

**LITERACY, LEADERSHIP,
TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY, INC.**

A Charter School and Component Unit of the
District School Board of Hillsborough County

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

for the fiscal year ended JUNE 30, 2008

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LITERACY, LEADERSHIP, TECHNOLOGY ACADEMY, INC.

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Independent Auditor's Report on Basic Financial Statements and Required Supplementary Information

To the Board of Directors of Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc.,
a Charter School and Component Unit of the
District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida

We have audited the accompanying basic financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc. ("School"), a charter school and component unit of the District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the School's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In addition, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc. as of June 30, 2008, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the fiscal year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated September 15, 2008, on our consideration of the Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, administrative rules, regulations, contracts and grants, and other guidelines included under the heading *Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards*. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Budgetary Comparison Schedule are not a required part of the basic financial statements but are supplementary information required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

King & Walker, CPAs

September 15, 2008
Tampa, Florida

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (Unaudited)

The Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) section of the annual financial report of the Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc. ("School") provides an overview of the School's activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008.

Because the information contained in the MD&A is intended to highlight significant transactions, events, and conditions, it should be considered in conjunction with the School's financial statements and notes to financial statements found on pages 8 through 20.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the School's expenses exceeded revenues as shown on the School's statement of activities by \$2,862.
- Overall, revenues increased by \$434,169, due to the increase in enrollment.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The basic financial statements consist of three components:

- ✓ Government-wide financial statements
- ✓ Fund financial statements
- ✓ Notes to financial statements

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements provide both short-term and long-term information about the School's overall financial condition in a manner similar to those of a private-sector business. The statements include a statement of net assets and a statement of activities that are designed to provide consolidated financial information about the governmental activities of the School presented on the accrual basis of accounting. The statement of net assets provides information about the government's financial position, its assets and liabilities, using an economic resources measurement focus. The difference between the assets and liabilities, the net assets, is a measure of the financial health of the School. The statement of activities presents information about the change in the School's net assets and the results of operations, during the fiscal year. An increase or decrease in net assets is an indication of whether the School's financial health is improving or deteriorating. To assess the overall financial position of the School, one needs to consider additional non-financial factors such as changes in the School student base funding level.

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial statements are one of the components of the basic financial statements. A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. Fund financial statements provide more detailed information about the School's financial activities, focusing on its most significant funds rather than fund types. This is in contrast to the entity-wide perspective contained in the government-wide financial statements.

Governmental Funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, the governmental funds utilize a spendable financial resources measurement focus rather than the economic resources measurement focus found in the government-wide financial statements. The financial resources measurement focus allows the governmental fund financial statements to provide information on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources as well as balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year.

The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed short-term view that may be used to evaluate the School's near-term financing requirements. This short-term view is useful when compared to the long-term view presented as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. To facilitate this comparison, both the governmental funds balance sheet and the governmental funds statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation of governmental fund to governmental activities.

The governmental funds balance sheet and statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide detailed information about the School's most significant funds. The School operates one fund, a General Fund which is shown as a major fund.

The School adopts an annual budget for its governmental funds. A budgetary comparison schedule, as required, has been provided for the General Fund to demonstrate compliance with the budget.

Notes to Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential for a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Net assets may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government’s financial position. The following is a summary of the School’s net assets as of June 30, 2008:

	Net Assets, End of Year		
	<u>Governmental Activities</u>		
	<u>6-30-07</u>	<u>6-30-08</u>	<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>
ASSETS			
Current and Other Assets	\$ 29,282	\$ 49,799	\$ 20,517
Capital Assets, net	<u>151,460</u>	<u>129,013</u>	<u>(22,447)</u>
Total Assets	<u>180,742</u>	<u>178,812</u>	<u>(1,930)</u>
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities	27,775	30,247	2,472
Long-Term Liabilities	<u>96,956</u>	<u>95,416</u>	<u>(1,540)</u>
Total Liabilities	<u>124,731</u>	<u>125,663</u>	<u>932</u>
NET ASSETS			
Invested in Capital Assets, net of Debt	54,504	33,597	(20,907)
Unrestricted	<u>1,507</u>	<u>19,552</u>	<u>18,045</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>56,011</u>	<u>53,149</u>	<u>(2,862)</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 180,742</u>	<u>\$ 178,812</u>	<u>\$ (1,930)</u>

Total assets, Liabilities and total net assets remained relatively unchanged in the 2007-08 fiscal year.

The key elements of the changes in the School's net assets for the fiscal year ended and June 30, 2008 are as follows:

	Operating Results for the Year		
	<u>Governmental Activities</u>		
	<u>6-30-07</u>	<u>6-30-08</u>	<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>
Revenues:			
Federal sources	\$ 71,500	\$ -	\$ (71,500)
State and Local sources	645,656	1,068,949	423,293
Grants, Contributions and Other	36,443	118,819	82,376
Total Revenues	<u>753,599</u>	<u>1,187,768</u>	<u>434,169</u>
Expenses:			
Instruction	267,263	508,964	241,701
Pupil Personnel Services			-
Instructional Media			-
Instruction & Curriculum Development			-
Instructional Staff Training		1,932	1,932
Board of Education	35,396	58,073	22,677
School Administration	197,669	250,345	52,676
Facilities Acq. & Construction	113,649	162,832	49,183
Fiscal Services	2,000	8,543	6,543
Food Services	22,522	50,322	27,800
Central Services			-
Pupil Transportaion			-
Operation of Plant	66,435	89,138	22,703
Maintenance of Plant	9,769	22,515	12,746
Community Service	17,200	30,871	13,671
Interest on Debt	5,943	7,095	1,152
Total Expenses	<u>737,846</u>	<u>1,190,630</u>	<u>452,784</u>
Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets	<u>\$ 15,753</u>	<u>\$ (2,862)</u>	<u>\$ (18,615)</u>

The largest revenue source for the School is the State of Florida (90 percent). Revenues from State sources for current operations are primarily received through the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) funding formula funds. The decrease in Federal revenue was due to the phase out of funding for the Implementation grant.

The Instructional expenditure category showed the largest increase, due to the increase in student enrollment.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE SCHOOL'S FUNDS

Governmental Funds

As the School completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$19,552.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

The general fund budget for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, was developed based on the School's anticipated revenues and expenditures and the expected student population for the school year. Actual expenditures were approximately equal to what was originally anticipated.

CAPITAL ASSETS

The School's investment in capital assets for its governmental activities as of June 30, 2008, amounts to \$129,013 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes furniture, fixtures, and equipment and leasehold improvements. Additional information regarding the School's capital assets can be found in note 2 to the financial statements.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc.'s finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Director, Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc., 6771 Madison Ave., Tampa, FL 33619.

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STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

June 30, 2008

ASSETS	<u>Government Activities</u>
Current Assets:	
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 47,242
Accounts Receivable	<u>2,557</u>
Total Current Assets	49,799
Capital Assets:	
Furniture, Fixtures, and Equipment, Net	13,537
Leasehold Improvements, Net	<u>115,476</u>
Total Capital Assets, Net	<u>129,013</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 178,812</u></u>
 LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable	\$ 30,247
Long-Term Liabilities:	
Due within one year	12,599
Due after one year	<u>82,817</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	125,663
 NET ASSETS	
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt	33,597
Unrestricted	<u>19,552</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>53,149</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u><u>\$ 178,812</u></u>

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

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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2008

	Expenses	Program Revenues			Net (Expenses) Revenue and Changes Net Assets	Total
		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	
Governmental Activities:						
Instruction	\$ 508,964	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (508,964)	\$ (508,964)
Pupil Personnel Services					-	-
Instructional Media					-	-
Instruction & Curriculum Development					-	-
Instructional Staff Training	1,932				(1,932)	(1,932)
Board of Education	58,073				(58,073)	(58,073)
School Administration	250,345				(250,345)	(250,345)
Facilities Acquisition & Construction	162,832				(162,832)	(162,832)
Fiscal Services	8,543				(8,543)	(8,543)
Food Services	50,322	43,519			(6,803)	(6,803)
Central Services					-	-
Pupil Transportation					-	-
Operation of Plant	89,138				(89,138)	(89,138)
Maintenance of Plant	22,515				(22,515)	(22,515)
Community Service	30,871	29,713			(1,158)	(1,158)
Debt Service - Interest	7,095				(7,095)	(7,095)
Total Governmental Activities	\$ 1,190,630	\$ 73,232	\$ -	\$ -	(1,117,398)	(1,117,398)
General Revenues:						
State and Local sources					1,068,949	1,068,949
Grants and Contributions not restricted to specific program					-	-
Other					45,587	45,587
					<u>1,114,536</u>	<u>1,114,536</u>
Change in Net Assets					(2,862)	(2,862)
Net Assets - July 1, 2007					56,011	56,011
Net Assets - June 30, 2008					<u>\$ 53,149</u>	<u>\$ 53,149</u>

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BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

June 30, 2008

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
ASSETS		
Cash & Cash Equivalents	\$ 47,242	\$ 47,242
Accounts Receivable	2,557	2,557
Total Assets	<u>\$ 49,799</u>	<u>\$ 49,799</u>
 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
Liabilities:		
Accounts Payable	\$ 30,247	\$ 30,247
Total Liabilities	<u>30,247</u>	<u>30,247</u>
Fund Balances:		
Undesignated	<u>19,552</u>	<u>19,552</u>
Total Fund Balances	<u>19,552</u>	<u>19,552</u>
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	<u>\$ 49,799</u>	<u>\$ 49,799</u>

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RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET
TO THE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

June 30, 2008

Total Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$	19,552
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Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because:

Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore, are not reported as assets in governmental funds.		129,013
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Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported as liabilities in the governmental funds. Long-term liabilities at year-end consist of:

Line of Credit	83,202		
Notes	12,214		(95,416)

Total Net Assets - Governmental Activities	\$	<u>53,149</u>
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STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES
IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2008

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Total Governmental Funds</u>
Revenues		
Intergovernmental:		
Federal Through Local	\$ -	\$ -
State and Local	1,112,468	1,112,468
Contributions and Other	<u>75,300</u>	<u>75,300</u>
Total Revenues	<u>1,187,768</u>	<u>1,187,768</u>
Expenditures		
Current - Education:		
Instruction	\$ 503,382	\$ 503,382
Pupil Personnel Services		-
Instructional Media		-
Instruction & Curriculum Development		-
Instructional Staff Training	1,932	1,932
Board of Education	58,073	58,073
School Administration	250,345	250,345
Facilities Acquisition & Construction	146,843	146,843
Fiscal Services	8,543	8,543
Food Services	49,946	49,946
Central Services		-
Pupil Transportation		-
Operation of Plant	89,138	89,138
Maintenance of Plant	22,015	22,015
Community Service	30,871	30,871
Fixed Capital Outlay:		
Other Capital Outlay	-	-
Debt Service		
Principal	11,686	11,686
Interest	<u>7,095</u>	<u>7,095</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>1,179,869</u>	<u>1,179,869</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	7,899	7,899
Other Financing Sources:		
Proceeds from Loan	<u>10,146</u>	<u>10,146</u>
Total Other Financing Sources:	<u>10,146</u>	<u>10,146</u>
Net Change in Fund Balance	18,045	18,045
Fund Balances, July 1, 2007	<u>1,507</u>	<u>1,507</u>
Fund Balances, June 30, 2008	<u>\$ 19,552</u>	<u>\$ 19,552</u>

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

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2008

Net Change in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds	\$ 18,045
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Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Capital outlays are reported in governmental funds as expenditures.

However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense.

This is the amount of depreciation expense in excess of capital outlays in the current period.

(22,447)

Long-term debt proceeds (Note Payable) are reported as other financing sources in Governmental Funds and as long-term liabilities in the Statement of Net Assets.

(10,146)

Repayment of debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the payment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net assets.

11,686

Change in Net Assets - Governmental Activities	\$ (2,862)
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The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

➤ **Reporting Entity**

The Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc. ("School") is a not-for-profit corporation organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act and Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes. The governing body of the School is the not-for-profit corporation Board of Directors, which is comprised of not less than three members.

The general operating authority of the School is contained in Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes. The School operates under a charter of the sponsoring school district, the District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, ("District"). The current charter has been renewed and is effective until June 30, 2008 and is subject to annual review and may be renewed by mutual agreement between the School and the District. At the end of the term of the charter, the District may choose not to renew the charter under grounds specified in the charter. In this case, the District is required to notify the school in writing at least 90 days prior to the charter's expiration. During the term of the charter, the District may also terminate the charter if good cause is shown. In the event of termination of the charter, the District shall assume operation of the School. The School is considered a component unit of the District; therefore, for financial reporting purposes, the School is required to follow generally accepted accounting principles applicable to state and local governmental units.

Criteria for determining if other entities are potential component units which should be reported within the School's basic financial statements are identified and described in the Governmental Accounting Standards Board's (GASB) *Codification of Governmental Accounting and Financial Reporting Standards*, Sections 2100 and 2600. The application of these criteria provides for identification of any entities for which the School is financially accountable and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the School are such that exclusion would cause the School's basic financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. Based on these criteria, no component units are included within the reporting entity of the School.

➤ **Basis of Presentation**

Government-wide Financial Statements - Government-wide financial statements, including the statement of net assets and the statement of activities, present information about the School as a whole.

Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function or program of the School's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a service, program, or department and are thereby clearly identifiable to a particular function.

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Program revenues include charges paid by the recipient of the goods or services offered by the program and grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues are presented as general revenues. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the School.

Fund Financial Statements - Fund financial statements report detailed information about the School in the governmental funds. The focus of governmental fund financial statements is on major funds rather than reporting funds by type. Each major fund is reported in a separate column. Because the focus of governmental fund financial statements differs from the focus of government-wide financial statements, a reconciliation is presented with each of the governmental fund financial statements.

The School considers all of its funds as major governmental funds:

- General Fund – to account for all financial resources not required to be accounted for in another fund, and for certain revenues from the State that are legally restricted to be expended for specific current operating purposes.

➤ **Basis of Accounting**

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures, or expenses, are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Revenues from grants, entitlements, and donations are recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements are prepared using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues, except for certain grant revenues, are recognized when they become measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. The School considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 30 days of the end of the current fiscal year. When grant terms provide that the expenditure of resources is the prime factor for determining eligibility for Federal, State, and other grant resources, revenue is recognized at the time the expenditure is made. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, expenditures are generally recognized when the related fund liability is incurred, except for principal and interest on long-term debt, claims and judgments, and compensated absences, which are recognized

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when due. Allocations of cost, such as depreciation, are not recognized in governmental funds.

➤ **Deposits and Investments**

Cash deposits consist of demand deposits with financial institutions. Deposits on hand at financial institutions are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Company up to \$100,000.

➤ **Accounts Receivable**

Accounts receivable included in the accompanying statement of net assets and balance sheet – governmental funds consists primarily of salary overpayments to two employees. Receivables are considered to be fully collectible and as such, no allowance for uncollectibles is accrued.

➤ **Capital Assets**

Expenditures for capital assets acquired or constructed for general School purposes are reported in the governmental fund that financed the acquisition or construction. The capital assets so acquired are reported at cost in the government-wide statement of net assets but are not reported in the governmental fund financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the School as those costing more than \$500. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated assets are recorded at fair value at the date of donation.

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Estimated Lives</u>
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	5 years
Leasehold Improvements	10 years

Current-year information relative to changes in capital assets is described in a subsequent note.

➤ **Budgets and Budgetary Accounting**

Budgets are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. During the fiscal year, expenditures were controlled at the object level (e.g., salaries and benefits, purchased services, materials and supplies and capital outlay) within each activity (e.g., instruction, pupil personnel services and school administration). Budgets may be amended by resolution at any Board meeting prior to the date for the annual report.

➤ **Revenue Sources**

Revenues for current operations are received primarily from the District pursuant to the funding provisions included in the School's charter. In accordance with the

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funding provisions of the charter and Section 1002.33(17), Florida Statutes, the School reports the number of full-time equivalent students and related data to the District.

Under provisions of Section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, the District reports the number of full-time equivalent students and related data to the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) for funding through the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP). Funding for the School is adjusted during the year to reflect the revised calculations by the FDOE under the FEFP and the actual weighted full-time equivalent students reported by the School during designated full-time equivalent student survey periods. The Department may also adjust subsequent fiscal period allocations based upon an audit of the School's compliance in determining and reporting FTE and related data. Normally, such adjustments are treated as reductions or additions of revenue in the year when the adjustments are made. The District receives a 5% administrative fee from the School, which is reflected in the accompanying statement of activities and statement of revenues, expenditures and change in fund balances – governmental funds.

The basic amount of funding through the FEFP under Section 1011.62 is the product of the (1) unweighted FTE, multiplied by (2) the cost factor for each program, multiplied by (3) the base student allocation established by the legislature. Additional funds for exceptional students who do not have a matrix of services are provided through the guaranteed allocation designated in Section 1011.62(1)(e)2., Florida Statutes. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, the School reported 173 unweighted FTE and 173.268 weighted FTE.

FEFP funding may also be adjusted as a result of subsequent FTE audits conducted by the Florida Auditor General pursuant to Section 1010.305, Florida Statutes, and Rule 6A-1.0453, Florida Administrative Code (FAC). Schools are required to maintain the following documentation for three years or until the completion of an FTE audit:

- Attendance and membership documentation (Rule 6A-1.044, FAC).
- Teacher certificates and other certification documentation (Rule 6A-1.0503, FAC).
- Documentation for instructors teaching out-of-field (Rule 6A-1.0503, FAC).
- Procedural safeguards for weighted programs (Rule 6A-6.03411, FAC).
- Evaluation and planning documents for weighted programs (Section 1010.305, Florida Statutes, and Rule 6A-6.03411, FAC)

The School receives federal or state awards for the enhancement of various educational programs. This assistance is generally received based on applications submitted to and approved by various granting agencies. For federal or state awards in which a claim to these grant proceeds is based on incurring eligible

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expenditures, revenue is recognized to the extent that eligible expenditures have been incurred.

The School also receives state funds through the District under charter school capital outlay funding pursuant to Section 1013.62, Florida Statutes. Funds are based upon a capital outlay plan submitted to the District and are to be used for lease, rent or construction of school facilities. The School also receives funding through donations and fundraising efforts, school lunch sales and local property tax collections.

The School follows the policy of applying restricted resources prior to applying unrestricted resources when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted assets are available. A schedule of revenue sources for the current year is presented in a subsequent note.

➤ **Income Taxes**

The School is exempt from Federal tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes has been included in the accompanying financial statements.

➤ **Use of Estimates**

In preparing the financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States (GAAP) management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as of the date of the statement of net assets and affect revenues and expenditures for the period presented. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. CHANGES IN CAPITAL ASSETS

Changes in capital assets are presented in the table below.

	Balance <u>7/1/2007</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	Balance <u>6/30/2008</u>
Governmental Activities:				
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	\$ 32,302	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 32,302
Building Improvements	<u>159,887</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>159,887</u>
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated	192,189	-	-	192,189
Less Accumulated Depreciation for:				
Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment	(12,307)	(6,458)		(18,765)
Building Improvements	<u>(28,422)</u>	<u>(15,989)</u>		<u>(44,411)</u>
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(40,729)</u>	<u>(22,447)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(63,176)</u>
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, net	<u>\$151,460</u>	<u>\$ (22,447)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 129,013</u>

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Depreciation expense was charged to functions as follows:

Governmental Activities:	Amount
Instruction	\$ 5,582
Facilities, Acquisition & Construction	15,989
Food Service	376
Maintenance of Plant	500
Total governmental activities depreciation expense	\$22,447

3. NOTES PAYABLE

Notes payable consist of the following:

	Balance at 6-30-08
<u>Valrico State Bank - Line of Credit</u>	
\$100,000, Borrowed 04-15-06, to fund building improvements. Interest Rate of 6.16 Percent. Payments are to be made in 47 equal monthly installments starting 5-15-06 with the balance due on 4-15-	\$ 83,202
<u>American General - Note Payable</u>	
\$5,690, Borrowed 06-01-07, to fund building improvements (floors). Interest Rate of 21.6 Percent. Payments are to be made in 33 equal monthly installments starting 7-1-07.	3,302
<u>Lyons Financial - Note Payable</u>	
\$10,146, Borrowed 09-01-07, to fund the purchase of classroom furniture. Interest Rate of 9.497 Percent. Payments are to be made in 60 equal monthly installments starting 10-1-07.	8,912
Total Notes Payable	\$ 95,416

Amounts payable for notes payable are as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending June 30	Total	Principal	Interest
2009	\$ 18,750	\$ 12,599	\$ 6,151
2010	82,537	77,656	4,881
2011	2,557	2,159	398
2012	2,557	2,373	184
2013	639	629	10
Total	\$ 107,040	\$ 95,416	\$ 11,624

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4. CHANGES IN LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

The following is a summary of changes in long-term liabilities:

	Balance 07/01/07	Additions	Deductions	Balance 06/30/08	Due in One Year
GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES:					
Notes Payable	\$ 96,956	\$ 10,146	\$ (11,686)	\$ 95,416	\$ 12,599
Total Governmental Activities	<u>\$ 96,956</u>	<u>\$ 10,146</u>	<u>\$ (11,686)</u>	<u>\$ 95,416</u>	<u>\$ 12,599</u>

5. SCHEDULE OF STATE & LOCAL REVENUE SOURCES

The following is a schedule of the School's State and local revenue for the 2007-08 fiscal year:

Source	Amount
<u>STATE:</u>	
Florida Education Finance Program	\$ 716,081
Categorical Educational Programs:	
Class Size Reduction	162,092
Supplementary Academic Instruction	40,044
Instructional Materials	16,293
Safe Schools	4,585
Lottery Allocation	7,917
ESE Guaranteed Allocation	43,209
Florida Teachers' Lead Program	5,353
Miscellaneous	2,133
Total State Revenue	<u>\$ 997,707</u>
<u>LOCAL:</u>	
Discretionary Millage	\$ 71,242
Student Lunches	43,519
Total Local Revenue	<u>114,761</u>
Total State and Local Revenue	<u>\$ 1,112,468</u>

As provided in the charter school contract, the District has charged the School an administrative fee equal to 5% of total funding or \$53,073.

Accounting policies relating to certain State revenue sources are described in Note 1.

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6. RISK MANAGEMENT PROGRAMS

Workers' compensation and general liability coverage are being provided through purchased commercial insurance with minimum deductibles for each line of coverage. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded commercial coverage.

7. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

The School participates in state grant programs, which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies. Costs charged to the respective grant programs are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor agencies, therefore, to the extent that the School has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, refunds of any money received may be required and the collectibility of any related receivables at June 30, 2008, may be impaired.

In the opinion of the School, there are no significant liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provision has been recorded in the accompanying financial statements for such contingencies.

8. FUNDING AND CREDIT RISK CONCENTRATIONS

The School receives substantially all of its support and revenue from federal, state and local funding sources, passed through the District, in the form of performance and budget based contracts. Continuing operation of the School is greatly dependent upon the continued support of these governmental agencies.

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE - GENERAL FUND - (UNAUDITED)
For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2008

	General Fund			Variance with Budget - Positive (Negative)
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	
Revenues:				
Intergovernmental:				
Federal through Local	\$	\$	\$	\$ -
State and Local	977,513	1,112,468	1,112,468	-
Contributions and Other	25,000	75,300	75,300	-
Total Revenues	<u>1,002,513</u>	<u>1,187,768</u>	<u>1,187,768</u>	<u>-</u>
Expenditures:				
Current - Education:				
Instruction	462,377	503,382	503,382	-
Pupil Personnel Services	-	-	-	-
Instructional Media	-	-	-	-
Instruction & Curriculum Development	-	-	-	-
Instructional Staff Training	4,000	1,932	1,932	-
Board of Education	5,000	58,073	58,073	-
School Administration	192,409	250,345	250,345	-
Facilities Acquisition & Construction	159,600	146,843	146,843	-
Fiscal Services	-	8,543	8,543	-
Food Services	29,000	49,946	49,946	-
Central Services	-	-	-	-
Pupil Transportation	-	-	-	-
Operation of Plant	62,900	89,138	89,138	-
Maintenance of Plant	18,000	22,015	22,015	-
Community Service	-	30,871	30,871	-
Fixed Capital Outlay:				
Other Capital Outlay	-	-	-	-
Debt Service:				
Principal	9,550	11,686	11,686	-
Interest and Fiscal Charges	4,000	7,095	7,095	-
Total Expenditures	<u>946,836</u>	<u>1,179,869</u>	<u>1,179,869</u>	<u>-</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	55,677	7,899	7,899	-
Other Financing Sources:				
Proceeds from Loan	-	10,146	10,146	-
Total Other Financing Sources:	<u>-</u>	<u>10,146</u>	<u>10,146</u>	<u>-</u>
Net Change in Fund Balance	55,677	18,045	18,045	-
Fund Balances, July 1, 2007	1,507	1,507	1,507	-
Fund Balances, June 30, 2008	<u>\$ 57,184</u>	<u>\$ 19,552</u>	<u>\$ 19,552</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

See Independent Auditor's Report.

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Independent Auditor's Report on Basic Financial Statements and Required Supplementary Information

To the Board of Directors of Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc.,
a Charter School and Component Unit of the
District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida

We have audited the basic financial statements of the Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc. ("School"), a charter school and component unit of the District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, and have issued our report thereon included under the heading *Independent Auditor's Report on Basic Financial Statements and Required Supplementary Information*. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the School's financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, we considered the School's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures 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 over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the School's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

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

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

Compliance and Other Matters

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

This report is intended for the information and use of the School and its management, the District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, the Florida Department of Education, the Florida Auditor General, and other granting agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specific parties.

Respectfully submitted,

King & Walker, CPAs

September 15, 2008
Tampa, Florida

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**Independent Auditor's Report on Basic Financial Statements and
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a Charter School and Component Unit of the
District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida

We have audited the basic financial statements of the Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc. ("School"), a charter school and component unit of the District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2008, and have issued our report thereon dated September 15, 2008.

We have issued our independent auditor's report on compliance and on internal control over financial reporting based on an audit of the financial statements performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* dated September 15, 2008. Disclosures in that report, if any, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. In addition, our audit was conducted in accordance with provisions of Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General, which govern the conduct of charter school audits performed in the State of Florida and require certain items be addressed in this letter.

The Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(d)1.), require that we comment as to whether corrective actions have been taken to address significant findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report. There were no findings in the prior audit.

The Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(d)2.), require that we make a statement as to whether the School has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes regarding financial emergency. The School has not met any of the conditions of the referenced statute and is not in a state of financial emergency.

The Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(d)3.), require that we make recommendations, present financial management, accounting procedures, and internal controls. No recommendations were noted in our audit.

The Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(d)4.), require disclosure in the management letter of matters that are not clearly inconsequential considering both quantitative and qualitative factors which include the following:

- violations of laws, rules, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements or abuse that: (1) have occurred, or are likely to have occurred; (2) were discovered within the scope of the financial audit; and (3) may or may not have materially affected the financial statements
- improper expenditures discovered within the scope of the financial audit which may or may not materially affect the financial statements
- deficiencies in internal control that are not reportable conditions, including, but not limited to: (1) improper or inadequate accounting procedures (e.g., the omission of required disclosures from the annual financial statements); (2) failures to properly record financial transactions

Our audit disclosed no matters required to be disclosed by this Rule.

The Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(d)6.), require we disclose the name or official title of the school or center. The school's official name is Literacy, Leadership, Technology Academy, Inc.

This letter is intended for the information and use of the School and its management, the District School Board of Hillsborough County, Florida, the Florida Department of Education, the Florida Auditor General, and other granting agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specific parties.

Respectfully submitted,

 King & Walker, CPAs

September 15, 2008
Tampa, Florida

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MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSE TO AUDIT FINDINGS

Year Ended June 30, 2008

The following is the School's response to the item in the Management Letter dated September 15, 2008, as required by Rule 10.857, Rules of the Auditor General:

No response required.