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STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 Official Roster June 30, 2010

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Independent Auditor's Report

Mr. Hector Balderas State Auditor of the State of New Mexico Board Members of the Northeast Regional Education Cooperative #4

Mr. Balderas and Members of the Board

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information and the budgetary comparisons for the general fund and major special revenue funds of NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #4 (REC), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, which collectively comprise the REC's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. We also have audited the financial statements of each of the REC's nonmajor governmental funds, presented as supplementary information in the accompanying combining and individual fund financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the REC'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 with 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 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 the REC as of June 30, 2010, and the respective changes in financial position, thereof and the respective budgetary comparisons for the general fund and major special revenue funds for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. In addition, in our opinion, the financial position of each nonmajor governmental fund of the REC as of June 30, 2010, and the respective changes in financial position, thereof and the respective budgetary comparisons for all nonmajor funds for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the united States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated September 24, 2010, on our consideration of the REC's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is 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 *Governmental Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The REC has not presented the Management's Discussion and Analysis that the Governmental Accounting Standards Board has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be a part of, the basic financial statements and budgetary comparisons presented as supplemental information.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the basic financial statements, and the combining and individual fund financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for the purpose of additional analysis as required by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments and Non-Profit Organizations*, and is not a required part of the financial statements. The additional schedules listed as "other supplemental information" in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

De'Aun Willoughby CPA PC

September 24, 2010

FINANCIAL SECTION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 Government-Wide Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2010

	Governmental Activities		
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	84,348	
Due from Grantor		598,540	
Total Current Assets		682,888	
Noncurrent Assets			
Capital Assets		1,112,630	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		(520,837)	
Total Noncurrent Assets		591,793	
Total Assets		1,274,681	
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Accounts Payable		26,962	
Deferred Revenue		43,497	
Total Current Liabilities		70,459	
Noncurrent Liabilities			
Compensated Absences		14,056	
Total Noncurrent Liabilities		14,056	
Total Liabilities		84,515	
NET ASSETS			
Invested in Capital Assets		591,793	
Unrestricted		598,373	
Total Net Assets	\$	1,190,166	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 Government-Wide Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

					Pro	ogram Revenu	les		_Ne	et (Expenses)
						Operating		Capital		evenue and
			С	harges for		Grants and		Grants and	(Changes in
Functions/Programs		Expenses		Services		Contributions	(Contributions		Net Assets
Governmental Activities										
Instruction	\$	202.054	¢	0	¢	202.054	ሰ	0	¢	0
	Φ	203,951	φ	0	Φ	203,951	φ	0	\$	0
Support Services Students		1 110 614		07 000		1 011 100		202 204		200.000
		1,112,644		97,923		1,011,188		392,201		388,668
General Administration		125,028		0		120,790		0		(4,238)
School Administration		337,680		0		266,903		0		(70,777)
Central Services		84,787		0		37,610		0		(47,177)
Operation of Plant		23,150		0		21,040		0		(2,110)
Total Governmental	<u> </u>						-			
Activities	\$_	1,887,240	= \$	97,923	\$	1,661,482	=\$	392,201		264,366
	0	eneral Reven								
		State aid not								
	5	specific purp General	ose							100.000
				- 1 1						133,300
Interest and investment earnings								2,528		
Miscellaneous							_	500		
		Subtotal, Ger	nera	al Revenue	s				-	136,328
		Change in N	→ ∧	000to						400 604
	(Change in Ne	et A	ssets						400,694
	Ne	t Assets - be	gin	ning						789,472
			-	-					_	
	Ne	t Assets - er	Idin	g					\$_	1,190,166

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #4** GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Balance Sheet June 30, 2010

ASSETS	_	General 29101		Special REC Operating 27101		IDEA B State Level 24107
Cash Receivables Due From Grantor Interfund Balance Total Assets	\$ 	0 0 <u>417,464</u> 417,464	\$ 	40,851 0 <u>154,960</u> 195,811		0 106,938 0 106,938
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	* =	417,404	_Ψ <u></u>	193,011	-Ψ=	100,330
Liabilities Interfund Balance Accounts Payable Deferred Revenue Total Liabilities	\$ 	0 0 0	\$	0 846 0 846	\$	106,904 34 0 106,938
Fund Balance Unreserved, reported in: General Fund Special Revenue Funds Total Fund Balance	_	417,464 0 417,464		194,965 0 194,965		0 0 0
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	\$	417,464	\$	195,811	\$_	106,938

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #4** GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Balance Sheet June 30, 2010

ASSETS	A	SpEd-Tech ssistance & issemination 24151	 Distance Learning 25198	 Partnerships in Charcter Education 25240
Cash Receivables	\$	0	\$ 41,327	\$ 0
Due From Grantor Interfund Balance		140,211 0	0	35,380 0
Total Assets	\$	140,211	\$ 41,327	\$ 35,380
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE				
Liabilities				
Interfund Balance	\$	114,193	\$ 0	\$ 35,316
Accounts Payable		26,018	0	64
Deferred Revenue		0	 41,327	 0
Total Liabilities		140,211	 41,327	 35,380
Fund Balance Unreserved, reported in:				
General Fund		0	0	0
Special Revenue Funds		0	 0	 0
Total Fund Balance		0	 0	 0
Total Liabilities & Fund				
Balance	\$	140,211	\$ 41,327	\$ 35,380

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #4** GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Balance Sheet June 30, 2010

ASSETS	_	IDEA B State Directed 27200	 Other Governmental Funds		Total
Cash Receivables Due From Grantor	\$	0 290,671	\$ 2,170 25,340	\$	84,348 598,540
Interfund Balance Total Assets	\$	<u>0</u> 290,671	\$ 0 27,510	\$	572,424 1,255,312
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE					
Liabilities Interfund Balance Accounts Payable Deferred Revenue Total Liabilities	\$	290,671 0 0 290,671	\$ 25,340 0 2,170 27,510	\$	572,424 26,962 43,497 642,883
Fund Balance Unreserved, reported in: General Fund		0	0		612,429
Special Revenue Funds Total Fund Balance		0 0	 0 0	· -	0 612,429
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	\$	290,671	\$ 27,510	\$	1,255,312

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Assets June 30, 2010

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Assets are different because:

Total Fund Balance - Governmental Funds	\$	612,429
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported as assets in governmental funds.		
The cost of capital assets \$ 1	,112,630	
Accumulated depreciation	(520,837)	591,793
Long-term and certain other liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds. Long- term and other liabilities at year end consist of :		
Compensated Absences	_	(14,056)
Total Net Assets - Governmental Activities	\$	1,190,166

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #7** GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

	 Gene			
	 General 29101	Special REC Operating 27101	_	IDEA B State Level 24107
Revenues				
Charge for Services	\$ 97,923	\$ 0	\$	0
State Grants	0	133,300		0
Federal Grants	0	0		142,630
Interest Income	2,528	0		0
Miscellaneous	500	 0		0
Total Revenues	 100,951	 133,300		142,630
Expenditures				
Current Operations				
Instruction	0	0		0
Support Services-Students	2,345	6,139		140,547
Support Services-General Administration	0	10,033		0
Support Services- School Administration	0	70,777		0
Central Services	0	46,239		0
Operation of Plant	0	2,110		2,083
Capital Outlay	 0	 0		0
Total Expenditures	 2,345	 135,298		142,630
Net Change in Fund Balance	98,606	(1,998)		0
Fund Balance Beginning of Year	 318,858	 196,963		0
Fund Balance End of Year	\$ 417,464	\$ 194,965	\$	0

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #7** GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

	-	SpEd-Tech Assistance & Dissemination 24151		Distance Learning 25198		Partnerships in Charcter Education 25240
Revenues	۴	0	¢	0	•	0
Charge for Services State Grants	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
Federal Grants		594,280		394,451		334,131
Interest Income		034,200		034,401		0
Miscellaneous		0		0		0
Total Revenues		594,280		394,451		334,131
Expenditures						
Current Operations						
Instruction		0		0		0
Support Services-Students		400,973		2,250		281,068
Support Services-General Administration		41,933		0		53,063
Support Services- School Administration		151,374		0		0
Central Services		0		0		0
Operation of Plant		0		0		0
Capital Outlay		0		392,201		0
Total Expenditures		594,280		394,451		334,131
Net Change in Fund Balance		0		0		0
Fund Balance Beginning of Year		0		0		0
Fund Balance End of Year	\$	0	_\$	0	\$	0

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #7** GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

-	_	IDEA B State Directed 27200		Other Governmental Funds	_	Total
Revenues Charge for Services	\$	0	\$	0	\$	07.002
Charge for Services State Grants	Φ	0	Φ	3,729	Ţ	5 97,923 137,029
Federal Grants		424,561		159,901		2,049,954
Interest Income		0		0		2,528
Miscellaneous		0		0		500
Total Revenues		424,561		163,630		2,287,934
Expenditures						
Current Operations						
Instruction		119,844		84,107		203,951
Support Services-Students		107,860		78,490		1,019,672
Support Services-General Administration		24,761		1,033		130,823
Support Services- School Administration		115,529		0		337,680
Central Services		37,610		0		83,849
Operation of Plant		18,957		0		23,150
Capital Outlay Total Expenditures		<u>0</u> 424,561		0 163,630	-	<u>392,201</u> 2,191,326
Total Experionules		424,501		103,030	-	2,191,320
Net Change in Fund Balance		0		0		96,608
Fund Balance Beginning of Year		0		0	_	515,821
Fund Balance End of Year	\$	0	\$	0	9	612,429

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4
Reconciliation of the Governmental Funds
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
To the Statement of Activities
June 30, 2010

Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Governmental Funds	\$	96,608
Amounts reported for Governmental Activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:		
Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, for governmental activities those costs are shown in the Statement of Net Assets and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expenses in the Statement of Activities. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeds capital outlays in the period.		
Depreciation expense \$ Capital Outlays	(92,972) 392,201	299,229
Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities, such as compensated absences, do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.		
Compensated Absences, June 30, 2009 Compensated Absences, June 30, 2010 \$	(14,056) 18,913	4,857
Changes in Net Assets of Governmental Activities	\$	400,694

MAJOR FUNDS

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** GENERAL FUND-GENERAL-29101 Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis) For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

		Budgeted An		Actual (Budgetary	Variance with Final Budget-
		Original	Final	Basis)	Over (Under)
Revenues					
Charge for Services	\$	0\$	0\$	97,922 \$	97,922
Interest Income		0	0	2,529	2,529
Miscellaneous		0	0	500	500
Total Revenues		0	0	100,951	100,951
Expenditures					
Support Services-Students					
Other Purchased Services		0	0	2,345	(2,345)
Total Support Services-Students		0	0	2,345	(2,345)
Total Expenditures		0	0	2,345	(2,345)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		0	0	98,606 \$	98,606
Cash Balance Beginning of Year		318,859	318,859	318,859	0
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	318,859 \$	318,859 \$	417,465 \$	98,606
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GA	AP Bas	sis			

Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis

\$<u>98,606</u> \$<u>98,606</u>

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** GENERAL FUND-REC OPERATING FUND-27101 Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -

Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

-	_	Budgeted Ar Original	nounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)
Revenues State Grant Total Revenues	\$	<u>133,333</u> \$ 133,333	<u>133,333</u> \$ 133,333	<u>133,300</u> \$ 133,300	(33)
Expenditures Support Services-Students Professional & Tech Services		1,000	3,000	2,645	355
Other Purchased Services Total Support Services-Students	_	1,500 1,517 2,517	3,500 3,517 6,517	3,394 6,039	123 478
Support Services-General Administration Professional & Tech Services		3,000	4,616	4,616	0
Other Purchased Services Supplies Supply Assets		3,000 5,000 1,000	6,384 5,000 1,000	3,155 2,672 633	3,229 2,328 367
Total Support Services-General	_	12,000	17,000	11,076	5,924
Support Services-School Administration Personnel Services Employee Benefits Total Support Services-School	_	60,958 19,312 80,270	85,295 27,229 112,524	53,410 17,003 70,413	31,885 10,226 42,111
Central Services Personnel Services Employee Benefits Total Central Services	_	25,000 8,046 33,046	44,955 14,364 59,319	36,723 9,516 46,239	8,232 4,848 13,080
Operation & Maintenance of Plant Purchased Property Services Other Purchased Services Total Operation & Maintenance of	_	2,500 3,000 5,500	4,958 3,000 7,958	3,006 717 3,723	1,952 2,283 4,235
Total Expenditures		133,333	203,318	137,490	65,828
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		0	(69,985)	(4,190) \$	65,795
Cash Balance Beginning of Year		200,001	200,001	200,001	0
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	200,001 \$	130,016 \$	195,811 \$	65,795
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAA Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ove Net Change in Accounts Payable Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ove	er Exp	enditures-Cash E		(4,190) 2,192 (1,998)	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-IDEA B STATE LEVEL-24107

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis) For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Variance Actual with Final (Budgetary Budaet-**Budgeted Amounts** Original Basis) Over (Under) Final Revenues 194,753 \$ Federal Grant 231,831 \$ 87,196 \$ (144, 635)\$ **Total Revenues** (144, 635)194,753 231,831 87,196 Expenditures Support Services-Students **Personnel Services** 25,000 25,000 25,000 0 **Emlpoyee Benefits** 6.650 6.650 6,649 1 (10, 159)**Professional & Tech Services** 25,000 46,160 56,319 **Purchased Property Services** 4,000 2,000 2,000 0 Other Purchased Services 80,731 98.467 52,709 45,758 Supplies 7,000 6.036 2,311 3,725 Supply Assets 1,063 1,062 0 1 Total Instruction 148,381 185,376 146,050 39.326 **Operation & Maintenance of Plant Purchased Property Services** 2,000 2,083 2,083 0 **Total Operation & Maintenance of** Plant 2,000 2,083 2,083 0 **Total Expenditures** 148,133 150,381 187,459 39,326 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues **Over Expenditures** 44,372 44,372 (60, 937)183,961 Other Financing Sources Transfers 0 (1,595)(1.595)0 **Total Other Financing Sources** 0 0 (1.595)(1.595)Net Change in Cash Balance 44,372 44,372 (62, 532)182,366 Cash Balance Beginning of Year (44, 372)(44, 372)(44, 372)0 Cash Balance End of Year 0 \$ 0 \$ (106,904) \$ 182.366 \$ Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis \$ (62, 532)Net Change in Due from Grantor 57,029 Net Change in Accounts Payable 5,503 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis 0

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-SPED-TECH ASSISTANCE & DISSEMINATION-24151 Statement of Payapurg, Expanditurg, and Changes in Cash Palapage

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance - Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Revenues	_	Budgeted Am Original	iounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)
Federal Grant	\$	22,013 \$	848,340 \$	516,421 \$	(331,919)
Total Revenues	_	22,013	848,340	516,421	(331,919)
Expenditures					
Support Services-Students					
Professional & Tech Services		0	269,304	199,318	69,986
Other Purchased Services		0	255,250	195,810	59,440
Supplies		0	27,025	2,643	24,382
Supply Assets		0	24,174	17,523	6,651
Total Support Services-Students	_	0	575,753	415,294	160,459
Support Services-General Administration					
Professional & Tech Services		0	41,934	41,933	1
Total Support Services-General	_	0	41,934	41,933	1
Support Services-School Administration					
Personnel Services		0	154,400	121,377	33,023
Emlpoyee Benefits		Õ	54,240	29,997	24,243
Total Support Services-School		0	208,640	151,374	57,266
Total Expenditures	_	0	826,327	608,601	217,726
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues					
Over Expenditures		22,013	22,013	(92,180)	(114,193)
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	_	(22,013)	(22,013)	(22,013)	0
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0 \$	0 \$	(114,193) \$	(114,193)
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAA Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ov Net Change in Due from Grantor Net Change in Accounts Payable Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ov	er Ex	penditures-Cash E		(92,180) 77,859 14,321 0	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-DISTANCE LEARNING-25198

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance - Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

	-	Budgeted Am Original	nounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)	
Revenues	•		405 770 \$	405 770 (0	
Federal Grant	\$_	435,778 \$	435,778 \$	435,778 \$	0	
Total Revenues	-	435,778	435,778	435,778	0	
Expenditures						
Support Services-Students						
Professional & Tech Services		43,577	43,577	2,250	41,327	
Fixed Assets		392,201	392,201	392,201	0	
Total Support Services-Students	-	435,778	435,778	394,451	41,327	
	-	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · ·			
Total Expenditures	-	435,778	435,778	394,451	41,327	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues						
Over Expenditures		0	0	41,327	41,327	
		·	C C	,•=:	,•_!	
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	_	0	0	0	0	
	-					
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0 \$	0 \$	41,327 \$	41,327	
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis \$ 41,327						
Net Change in Deferred Revenue			•	(41,327)		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ov	er E	xpenditures-GAAP	Basis \$	0		
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-PARTNERSHIPS IN CHARACTER EDUCATION-25240

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -

Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Revenues	-	Budgeted A Original	Final	-	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)
Federal Grant	\$_	349,602 \$	349,602	\$_	298,691 \$	(50,911)
Total Revenues	-	349,602	349,602	-	298,691	(50,911)
Expenditures						
Support Services-Students						
Personnel Services		94,500	94,500		94,500	0
Emlpoyee Benefits		24,932	23,418		23,413	5
Professional & Tech Services		0	20,000		14,190	5,810
Other Purchased Services		153,800	139,374		139,297	77
Supplies	-	22,000	12,000	_	9,604	2,396
Total Support Services-Students	-	295,232	289,292	_	281,004	8,288
Support Services-General Administration Personnel Services		18,900	23,026		19,193	3,833
Emlpoyee Benefits		7,970	9,784		7,933	1,851
Professional & Tech Services		27,561	27,561		25,938	1,623
Total Support Services-General Administration	-	54,431	60,371	-	53,064	7,307
Total Expenditures	_	349,663	349,663	_	334,068	15,595
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		(61)	(61)		(35,377)	(35,316)
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	-	61	61		61	0
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	\$	0	\$_	(35,316) \$	(35,316)
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAA Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ove Net Change in Due from Grantor Net Change in Account s Payable Net Change in Deferred Revenue Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Ove	er E:	xpenditures-Cash		\$ \$	(35,377) 35,380 (64) <u>61</u> 0	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-STATE DIRECTED-27200

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance - Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Revenues	_	Budgeted An Original	nounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)
Federal Grant	\$	578,281 \$	578,281 \$	276,843 \$	(301,438)
Total Revenues	_	578,281	578,281	276,843	(301,438)
Expenditures					
Instruction					
Professional & Tech Services		17,267	670	670	0
Other Purchased Services		20,736	4,126	4,121	5
Supplies		59,571	89,034	88,958	76
Supply Assets	_	11,767	30,511	30,511	0
Total Instruction	_	109,341	124,341	124,260	81
Support Services-Students					
Professional & Tech Services		28,622	27,663	27,663	0
Other Purchased Services		87,239	46,880	46,880	0
Supplies		7,000	22,709	22,709	0
Supply Assets	_	0	10,609	10,609	0
Total Support Services-Students		122,861	107,861	107,861	0
Support Services-General Administration Professional & Tech Services		11,000	10.275	0.616	759
Other Purchased Services		15,000	10,375 13,800	9,616 13,328	472
Supplies		0	1,400	1,395	472 5
Supply Assets		0	425	422	3
Total Support Services-General	_	<u> </u>	420	722	<u> </u>
Administration	_	26,000	26,000	24,761	1,239
Support Services-School Administration					
Personnel Services		83,175	88,452	88,452	0
Employee Benefits		32,354	27,077	27,077	0 0
Total Support Services-School	_				
Administration		115,529	115,529	115,529	0
Central Services					
Personnel Services		35,000	34,640	28,420	6,220
Employee Benefits		10,012	10,372	9,189	1,183
Total Central Service	_	45,012	45,012	37,609	7,403
			_		_
Operation & Maintenance of Plant		40.000	44.050	44040	~
Purchased Property Services		10,000	14,850	14,848	2
Other Purchased Services Total Operation & Maintenance of	-	11,000	6,150	4,109	2,041
Plant	\$_	21,000 \$	21,000 \$	18,957_\$	2,043

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-STATE DIRECTED-27200

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -

Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Total Expenditures	\$	439,743 \$	439,743 \$	428,977 \$	10,766	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		138,538	138,538	(152,134)	(290,672)	
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	_	(138,538)	(138,538)	(138,538)	0	
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0 \$	0 \$	(290,672) \$	(290,672)	
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP BasisExcess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis\$ (152,134)Net Change in Due from Grantor147,718Net Change in Account Payable4,416Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis\$ 0						

NOTE A: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Regional Education Cooperative #4 (Cooperative), has been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. Governments are also required to follow the pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued prior to November 30, 1989 that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The more significant of the School's accounting policies are described below.

Financial Reporting Entity

The ten Regional Cooperative Centers established throughout New Mexico in 1984 were originally organized to provide supplementary special education services to local education agencies utilizing federal PL 94-142 funds.

The role of the Cooperatives has expanded under the authorization of the regional coordinating councils to include a variety of other projects, both federally funded and funded from other sources.

REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE (REC), through the governing council, has established as its purpose the delivery to local districts and communities those services deemed critical to the ongoing success of regular and special education programs provided by the local agencies.

GASB Statement No. 14 established criteria for determining the governmental reporting entity and component units that should be included within the reporting entity. Under provisions of this Statement, the REC is considered a primary government, since it is a special-purpose government that has a separately elected governing body, is legally separate, and is fiscally independent of other state or local governments. As used in GASB Statement No. 14, fiscally independent means that the REC may, without the approval or consent of another governmental entity, determine or modify its own budget with approval of the Public Education Department.

The REC has no component units, defined by GASB Statement No. 14 as other legally separate organizations for which the elected REC members are financially accountable. There are no other primary governments with which the Board Members are financially accountable.

The accounts of the REC are organized and operated on the basis of funds. A fund is an independent fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. Fund accounting segregates funds according to their intended purpose and is used to aid management in demonstrating compliance with finance-related legal and contractual provisions. The minimum number of funds are maintained consistent with legal and managerial requirements.

The following funds are used by the REC:

Governmental Funds

Governmental funds are used to account for the REC's general government activities, including the collection and disbursement of specific or legally restricted monies, the acquisition or construction of capital assets and the servicing of general long-term debt.

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

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The REC reports the following major governmental funds:

GENERAL FUND Operating Fund (29101) (27101)

To account for revenues and expenditures from state and local sources for a specified purpose. The fund was created by grant provisions

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS IDEA B Discretionary (24107)

To account for a program funded by a Federal grant to assist the District in providing free appropriate public education to all handicapped children. Funding authorized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, Sections 611-620, as amended, Public Laws 91-230, 93-380, 94-142, 98-199, 99-457, 100-639, and 101-476, 20 U. S. C. 1411-1420. The fund was created by the authority of federal grant provisions.

Special Education Tech Assistance & Dissemination (24151)

To plan, coordinate, and implement the State Performance Plan Improvement Project activities to include coordinating professional development and technical assistance to NM School Districts assigned the Determination of Needs Intervention.

Distance Learning (25198)

To encourage and improve the use of telemedicine, telecommunications, computer networks, and related advanced technologies to provide educational and medical benefits through distance learning and telemedicine projects to people living in rural areas and to improve rural opportunities. Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996, Title VII, Public Law 104-127, 7 U.S.C 950.

Partnerships in Character Education (25240)

The objective of this program is to assist NEREC in providing free appropriate public education to rural areas. The fund was created by the authority of federal grant provisions.

State Directed Activities (27200)

To account for a program funded by a Federal grant to assist the District in providing free appropriate public education to all handicapped children. Funding authorized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, Sections 611-620, as amended, Public Laws 91-230, 93-380, 94-142, 98-199, 99-457, 100-639, and 101-476, 20 U. S. C. 1411-1420. The fund was created by the authority of federal grant provisions.

Additionally, the District reports the following as non-major fund types:

Special Revenue Funds - Special Revenue Funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Government-Wide Financial Statements (GWFS)

The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities displays information about the reporting government as a whole. Fiduciary funds are not included in the GWFS. Fiduciary Funds are reported only in the Statement of Fiduciary Net Assets at the fund financial statement level.

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The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities were prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets, and liabilities resulting from exchange and exchange-like transactions are recognized when the exchange takes place. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets, and liabilities resulting from nonexchange transactions are recognized in accordance with the requirement of GASB Statement No. 33 "Accounting and Financial Reporting for Nonexchange Transactions."

Program Revenues

Program revenues included in the Statement of Activities derive directly from the program itself or from parties outside the REC's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole; program revenues reduce the cost of the function to be financed from the REC's general revenues. Program revenues include charge for services from member districts and program-specific operating grants funded by the Federal Department of Education and the State Public Education Department.

Fund Financial Statements (FFS)

Governmental Funds

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. Governmental fund types use the flow of current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual (i.e., when they are "measurable and available"). "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. The government considers all revenues available if they are collected within 30 days after year-end. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for unmatured principal and interest on general long-term debt which is recognized when due, and certain compensated absences and claims and judgments which are recognized when the obligations are expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources. Any effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the REC financial statements.

Revenues

Entitlement and shared revenues are recorded as unrestricted grants-in-aid at the time of receipt or earlier if the susceptible to accrual criteria are met. Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other grant requirements have been met and the susceptible to accrual criteria have been met.

Other receipts become measurable and available when cash is received by the REC and are recognized as revenue at that time.

Expenditures

Salaries are recorded as paid. Salaries for nine-month employees are paid prior to the end of the fiscal year and therefore are not accrued. Salaries for the twelve month employees payroll are accrued.

Other Financing Sources (Uses)

Transfers between funds that are not expected to be repaid (or any other types, such as capital lease transactions, sale of fixed assets, debt extinguishments, long-term debt proceeds, etc.) are accounted for as other financing sources (uses). These other financing sources (uses) are recognized at the time the underlying events occur.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** Notes to the Financial Statements June 30, 2010 <u>Basis of Budgeting</u>

Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year.

Budgets for the General, Special Revenue, Debt Service and Capital Projects Funds are adopted on a basis inconsistent with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). These budgets are prepared using the cash basis of accounting. Budgetary comparisons for the various funds in this report are on the non-GAAP budgetary basis.

The REC follows the following procedures in establishing data reflected in the financial statements:

- Prior to April 15, (unless a later date is fixed by the Secretary of Education) the local board submits to the School Budget and Finance Analysis Unit (SBFAU) of the New Mexico Public Education Department an estimated budget for the REC for the ensuing fiscal year beginning July 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them. All budgets submitted to the New Mexico Public Education Department (PED) by the REC shall contain headings and details as prescribed by law.
- Prior to June 20, of each year, the proposed "operating" budget will be reviewed and approved by the SBFAU and certified and approved by the local school board at the public hearing of which notice has been published by the local school board which fixed the estimated budget for the REC for the ensuing fiscal year.
- 3. The "operating" budget will be used by the REC until they have been notified that the budget has been approved by the SBFAU and the local school board. The budget shall be integrated formally in to the accounting system. Encumbrances shall be used as an element for control and shall be integrated into the budget system.
- The REC shall make corrections, revisions and amendments to the estimated budgets fixed by the local school board to recognize actual cash balances and carryover funds, if any. These adjustments shall be reviewed and approved by the SBFAU.
- 5. No board member or officer or employee of the REC shall make any expenditures or incur any obligation for the expenditures of public funds unless such expenditure or contractual obligation is made in accordance with an operating budget approved by the division. But this does not prohibit the transfer of funds between line items within a series of a budget.
- Budget change requests are processed in accordance with Supplement I (Budget Preparation and Maintenance) of the Manual of Procedures Public School Accounting and Budgeting. Such changes are initiated by the REC and approved by the SBFAU.
- 7. Legal budget control for expenditures is by function.
- 8. Appropriations lapse at fiscal year end. Funds unused during the fiscal year may be carried over into the next fiscal year by budgeting those in the subsequent fiscal year's budget. The budget of the REC has been amended during the current fiscal year in accordance with these procedures. The budget schedules included in the accompanying financial statements reflect the approved budget and amendments thereto.

Notes to the Financial Statements

June 30, 2010

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The REC's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

The REC is authorized under the provisions of Chapter 6, Article 10, paragraph 10, NMSA 1978, to deposit its money in banks, savings and loan associations and/or credit unions whose accounts are insured by an agency of the United States.

Investments

All money not immediately necessary for the public uses of the REC may be invested in :

(a) bonds or negotiable securities of the United States, the state or any county, municipality or school REC which has a taxable valuation of real property for the last preceding year of at least one million dollars (1,000,000) and has not defaulted in the payment of any interest or sinking fund obligation or failed to meet any bonds at maturity at any time within five years last preceding; or

(b) securities that are issued by the United States government or by its agencies or instrumentalities and that are either direct obligations of the United States or are backed by the full faith and credit of the United States government or agencies guaranteed by the United States government.

(c) in contracts with banks, savings and loan associations or credit unions for the present purchase and resale at a specified time in the future of specific securities at specified prices at a price differential representing the interest income to be earned by the investor. The contract shall be shown on the books of the financial institution as being the property of the investor and the designation shall be contemporaneous with the investment. The contract shall be fully secured by obligations of the United States having a market value of at least one hundred two percent of the contract. The collateral required for investment in the contracts provided for in this subsection shall be shown on the books of the financial institution as being the property of the investor and the designation shall be contemporaneous with investment.

Receivables and Payables

Receivables include interfund loans that are expected to be paid back and amount due from state government agencies related to various grant agreements. Payables represent routine monthly bills for services rendered and products purchased and accrued salaries and benefits.

Elimination and Reclassifications of Certain Receivables and Payables

In the process of aggregating data for the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities, some amounts reported as interfund activity and balances in the funds were eliminated or reclassified. Interfund receivables and payables were eliminated to minimize the "grossing up" effect on assets and liabilities within the governmental activities column.

Capital Assets

Capital assets are recorded at historical costs and depreciated over their estimated useful lives (with no salvage value). Capital assets are defined by the REC as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair market value on the date received. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred.

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Estimated useful life is management's estimate of how long the asset is expected to meet service demands. Straight line depreciation is used based on the following estimated useful lives:

Infrastructure	30 Years
Buildings	50 Years
Building Improvements	20 Years
Vehicles	2-15 Years
Equipment	3-15 Years
Information Technology Equipment and Software	3-5 Years
Library Books (if material)	3-5 Years

Restricted Net Assets

For the government-wide statement of net assets, net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net assets use are either:

Externally imposed by creditors (such as debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments;

Imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available it will first be applied to restricted resources.

Fund Balances of Fund Financial Statements

Reserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund equity which has been segregated for specific purposes.

Unreserved fund balance indicates that portion of fund equity which is available for budgeting in future periods.

Interfund Transfers

In governmental funds, transfers should be reported as other financing uses in the funds making transfers and as other financing sources in the funds receiving transfers.

Deferred Revenue

The REC reports deferred revenues on its Statement of Net Assets and Fund Balance Sheet. Deferred revenues arise when resources are received by the REC before it has a legal claim to them, as when grant monies are received prior to the occurrence of qualifying expenditures. Unexpended amounts revert back to the grantor. In subsequent periods, when the REC has a legal claim to the resources, the liability for deferred revenue is removed from the combined balance sheet and the revenue is recognized. Deferred revenues also occur in the fund financial statement when revenue is earned but is not available. The revenue becomes available if received within 30 days of the fiscal year.

Compensated Absences

All 12-month or full time employees earn vacation and sick leave in amounts varying with tenure and classification. Employees earn 10 days if employed less than 3 years and 15 days if employed more than 3 years. There is no maximum accumulation.

The REC's recognition and measurement criteria for compensated absences follow:

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GASB Statement No. 16 provides that vacation leave and other compensated absences with similar characteristics should be accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned by the employees if both the following conditions are met:

(a) The employees' right to receive compensation is attributable to services already rendered.

(b) It is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means, such as cash payments at termination or retirement.

The entire compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements.

For governmental fund financial statements the current portion of unpaid compensated absences is the amount expected to be paid using expendable available resources. These amounts, if any, are recorded in the account "compensated absences payable" in the fund from which the employees who have accumulated unpaid leave are paid. The noncurrent portion of the liability is not reported.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

NOTE B: DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

The REC is required by New Mexico State Statute (Section 6-10-17) to be 50% collateralized. Following is a schedule calculating the requirement and disclosing the pledged securities.

Bank of Las Vegas		Balance Per Bank		Reconciled	
Name of Account		06-30-10		Balance	Туре
NEREC	\$	400,454	\$	84,348	Checking
TOTAL Deposited		400,454	\$	84,348	
Less: FDIC Coverage		(400,454)			
Uninsured Amount	_	0			
50% collateral requirement		0			
Pledged securities	_	305,157	_		
Over (Under) requirement	\$	305,157			

The following securities are pledged at Bank of Las Vegas:

Description FHLB	<u>CUSIP #</u> 3133XVNT4 S	<u>Market Value</u> \$ <u>305,157</u> \$ <u>305,157</u>	 aturity Date 12/14/12	Location Federal Home Loan Bank- Dallas, TX
Custodial Credit Risk-	Deposits		Bank	
Depository Account			Balance	
Insured			\$ 400,454	
Collateralized:				
Collateral held by	the pledging ban	nk in		
REC's name			0	
Uninsured and unco	ollateralized		 0	
Total Deposits			\$ 400,454	

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The government does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2010 none of the REC's bank balance of \$400,454 was exposed to custodial credit risk.

NOTE C: INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

Interfund Balances during the year ending June 30, 2010 were as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Funds						
				SpEd-Tech		Partnerships	IDEA B
		IDEA B		Assistance &		in Character	State
		State Level		Dissemination	1	Education	Directed
	_	24,107	_	24,151	_	25240	 27200
General Fund-29101	\$	106,904	\$	114,193	\$	35,316	\$ 161,051
Special REC Operating-27101	_	0	_	0	_		 129,620
Totals	\$	106,904	\$	114,193	\$	35,316	\$ 290,671
						Other	
						Governmental Funds	Total
General Fund					\$	0	\$ 417,464
Special REC Operating-27101					-	25,340	 154,960
Totals					\$	25,340	\$ 572,424

The above interfund balances resulted from reimbursement grants. The shortfalls were covered by the General Fund. All transactions will be repaid within one year.

NOTE D: CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital Assets Balances and Activity for the fiscal year end is as follows:

		Beginning Balance 6/30/09	Increases	Deletions	Ending Balance 6/30/10
Governmental Activities	-				
Other Capital Assets					
Equipment	\$	746,536 \$	392,201 \$	26,107 \$	1,112,630
Total Capital	_				
Assets at Historical Cost	_	746,536	392,201	26,107	1,112,630
Less Accumulated Depreciation					
Equipment	_	453,972	92,972	26,107	520,837
Total Accumulated Depreciation	_	453,972	92,972	26,107	520,837
Capital Assets, net	\$_	292,564 \$	299,229 \$	0 \$	591,793

Depreciation expense was charged to governmental activities as follows:

Support Services-Students	\$ 92,972
Total depreciation expenses	\$ 92,972

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 Notes to the Financial Statements June 30, 2010

NOTE E: DEFERRED REVENUES

There was \$41,327 of deferred revenues Distant Learning (25198) and \$2,170 for IDEA Preschool (24109) for the year ended June 30, 2010.

NOTE F: COMPENSATED ABSENCES

The following is a summary of compensated absences transactions:

Accrued compensated absences, July 1, 2009	\$ 18,913
Current year additions	10,027
Current year retirements	 (14,884)
Accrued compensated absences, June 30, 2010	\$ 14,056

The compensated absences are shown on the balance sheet of the General Fund. The liability is expected to be retired within the year. Typically the general fund retires the compensated absences.

NOTE G: PENSION PLAN

Substantially all of the REC's full-time employees participate in a public employee retirement system authorized under the Educational Retirement Act (Chapter 22, Article 11, NMSA 1978). The Educational Retirement Board (ERB) is the administrator of the plan, which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit retirement plan. The plan provides for retirement benefits, disability benefits, survivor benefits and cost-of-living adjustments to plan members (certified teachers, and other employees of State public school RECs, colleges and universities) and beneficiaries. ERB issues a separate, publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the plan. That report may be obtained by writing to ERB, P.O. Box 26129, Santa Fe, NM 87502. The report is also available on ERB's website at www.nmerb.org.

Effective July 1, 2009, plan members were required by state statute to contribute 7.9% of their gross salary if they earn \$20,000 or less annually, and plan members earning more than \$20,000 annually were required to contribute 9.4% of their gross salary. The REC was required to contribute 12.4% of the gross covered salary for employees earning \$20,000 or less, and 10.9% of the gross covered salary of employees earning more than \$20,000 annually. The employer contribution will increase .75% each year until July 1, 2011 when the employer contribution will be 13.9% of the gross covered salary. The contribution requirements of plan members and the REC are established in State statute under Chapter 22, Article 11, NMSA 1978. The requirements may be amended by acts of the legislature. The REC's contributions to ERB for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2010, 2009, and 2008, were \$51,590, \$59,017 and \$43,879 respectively, which equal the amount of the required contributions for each fiscal year.

NOTE H: RETIREE HEALTH CARE ACT CONTRIBUTIONS

The REC contributes to the New Mexico Retiree Health Care Fund, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit postemployment healthcare plan administered by the New Mexico Retiree Health Care Authority (RHCA). The RHCA provides health care insurance and prescription drug benefits to retired employees of participating New Mexico government agencies, their spouses, dependents, and surviving spouses and dependents. The RHCA Board was established by the Retiree Health Care Act (Chapter 10, Article 7C, NMSA 1978). The Board is responsible for establishing and amending benefit provisions of the healthcare plan and is also authorized to designate optional and/or voluntary benefits like dental, vision, supplemental life insurance, and long-term care policies.

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Eligible retirees are: 1) retirees who make contributions to the fund for at least five years prior to retirement and whose eligible employer during that period of time made contributions as a participant in the RHCA plan on the person's behalf unless that person retires before the employer's RHCA effective date, in which the event the time period required for employee and employer contributions shall become the period of time between the employer's effective date and the date of retirement; 2) retirees defined by the Act who retired prior to July 1, 1990; 3) former legislators who served at least two years; and 4) former governing authority members who served at least four years.

The RHCA issues a publicly available stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the postemployment healthcare plan. That report and further information can be obtained by writing to the Retiree Health Care Authority at 4308 Carlisle NE, Suite 104, Albuquerque, NM 87107.

The Retiree Health Care Act (Section 10-7C-13 NMSA 1978) authorizes the RHCA Board to establish the monthly premium contributions that retirees are required to pay for healthcare benefits. Each participating retiree pays a monthly premium according to a service based subsidy rate schedule for the medical plus basic life plan plus an additional participation fee of five dollars if the eligible participant retired prior to the employer's RHCA effective date or is a former legislator or former governing authority member. Former legislators and governing authority members are required to pay 100% of the insurance premium to cover their claims and the administrative expenses of the plan. The monthly premium rate schedule can be obtained from the RHCA or viewed on their website at www.nmrhca.state.nm.us.

The Retiree Health Care Authority issues a separate, publicly available audited financial report that includes post employment benefit expenditures of premiums and claims paid, participant contributions (employer, employee, and retiree), and net expenditures for the fiscal year. The report also includes the approximate number of retirees participating in the plan. That report may be obtained by writing to the RHCA, Albuquerque State Government Center, 401 Roma, NW, Suite 200, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102.

The Retiree Health Care Act (Section 10-7C-15 NMSA 1978) is the statutory authority that establishes the required contributions of participating employers and their employees. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010, the statute required each participating employer to contribute 1.3% of each participating employee's annual salary; each participating employee was required to contribute .65% of their salary. In the fiscal years ending June 30, 2011 through June 30, 2013 the contribution rates for employees and employers will rise as follows:

For employees who are not members of an enhanced retirement plan the contribution rates will be:

	Employer	Employee
	Contribution	Contribution
Fiscal Year	Rate	Rate
2011	1.666%	0.833%
2012	1.834%	0.917%
2013	2.000%	1.000%

Also, employers joining the program after 1/1/98 are also required to make a surplus-amount contribution to the RHCA based on one of two formulas at agreed-upon intervals.

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The RHCA plan is financed on a pay-as-you-go basis. The employer, employee and retiree contributions are required to be remitted to the RHCA on a monthly basis. The statutory requirements for the contributions can be changed by the New Mexico State Legislature.

The REC's contributions to the RHCA for the years ended June 30, 2010, 2009 and 2008 were \$6,125, \$7,150 and \$5,872 respectively, which equal the required contributions for each year.

NOTE I: RECONCILIATION OF BUDGETARY BASIS TO GAAP BASIS STATEMENTS

The Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual all Governmental Fund Types is presented on the budgetary basis to provide a comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles) basis are that:

A. Revenues are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis).

B. Expenditures are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis).

The adjustments necessary to convert the results of operations for the year from GAAP basis to the budget basis for the governmental funds are as follows:

Reconciliations are located at the bottom of each budget actual.

NOTE J: INSURANCE COVERAGE

The REC is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; error and omissions; and injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The REC, as a New Mexico Public School, is insured through the New Mexico Public Schools Insurance Authority (NMPSIA). Annual premiums are paid by the REC to NMPSIA for coverage provided in the following areas:

Workers Compensation Property and Automobile Liability and Physical Damage Liability and Civil Rights and Personal Injury Contract School Bus Coverage; and Crime

NOTE K: SURETY BOND

The officials and certain employees of the NEREC are covered by a surety bond as required by Section 12-6-7, NMSA, 1978 Compilation.

NOTE L: JOINT POWERS AGREEMENTS AND OTHER AGREEMENTS

Mora, Las Vegas City, Pecos, Santa Rosa, West Las Vegas and Wagon Mound Public Schools (Member Districts) and Regional Education Cooperative #4

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On December 20, 2007 the Cooperative entered into an Agreement with the Member Districts whereby the Member District may provide for the efficient delivery of education-related services provided from funding under Part B of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. et seq. ("IDEA") and funded by the New Mexico Public Education Department ("NMPED"). The Cooperative will serve as a fiscal agent, accounting and reporting services on behalf of the Member Districts named herein receiving funding under a grant or other award provided from funding under Part B of the IDEA and/or any other funding source. A Member District must notify REC of any intention to withdraw its agreement to have REC serve as its fiscal agent on or before February 1st preceding the end of the last fiscal year it intends to have REC serve as the fiscal agent.

NOTE M: BUDGET VIOLATION

<u>Fund</u>		Approved Budget	Actual Expenditures	Amount over Expended	
General Fund (29101) Support Services-Students Other Purchased Services	\$	0 \$	5 2,345 \$	(2,345)	
IDEA State Level (24107)					
Support Services- Students Professional & Tech Services	\$	46,160 \$	56,319 \$	(10,159)	

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION RELATED TO

NON MAJOR FUNDS

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

IDEA Part B Special Education Cluster (24106) (24108) (24109) (24112).

To account for a program funded by a Federal grant to assist the District in providing free appropriate public education to all handicapped children. Funding authorized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, Part B, Sections 611-620, as amended, Public Laws 91-230, 93-380, 94-142, 98-199, 99-457, 100-639, and 101-476, 20 U. S. C. 1411-1420. The fund was created by the authority of federal grant provisions.

Carl Perkins (24174)

To account for funds distributed by the U.S. Department of Education through the State Department of Education to provide services which impact school district vocational programs, educators, and students. This fund was created by the authority of the Carl D. Perkins Vocational and Applied Technology Education Amendments of 1998, Title 1, Part B and C and Sections 115 and 116, and Workforce Investment Act, Section 503.

Advanced Replacement (27129)

To account for revenues and expenditures provided to promote and expand Advanced Placement Education in rural school districts. The Fund was created by the authority of federal grant provisions (Laws 2005 Chapter 33.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Balance Sheet June 30, 2010

	_	IDEA B Entitlement 24106		IDEA B Competitive 24108		IDEA Preschool 24109
ASSETS						
Cash Receivables	\$	0	\$	0	\$	2,170
Due From Grantor		24,417		0		0
Total Assets	\$	24,417	\$	0	\$	2,170
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
Liabilities						
Current Liabilities	•		•	-	•	
Interfund Balance	\$	24,417	\$	0	\$	0
Deferred Revenue	_	0		0		2,170
Total Liabilities		24,417		0		2,170
Fund Balance						
Unreserved, Undesignated		0		0		0
Total Fund Balance	-	0		0		0
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	\$	24,417	\$	0	\$	2,170

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPER/ SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Balance Sheet June 30, 2010

ASSETS	-	IDEA Early Intervention Services 24112		Carl Perkins 24174		Advanced Placement 27129
Cash	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
Receivables Due From Grantor Total Assets	\$_	0 0	\$	0	\$	923 923
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE						
Liabilities Current Liabilities Interfund Balance Deferred Revenue Total Liabilities	\$ 	0	\$	0 0 0	\$	923 0 923
Fund Balance Unreserved, Undesignated Total Fund Balance	-	0 0	· _	0 0		0000000000000000000000000000000000_0
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	\$_	0	\$	0	\$_	923

ASSETS	_	TOTAL
Cash	\$	2,170
Receivables Due From Grantor Total Assets	\$	25,340 27,510
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	*=	
Liabilities Current Liabilities Interfund Balance Deferred Revenue Total Liabilities	\$	25,340 2,170 27,510
Fund Balance Unreserved, Undesignated Total Fund Balance	-	0 0
Total Liabilities & Fund Balance	\$	27,510

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

	_	IDEA B Entitlement 24106		IDEA B Competitive 24108		IDEA Preschool 24109
Revenues		_		_		_
State Grants	\$		\$		\$	0
Federal Grants		129,934		0	-	16,182
Total Revenues		129,934	-	0	-	16,182
Expenditures						
Current Operations						
Instruction		69,205		0		14,902
Support Services-Students		59,696		0		1,280
Support Services General Administration		1,033	_	0		0
Total Expenditures	_	129,934	-	0	-	16,182
Net Change in Fund Balance		0		0		0
Fund Balance Beginning of Year	_	0	· -	0	· -	0
Fund Balance End of Year	\$_	0	\$	0	\$	0

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPER/** SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Revenues	_	IDEA Early Intervention Services 24112		Carl Perkins 24174		Advanced Placement 27129
State Grants	\$	0	\$	0	\$	3,729
Federal Grants	Ŷ	13,785	Ŧ	0	Ŧ	0,1 20
Total Revenues	-	13,785		0		3,729
Expenditures Current Operations Instruction Support Services-Students Support Services General Administration Total Expenditures	-	0 13,785 0 13,785		0 0 0 0		0 3,729 0 3,729
Net Change in Fund Balance		0		0		0
Fund Balance Beginning of Year	-	0		0		0
Fund Balance End of Year	\$_	0	\$	0	\$	0

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPER/** SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

	_	TOTAL
Revenues		
State Grants	\$	3,729
Federal Grants	_	159,901
Total Revenues	_	163,630
Expenditures		
Current Operations		
Instruction		84,107
Support Services-Students		78,490
Support Services General Administration		1,033
Total Expenditures	_	163,630
	_	,
Net Change in Fund Balance		0
Fund Balance Beginning of Year	_	0
Fund Balance End of Year	\$_	0

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-IDEA B ENTITLEMENT-24107

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Revenues	-	Budgetec Original	d Amounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)		
Federal Grant Total Revenues	\$_	409,752 \$ 409,752	<u>501,119</u> \$ 501,119	<u>319,323</u> \$ 319,323	(181,796) (181,796)		
Expenditures							
Instruction Professional & Tech Services Other Purchased Services Supplies Supply Assets Total Instruction	-	15,500 11,500 52,049 12,000 91,049	18,631 43,561 72,080 <u>29,412</u> 163,684	14,461 6,400 35,973 12,772 69,606	4,170 37,161 36,107 <u>16,640</u> 94,078		
Support Services-Students Professional & Tech Services Purchased Property Services Other Purchased Services Supplies Supply Assets Total Support Services- Students	-	30,973 0 51,338 16,987 0 99,298	25,161 7,000 20,108 26,824 32,937 112,030	9,591 869 12,772 13,766 22,698 59,696	15,570 6,131 7,336 13,058 10,239 52,334		
Support Services-General Administat Professional & Tech Services Purchased Property Services Total Support Services- General Administration Total Expenditures	ion - -	6,000 0 6,000 196,347	11,850 150 12,000 287,714	886 147 1,033 130,335	10,964 3 10,967 157,379		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		213,405	213,405	188,988	(24,417)		
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	_	(213,405)	(213,405)	(213,405)	0		
Cash Balance End of Year	\$_	0_\$	0 \$	(24,417) \$	(24,417)		
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis \$ 188,988 Net Change in Due from Grantor (189,389) Net Change in Due from Grantor 401 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis \$ 0							

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-IDEA B COMPETITIVE-24108

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance - Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

		Budgeted Am Original	nounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)		
Revenues							
Federal Grant	\$	1,595 \$	1,595_\$	1,595 \$	0		
Total Revenues		1,595	1,595	1,595	0		
Expenditures							
Instruction							
Supplies		0	0	0	0		
Total Instruction		0	0	0	0		
Total Expenditures		0	0	0	0		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues							
Over Expenditures		1,595	1,595	1,595	0		
Cash Balance Beginning of Year		(1,595)	(1,595)	(1,595)	0		
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0 \$	0 \$	<u> </u>	0		
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis \$ 1,595 Net Change in Due from Grantor (1,595) Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis \$ 0							

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-IDEA PRESCHOOL-24109

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -

Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis) For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

	_	Budgeted A		Actual (Budgetary	Variance with Final Budget-
_		Original	Final	Basis)	Over (Under)
Revenues	•				()
Federal Grant	\$	26,496 \$	26,496 \$	20,895 \$	(5,601)
Total Revenues		26,496	26,496	20,895	(5,601)
Expenditures					
Instruction					
Professional & Tech Services		0	275	275	0
Other Purchased Services		1,000	2,199	1,637	562
Supplies		14,007	12,533	10,192	2,341
Supply Assets		4,845	4,845	2,798	2,047
Total Instruction		19,852	19,852	14,902	4,950
Support Services-Student					
Professional & Tech Services		1,000	500	0	500
Other Purchased Services		3,101	2,246	165	2,081
Supplies		0	1,355	1,115	240
Total Support Services-Student	_	4,101	4,101	1,280	2,821
Total Expenditures	_	23,953	23,953	16,182	7,771
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		2,543	2,543	4,713	2,170
		·			2,170
Cash Balance Beginning of Year		(2,543)	(2,543)	(2,543)	0
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0_\$	0 \$	2,170 \$	2,170
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GA Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues O Net Change in Due from Grantor Net Change in Deffered Revenue Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues O	ver Ex _l	penditures-Cash	_	4,713 (2,543) (2,170) 0	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-IDEA VOLUNTARY EARLY INTERVENTION SERVICES-24112

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -

Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

		Budgeted Ar	nounts	Actual (Budgetary	Variance with Final Budget-		
	-	Original	Final	Basis)	Over (Under)		
Revenues	-			, ,	<u>.</u>		
Federal Grant	\$_	<u>13,981</u> \$	<u>13,981</u> \$	<u>13,785</u> \$	(196)		
Total Revenues	_	13,981	13,981	13,785	(196)		
Expenditures							
Support Services-Student							
Other Purchased Services	_	13,981	13,981	13,785	196		
Total Support Services-Student	_	13,981	13,981	13,785	196		
	_						
Total Expenditures		13,981	13,981	13,785	196		
	-						
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues							
Over Expenditures		0	0	0	0		
Cash Balance Beginning of Year		0	0	0	0		
	-						
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0\$	0\$	0\$	0		
	=						
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis							

Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis \$<u>0</u> \$<u>0</u>

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-CARL PERKINS-24174 Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -

Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

Devee	-	Budgeted Ai	mounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)	
Revenues Federal Grant	\$	11 264	11 OC1 C	11 264 0		
Total Revenues	Ф_ -	<u>11,364</u> 11,364	<u>11,364</u> \$ 11,364	<u> </u>	0	
Expenditures						
Instruction						
Professional & Tech Services		0	0	0	0	
Other Purchased Services	-	0	0	0	0	
Total Instruction	-	0	0	0	0	
Total Expenditures	_	0	0	0	0	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		11,364	11,364	11,364	0	
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	_	(11,364)	(11,364)	(11,364)	0	
Cash Balance End of Year	\$_	0_\$	<u> 0 </u> \$	<u> </u>	0	
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis 11,364 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis 11,364 Net Change in Due from Grantor (11,364) Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis 0						

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4 SPECIAL REVENUE FUND-ADVANCED PLACEMENT-27129

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance - Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)

For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

-	-	Budgeted Am Original	nounts Final	Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variance with Final Budget- Over (Under)	
Revenues State Grant	¢	40 475	10 175 (40.000 ¢	(5.405)	
Total Revenues	Ъ_	<u> </u>	<u>18,175</u> \$ 18,175	<u> 12,980 </u> \$ 12,980	<u>(5,195)</u> (5,195)	
Total Revenues	-	10,175	10,175	12,900	(3,193)	
Expenditures						
Instruction						
Professional & Tech Services	-	1,000	1,000	0	1,000	
Total Instruction	-	1,000	1,000	0	1,000	
Support Services-General Administration Professional & Tech Services	-	7,000	7,000	3,728	3,272	
Total Support Services-General Administration	-	7,000	7,000	3,728	3,272	
Total Expenditures	-	8,000	8,000	3,728	4,272	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures		10,175	10,175	9,252	(923)	
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	-	(10,175)	(10,175)	(10,175)	0	
Cash Balance End of Year	\$	0 \$	0\$	(923) \$	(923)	
Reconciliation of Budgetary Basis to GAAP Basis 9,252 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-Cash Basis 9,252 Net Change in Due from Grantor (9,252) Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures-GAAP Basis 0						

OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO **NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4** Cash Reconciliation For the Year Ended June 30, 2010

		_	Beginning Cash Balance	Revenue	 Expenses	Ending Cash Balance
Federal Flowthrough	24000	\$	(295,293) \$	968,984	\$ 917,035 \$	(243,344)
Federal Direct	25000		61	734,469	728,519	6,011
State Flowthrough	27000		51,288	423,123	570,195	(95,784)
	29000		318,859	106,951	8,345	417,465
Total		\$	74,916 \$	2,233,527	\$ 2,224,093 \$	84,349

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES

OF

FEDERAL AWARDS

Federal Agency/Pass Through Grantor/Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Grantor's Number	Total Federal Awards Expended
US DEPT OF AGRICULTURE			
Direct Program	40.055	05400	004.454
Distance Learning	10.855	25198	394,451
TOTAL US DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE			394,451
US DEPT OF EDUCATION			
PASS-THROUGH PROGRAM FROM:			
New Mexico Department of Education			
Special Education Cluster			
IDEA, Part B Entitlement	84.027	24106	129,934
IDEA, Part B Discretionary	84.027	24107	142,630
IDEA, Part B Discretionary-State Directed	84.027	27200	424,562
IDEA Preschool	84.173	24109	16,182
IDEA Early Intervention Services	84.173	24112	13,785
Total Special Education Cluster			727,092
SpEd-Tech Asst & Dissemination	84.323A	24151	594,280
DIRECT PROGRAMS			
Partnerships in Character Education	84.215S	25240	334,131
TOTAL US DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	0.12100	20210	1,655,503
			.,200,000
TOTAL FEDERAL ASSISTANCE		:	\$2,049,954

See Accompanying Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

Note 1: Significant Accounting Policies used in preparing the Schedule of Expenditure of Federal Awards

The modified accrual basis was used to prepare the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Note 2: Insurance Requirements

There are no insurance requirement on the federal awards disclosed on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Note 3: Loans or Loan Guarantees

There were no loans or loan guarantees outstanding at year end.

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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*

Mr. Hector Balderas State Auditor of the State of New Mexico Board Members of the Northeast Regional Education Cooperative #4

Mr. Balderas and Members of the Board

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, the aggregate remaining fund information, the budgetary comparisons of the general fund and major special revenue funds, and the combining and individual funds and related bugetary comparisons presented as supplemental information of the NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #4 (REC) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2010, and have issued our report thereon dated September 24, 2010. 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, we considered the REC's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the REC's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the REC's internal control over financial reporting.

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 resonable possibility that a material misstatement of the REC's financial statement will not prevent, or detect and correct on a timely basis.

Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and therefore, there can be no assurance that all deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses have been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the REC's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of it's 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 we disclosed one instance of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 10-1.

The REC's response to the finding identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. We did not audit the REC's response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the administration, the board members, the Public Education Department, the Office of the State Auditor, the New Mexico State Legislature and applicable federal grantors, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

De'hun Willoughby CPA PC

September 24, 2010

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Report on Compliance With Requirements Applicable to Each Major Program and Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133

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Mr. Balderas and Members of the Board

Compliance

We have audited NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE #4(REC) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the REC's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2010. The REC's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of the REC's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the REC's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the REC's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the REC's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the REC, complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2010.

Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the REC, is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered the REC's internal control over compliance with the requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program to determine the auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the REC's internal control over compliance.

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

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

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the administration, the board members, the Public Education Department, the Office of the State Auditor, the New Mexico State Legislature and federal awarding agencies and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

De'lun Willoughby CPA PC

September 24, 2010

Section I-Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued Internal control over financial reporting:		Unqualified
* Material weakness(es) identified?	yes	<u>X</u> no
* Reportable condition(s) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?	yes	X none reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	yes	<u>X</u> no
Federal Awards Internal control over major programs:		
* Material weakness(es) identified?	yes	<u>X</u> no
* Reportable condition(s) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses?	yes	X none reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs		Unqualified
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of Circular A-133	yes	<u>X</u> no
Identification of major programs:		
CFDA Number(s)Name of Federal Pri10.855Distance Learning Special Education (84.027IDEA, Part B Ent84.027IDEA, Part B Dis84.027IDEA, Part B Dis84.027IDEA, Part B Dis84.173IDEA Preschool84.173IDEA Early Intervolution	Cluster titlement cretionary cretionary-State	_
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs:		\$300,000
Auditee qualified as low risk auditee	<u>x</u> yes	no

STATE OF NEW MEXICO NORTHEAST REGIONAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE # 4

Schedule of Findings and Responses June 30, 2010

Prior Year Audit Findings

None

Current Year Audit Findings

10-1 Expenditures Over Budget

Condition

The REC incurred expenditures in excess of the approved budget in the following funds.

Fund	Approved Budget	Actual Expenditures	Amount over Expended
General Fund (29101)			
Support Services-Students			
Other Purchased Services	\$0	\$2,345	(\$2,345)
IDEA State Level (24107) Support Services-Students Professional & Tech Service	\$46,160	\$56,319	(\$10,159)

Criteria

According to NMSA 1978 Section 22-8-11 B all fiscal agents of public monies have a responsibility to monitor spending to comply with established budget guidelines. A budget is a proposed plan of financial operations for a given period of time. The annual budget authorizes and provides the basis for control of financial operations during the fiscal year. The budget should be analyzed monthly to insure expenditures remain within the legally adopted budget and revisions should be made whenever necessary.

Effect

State statue may have been violated subjecting those responsible to the penalty provisions of the statute.

Cause

Purchases were approved in excess of available budget or budget adjustments were not approved to cover the expenditures approved.

Recommendation

We recommend that purchases not be approved which would cause the budget to be exceeded. We also recommend that timely budget adjustments be prepared when necessary.

Response

The REC has a policy in place and makes every effort to comply with budget amendments. This was an oversight. We will diligently try to keep this from occurring in the future.

Financial Statement Preparation

The financial statements were prepared by DeAun Willoughby, CPA. However, they are the responsibility of management.

Exit Conference

An exit conference was held on September 24, 2010 in attendance were James A Abreu, PhD.-Director, Mary Sanchez-Financial Director, Ruben Cordova-Member De'Aun Willoughby, CPA.