

SOUTHERN WORCESTER COUNTY
REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

**SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORTS REQUIRED
UNDER THE SINGLE AUDIT ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1996**

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

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SINGLE AUDIT
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**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 School Committee
Southern Worcester County Regional
Vocational School District
Charlton, Massachusetts

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 the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 15, 2013.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) 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 Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District'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 Southern Worcester County Regional Vocation School District'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*.

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.

Scanlon & Associates, LLC

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South Deerfield, Massachusetts

November 15, 2013

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON
INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY OMB CIRCULAR A-133**

To the School Committee
Southern Worcester County Regional
Vocational School District
Charlton, Massachusetts

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *U. S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2013. The Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. 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, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. 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 Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District complied, in all material respects, with the types of 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, 2013.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program 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 Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District'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. *A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by OMB Circular A-133

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District's basic financial statements. We issued our report thereon dated November 15, 2013, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by 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 basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.


Scanlon & Associates, LLC
South Deerfield, Massachusetts

November 15, 2013

**SOUTHERN WORCESTER COUNTY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013**

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title	State/ Pass-Through Identification Number	Federal CFDA Number	Federal Awards Expended
U. S. Department of Agriculture			
Passed Through Commonwealth of Massachusetts			
Department of Elementary and Secondary Education:			
Child Nutrition Cluster:			
School Breakfast Program	14-054-2	10.553	\$ 11,212
National School Lunch Program	14-054-2	10.555	<u>122,422</u>
Total Child Nutrition Cluster			<u>133,634</u>
School Lunch Commodities	14-054-2	10.565	<u>23,260</u>
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture			<u>156,894</u>
U. S. Department of Education			
Direct Program:			
Student Financial Assistance Cluster:			
Federal Pell Grant Program		84.063	77,650
Federal Direct Student Loans		84.268	<u>198,326</u>
Total Student Financial Assistance Cluster			<u>275,976</u>
Passed Through Commonwealth of Massachusetts			
Department of Elementary and Secondary Education:			
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies:			
Title I - 2012	305-193-2-0876-M	84.010	29,020
Title I - 2012	305-498-2-0876-M	84.010	1,530
Title I - 2013	0305-000513-2013-0876	84.010	<u>139,109</u>
Total Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies			<u>169,659</u>
Special Education Cluster:			
Special Education PL 94-142 Allocation - 2012	240-168-2-0876-M	84.027	35,290
Special Education PL 94-142 Allocation - 2013	240-095-3-0876-N	84.027	250,604
Special Education PL 94-142 Allocation - 2013	240-401-3-0876-N	84.027	3,272
Special Education Program Improvement - 2012	274-256-2-0867-M	84.027	5,610
Special Education Program Improvement - 2013	274-044-3-0876-N	84.027	<u>4,376</u>
Total Special Education Cluster			<u>299,152</u>
Career and Technical Education:			
Occupational Education - Vocational Skills - 2012	400-022-2-0876-M	84.048	35,265
Occupational Education - Vocational Skills - 2013	400-039-3-0876-N	84.048	117,356
Special Projects - Other - 2012	424-004-2-0876-M	84.048	<u>103,500</u>
Total Career and Technical Education			<u>256,121</u>
Improving Teacher Quality:			
Teacher Quality - 2013	0140-004198-2013-0876	84.367	<u>20,453</u>
Total Improving Teacher Quality			<u>20,453</u>
Race to the Top Incentive Grants:			
ARRA - Race to the Top - 2013	201-000491-2013-0876	84.395	<u>53,813</u>
Total Race to the Top Incentive Grants			<u>53,813</u>
Total U. S. Department of Education			<u>1,075,174</u>
TOTAL FEDERAL AWARDS EXPENDED			<u>\$ 1,232,068</u>

The Notes to the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards are an integral part of this Schedule.

**SOUTHERN WORCESTER COUNTY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS
JUNE 30, 2013**

NOTE A – BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the Schedule) includes the federal grant activity of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2013. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of the Southern Worcester County Regional Vocational School District.

NOTE B – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

- (1) Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting.
- (2) Pass-through entity identifying numbers are presented where available.

NOTE C – FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Nonmonetary assistance is reported in the Schedule at the fair market value of the commodities received and disbursed.

SOUTHERN WORCESTER COUNTY REGIONAL VOCATIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
 SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2013

Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements

Type of auditor's report issued:	Unqualified
Internal control over financial reporting:	
Material weakness identified?	No
Significant deficiency identified not considered to be a material weakness?	None Reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	No

Federal Awards

Internal control over major programs:	
Material weakness identified?	No
Significant deficiency identified not considered to be a material weakness?	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 Circular A-133, Section .510(a)?	No

Identification of major programs:

<u>CFDA Number</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program or Cluster</u>
84.010	U. S. Department of Education - Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies
84.027	U. S. Department of Education - Special Education Grants to States
Student Financial Assistance Cluster:	
84.063	U. S. Department of Education - Federal Pell Grant Program
84.268	U. S. Department of Education - Federal Direct Student Loans

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	\$300,000
Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee?	Yes

Section II - Financial Statement Findings

There are no material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting noted.

Section III - Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

There are no federal award findings or questioned costs reported.

Section IV - Prior Year Findings

There were no findings reported for the year ended June 30, 2012.