

CATOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM
SPLOST PROJECT EXPENDITURES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

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INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS' REPORT

To the Catoosa County Board of Education
Ringgold, Georgia

We have examined the Catoosa County School System's attached Schedule of SPLOST Project Expenditures and their compliance with Article VIII, Section VI, Paragraph IV of the Georgia Constitution and Official Code of Georgia (O.C.G.A.) 48-8-141 regarding expenditure of sales tax for educational purposes for the year ended June 30, 2018. Management of the Catoosa County School System (the "School System") is responsible for the School System's compliance with the specified requirements. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the School System's compliance with the specified requirements based on our examination.

Our examination was conducted in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Those standards require that we plan and perform the examination to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the School System complied, in all material respects, with the specified requirements referenced above. An examination involves performing procedures to obtain evidence about whether the School System complied with the specified requirements. The nature, timing, and extent of the procedures selected depend on our judgment, including an assessment of the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error. We believe that the evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our examination does not provide a legal determination on the School System's compliance with specified requirements.

In our opinion, the Catoosa County School System complied, in all material respects, with Article VIII, Section VI, Paragraph IV of the Georgia Constitution and Official Code of Georgia (O.C.G.A.) 48-8-141 regarding expenditure of sales tax for educational purposes for the year ended June 30, 2018.

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Augusta, Georgia
December 17, 2018

CATOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM
 SCHEDULE OF SPLOST PROJECT EXPENDITURES
 YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2018

Project	SPLOST IV	SPLOST V	Total
Debt service, including principal and interest	\$ 9,064,750	\$ 2,000,000	\$ 11,064,750
Committee projects	26,911	400,423	427,334
Safety	27,700	1,040,677	1,068,377
Bus purchases	-	187,667	187,667
Construction	-	14,256,592	14,256,592
Instructional technology	-	2,985,749	2,985,749
	<u>\$ 9,119,361</u>	<u>\$20,871,108</u>	<u>\$ 29,990,469</u>