# LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT SCHOOL BOND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM PROPOSITION BB

STATEMENT OF BOND EXPENDITURES AND SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES AS OF JUNE 30, 2020

(WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT THEREON)



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#### **Independent Auditor's Report**

The Honorable Board of Education and School Construction Bond Citizens' Oversight Committee Los Angeles Unified School District:

We have audited the accompanying statement of bond expenditures (Statement) of the **Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program** of the Los Angeles Unified School District (the District) for the year ended June 30, 2020 and the related notes to the Statement.

#### Management's Responsibility for the Statement of Bond Expenditures

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the Statement 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 the Statement that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Statement based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the Statement is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the Statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the Statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the District's preparation and fair presentation of the Statement 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 District's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the Statement.

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





#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the statement of bond expenditures referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the expenditures of the Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program of the Los Angeles Unified School District for the year ended June 30, 2020 in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Other Matters**

Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the statement of bond expenditures of the Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program of the Los Angeles Unified School District. The accompanying supplementary schedule of sources and uses of funds and fund balance and supplementary schedule of bond expenditures for the period from April 8, 1997 (inception) to June 30, 2020 (Supplementary Schedules), are presented for purposes of additional analysis, and are not a required part of the statement of bond expenditures.

The Supplementary Schedules have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the statement of bond expenditures, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Los Angeles, California

Simpon & Simpon

June 3, 2021

Statement of Bond Expenditures Year Ended June 30, 2020

Cost Category	2020
Facilities Services Division (FSD) Capital Programs	
School Modernization	\$ 1,341,119
Total FSD Capital Programs	1,341,119
Total Expenditures, June 30, 2020	\$ 1,341,119

See accompanying notes to statement of bond expenditures.

Notes to Statement of Bond Expenditures Year ended June 30, 2020

#### (1) Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program Background

Proposition BB Initiative (Proposition BB) authorized the Los Angeles Unified School District (District) to issue \$2.4 billion in general obligation bonds. Bond proceeds are to be utilized for projects such as the repair of safety hazards, asbestos removal, installation of air-conditioning, making classrooms accessible to the disabled, upgrading security, and the construction of new classrooms. Proposition BB specifically states that no bond proceeds are to be used for administrator salaries.

The Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program (Program) is intended to provide needed health and safety improvements to more than 800 deteriorating schools and 15,000 buildings and to match state funds for new construction and modernization projects. The District Board of Education has established a Citizen's Oversight Committee to ensure that the proceeds of the Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program bond issuances are used for the purposes stated in the resolution, which placed the Proposition BB on the 1997 ballot.

#### (2) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying statement of bond expenditures has been prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The accompanying statement of bond expenditures reflects the flow of current financial resources measurement focus and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting.

#### a) Actual Expenditures Incurred

The amounts included within the accompanying statement of bond expenditures represent actual expenditures paid and accrued by the District for the year ended June 30, 2020, adjusted by discounts received from the vendors. The actual expenditure amounts included expenditures of bond proceeds, reimbursements of bond proceeds, and interest earned on the bond proceeds and reimbursements.

#### b) Cost Category

The major cost categories in the statement of bond expenditures for Proposition BB represent bond programs funded by the bond.

An example of "Indirect" cost is program management. Program management includes program-level support costs for staff members of the Facilities Executive Office and Facilities Services Division (FSD) branches as well as non-FSD support which includes costs of support staff outside of FSD charged to the bond program, such as the Office of the General Counsel, Inspector General, Accounts Payable, and Risk Management.

UNAUDITED SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES

Unaudited Supplementary Schedule of Sources and Uses of Funds and Fund Balance Period from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2020 (Unaudited)

Sources of Funds from Inception through June 30, 2020:	
Bonds Issued - FY 1997-98 through FY 2002-03 (final issuance)	\$ 2,400,000,000
Interest Income - FY 1997-98 through FY 2018-19	177,727,302
Interest Income - FY 2019-20	88,848
Local Income - FY 2001-02 through FY 2017-18	1,966,538
Transfers In (Reimbursements) - Other Financing Sources (OFS)	
FY 2006-07 through FY 2018-19	208,145,472
Transfers In (Reimbursements) - OFS FY 2019-20	372,156
Total Sources of Funds, June 30, 2020	\$ 2,788,300,316
Uses of Funds (Expenditures) from Inception through June 30, 2020	(2,783,794,539)
Fund Balance, June 30, 2020	\$ 4,505,777

#### **Note to Schedule:**

#### Other Financing Sources

Transfers In and Other Financing Sources (OFS) represent financial accounting transfers of resources to the bond fund from other funds, such as: the general fund, special reserve fund, or county school facilities (state) fund. The primary example is when a project uses bond funds in place of approved state funding until the state funding has been received. Upon receipt of state funding the bond fund is reimbursed from the state fund. For cost accounting purposes when project tracking is required, these transfers are represented as project expenditures in the state or other fund. Project expenditures are credited in the project's bond resource and debited to the projects state resource.

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

Unaudited Supplementary Schedule of Bond Expenditures Period from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2020 (Unaudited)

		Actual Expenditures Incurred				
Cost Category	Adjusted Budget	April 8, 1997 Total (Inception) Expenditures Expenditures Adjusted through June 30, Year Ended through	April 8, 1997 (Inception) Expenditures hrough June 30, Year Ended		Unexpended Balance	
Facilities Services Division (FSD)						
Capital Programs						
New Construction	\$ 827,073,722	\$ 823,213,655	\$ -	\$ 823,213,655	\$ 3,860,067	
School Modernization	1,921,655,828	1,920,058,989	1,341,119	1,921,400,108	255,720	
Charter Schools	116,215	103,335	-	103,335	12,880	
Indirects	16,118,440	15,741,334	-	15,741,334	377,106	
Total FSD Capital Programs	2,764,964,205	2,759,117,313	1,341,119	2,760,458,432	4,505,773	
Other Costs						
Employee Benefits	3,100,417	3,100,417	-	3,100,417	-	
Cost of Issuance	1,140,865	1,140,865	-	1,140,865	-	
Office of Inspector General	3,750,000	3,749,996	-	3,749,996	4	
Total Other Costs	7,991,282	7,991,278		7,991,278	4	
Other Financing Uses						
COPs Defeasance: Transfers Out to						
Debt Service Fund	15,344,829	15,344,829	-	15,344,829	-	
Total Other Financing Uses	15,344,829	15,344,829		15,344,829	-	
Total Proposition BB Bond Expenditures	\$ 2,788,300,316	\$ 2,782,453,420	\$ 1,341,119	\$ 2,783,794,539	\$ 4,505,777	

See accompanying independent auditor's report and notes to unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures.

Notes to Unaudited Supplementary Schedule of Bond Expenditures Period from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2020 (Unaudited)

#### (1) Background

The unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures presents expenditures of the Proposition BB School Bond Construction Program for the period from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2020.

#### (2) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures has been prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The accompanying unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures reflects the flow of current financial resources measurement focus and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting.

#### a) Adjusted Budget

The amounts included within the adjusted budget column in the accompanying unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures represent the prior year expenditures from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2019 and fiscal year 2019-20 budget authority requested from the Board of Education for costs that are expected to be expended and/or obligated to complete the various projects.

#### b) Actual Expenditures Incurred

The amounts included within the actual expenditures incurred columns in the accompanying unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures represent actual expenditures paid and accrued by the District for the period from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2020, adjusted by discounts received from the vendors. The actual expenditure amounts included expenditures of bond proceeds, reimbursements of bond proceeds, and interest earned on the bond proceeds and reimbursements.

#### c) Unexpended Balance

The amounts included within the unexpended balance column in the accompanying unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures represent the difference between the adjusted budget column and the total expenditures through June 30, 2020 column.

Notes to Unaudited Supplementary Schedule of Bond Expenditures Period from April 8, 1997 (inception) through June 30, 2020 (Unaudited)

#### (2) Basis of Presentation (continued)

#### d) Cost Category

The major cost categories in the unaudited supplementary schedule of bond expenditures for Proposition BB represent bond programs funded by the bond. The cost category "Indirects" refer to all expenditures that should not or cannot be reasonably attributed to individual projects.

An example of "Indirect" cost is program management. Program management includes program-level support costs for staff members of the Facilities Executive Office and Facilities Services Division (FSD) branches as well as non-FSD support which includes costs of support staff outside of FSD charged to the bond program, such as the Office of the General Counsel, Inspector General, Accounts Payable, and Risk Management.

#### (3) Other Financing Uses

Transfers Out and Other Financing Uses (OFU) represent financial accounting transfers of bond proceeds (inter-fund transactions of revenue) from the bond fund to other funds for approved financing uses of bond funds. One example is reimbursement of prior year bond eligible capital expenditures in the general fund. For cost accounting purposes when project tracking is required, these transfers are represented as project expenditures in the bond fund.