#### THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF OSCEOLA COUNTY, FLORIDA

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Superintendent of Schools Dr. Mark Shanoff

Agenda

#### Audit Advisory Committee Meeting Bill Collins Conference Room 817 Bill Beck Blvd.

Kissimmee, FL 34744

#### Thursday, October 24, 2024 1:00 PM

- 1. Approval of the March 7, 2024, Meeting Minutes
- 2. FY 2024 Internal Funds Audit
- 3. FY 2024 Charter School Audits
- 4. Grants Management Design Assessment
- 5. Internal Audit Update
- 6. Recognition of Outgoing Members
- 7. Next Meeting Date: TBD

#### Audit Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes March 7, 2024 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

**Members Present:** Chair Heather Kahoun, Lori Giambrone, Karen Giel, Javier Paz **Members Absent:** Mark Cross, Cassandra Harris-Starks, Kevin Crawford

**Others/Guests:** Lauren Haddox, Frank Kruppenbacher, Sarah Graber, Sarah Koren, Mari Espinal, Angela Barner, Dr. Mark Shanoff, Joel Knopp (MSL), Weiss Campbell (RSM)

Virtual Presenters: Laura Manlove (RSM), Matt Dubnansky (Withum)

- Chair Kahoun called the meeting to order at 11:41a.m.
- Introduction of School Board/Audit Committee Chair
  - $\circ$  Heather Kahoun was introduced as the new School Board and Audit Committee Chair.
- Approval of the Wednesday, September 20, 2023, Meeting Minutes were approved with all ayes.
- Healthcare Claims Audit

The healthcare claims audit was presented by Matt Dubnansky, Healthcare Consultant. The following findings were reported and discussed, along with recommended actions:

Application of Patient Liability Member Underpayments Member Overpayments Duplicate Payments Exclusions & Limitations Pricing of Claims Claims of Backlog Claim Paid Reconciliation

#### • Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) FY 2023

Presented by Joel Knopp with MSL. The FY2023 Annual Comprehensive Financial Report can be found on the district's website at <u>https://www.osceolaschools.net/Page/1174</u>. This was a clean audit with no findings or concerns noted.

#### Charter Schools & Other Component Units Audit Reports FY 2023

Presented by Mari Espinal, Director of Finance. A summary of results was distributed. The following three charter schools had findings which were discussed:

Bridgeprep Academy of St. Cloud – negative fund balance

Lincoln-Marti Charter School – lease liability

Bridgeprep Academy Osceola County - negative fund balance

- Internal Audit Update
  - a) **FY2024 Internal Audit Plan Update** Presented by Weiss Campbell with (RSM).

Current 2023/2024 Audits:

- Information & Technology: 2023 Incident Response Plan Development issued
- Whistleblower Hotline issued
- Physical Site Assessments
- IT Risk Monitoring

#### b) Whistleblower Audit

Presented by Weiss Campbell (RSM).

No findings reported. The following process improvement opportunities were recommended:

- Transcription of Complaints
- Whistleblower Hotline Awareness
- Case Management Software

#### c) Status of Follow-up Audits

Follow-up testing for the following three audits is scheduled to take place as part of the FY 2025 audit plan:

- Transportation Services Timekeeping
- Purchasing & Warehouse Services Purchasing Operations
- Human Resources & Employee Relations Onboarding Change Management & Outboarding

The meeting adjourned at 1:17 p.m.

#### **Next Meeting Date: TBD**

# The School District of Osceola County, Florida Internal Funds Audit Presentation to Audit Committee



### Overview

- Auditor's Responsibilities and School District's Responsibilities
- Financial Statements
- Recommendations for Improvements (School Findings)
- District-wide recommendations for improvements

## **Auditor's Responsibilities**

Auditor's Responsibilities	Express an opinion about whether the financial statements of the School District of Osceola County, Florida Internal Funds are fairly presented, in all material respects, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles
Supplementary Information	Schedule of changes in fiduciary net position – fiduciary funds by school; we will report on whether the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in related to the financial statements as a whole
Audit Testing	<ul> <li>Substantive procedures on financial statement accounts</li> <li>Understanding of internal controls</li> <li>Tests of compliance with rules, laws and regulations (FDOE, School Board, Internal Funds policies and procedures)</li> </ul>

# **School District's Responsibilities**

Management and those Charged with Governance (School Board)	<ul> <li>Overseeing the preparation of the financial statements, including reviewing and approving the financial statements, related notes, and supplementary information</li> </ul>
Business and Fiscal Services	<ul> <li>Coordinate audit dates</li> <li>Provide requested information, reports, and supporting documentation for audit fieldwork</li> <li>Act as liaison between CRI and schools</li> </ul>

	June 30, 2024	June 30, 2023
Total assets	\$6,640,276	\$5,764,476
Total liabilities	\$709,942	\$139,246
Total net position	\$5,930,334	\$5,625,230
Total additions	\$12,671,350	\$11,856,038
Total deductions	\$12,366,246	\$11,506,760

Chapter 8 of the Florida Department of Education Financial & Program Cost Accounting & Reporting for Florida Schools (the Red Book) states that the School Board, as custodian, is responsible for safeguarding, record keeping, reporting and general oversight of the internal funds held by the District school system and shall provide for an annual audit of the internal funds.

### **Financial Statements**

Unmodified report

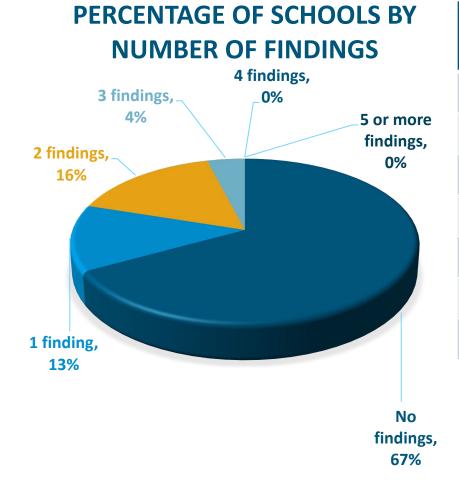
Adjustments – cash-to-accrual conversion

Supplemental schedule of changes in fiduciary net position by school

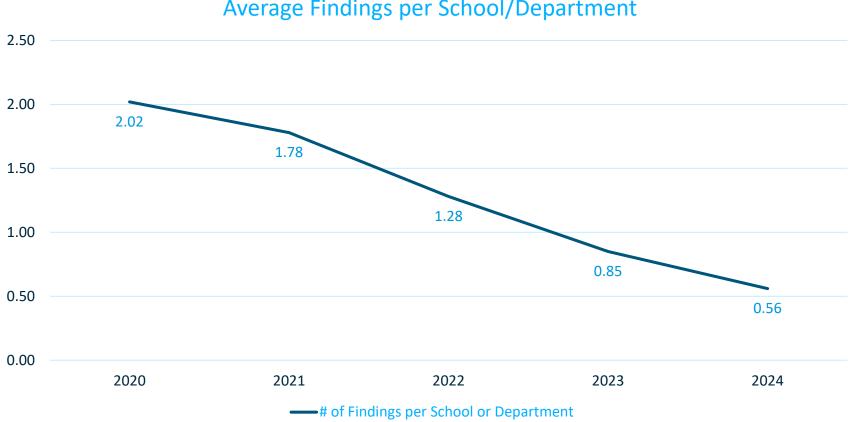
Footnotes - due to other funds – amounts due to the District for tuition from technical schools

- Testing performed at 100% of schools/departments with an Internal Fund
- Compliance tests were performed in each of the following areas:
  - Admission events
  - Deficit balances
  - Deposits
  - Disbursements

- Donations
- Fund raising activities
- Journal entries/transfers



Number of Findings	Number of Schools	%
None	37	67%
1	7	13%
2	9	16%
3	2	4%
4	0	0%
5 or more	0	0%
Total	55	100%



Average Findings per School/Department

#### **Most Common Findings - Deficiencies**

Finding	# of Instances
Monies collected from outside the main office were not turned in to the school bookkeeper by the following day	8
Fundraising application and financial recap form was not approved or not approved prior to the start of the fundraiser	6
Inventory and sales report for school store were not completed	3
Ticket sales report not completed or not completed properly	3
Internal funds transfer voucher not located	3

Improvements over Prior Report		
Finding	# of Instances - 2024	# of Instances - 2023
Collections not being deposited timely in the bank (on same day if over \$100)	1	4
Purchase order form was completed after the goods or services were purchased	2	4

Noteworthy improvements in current year

- 80% of schools had 1 or less findings
- No schools had 4 or more findings

## **District-Wide Recommendations**

#### Improvement Points

- Spending down of excess funds
- IT General Controls
  - Thirteen terminated employees still had FOCUS software user accounts (10 of these users had read-only access)

### Deficiencies

- Monies not being turned in to office timely
  - 8 of 55 schools had at least one instance

No material weaknesses noted.

## **Audit Process**

- Disagreements with management None
- Significant difficulties encountered in audit None
- Consultation with other accountants None
- Fraud or illegal acts we are unaware of any fraud or illegal acts involving management or causing material misstatement of the financial statements
- Great cooperation from Finance Department and school bookkeepers and principal

### - Today's Presenter -

Jennifer Christensen, Partner

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#### Summary of Charter School Audits for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

									Current Year Audit Findings	1	
#	MSID	School Name	Auditor Name	Negative Fund Balance	Positive Fund Balance	No Audit Findings	Pending Single Audit	Prior Audit Findings	Negative Fund Balance /Deficient Net Position	Total Findings	Notes
1	0852	Academir Preparatory of ChampionsGate	Thomas & Company, CPA, PA	Х		Х				0	Negative Fund Balance in the Special Revenue Fund
2	0932	Bellalago Charter Academy	Moss, Krusick & Associates, CPAs and Advisors		х	х				0	
3	0184	Bridgeprep Academy of Osceola Charter School	Garcia Santa Maria De Armas Trujillo CPAs and Advisors		x					0	Auditor notation - deficient Net Position due to the right of use liability; no auditor recommendation
											Uncorrected prior audit findings: FY21-22, negative Fund Balance - \$159,914; FY22-23 negative Fund Balance -\$590,914. FY23-24, negative Fund Balance -\$670,074 - due to significant start-up
4	0131	Bridgeprep Academy of St. Cloud	Garcia Santa Maria De Armas Trujillo CPAs and Advisors	х				х	X	2	costs.
5	0192	Creative Inspiration Journey School of St. Cloud, Inc.	King & Walker, CPAs, PL		х	X				0	
6	0153	Florida Cyber Charter Academy at Osceola	King & Walker, CPAs, PL		х	x				0	
7	0863	Four Corners Charter School	Moss, Krusick & Associates, CPAs and Advisors		х	х				0	
8	0152	Four Corners Upper School	Citrin Cooperman & Company, LLP		х	х				0	Single audit performed at the parent company level
9	0866	Kissimmee Charter Academy	King & Walker, CPAs, PL		х	х				0	
10	0182	Lincoln-Marti Charter Schools (Osceola Campus)	BDO		х	х				0	
11	0959	Main Street High School	Citrin Cooperman & Company, LLP	х		х				0	Negative Fund Balance in the Special Revenue Fund
12	0202	Mater Academy at St. Cloud	HLB Gravier, LLP, CPAs		х	х				0	
13	0163	Mater Brighton Lakes	HLB Gravier, LLP, CPAs		х	х	х			0	
14	0971	Mater Brighton Lakes Academy Preparatory High School	HLB Gravier, LLP, CPAs	х		х				0	Negative Fund Balance in the Capital Projects Fund
15	0185	Mater Palms Academy	HLB Gravier, LLP, CPAs		х	х	х			0	Special Revenue Fund only reported \$33,916
16	0853	New Dimensions High School	Schafer, Tschopp, Whitcomb, Mitchell & Sheridan, LLP, CPA		х	х				0	
17	0181	Osceola Science Charter School	King & Walker, CPAs, PL		х	х				0	
18	0881	P. M. Wells Charter Academy	Moss, Krusick & Associates, CPAs and Advisors		х	х				0	
19	0191	Renaissance Academy of Arts and Sciences	Citrin Cooperman & Company, LLP		х	х				0	Single audit performed at the parent company level
20	0149	Renaissance Charter School at Poinciana	Citrin Cooperman & Company, LLP		х	х				0	Single audit performed at the parent company level
21	0171	Renaissance Charter School at Tapestry	Citrin Cooperman & Company, LLP		Х	х				0	Single audit performed at the parent company level
22	0183	Sports Leadership Arts Management (SLAM Osceola)	HLB Gravier, LLP, CPAs		Х	х				0	
23	0900	UCP Osceola Charter School	Schafer, Tschopp, Whitcomb, Mitchell & Sheridan, LLP, CPA		Х	х				0	
24	0155	Victory Charter School 6-12	Gutierrez Madariaga, CPA P.A.		Х	х				0	
25	0203	Victory Charter School K-5	Gutierrez Madariaga, CPA P.A.		х	х	х			0	
26	7030	Virtual Preparatory Academy of Florida	Moss, Krusick & Associates, CPAs and Advisors		х	х				0	