was \$1,753,179.

Future minimum lease payments are as follows:

Year Ending June 30,	 Amount
2023	\$ 1,840,838

NOTE 7 JOINT POWERS AGREEMENT

The School entered into a Joint Powers Agreement (JPA) known as the California Charter School Association Joint Powers Authority (CCSA-JPA): a self-insurance plan for workers' compensation, property/casualty, and school board liability insurance. The CCSA-JPA is governed by a board of five members, two of which represent member organizations. The board controls the operation of the CCSA-JPA including selection of management and approval of operating budgets independent of any influence by the member organizations beyond their representation on the board. Each member organization pays a premium commensurate with the level of coverage requested and shares surpluses and deficits proportionate to their participation in the CCSA-JPA. The CCSA-JPA is a 501(c) agency trust, which is audited by an independent accounting firm.

NOTE 8 CONDITIONAL PROMISE TO GIVE FROM PRIVATE DONOR

The School has a conditional promise to give from a private donor, The Artemis Rising Foundation, which has legally and irrevocably committed \$25 million for the purpose of supplementing the School's operating and capital needs to the extent where these funds cannot be raised elsewhere. This commitment is for five years of the School's operations beginning with the 2018 fiscal year. The School did not receive or record any amounts under this conditional promise to give at June 30, 2022.

NOTE 9 CONTINGENCIES, RISKS, AND UNCERTAINTIES

The School 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.



MAKING WAVES ACADEMY LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

(SEE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS, REPORT)
UNAUDITED

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The board of directors and the administrator as of the year ended June 30, 2022 were as follows:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Member	Office	Term Expires (3 year term)
Alicia Klein	Board Chair	December 31, 2023
Ana Barron	Board Member	June 30, 2023
Dr. Esther Hugo	Board Member	December 31, 2023
Margaret Watson	Board Member	December 31, 2023
Jessica Laughlin	Board Member	December 31, 2023
Layla Narajon	Board Member	December 31, 2022
Janis Glover	Board Member	December 31, 2023
	ADMINISTRATOR	

Alton B. Nelson, Jr.

Chief Executive Officer

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

	Instructiona	I Minutes	Credited Minutes Per Approved	Total Actual Plus Credited	Traditional Calendar	Credited Days Per Approved	Total Actual Plus Credited	
	Requirement	Actual	J13A Form*	Minutes	Days	J13A Form*	Days	Status
Grade 5	54,000	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 6	54,000	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 7	54,000	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 8	54,000	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 9	64,800	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 10	64,800	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 11	64,800	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance
Grade 12	64,800	72,655	4,290	76,945	169	10	179	In compliance

^{*} The charter school(s) received an approved J-13A identifying the number of days and minutes approved.

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE (ADA) YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

	Second Perio	Second Period Report		eport
	Classroom	_	Classroom	_
	Based	Total	Based	Total
Grades 5-6	280.52	280.52	285.29	285.29
Grades 7-8	283.38	283.38	284.56	284.56
Grades 9-12	407.67	407.67	406.03	406.03
ADA Totals	971.57	971.57	975.88	975.88

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT WITH AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

There were no reclassifications or adjustments for the year ended June 30, 2022.	

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY WCCUSD MEASURE G PARCEL TAX REVENUE AND EXPENSES YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

The Measure "G" was authorized by an election of the registered voters of West Contra Costa Unified School District (WCCUSD). Measure "G" was approved to protect core academics reading, writing, math, and science, attract and retain qualified teachers, prepare students for college and workforce, provide smaller class sizes for the youngest children, provide classroom computers and technology, improve safety on and around campuses, support after-school programs to keep kids away from gangs and drugs, support science laboratories, materials and activities, and support libraries for WCCUSD and its sponsored charter schools by collecting taxes of 7.2 cents per square foot of total building area on each parcel of taxable real property with the District or a tax of \$7.00 per unimproved parcel of taxable real property.

	Year Ended						
	Jun	e 30, 2020	June 30, 2021		June 30, 2022		
REVENUES							
Program Revenue	\$	275,348	\$	298,408	\$	315,507	
EXPENSES							
Salaries and Wages		227,202		277,885		227,097	
Other Employee Benefits		48,146		20,523		88,410	
Total Expenses		275,348		298,408		315,507	
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	\$		\$		\$		

The charter school spent these funds on salaries, wages, and other employee benefits to improve safety on and around campus.

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor Program or Cluster Title	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Total
U.S. Department of Education			
Pass-Through Program from California Department of Education:			
Every Student Succeeds Act Title I, Part A, Basic Grants:			
Low-Income and Neglected	84.010	03797	\$ 297,184
Title II, Part A, Improving Teacher Quality	84.367	14341	44,521
Title III, Limited English Proficiency	84.365	10084	36,905
Title IV, Part A, Student Support & Academic Enrichment	84.424	N/A	23,066
Special Education Cluster: IDEA Basic Local			
Assistance Entitlement, Part B, Section 611	84.027	13379	151,338
Total Special Education Cluster			151,338
Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act):			
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund	84.425D	15536	22
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief II (ESSER II) Fund	84.425D	15547	568,821
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief III (ESSER III) Fund	84.425U	15559	1,461,664
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief III	0200	.0000	.,,
(ESSER III) Fund: Learning Loss	84.425U	10155	50,011
Total Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act)			2,080,518
Total II.S. Department of Education			
Total U.S. Department of Education			2,633,532
U.S. Department of Agriculture			
Pass-Through Program from California			
Department of Education:			
Child Nutrition Cluster:			
Especially Needy Breakfast Program	10.553	13526	43,599
National School Lunch Program	10.555	23165	355,914
Meal Supplements	10.555	N/A	25,489
Total Child Nutrition Cluster			425,002
Continuing Appropriations Act and Other Extensions Act:			
Pandemic Electronic Benefit Transfer (P-EBT) Administrative Costs Grant	10.649	15644	3,063
Total U.S. Department of Agriculture			428,065
Total Expanditures of Fodoral Awards			¢ 2.064.507
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$ 3,061,597

N/A - Not Applicable and/or Not Available.

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY NOTES TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

PURPOSE OF SCHEDULES

NOTE 1 SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME

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

NOTE 2 SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE

Average daily attendance is a measurement of the number of pupils attending classes of School. The purpose of attendance accounting from a fiscal standpoint is to provide the basis on which apportionments of state funds are made to charter schools. This schedule provides information regarding the attendance of students at various grade levels.

NOTE 3 RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT WITH AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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

NOTE 4 WCCUSD MEASURE G PARCEL TAX REVENUE AND EXPENSES

This schedule provides the revenues and expenditures for Measure G Parcel Tax for the past three years.

NOTE 5 SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards (the Schedule) includes the federal award activity of the School under programs of the federal governmental for the year ended June 30, 2022. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of the Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein, certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of operations of the School, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of the School.

NOTE 6 INDIRECT COST RATE

The School has elected not to use the 10-percent de minimis indirect cost rate allowed under the Uniform Guidance.



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 Making Waves Academy Richmond, 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 financial statements of Making Waves Academy (the School), a nonprofit California public benefit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2022, 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 29, 2022.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the School'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 School's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the School'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.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the School'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 School'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 School's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Clifton Larson Allen LLP

Glendora, California November 29, 2022



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM, AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDE

Board of Directors Making Waves Academy Richmond, California

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Making Waves Academy's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of Making Waves Academy's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2022. Making Waves Academy's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, Making Waves Academy complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2022.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

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

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

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

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

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

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

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

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less

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severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

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

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

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Clifton/arsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California November 29, 2022



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON STATE COMPLIANCE

Board of Directors Making Waves Academy Richmond, California

Opinion on State Compliance

We have audited Making Waves Academy's (the School) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the 2021-2022 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, 2022. The School's State compliance requirements are identified in the table below.

In our opinion, the School complied with the laws and regulations of the state programs referred to above in all material respects for the year ended June 30, 2022.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and 2021-2022 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting, published by the Education Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting, published by the Education Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

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

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

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

Auditors' Responsibility for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to below occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the School's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and 2021-2022 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the School's compliance with the requirements of the government program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and 2021-2022 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and
 design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include
 examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the School's compliance with the compliance
 requirements referred to below and performing such other procedures as we considered
 necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the School's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with 2021-2022 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the School's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

Compliance Requirements Tested

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

Procedures

<u>Description</u>	<u>Performed</u>
School Districts, County Offices of Education, and Charter Schools:	
California Clean Energy Jobs Act	Not applicable
After/Before School Education and Safety Program	Yes
Proper Expenditure of Education Protection Account Funds	Yes
Unduplicated Local Control Funding Formula Pupil Counts	Yes
Independent Study-Course Based	Not applicable
Immunizations	Not applicable

Educator Effectiveness

Expanded Learning Opportunities Grant (ELO-G)

Yes

Career Technical Education Incentive Grant
In Person Instruction Grant
Not applicable

Charter Schools:

Attendance Yes Mode of Instruction Yes

Nonclassroom-based instructional/independent study

Not applicable

Determination of funding for nonclassroom-based instruction

Not applicable

Annual Instructional Minutes – Classroom Based Yes
Charter School Facility Grant Program Yes

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 2021-2022 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

Clifton Larson Allen LLP

Glendora, California November 29, 2022

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

	Section I – Summary	of Auditors'	Results		
Finan	cial Statements				
1.	Type of auditors' report issued:	Unmodified			
2.	Internal control over financial reporting:				
	Material weakness(es) identified?		yes	x	_ no
	Significant deficiency(ies) identified?		yes	x	_ none reported
3.	Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?		_yes	X	_ no
Feder	al Awards				
1.	Internal control over major federal programs:				
	 Material weakness(es) identified? 		yes	x	_ no
	Significant deficiency(ies) identified?		yes	x	_ none reported
2.	Type of auditors' report issued on compliance for major federal programs:	Unmodified			
3.	Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?		_yes	x	_ no
Identi	fication of Major Federal Programs				
	Federal Assistance Listing Number(s)	Name of Fe	deral Pro	ogram or C	luster
	84.425D & 84.425U	Elementary Relief Fund	and Seco	ondary Scho	ol Emergency
	threshold used to distinguish between A and Type B programs:	\$ <u>750,000</u>			
Audite	e qualified as low-risk auditee?	X	_yes _		no

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

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

Five Digit Code	<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

There were no findings and questioned costs related to the basic financial statements, federal awards, or state awards for June 30, 2022.

MAKING WAVES ACADEMY SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

There were n	o findings	and	questioned	costs	related	to the	e basic	financial	statements,	federal	awards,
or state award	ds for June	e 30,	2021.								

