NEW LIFE CHARTER ACADEMIES, INC.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board Members of New Life Charter Academies, Inc. 3550 Davie Boulevard Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33312

I have audited the accompanying Financial Statements of the governmental activities, and each major fund, of New Life Charter Academies, Inc. ("the Academies") (a nonprofit organization) a component unit of The School Board of Broward County as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, which collectively comprise the Academies' basic financial statements as listed in the foregoing Table of Contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Management of the Academies. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.

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

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above and the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance-Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual-All Governmental Fund Types present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, and each major fund, of the Academies as of June 30, 2020, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, I have also issued my report dated September 8, 2020, on my consideration of the Academies' internal control over financial reporting and my 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 my testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of my audit.

Other Matters

Report on Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, budgetary comparison information on pages 3 through 6 and 13 are presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information although not part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standard Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. I have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America., which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. I do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide me with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Palm Beach Gardens, Florida September 8, 2020

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Our discussion and analysis of New Life Charter Academies, Inc.'s ("the Academies") financial program provides an overview of the Academies' financial activities for the year ended June 30, 2020.

Because the information contained in this discussion is intended to highlight significant transactions, it should be read in conjunction with the Academies' financial statements, which begin on page 7.

For financial statement purposes the Academies is considered a component unit of The School Board of Broward County, which is a primary government entity for financial reporting. The Academies has included separate statements for the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the statement of Revenue, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance. The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities reports provide information on the activities of the Academies. The Fund Financial Statements reflect financing activities of the Academies by providing information on inflows and outflows of spendable resources.

NON FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The Academies' daily enrollment for fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 was 137 students. The Academies expects to have an enrollment of 138 students for the school year 2020-2021.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the Academies' financial position. Included in these statements are all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are recorded when earned or incurred.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the Academies' assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as *net position*. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the Academies is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the government's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported when the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows.

Fund Financial Statements

A *Fund* is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Cont'd.)

Fund Financial Statements (Cont'd.)

Governmental Funds – All of the Academies' basic services are reported in governmental funds, which focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances left at year-end that are available for spending. These funds are reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and all other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the Academies' governmental activities and the basic services it provides.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The *Notes to the Financial Statements* provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The Notes to the Financial Statements can be found on pages 14-20 of this report.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of the Academies' financial position. The Academies' assets exceeded liabilities by \$236,207 at June 30, 2020.

NET ASSETS

	JUNE 30, 2020	JUNE 30, 2019
Current and Other Assets	174,392	110,383
Capital Assets	106,517	114,716
Total Assets	280,909	225,099
Other Liabilities	44,702	78,432
Total Liabilities	44,702	95,390
Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Committed	106,517 89,359 11,583	114,716 65,944
Unrestricted	28,748	(33,993)
Total Net Position	236,207	146,667

Revenues from governmental activities totaled \$1,456,382 for the year ended June 30, 2020. The main source of revenue is from Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP). This revenue represented approximately 67.4% of total governmental revenue.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS (Cont'd.)

		<u>9</u> /	<u>6 of Total</u>	% of Total			
Revenue Source		6/30/20	6/30/20		<u>6/30/19</u>	<u>6/30/19</u>	
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State Sources	\$	1,108,920	75.1	\$	1,185,654	83.3	
Federal Sources		347,462	23.5		217,125	15.3	
Local Sources		19,436	1.4		20,469	1.4	
TOTAL	\$	1,475,818	100.0	\$	1,423,158	100.0	

Federal revenue sources are primarily Title 1 funds, UniSIG funds, and the National School Lunch Program (NSLP). Increases in levels of expenses for major functions of the Academies are shown in the following table:

		% of Total			% of Total
Expense	<u>6/30/20</u>	<u>6/30/20</u>		<u>6/30/19</u>	<u>6/30/19</u>
Instruction	\$ 491,555	35.5	\$	453,641	31.7
Instructional Support					
Services	124,768	9.0		79,943	5.6
Board Services	9,488	.7		38,975	2.7
School Administration	200,435	14.5		236,656	16.5
General Administration	49,677	3.6		54,705	3.8
Fiscal Services	49,237	3.6		50,841	3.6
Food Services	89,383	6.4		112,550	7.9
Central services	6,915	0.5		8,215	0.6
Pupil Transportation	35,100	2.5		97,296	6.8
Operation of Plant	276,820	20.0		257,888	18.0
Maintenance of plant	7,523	0.5		1,939	0.1
Community Services	6,285	0.5		7,714	0.5
Depreciation	39,092	2.7		30,207	2.1
TOTAL	\$ 1,386,278	100.0	 \$	1,430,570	100.0

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

State, revenues were approximately \$189,000 less than budgeted amounts, primarily due to lower enrollment. The school had 25 less students than budgeted. Federal revenues were more than budget by approximately \$153,000 because of an increase in Title I and Payroll Protection Program funds received during the year. Local revenues were approximately \$71,000 less than budget because of lower than expected fundraising.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS (Cont'd.)

Expenditures were \$108,000 less than budget primarily because school enrollment was lower than budgeted. This affected expenses across the board and in all categories. Instruction costs were approximately \$42,000 more than budget because the school received a grant that was not included in the original budget. School Administration and food service expenses were lower than budget by approximately \$80,000 because of lower enrollment and school closure because of covid-19.

Total fund balance was \$129,690 at June 30, 2020.

CAPITAL ASSETS

The Academies' investment in capital assets at June 30, 2020 was \$106,517 (net of depreciation). The investment includes leasehold improvements, furniture and equipment and computer software and equipment. The following is a summary of capital assets balances at June 30, 2020.

Furniture and Equipment	\$ 229,366
Computer Equipment	 2,467
	231,833
Less Accumulated Depreciation	125,316
	\$ 106,517

PROSPECTS FOR THE FUTURE

The Academies continue to receive funds from State sources in the form of Florida Education Finance Program Fees (FEFP). The fees are evaluated in October and February and are based on student enrollment.

- The Administration believes that the Academies will achieve a higher rating from the Department of Education.
- The Administration believes that the Academies will continue to be successful and contribute to the educational requirements of Broward County.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

The Management Discussion and Analysis provides a general overview of the finances of the Academies. Requests for additional information should be addressed to Shirley Brunache, Principal, at 3550 Davie Boulevard, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33312.

NEW LIFE CHARTER ACADEMIES, INC. Governmental Fund balance Sheet June 30, 2020

			S	Special				
	Gov	ernmental	R	evenue	(Capital		
		Funds		Funds	Outlay		Total	
ASSETS								
Cash	\$	93,222					\$	93,222
Other current assets		7,587						7,587
Due from other agencies				52,119		7,564		59,683
Due from other funds		(41,259)		37,240		4,019		
Deposits		13,900						13,900
Total Assets		73,450		89,359		11,583		174,392
LIABILITIES								
Accounts Payable		17,702						17,702
Other Liabilities		27,000						27,000
Total Liabilities		44,702		_				44,702
FUND BALANCE								
Restricted				89,359				89,359
Committed				·		11,583		11,583
Unassigned		28,748				ŕ		28,748
Ç		28,748		89,359		11,583		129,690
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance	\$	73,450	\$	89,359	\$	11,583	\$	174,392

NEW LIFE CHARTER ACADEMIES, INC. STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

Year ended June 30, 2020

		Primary Govern	ment	
	Account	Governmental		
ASSETS	Number	Activities	Activities	Total
Cash and Cash Equivalents	1110	93,222		93,222
Due from other agencies	1130	59,683		59,683
Deposits	1210	13,900		13,900
Other current assets	12XX	7,587		7,587
Capital Assets:				
Less Accumulated Depreciation	1329			
Furniture, Fixtures and equipment	1340	229,366		229,366
Less Accumulated Depreciation	1349	(124,262)		(124,262)
Motor Vehicles	1350			
Less Accumulated Depreciation	1359			
Computer Software	1382	2,467		2,467
Less Accumulated Depreciation	1389	(1,054)		(1,054)
Total Assets		280,909		280,909
LIABILITIES				
Salaries and Wages Payable	2110			
Payroll Deductions and Withholdings	2170			
Accounts Payable	2120	17,702		17,702
Other Liabilities	2180	27,000		27,000
Total Liabilities		44,702		44,702
NET POSITION				
Invested in Capital Assets, Net of Related Debt		106,517		106,517
Restricted For:				
Committed		11,583		
Restricted		89,359		89,359
Unrestricted		28,748		28,748
Total Net Position	_	236,207		236,207

Reconciliation of Governmental Funds Balance Sheet To the Statement of NetPosition June 30, 2020

Fund Balance- Governmental Funds

\$129,690

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds

Governmental capital assets 231,833 Less accumulated depreciation (125,316)

106,517

Some expenses reported in the Statement of Net Position do not require the use of current financial resources and therefore are not reported as expenditures in the Governmental Funds.

Net Position of Governmental Activities

\$236,207

${\bf Statement\ of\ Governmental\ Fund\ Revenues,\ Expenditures\ and}$

Changes in Fund Balance

For the Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2020

	Governmental Funds	Special Revenue	Capital Outlay	Total
EXPENSES				
Instructional Services	\$359,139	\$163,309		\$522,448
Instructional Support Services	114,785	9,983		124,768
Board	9,488			9,488
School Administration	181,293	19,142		200,435
General Administration	49,677			49,677
Fiscal Services	49,237			49,237
Food Services	0	89,383		89,383
Central Services	6,915			6,915
Pupil Transportation Services	35,100			35,100
Operation of Plant	165,659	36,564	74,597	276,820
Maintenance of Plant	7,523			7,523
Community services Services	6,285			6,285
Total Expenses	985,101	318,381	74,597	1,378,079
PROGRAM REVENUES				
Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP)	981,184			981,184
Capital Outlay			86,180	86,180
Total Program Revenues	981,184		86,180	1,067,364
GENERAL REVENUES				
Other Federal sources	5,666	341,796		347,462
Other State sources	41,556			41,556
Other local sources	19,436			19,436
Total General Revenues	66,658	341,796		408,454
Excess of Revenues over expenses Other Financing Sources	62,741	23,415		97,739
Net change in Fund Balance	62,741	23,415	11,583	97,739
Fund balance, beginning of Year	(33,993)	65,944		31,951
Fund balance, end of year	\$28,748	\$ 89,359	\$ 11,583	\$129,690

Statement of Activities For the year ended June 30, 2020

				P	Program Revenues Operating	Capital			pense) /revenues anges in Net Pos	
	Account		Charges for		Grants and	Grants and	Go	vernmental	Business-type	
FUNCTIONS	Number	Expenses	Services		Contributions	Contributions		Activities	Activities	Total
Governmental Activities:		•								
Instructional Services		\$491,555		\$	252,413		\$	(239,142)		\$ (239,142)
Instructional Support Services		124,768			47,222			(77,546)		(77,546)
Board		9,488						(9,488)		(9,488)
School Administration		200,435						(200,435)		(200,435)
General Administration		49,677						(49,677)		(49,677)
Fiscal Services		49,237						(49,237)		(49,237)
Food Services		89,383			89,383			-		-
Central Services		6,915						(6,915)		(6,915)
Pupil Transportation Services		35,100						(35,100)		(35,100)
Operation of Plant		276,820				86,180		(190,640)		(190,640)
Maintenance of Plant		7,523						(7,523)		(7,523)
Community services Services		6,285						(6,285)		(6,285)
Unallocated Depreciation Expense		39,092						(39,092)		(39,092)
		1,386,278	-		389,018	86,180		(911,080)		(911,080)
	Taxes:									
	Florida Ed	ducation Fina	nce Program (l	FEF	P)			981,184		981,184
	Grants and o	contributions	not restricted t	o sp	ecific programs			19,436		19,436
	Total gen	eral revenues.	, special items,	, and	l transfers			1,000,620		1,000,620
	Change i	n net position	1					89,540		89,540
	Net position	-beginning						146,667		146,667
	Net position	n-ending					\$	236,207		\$ 236,207

NEW LIFE CHARTER ACADEMIES, INC. Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds To The Statement of Activities June 30, 2020

Net Changes in Fund Balances- Governmental Funds

\$97,739

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:
Governmental Funds report capital outlays as expenditures.
However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is depreciated over their estimated useful lives.

Expenditures for capital assets 30,893
Less current year depreciation (39,092)
(8,199)

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities

\$89,540

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes

In Fund Balance Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual

All Governmental Fund types

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020

				Special Revent	10	,, =v=v	Capital O	ntlav			TOTAL	
	Original			Original	ac.		Original	шиау		Original	TOTAL	
	and Final			and Final			and Final			and Final		
		A =+=1	Vi		A1	Variance		A = 4++=1	Variance		A1	Vi
EVDENDIEUDEC.	Budget	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	Variance	Budget	Actual	variance	Budget	Actual	Variance
EXPENDITURES:	0.475 500	0250 120	(0115.451)	#44.000	0152.200	4110.500				6520 100	0522.440	#2.040
Instructional Services	\$475,600	\$359,139	(\$116,461)	\$44,800	\$163,309	\$118,509				\$520,400	\$522,448	\$2,048
Instructional Support Services	80,900	114,785	33,885	200	9,983	9,783				81,100	124,768	43,668
Board Fees	7,700	9,488	1,788							7,700	9,488	1,788
General Administration	59,800	49,677	(10,123)							59,800	49,677	(10,123)
School Administration	249,700	181,293	(68,407)		19,142	19,142				249,700	200,435	(49,265)
Fiscal Services	51,100	49,237	(1,863)							51,100	49,237	(1,863)
Food Services	=	-	=	121,300	89,383	(31,917)				121,300	89,383	(31,917)
Central Services	4,000	6,915	2,915							4,000	6,915	2,915
Pupil Transportation Services	50,000	35,100	(14,900)							50,000	35,100	(14,900)
Operation of Plant	239,000	165,659	(73,341)		36,564	36,564	70,000	74,597	4,597	309,000	276,820	(32,180)
Maintenance of Plant	3,000	7,523	4,523							3,000	7,523	4,523
Community services Services	7,800	6,285	(1,515)							7,800	6,285	(1,515)
Debt Service	20,775		(20,775)							20,775		(20,775)
	1,249,375	985,101	(264,274)	166,300	318,381	152,081	70,000	74,597	4,597	1,485,675	1,378,079	(107,596)
PROGRAM REVENUES:												
Florida Education Finance Program	1,169,773	981,184	(188,589)							1,169,773	981,184	(188,589)
Capital Outlay							70,000	86,180	16,180	70,000	86,180	16,180
	1,169,773	981,184	(188,589)				70,000	86,180	16,180	1,239,773	1,067,364	(172,409)
GENERAL REVENUES:												
Other federal sources		5,666	5,666	193,900	341,796	147,896				193,900	347,462	153,562
Other State Sources	25,820	41,556	15,736							25,820	41,556	15,736
Other Local Sources	90,033	19,436	(70,597)							90,033	19,436	(70,597)
	115,853	66,658	(49,195)	193,900	341,796	147,896				309,753	408,454	98,701
Excess of Expenditures over Revenues	\$ 36,251	62,741	\$26,490 \$	27,600 \$	23,415	\$ (4,185) \$	- \$	11,583	\$ 11,583	\$63,851	97,739	\$33,888
Net change in Fund Balance	_	62,741		\$	23,415		\$	11,583			97,739	
Fund Balance, Beginning of Year	_	(33,993)			65,944		_	-			31,951	
Fund Balance, End of year	=	\$28,748		\$	89,359		\$	11,583			\$129,690	

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Reporting Entity

New Life Charter Academies, Inc. ("Academies") was established as a nonprofit organization on July 19, 2012, under the laws of the State of Florida and is the reporting entity.

The Academies operate as a Charter School pursuant to a Charter School Contract ("the Contract") with The School Board of Broward County, Florida. Under the Contract the Academies provide an education to children, from Kindergarten through the fifth grade, who reside in Broward County in and around the City of Ft. Lauderdale. For financial statement purposes the Academies is considered a component unit of The School Board of Broward County, which is a primary government entity for financial reporting.

The School Board of Broward County received 5% of the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) revenue as an administrative fee. The Contract is effective through June 30, 2024. The Contract requires The School Board to provide the Academies' primary source of funding based upon the number of full-time equivalent students (FTES) registered at the Academies.

The Academies is a tax-exempt organization under 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Academies' financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is responsible for establishing GAAP for school districts through its pronouncements (statements and interpretations). The more significant accounting policies established in GAAP and used by the Academies are discussed below.

Basic Financial Statements

The Academies' basic financial statements are the Statements of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. All the activities of the Academies are classified as governmental type activities. There are no business type activities of the Academies. All the Academies' governmental activities are included in the general fund. There are no other major funds. In the Statement of Net Position, the governmental activities column is reported on a full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt obligations. The Academies' net position are reported in three parts – invested in capital assets, net of related debt; restricted for categorical carryover programs, debt service; and unrestricted net position.

The Statement of Activities reports both the gross and net cost of each of the Academies' functions. The functions are also supported by government revenues such as Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP), Capital Outlay Funds and Federal Grants. The Statement of Activities reduces gross expenses (including depreciation) by related program revenues, operating and capital grants.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd.)

Basic Financial Statements (cont'd.)

Program revenues must be directly associated with the function (after care and youth services, etc.). Operating grants include operating-specific and discretionary (either operating or capital) grants while the capital grants column reflects capital-specific grants.

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial statements are provided for governmental funds. The operations of the funds are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, liabilities, equity, revenues and expenditures. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements:

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

Special Revenue Fund – accounts for specific revenue, such as federal grants that are legally restricted to expenditures for particular purposes.

Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting refers to the point at which revenues or expenditures/expenses are recognized in the accounting and reported in the financial statements. It relates to the timing of the measurements made regardless of the measurement focus applied.

Accrual

The governmental type activities in the financial statements are presented on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the policy of the Academies to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

Measurement Focus

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as current financial resources (current assets less current liabilities) or economic resources (all assets and liabilities).

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd.)

Measurement Focus (Cont'd.)

The Government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the balance sheet and operating statements present increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in net position.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. Operating statements of these funds present increases (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and decreases (i.e., expenditures and other financial uses) in net current assets.

Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when they become measurable and available to finance expenditures of the fiscal period. For this purpose, the Academies consider revenues to be available if they are collected within sixty days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related liability is incurred.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles include the use of estimates that affect the financial statements. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments that subject the Academies to concentrations of credit risk include cash. While the Academies attempt to limit its financial exposure, its deposit balances never exceeded federally insured limits. The Academies have not experienced any losses on such balances.

Cash deposits are held at banks qualified as public depositories in accordance with Chapter 280, Florida Statutes.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd.)

Fair Value Measurements

The Fair Value Measurement Topic of the FASB Accounting Standards Codification defines fair value, establishes a consistent framework for measuring fair value within accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Academies' financial Assets, measured at fair value, include cash that is valued according to level 1, which is the highest level of measurement.

Contributed Services and Facilities

The Academies do not recognize any support, revenue or expense from services contributed by individual volunteers since no objective basis is available to measure the value of such services. However, a substantial number of volunteers have donated significant amounts of time to the Academies' program services.

Budgetary Basis of Accounting

Budgets are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. During the fiscal year expenditures were controlled at the object level (i.e., salaries, purchased services, and capital outlay).

Capital Assets

Capital assets purchased or acquired with an original cost of \$1,000 or more are reported at historical cost. Contributed assets are reported at fair market value as of 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.

Depreciation on all assets is provided on the straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives:

Leasehold Improvements 10 Years Furniture and Equipment 5-10 Years

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Cont'd.)

Revenue Sources

Revenues for operations are received primarily from The School Board of Broward County pursuant to the funding provisions included in the Academies' Charter. In accordance with the funding provisions of the Charter and Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes, the Academies will report the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) students and related data to The School Board of Broward County. Funding for the Academies is adjusted during the year to reflect the revised calculations by the Florida Department of Education under the Florida Education Finance Program and the actual weighted full-time equivalent students reported by the Academies during the designated full-time equivalent student survey periods. In addition, the Academies receive an annual allocation of Charter School Capital Outlay Funds for leasing of school facilities.

Fund Balance Classifications

GASB requires the fund balance amounts to be properly reported within one of the fund balance categories listed below:

- a) Nonspendable fund balance includes amounts that are not in a spendable form such as inventories, prepaid expenses, long-term loans and notes receivable, and property held for resale (unless the proceeds are restricted, committed or assigned). There was no nonspendable fund balance at year end.
- b) **Restricted** fund balance includes amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by external resource providers, constitutionally, or through enabling legislation. There was a restricted fund balance at year end.
- c) Committed fund balance includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the Academies' highest level of decision making authority. There was a committed fund balance at year end.

Fund Balance Classifications (Cont'd.)

- d) **Assigned** fund balance includes amounts intended to be used by the Academies' Management for specific purposes but which does not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. There was no assigned fund balance at year end.
- e) **Unassigned** fund balance includes amounts that are available for any purpose. These amounts are reported only in the general fund. There was an unassigned fund deficit at year end.

Order of Fund Balance Spending Policy

The Academies' policy is to apply expenditures against nonspendable fund balance, followed in order by restricted fund balance, committed fund balance, assigned fund balance, and lastly unassigned fund balance at the end of the fiscal year. The Academies' Board of Directors can deviate from this policy if it is in the best interest of the Academies.

NOTE 2 – CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended June 30, 2020, was as follows:

	В	alance					В	alance
	В	Seginning	Ad	ditions	Disposals		Er	nding
Furniture and	\$	198,473	\$	30,893	\$	-	\$	229,366
Equipment								
Computer Equipment		2,467		-		-		2,467
		201,562		30,893		-		231,833
Less Accumulated								
Depreciation		86,224		39,092		-		125,316
NET CAPITAL								
ASSETS	\$	114,716	\$	(8,199)	\$	-	\$	106,517

Depreciation expense of \$39,092 was charged during the year ended June 30, 2020.

NOTE 3 – COMPENSATED ABSENCES

Employees of the Academies are entitled to paid vacation and sick days depending on length of services. The Academies' policy is to recognize the cost of vacation days when earned by the employees. The current policy of the Academies is that vacation days not used during the calendar year are forfeited. The value of unused vacation days was determined to be immaterial and therefore no accrual has been made.

NOTE 4 – COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Lease Agreement

The Academies lease its administrative and classroom facilities under a non cancelable operating lease that expires in 2021. Annual rental expenses were approximately \$162,000 for the year ended June 30, 2020. Future minimum payments under this lease, assuming the lease will be renewed, are as follows:

June 30,		
	2021	162,000
	2022	167,000
	2023	172,000
	2024	177,000
	2025	 182,000
		\$ 914,000

Risk Management

The Academies is exposed to various risks of loss related to theft, damage to, and destruction of assets, errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Academies purchase commercial insurance for all material risks of loss to which the Academies are exposed, including general liability, property, and workers compensation. A review of the last five years reveals that settled claims have not exceeded insurance coverage.

The Academies receives funding from the State of Florida based on the number of full time equivalent (FTE) students who attend the Charter Academies. The data is compiled by the Academies and is subject to audit by the State and if errors are found this could result in amounts having to be repaid to the State or decrease in future allocations. Management reported that the school did not have to repay any funds back to the State since there were no errors in their FTE count.

NOTE 5 – OTHER LIABILITIES

Other liabilities are amounts due to KEM Consulting. The balance of these amounts at June 30, 2020 was \$27,000.

NOTE 6 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Management has evaluated events that occurred subsequent to the year end for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements, through the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued. The date when the financial statements were available to be issued was September 8, 2020. Management's evaluation did not reveal any subsequent events that would have a material effect on the financial statements.

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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

To The Board Members of New Life Charter Academies, Inc. 3550 Davie Boulevard Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33312

I have audited the financial statements of New Life Charter Academies, Inc. ("the Academies") (a non-profit organization) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, and have issued my report thereon dated September 8, 2020. I conducted my 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 my audit, I considered the Academies' internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing my auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing my opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Academies' internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, I do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Academies' 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 reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

My consideration of internal control over financial reporting 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 financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. I did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that I consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

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 (Cont'd.)

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Academies' financial statements are free of material misstatement, I 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 my audit and, accordingly, I do not express such an opinion. The results of my tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This Report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board Members, Management, others within the organization and federal awarding agencies and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Palm Beach Gardens, Florida September 8, 2020

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MANAGEMENT LETTER

To the Board Members of New Life Charter Academies, Inc. 3550 Davie Boulevard Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33312

Report on the Financial Statements

I have audited the financial statements of the New Life Charter Academies, Inc., Florida, ("the Academies") as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020, and have issued my report thereon dated September 8, 2020.

Auditor's Responsibility

I conducted my audit 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 Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General.

Other Reports and Schedules

I have issued my Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of the Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*.

Prior Audit Findings

Section 10.854(1)(e)1., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that I determine whether or not corrective actions have been taken to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report. There were no findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report.

Official Title

Section 10.854(1)(e)5., Rules of the Auditor General, requires the name or official title of the entity. The official title of the entity is New Life Charter Academies, Inc.

MANAGEMENT LETTER (Continued)

Financial Condition

Section 10.854(1)(e)2., Rules of the Auditor General, require that I report the results of my determination as to whether or not the New Life Charter Academies, Inc., has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes, and identification of the specific condition(s) met. In connection with my audit, I determined that the New Life Charter Academies, Inc. did not meet any of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes.

Pursuant to Sections 10.854(1)(e)6.a. and 10.855(12), Rules of the Auditor General, I applied financial condition assessment procedures for the New Life Charter Academies, Inc. It is management's responsibility to monitor the New Life Charter Academies' financial condition, and my financial condition assessment was based in part on representations made by management and the review of financial information provided by same. Financial assessments made did not indicate that the New Life Charter Academies' financial condition is deteriorating.

Transparency

Sections 10.854(1)(e)7. and 10.855(13), Rules of the Auditor General, require that I report the results of my determination as to whether the New Life Charter Academies, Inc. maintains on its Web site the information specified in Section 1002.33(9)(p), Florida Statutes. In connection with my audit, I determined that the New Life Charter Academies, Inc. maintained on its Web site the information specified in Section 1002.33(9)(p), Florida Statutes.

Other Matters

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

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

Purpose of this Letter

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

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Mark Escoffery, P.A.

September 8, 2020