

Somerset Academy Bay WL# 5062

(A Charter School under Somerset Academy, Inc.)

Miami, Florida

Financial Statements and Independent Auditors' Report

June 30, 2018

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Somerset Academy Bay Miami, Florida

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Somerset Academy Bay (the "School"), a charter school under Somerset Academy, Inc., as of, and for the year ended June 30, 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement. whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

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 of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

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

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Somerset Academy Bay, as of June 30, 2018, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

As described in Note 1, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present only the financial position of Somerset Academy Bay as of June 30, 2018, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended, and is not intended to be a complete presentation of Somerset Academy, Inc. These financial statements do not purport to and do not present fairly the financial position of Somerset Academy, Inc. as of June 30, 2018 and its changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 4 through 8 and 26 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 4, 2018, 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, grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is 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 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.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Coral Gables, Florida September 4, 2018

Management's Discussion and Analysis

Somerset Academy Bay (A Charter school Under Somerset Academy, Inc.) June 30, 2018

The corporate officers of Somerset Bay Academy have prepared this narrative overview and analysis of the School's financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.

Financial Highlights

- 1. The net position of the School at June 30, 2018 was \$356,399.
- 2. At year-end, the School had current assets on hand of \$551,570.
- 3. The School had an increase in its net position of \$52,163 for the year ended June 30, 2018.
- 4. The unassigned fund balance at year end was \$411,087.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction to the School's basic financial statements. The School's financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2018 are presented in accordance with GASB Codification Section 2200. The financial statements have three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other required supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The *government-wide financial statements* are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the School's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the School's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. The difference is reported as net position. Over time increases or decreases in net position may serve as an indicator of whether the financial position of the School is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information on how the School's net position changed during the fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported when the underlying event occurs without regard to the timing of related cash flows. Accordingly, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 9 - 10 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

A "fund" is a collection of related accounts grouped to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities, projects, or objectives. The School like other state and local governments uses fund accounting to ensure and report compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

All of the funds of the School are governmental funds. Government Funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Government Fund financial statements, however, focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on the balances of spendable resources which are available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be used to evaluate a government's requirements for near-term financing.

The Board of the School adopts an annual appropriated budget for its general fund. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the general fund to demonstrate compliance with the School's budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 11 - 14 of this report.

Notes to Financial Statements

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

The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 15 - 25 of this report.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a charter school's financial position. In the case of the School, net position was \$ 356,399 at the close of the fiscal year. A summary of the School's net position as of June 30, 2018 and 2017 follows:

	2018	2017
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 49,871	\$ 212,057
Investments	464,000	400,000
Prepaid expenses	33,185	28,894
Due from other agencies	4,514	5,962
Due from other charter schools, current	 (E)	5,191
Due from other divisions of Somerset Academy Inc., long-term	43,418	168,750
Deposits	: = :	1,626
Capital assets, net	93,709	154,419
Total Assets	688,697	976,899
Deferred outflows of resources	5 - 7	 .
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	107,298	107,544
Due to other charter schools, long-term	225,000	565,119
Total Liabilities	332,298	672,663
Deferred inflows of resources		-
Net Position:		
Net investment in capital assets and long term receivable		19
Unrestricted	356,399	304,236
Total Net Position	\$ 356,399	\$ 304,236

At the end of the year, the School is able to report positive balances in total net position.

A summary and analysis of the School's revenues and expenses for the year ended June 30, 2018 and 2017 follows:

	2018		
REVENUES)	
Program Revenues			
Capital Outlay Funding	\$ 138,972	\$ 69,411	
Lunch Program	56,382	36,370	
Charges for Services	1,436	1,337	
General Revenues			
Local Sources (FTE and other non specific)	2,005,041	1,772,633	
Other Revenues	128,846	379,349	
Total Revenues	\$ 2,330,677	\$ 2,259,100	
EXPENSES			
Instruction	\$ 1,196,113	\$ 1,155,423	
Student support services	2,245		
Instructional staff training	1,247	4,213	
Board	22,794	8,000	
School administration	325,542	293,858	
Fiscal services	41,175	36,975	
Food services	95,117	70,766	
Central services	48,484	44,959	
Operation of plant	484,975	468,895	
Maintenance of plant	53,180	30,994	
Administrative technology services	7,642		
Total Expenses	2,278,514	2,114,083	
Increase in Net Position	52,163	145,017	
Net Position at Beginning of Year	304,236	159,219	
Net Position at End of Year	\$ 356,399	\$ 304,236	

The School's revenues and expenses increased by \$71,577 and \$164,431, respectively, in the current year. The School had an increase in its net position of \$52,163 for the year.

School Location and Lease of Facility

The School leases a facility located at 9500 SW 97th Avenue, Miami, FL 33176.

Capital Improvement Requirements

The School maintains a continuous capital improvements program to enhance facilities and update fixtures and equipment as required.

School Enrollment

This past year, the School had on average 275 students enrolled in grades kindergarten through fifth.

Achievements

In 2018, Somerset Academy Bay completed its 5th year of operation, increasing enrollment to 275 students in grades K-5. The School earning a letter grade of "A," and ranked among the top public elementary schools in Miami-Dade County.

This past year, Somerset Academy Bay students were recognized for various academic and extracurricular achievements: They participated in the Somerset Reading Challenge, Somerset Spelling Bee, and Vocabulary Parade. Students also participated in school-based productions, such as the Holiday Show, Somerset Math Bowl, SoBay's Dr. Seuss Celebration Week, SoBay Harvest Festival, Battle of the Books, and the Multicultural Day Performance.

Being helpful to others is important to students at Somerset Academy Bay. Throughout the year, students demonstrated the significance of giving back to their community by participating in and contributing to causes such as iPads for Soldiers, the Feed Miami food drive, and Toys for Tots toy drive. Students and parents also gave back to their school by participating in school-based fundraisers such as the Scholastic Book Fai, SoBay's Parent Social "Cooking it Up," SoBay Gallery Night, and World's Finest Chocolate Sale.

As a member of the Somerset Academy network of charter schools, Somerset Academy Bay is fully accredited by AdvancED under the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement (SACS-CASI) division. It is one of only a few public elementary schools in Miami-Dade County to be fully accredited by AdvancEd. As with all the schools within its network, Somerset Academy Bay places high expectations for student learning and offers multiple opportunities for all students to acquire requisite knowledge, skills, and attitudes in a safe and enriching environment. Key to achieving successful learning for all students is the school's implementation of research—based instructional strategies by a highly qualified instructional staff, and the use of innovative resources in a technology-rich setting.

With the steadfast support of the many families who want Somerset Academy Bay to expand, the School was able to obtain approval to increase enrollment at its campus in the coming years so that it may serve more families in the community.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S FUND

As noted earlier, the School uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds

The focus of the School's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the School's financing requirements. In particular, the unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

Most of the School's operations are funded in the General Fund. The majority of the General Fund revenues are distributed to the School by the District through the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP), which uses formulas to distribute state funds and an amount of local property taxes (i.e., required local effort) established each year by the Florida Legislature.

At the end of the fiscal year, the School's governmental general fund reported ending fund balance of \$444,272. The fund balance unassigned and available for spending at the School's discretion is \$411,087. These funds will be available for the School's future ongoing operations.

Capital Assets

The School's investment in capital assets as of June 30, 2018 amounts to \$93,709 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes furniture, fixtures and computer equipment. As of June 30, 2018, the School had debt totaling \$225,000 associated to its capital assets.

Governmental Fund Budget Analysis and Highlights

Prior to the start of the School's fiscal year, the Board of the Charter School adopted an annual budget. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the governmental funds to demonstrate compliance with the School's budget.

	Governmental Fund				
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual		
REVENUES					
Program Revenues					
State capital outlay funding	\$ 57,165	\$ 57,900	\$ 58,799		
Local capital improvement revenue	78,187	79,168	80,173		
Federal sources	35,176	35,875	36,482		
Lunch program	19,000	19,500	19,900		
General Revenues					
FTE nonspecific revenues	1,933,750	2,001,500	2,005,041		
Charges and other revenues	129,426	129,426	130,282		
Total Revenues	2,252,704	2,323,369	2,330,677		
CURRENT EXPENDITURES					
Instruction	1,336,226	1,143,754	1,141,260		
Student support services	4,000	3,000	2,245		
Instructional staff training	1,000	2,000	1,247		
Board	39,000	24,675	22,794		
School administration	325,916	325,769	325,542		
Fiscal services	41,250	41,250	41,175		
Food services	98,176	96,157	95,117		
Central services	41,250	48,800	48,484		
Operation of plant	497,989	471,730	469,550		
Maintenance of plant	46,900	56,900	53,180		
Administrative technology services	18,604	9,959	7,642		
Total Current Expenditures	\$ 2,450,311	\$ 2,223,994	\$ 2,208,236		

Most variances occurred as a result of the Budget adopted being more conservative than actual results for the year.

Requests for Information

This financial report is intended to provide a general overview of the finances of the Charter School. Requests for additional information may be addressed to Ms. Ana Martinez at Academica Dade, LLC, 6340 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida 33143.

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Statement of Net Position June 30, 2018

<u>Assets</u>		Governmental Activities		
Current assets: Cash and cash equivalents Investments Prepaid expenses Due from other agencies	\$	49,871 464,000 33,185 4,514		
Total current assets Capital assets, depreciable Less: accumulated depreciation		551,570 413,215 (319,506) 93,709		
Due from other divisions of Somerset Academy Inc., long-term Total Assets	\$	43,418 688,697		
<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u> Liabilities				
Current liabilities: Salaries and wages payable Total current liabilities Due to other charter schools, long-term	\$	107,298 107,298 225,000		
Total liabilites Deferred Inflows of Resources Net Position	=	332,298		
Net investment in capital assets and long term receivable Unrestricted Total Net Position	\$	356,399 356,399		

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Statement of Activities For the year ended June 30, 2018

Program Revenues

		Charges for	Operating Grants and	Capital Grants and	Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes
FUNCTIONS	Expenses	Services	Contributions	Contributions	in Net Position
Governmental activities:					
Instruction	\$ 1,196,113	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (1,196,113)
Student support services	2,245	<u></u>	(#)	H	(2,245)
Instructional staff training	1,247	8	8	9	(1,247)
Board	22,794	*		(4)	(22,794)
School administration	325,542	ž.			(325,542)
Fiscal services	41,175	<u> </u>		₩	(41,175)
Food services	95,117	19,900	36,482	=	(38,735)
Central services	48,484	<u></u>			(48,484)
Operation of plant	484,975		(-)	138,972	(346,003)
Maintenance of plant	53,180	\ ``	(#)	₩.	(53,180)
Administrative technology services	7,642	漫	æ	E ((7,642)
Community Services		1,436		2	1,436
Total governmental activities	2,278,514	21,336	36,482	138,972	(2,081,724)
	General reven FTE and other Other revenue	nonspecific re	venues		2,005,041 128,846
	Change in net	position			52,163
	Net position, b	eginning			304,236
	Net position, e	ending			\$ 356,399

Somerset Academy Bay (A charter school under Somerset Academy, Inc.)

Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds June 30, 2018

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General Fund		Non-Major Governmental Funds		Go	Total vernmental Funds
Ф	40.071	Ф		•	40.054
2		2	=	2	49,871
	464,000		-		464,000
	-		4,514		4,514
	4,514		-		4,514
	33,185		_		33,185
	551,570		4,514		556,084
_		-	-		
	107,298		÷		107,298
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	107,298		4,514		111,812
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	33,185		-		33,185
	70		-		411,087
-		-	-	-	444,272
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Somerset Academy Bay (A charter school under Somerset Academy, Inc.)

Reconciliation of the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position June 30, 2018

Total Fund Balance - Governmental Funds	\$	444,272
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:		
Capital assets of \$413,215 net of accumulated depreciation of \$319,506 used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported		
in the fund.		93,709
Non-current assets are not recoverable in the current period and therefore, are not reported in the fund.		43,418
Long term liabilities were not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the fund.	4	(225,000)
Total Net Position - Governmental Activities	\$	356,399

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds For the year ended June 30, 2018

	General Fund	Non-Major Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:	0.005.041	¢.	¢ 2.005.041
State passed through local	\$ 2,005,041	\$ -	\$ 2,005,041
State capital outlay funding	-	58,799	58,799
Local capital improvement revenue Federal sources	-	80,173	80,173
Lunch program	-	36,482 19,900	36,482 19,900
Charges and other revenue	130,282	19,900	130,282
Total Revenues	2,135,323	195,354	2,330,677
Expenditures:	2,155,525	175,551	2,550,077
Current			
Instruction	1,141,260	-	1,141,260
Student support services	2,245	-	2,245
Instructional staff training	1,247	-	1,247
Board	22,794	-	22,794
School administration	325,542	-	325,542
Fiscal services	41,175	-	41,175
Food services	· -	95,117	95,117
Central services	48,484	-	48,484
Operation of plant	330,578	138,972	469,550
Maintenance of plant	53,180		53,180
Administrative technology services	7,642	-	7,642
Capital Outlay:			
Other capital outlay	52,985	-	52,985
Total Expenditures	2,027,132	234,089	2,261,221
Excess (deficit) of revenues over expenditures	108,191	(38,735)	69,456
Transfers in (out)	(38,735)	38,735	
Repayments of long-term advances	(340,119)	-	(340,119)
Deposits and long-term receivables collected	170,375		170,375
Net change in fund balance	(100,288)	-	(100,288)
Fund Balance at beginning of year	544,560		544,560
Fund Balance at end of year	\$ 444,272	\$ -	\$ 444,272

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Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures an Changes in Fund Balance of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities

For the year ended June 30, 2018

Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds

\$ (100,288)

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays 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 by which depreciation expense of \$70,278 exceeded capital outlays of \$52,985.

(17,293)

Increase in long term deposits is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but a decrease or collections of such deposits reduces long-term assets in the statement of net position. This is the amount by which collections of long term deposits \$170,375 exceeded issuances of \$-0- in the current period.

(170,375)

The proceeds from debt issuance provide current financial resources to governmental funds, but issuing debt increases long term liabilities in the statement of net position. Repayment of debt principal is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities int he statement of net position. This is the amount by which repayments of \$340,119 exceeded proceeds of \$-0-.

340,119

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities

\$ 52,163

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Reporting Entity

Somerset Academy Bay (the "School"), is a charter school sponsored by the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida (the "District"). The School's charter is held by Somerset Academy, Inc., a not-for-profit corporation organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act. The governing body of the School is the board of directors of Somerset Academy, Inc., which is composed of seven members and also governs other charter schools. The board has determined that no component units exist that would be require inclusion in the School's financial statements.

The general operating authority of the School is contained in Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes. The School operates under a charter granted by the sponsoring district, the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida. The current charter expires on June 30, 2032 and it can be renewed in accordance with law. A charter can also be terminated before its date of expiration for reasons set forth in the charter and Section 1002.33 of the Florida Statutes

The School is located in Miami, Florida for students from kindergarten through fifth grade and is funded by the District. These financial statements are for the period through June 30, 2018, when on average 275 students were enrolled for the school year.

Basis of Presentation

The School's accounting policies conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States as applicable to state and local governments. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

Government Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements include the statement of net position and the statement of activities. These statements report information about the School as a whole. Any internal interfund activity has been eliminated from these financial statements. Both statements report only governmental activities as the School does not engage in any business type activities. These statements also do not include fiduciary funds.

The statement of activities reports the expenses of a given function offset by program revenues directly connected with the functional program. A function is an assembly of similar activities and may include portions of a fund or summarize more than one fund to capture the expenses and program revenues associated with a distinct functional activity. Program revenues include: (1) charges for services which report fees; (2) operating grants such as the National School Lunch Program, Federal grants, and other state allocations; and (3) capital grants specific to capital outlay. Other revenue sources not properly included with program revenues are reported as general revenues.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial statements are provided for governmental funds. The operations of the funds are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, equity, revenues and expenditures. The School reports the following major governmental funds with all non-major funds aggregated in a single column:

General Fund - is the School's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the School, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Additionally, the School reports the following fiduciary fund types:

Agency Fund – accounts for resources of the Schools' Internal Fund which is used to administer monies collected at the schools in connection with school, student activities, class, and club activities. As of June 30, 2018, the agency funds balance was \$-0-.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the School are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The School's reporting entity applies all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance.

The government-wide statements report using the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows.

The School recognizes assets of non-exchange transactions in the period when the underlying transaction occurs, when an enforceable legal claim has arisen, or when all eligibility requirements are met. Revenues are recognized, on the modified accrual basis, when they are measurable and available.

Non-exchange transactions occur when the school provides (or receives) value to (from) another party without receiving (or giving) equal or nearly equal value in return. Most donations are examples of non-exchange transactions. Revenues from grants and donations are recognized on the accrual basis, in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements report using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they are both measurable and available. "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined. Available means 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 60 days of the end of the fiscal year.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) revenues are recognized when received. A one-year availability period is used for revenue recognition for all other governmental fund revenues. Charges for services and fees are recognized when cash is collected as amounts are not measurable. When grant terms provide that the expenditure of funds is the prime factor for determining eligibility for federal, state, and other grant funds, revenue is recognized at the time the expenditure is made. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for long-term debt principal and interest which are reported as expenditures in the year due.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

In compliance with Florida Statutes, the Board of Directors adopts an annual budget using 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). Revisions to the annual budget are approved by the Board.

Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, non-marketable time deposits with maturities of three months or less when purchased, and money market/savings accounts.

The School has not adopted a formal deposit and investment policy that limits the School's allowable deposits or investments and address specific types of risk; however the School invests excess deposit funds in a government money market mutual fund. The School has adopted GASB Codification Section 3100 Fair Value Measurement and Application (see Note 2).

Inter-fund Transfers

Inter-fund receivables/payables ("due from/to") are short-term balances that represent reimbursements between funds for payments made by one fund on behalf of another fund.

The School operates one lunch site that is part of the charter holder National School Lunch program. During the year, the combined operations of all sites operated at a deficit that was funded by the general fund. Accordingly, any deficit or excess in an individual charter school is transferred to the general fund.

Capital Assets

The School's property, plant and equipment with useful lives of more than one year are stated at historical cost and comprehensively reported in the statement of net position in the government-wide financial statements. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair market value on the date donated. The School generally capitalizes assets with cost of \$500 or more. Building improvements, additions and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the asset value or materially extend useful lives are not capitalized.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method. When capital assets are disposed, the cost and applicable accumulated depreciation are removed from the respective accounts, and the resulting gain or loss is recorded in operations. Estimated useful lives, in years, for depreciable assets are as follows:

Improvements 5 Years Furniture, Equipment and Software 5 Years Textbooks 3 Years

Due from Other Governments or Agencies

Amounts due to the School by other governments or agencies are for grants or programs under which the services have been provided by the School.

Compensated Absences

The School grants a specific number of sick days. Full time instructional employees are eligible to one day per month to up to ten days of active work during the ten-month period (a "benefit year"). In the event that available time is not used by the end of the benefit year, employees may "rollover" all unused days for use in future benefit years. There is an opportunity to "cash out" unused sick days however, the employees may only cash out if they have used three days or less of their sick leave in that benefit year. Employees may not cash out more than ten days per school year and are required to always maintain a minimum of twenty-one unused days. The cash out value is eighty percent of their current daily rate. There is no termination payment for accumulated unused sick days.

GASB Codification Section C60, Accounting for Compensated Absences, provides that compensated absences that are contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee should be accounted for in the period those events take place. Accordingly, these financial statements do not include an accrual for sick days available to be used in future benefits years.

The School also provides certain days to be used for specific personal matters such as family death and jury duty. Because the use of such days is contingent upon those events taking place and such events are out of the control of both the employer and the employee, there is no accrual for such days.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The School does not have any items that qualify for reporting in this category.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The School does not have any items that qualify for reporting in this category.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Revenue Sources

Revenues for current operations are received primarily from the state through the District pursuant to the funding provisions included in the School's charter. In accordance with the funding provisions of the charter and Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes, the School will report the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) students and related data to the District. Under the provisions of Section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, the District reports the number of the full-time equivalent (FTE) students and related data to the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) for funding through the 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 the designated full-time equivalent student survey periods. After review and verification of FTE reports and supporting documentation, the FDOE may adjust subsequent fiscal period allocations of FEFP funding for prior year errors disclosed by its review as well as to prevent statewide allocations from exceeding the amount authorized by the Legislature. Normally, such adjustments are treated as reductions of revenue in the year the adjustment is made.

The School receives state funds through the District under charter school capital outlay funding pursuant to Section 1013.62, Florida Statutes. Funds are based on a capital outlay plan submitted to the District and are to be used for lease of school facilities. In addition, the School receives a portion of the local capital improvement ad valorem tax revenues levied by the District.

Finally, the School also receives Federal awards for the enhancement of various educational programs. Federal awards are generally received based on applications submitted to and approved by various granting agencies. For Federal awards in which a claim to these grant proceeds is based on incurring eligible expenditures, revenue is recognized to the extent that eligible expenditures have been incurred. Any excess amounts are recorded as deferred revenues until expended. Additionally, other revenues may be derived from various fundraising activities and certain other programs.

Net Position and Fund Balance Classifications

Government-wide financial statements

Equity is classified as net position and displayed in three (3) components:

- a) Net investment in capital assets and long-term receivables consists of capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and long-term receivables, and reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition or improvement of those assets and long term receivables.
- b) <u>Restricted net position</u> consists of net position with constraints placed on their use either by external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors or laws or regulations of other governments.
- c) <u>Unrestricted net position</u> all other net position that does not meet the definition of "restricted" or "invested in capital assets and long-term receivables, net of related debt."

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Fund financial statements

Under GASB Codification Section 1800.142, Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions. This Statement defines the different types of fund balances that a governmental entity must use for financial reporting purposes. GASB requires the fund balance amounts to be properly reported within one of the fund balance categories listed below:

- a) Nonspendable includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. Consists of fund balance associated with inventories, prepaid expenses, long-term loans and notes receivable, and property held for resale (unless the proceeds are restricted, committed, or assigned).
- b) <u>Restricted</u> fund balance category includes amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation.
- c) <u>Committed</u> fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the School's Board of Directors. There are no committed fund balances at year end.
- d) <u>Assigned</u> fund balance classification are intended to be used by the School's management for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. There are no assigned fund balances at year end.
- e) <u>Unassigned</u> portion of the fund balance that has not been restricted, committed or assigned for a specific purpose. This is the residual classification for the School's general fund.

Order of Fund Balance Spending Policy

The School's policy is to apply expenditures against non-spendable fund balance, restricted fund balance, committed fund balance, assigned fund balance, and unassigned fund balance at the end of the fiscal year by adjusting journal entries. First non-spendable fund balances are determined. Then restricted fund balances for specific purposes are determined (not including non-spendable amounts). Then any remaining fund balance amounts for the non-general funds are classified as unassigned fund balance. It is possible for the non-general funds to have negative unassigned fund balance when non-spendable amounts plus the restricted fund balances for specific purposes amounts exceed the positive fund balance for the non-general fund.

Income Taxes

Somerset Academy, Inc. qualifies as a tax-exempt organization under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3), and is, therefore, exempt from income tax. Accordingly, no tax provision has been made in the accompanying financial statements.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Subsequent Events

In accordance with GASB Codification Section 2250.106, the School has evaluated subsequent events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through September 4, 2018, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Note 2 - Capital Assets

The following schedule provides a summary of changes in capital assets, acquired substantially with public funds, for the period ended June 30, 2018:

	Balance 07/01/17 Additions				Balance 06/30/18			
Capital Assets:								
Non - Depreciable:								
Construction in progress	\$	43,418	\$	-	\$	43,418	\$	-
Depreciable:								
Computer equipment and software		152,684		1,124		-		153,808
Building and improvements		50,585		39,000		-		89,585
Furniture, equipment and textbooks		156,960		12,862		-		169,822
Total Capital Assets	\$	403,647	\$	52,986	\$	43,418	\$	413,215
Less Accumulated Depreciation:								
Computer equipment and software	\$	(99,402)	\$	(30,705)	\$	-	\$	(130,107)
Building and improvements		(31,145)		(14,208)		-		(45,353)
Furniture, equipment and textbooks		(118,681)		(25,365)		-		(144,046)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	9	(249,228)		(70,278)	8	-		(319,506)
Capital Assets, net	\$	154,419	\$	(17,292)	\$	43,418	\$	93,709

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018, depreciation expense is allocated in the Statement of Activities by function as follows:

Instruction	\$ 54,853
Operation of plant	15,425
Total Depreciation Expense	\$ 70,278

Note 3 - Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Deposits

The School maintains its cash and cash equivalents in two financial institutions. As of June 30, 2018, the School's deposits consisted of cash balances of \$12,764.

Deposits at FDIC-insured institutions are insured up to \$250,000 per depositor, per financial institution. The School is a charter school under Somerset Academy, Inc., which also operates various other charter schools. All bank accounts are opened under the account ownership of Somerset Academy, Inc., therefore, bank balances at times may potentially be in excess of FDIC coverage. As of June 30, 2018, bank balances in potential excess of FDIC coverage was approximately \$46,000; including fiduciary account bank balances.

Investments

The School categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by GASB Codification Section 3100 Fair Value Measurement and Application. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in markets for identical assets: Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rates, credit risk, etc.); Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

At June 30, 2018, the School has the following recurring fair value measurements:

• Government money market mutual fund of \$740,000 valued using Level 2 inputs.

The government money market mutual fund values its portfolio securities at amortized cost which approximates fair value. The government money market mutual fund primarily invests in cash, high quality, short-term U.S. government securities and/or repurchase agreements that are collateralized fully by government securities that have been valued by the fund as Level 2. As of January 31, 2018, maturities of the fund's portfolio holdings are approximately 59% within 30 days.

Credit Risk

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of investments in a single issuer. The School manages its exposure to credit risk by limiting investments to highly rated government money market mutual funds. The fund is rated Aaa-mf by Moody's.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a failure of a depository financial institution or counterparty that is in possession of investment or collateral securities, the School will not be able to recover deposits or will not be able to recover collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of the failure of the counterparty to a transaction, the School will not be able to recover the value of investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. At June 30, 2018, all of the School's investments in government money market mutual funds were held in a separate account and designated as assets of the School.

Note 3 – Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments (continued)

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rate will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The School manages its exposure to declines in fair values by limiting all investments to government money market mutual funds that can be redeemed daily.

Note 4 – Education Service and Support Provider

Academica Dade, LLC, an education service and support provider, provides administrative services to the School including, but not limited to, facility design, staffing recommendations, human resource coordination, regulatory compliance, legal and corporate upkeep, maintenance of the books and records, bookkeeping, budgeting, financial reporting and virtual services. The agreement between the School and the education service and support provider calls for a fee on a per student basis. The agreement is with Somerset Academy, Inc. for a period of five years, through June 30, 2021, and unless terminated by the board shall be renewed along with any renewals to the charter agreement. During the year ended June 30, 2018, the School incurred \$123,525 in fees.

Academica Dade, LLC is located at 6340 Sunset Drive, Miami.

Note 5 - Transactions with Divisions of Somerset Academy, Inc. and Others

Charter Schools under Somerset Academy, Inc.

The School shares its facility with Somerset Academy Bay Middle School (another charter school under Somerset Academy, Inc.). Management allocates a proportionate share of leases, salaries, lunch receipts, food and supplies, and other expenses to each school individually based on student enrollment. In addition, the School holds the student activities fund of Somerset Academy Bay Middle School.

The School's lunch program is shared with Somerset Academy Bay Middle School. Revenues and expenses related to such program have been allocated based on FTE equivalent for purposes of presentation in the financial statements.

The following schedule provides a summary of changes in long-term debt to and from other charter schools for the year ended June 30, 2018:

Due to:	Balance					В	alance
	07/01/17	Additions		Ι	Deletions	06	5/30/18
Somerset High Dade, long-term	\$ 340,119	\$	(4)	\$	340,119	\$	4
Somerset South Miami, long-term	225,000		-		-		225,000
Due to other charter school	\$ 565,119	\$	-	\$	340,119	\$	225,000

Somerset Academy, Inc. charges an assessment to all its affiliated schools for shared corporate costs and accreditation expenses. During 2018, the School paid \$41,175 to the Corporation for these shared costs.

In addition, a long-term deposit in connection with the lease agreement was transferred to Somerset, Inc. during the prior years (see Note 6).

Note 5 - Transactions with Divisions of Somerset Academy, Inc. and Others (continued)

Recoverable Grant

The School receives recoverable grants from Somerset Academy, Inc. The purpose of these grants is for the School to fund operating expenses. Under the terms, the School would repay the corporate account of Somerset Academy, Inc. contingent on subsequently meeting certain financial conditions. The School received the following recoverable grants from Somerset Academy, Inc. during the years ended June 30 as follows: \$200,000 in 2015; \$350,000 in 2016 and \$250,000 in 2017. To date, management has determined that the School has not met the requirements for repayment under the grant terms. During the year ended June 30, 2018, management determined that the School met the requirements for repayment under the grant terms and accordingly repaid \$50,000. The maximum amount the School may be required to pay in the future should the school meet the requirements for repayment is \$750,000.

Somerset Academy Bay PTO

During the year ended June 30, 2018, the Somerset Academy Parent Teacher Organization awarded the School \$98,750 to be used on teacher aides for students.

Note 6 – Commitments, Contingencies and Concentrations

As of June 30, 2017, Somerset Inc., purchased the property and land formerly leased in the Educational Facilities Lease Agreement from the Landlord for the purposes of continuing the operations of the Schools on the property, improving the same to expand the Schools, and securing the use and benefits of the property for Somerset, Inc.'s other uses and business purposes.

Effective July 1, 2017, the School, Somerset Bay Middle School and Somerset Academy, Inc. entered into a usage agreement for the existing location. The School shall pay Somerset Academy, Inc. the sum of \$1,100 per year for each student enrolled in the School year, but not less than a combined 290 students for a minimum annual guarantee of \$319,000. In addition, the School will be responsible on a pro rata basis based upon enrollment for the payment of all insurance, property taxes, management fees, repairs and maintenance, replacements and restorations of loss or damage of whatever kind in connection with the property.

Lease payments are allocated among the School and Somerset Bay Middle School based on enrollment and usage of facility. The allocation used for 2018, was approximately 21% for Somerset Bay Middle School and 79% for the School. For 2018, rent expense totaled \$302,500.

As of June 30, 2017, the School had a long-term receivable in connection with a deposit made on behalf of Somerset Academy, Inc. in connection to the purchase of the land and property leased in the Educational Facilities Lease Agreement. The deposit due from Somerset Academy, Inc. was collected in full during the year ended June 30, 2018. The School also paid \$43,418 in capitalized design costs attributable to the land and purchased property that will be reimbursed by Somerset Academy, Inc.

Note 6 – Commitments, Contingencies and Concentrations (continued)

The following schedule provides a summary of changes in the corresponding deposit, design costs, and long-term debt due from Somerset Academy, Inc. for the year ended June 30, 2018:

Due from:	Balance			Balance
	07/01/17	Additions	Deletions	06/30/18
Deposit due from Somerset Academy, Inc., long-term	\$ 168,750	\$ 43,418	\$ 168,750	\$ 43,418
Due for security deposit	\$ 168,750	\$ 43,418	\$ 168,750	\$ 43,418

Contingencies and Concentrations

The School receives substantially all of its funding from the District under the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP), which is based in part on a computation of the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) students attending different instructional programs. The accuracy of FTE student data submitted by individual schools and used in the FEFP computations is subject to audit by the state and, if found to be in error, could result in refunds to the state or in decreases to future funding allocations. Additionally, the School receives various forms of federal, state and local funding which are subject to financial and compliance audits. It is the opinion of management that the amount of funding, if any, which may be remitted back to the state due to errors in the FTE student data or the amount of grant expenditures which may be disallowed by grantor agencies would not be material to the financial position of the School.

Pursuant to the Charter School contract with the School District, the District withholds an administrative fee of 5% of the qualifying revenues of the School. For the year ended June 30, 2018, administrative fees withheld by the School District totaled \$35,680.

Note 7 – Risk Management

The School is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, thefts of, damage to and destruction of assets, errors and omissions and natural disasters for which the School carries commercial insurance. Settlement amounts have not exceeded insurance coverage for the past years. In addition, there were no reductions in insurance coverage from those in the prior year.

Note 8 - Defined Contribution Retirement Plan

Post-retirement Benefits

The School's personnel, who are leased through ADP TotalSource Group, Inc., are eligible to participate in a defined contribution 401(k) plan sponsored by the leasing company, covering employees who meet certain age and tenure requirements. Under the ADP TotalSource Retirement Savings Plan (the "Plan"), the School will match 100% of the employee's contribution 4% up to of the employee's compensation. The School contributed to the Plan \$30,915 for the year ended June 30, 2018. The School does not exercise any control or fiduciary responsibility over the Plan's assets, which are administered by Voya.



Somerset Academy Bay (A charter school under Somerset Academy, Inc.)

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance For the year ended June 30, 2018

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual
REVENUES			
State passed through local	\$ 1,933,750	\$ 2,001,500	\$ 2,005,041
Charges and other revenue	129,426	129,426	130,282
Total Revenues	2,063,176	2,130,926	2,135,323
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
Instruction	1,336,226	1,143,754	1,141,260
Student support services	4,000	3,000	2,245
Instructional staff training	1,000	2,000	1,247
Board	39,000	24,675	22,794
School administration	325,916	325,769	325,542
Fiscal services	41,250	41,250	41,175
Central services	41,250	48,800	48,484
Operation of plant	357,122	332,543	330,578
Maintenance of plant	46,900	56,900	53,180
Administrative technology services	18,604	9,959	7,642
Total Current Expenditures	2,211,268	1,988,650	1,974,147
Excess of Revenues			
Over Current Expenditures	(148,092)	142,276	161,176
Capital Outlay			
Other Capital Outlay	55,000	55,000	52,985
Total Expenditures	2,266,268	2,043,650	2,027,132
Excess (Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(203,092)	87,276	108,191
Other financing sources (uses):			
Transfers in (out)	(49,515)	(42,901)	(38,735)
Repayments of advances from other charter schools		(340,119)	(340,119)
Deposits and long-term receivables collected	-	160,173	170,375
Net change in fund balance	(252,607)	(135,571)	(100,288)
Fund Balance at beginning of year	544,560	544,560	544,560
Fund Balance at end of year	\$ 291,953	\$ 408,989	\$ 444,272

Notes to Budgetary Comparison Schedule

An annual budget is adopted on the modified accrual basis of accounting, consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Amendments to the budget can only be made with the approval of the Board of Directors.



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

To the Board of Directors of Somerset Academy Bay Miami, Florida

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 the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Somerset Academy Bay (the "School") as of, and for the year ended June 30. 2018, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 4, 2018.

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 to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions 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 entity's financial statements will not be prevented. or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or, significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the 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 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 or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

We issued a separate management letter dated September 4, 2018 pursuant to Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General.

Purpose of this report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Coral Gables, Florida September 4, 2018



MANAGEMENT LETTER

To the Board of Directors of Somerset Academy Bay Miami, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of Somerset Academy Bay as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018 and have issued our report thereon dated September 4, 2018.

Auditor's Responsibility

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; and Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General.

Other Reports and Schedules

We have issued our Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of the Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards. Disclosures in those reports and schedules, which are dated September 4, 2018, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

Prior Audit Findings

Section 10.854(1)(e)1., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we determine whether or not corrective actions have been taken to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report.

There were no findings and recommendations made in the preceding audit report.

Official Title

Section 10.854(1)(e)5., Rules of the Auditor General, requires the name or official title of the entity. The official title of the entity is Somerset Academy Bay.

Financial Condition

Sections 10.854(1)(e)2, Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we report the results of our determination as to whether or not Somerset Academy Bay has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes, and identification of the specific condition(s) met. In connection with our audit, we determined that Somerset Academy Bay did not meet any of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes.

Pursuant to Sections 10.854(1)(e)6.a and 10.855(12), Rules of the Auditor General, we applied financial condition assessment procedures for Somerset Academy Bay. It is management's responsibility to monitor Somerset Academy Bay's financial condition, and our financial condition assessment was based in part on representations made by management and the review of financial information provided by same. We have applied such procedures as of the fiscal year end and no deteriorating financial condition has been noted.

Transparency

Sections 10.854(1)(e)7 and 10.855(13), Rules of the Auditor General, require that we report the results of our determination as to whether Somerset Academy Bay maintains on its Web site the information specified in Section 1002.33(9)(p), Florida Statutes. In connection with our audit, we determined that Somerset Academy Bay maintained on its Web site the information specified in Section 1002.33(9)(p), Florida Statutes.

Other Matters

Section 10.854(1)(e)3., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we address in the management letter any recommendations to improve financial management. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such recommendations.

Section 10.854(1)(e)4., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we address noncompliance with provisions of contracts or grant agreements, or abuse, that have occurred, or are likely to have occurred, that have an effect on the financial statements that is less than material but which warrants the attention of those charged with governance. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such findings.

Purpose of this Letter

Our management letter is intended solely for the information and use of the Legislative Auditing Committee, members of the Florida Senate and Florida House of Representatives, the Florida Auditor General, School Board of Miami-Dade County, Federal and other granting agencies, the Board of Directors, and applicable management and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Coral Gables, Florida September 4, 2018