FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2019

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors Napa County Resource Conservation District Napa, CA

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and fund information which comprise the basic financial statements of Napa County Resource Conservation District as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

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 misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

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 the 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 from 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, 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 financial statements.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the basic financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and fund information of the Napa County Resource Conservation District as of June 30, 2019, and the changes in financial position, of those activities and funds for the fiscal year then ended in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 3–8, the budgetary comparison for the General fund on page 26, the District's Employees' Retirement System Schedule of the District's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability and the Retirement System Schedule of the District's Contributions on pages 27-28, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB), 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. We 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. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated January 6, 2020 on our consideration of the Napa County Resource Conservation District'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 internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering Napa County Resource Conservation District's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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January 6, 2020

The Napa County Resource Conservation District (the District) was formed as an independent special district by a resolution of the Napa County Board of Supervisors on June 18, 1945. This resolution followed the Soil Conservation Special Election held on June 5, 1945 in which 97% of votes were cast in favor of the organization of the proposed District. The District's original purpose was to help farmers and ranchers in Napa County tackle erosion and other problems on their land. As natural resource issues change, the District's programs continue to evolve. Today, the District helps the community achieve conservation goals by providing technical assistance, educational programs, monitoring programs, and funding sources on issues ranging from fisheries to forest health, soil management, water conservation and quality, and more.

As management of the District, we offer readers of our financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019. Please read it in conjunction with the District's financial statements, which follow this section.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The District ended the year with a fund balance of \$901,784, a decrease of \$14,919 from the prior year. Of that amount, \$375,000 is committed for budget stabilization, \$100,000 is committed for capital improvements at Huichica Creek Sustainable Agriculture Demonstration Vineyard (Vineyard), and \$89,179 is assigned for next year's budget, leaving \$334,707 available for general District operations.
- The District received \$365,276 from county-collected property taxes, an increase of \$23,637 from the prior
 year. The District matched property tax revenue with other funding sources (grants, intergovernmental
 contracts, direct donations) at a ratio of 4 to 1.
- The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) cooperates with and furnishes assistance to
 the District through several agreements: Mutual Agreement, Cooperative Working Agreement, Operational
 Agreement, and Vehicle Agreement. The District is provided the use of NRCS vehicles for project
 activities, and NRCS pays for some of the District's office rent, materials, and equipment. Additionally,
 District staff increase the NRCS capacity to meet growing client demand for post-fire recovery assistance,
 conservation planning, and conservation practice implementation.
- The District received \$415,533 in revenue from contracts with the County of Napa, Napa County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, City of Napa, City of St. Helena, and other local agencies to provide a range of biological, environmental, and educational services in Napa County.
- The District managed its 20-acre Vineyard located in the Carneros region of southern Napa County, including 8.05 acres of Chardonnay and 3.28 acres of Pinot Noir grapes. Grape sales to a local winery generated \$71,401 in revenue. Grape sales revenue is down significantly from a 2013 high of \$158,541 because one vineyard block was replanted and remains unproductive, a lease on a neighboring block was not renewed, and the productivity of the Vineyard is generally declining due to the age of the vines and pest issues.
- The District organized just over 3,000 hours of volunteer work projects, valued at \$89,850, and received \$34,085 in cash donations.
- The District entered into a Memorandum of Understanding with Friends of the Napa River, a 501(c)3 non-profit organization incorporated in the State of California, to explore the advantages, risks and feasibility of a close collaboration, including joint fundraising campaigns and grant proposals to family foundations.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This discussion and analysis is intended to serve as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements. The Statement of Net Position; Statement of Activities; Governmental Fund Balance Sheet; and Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance provide information about the activities of the District. The basic financial statements also include various footnote disclosures, which further describe the District's activities.

Government-Wide Statements

The Government-Wide Financial Statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the District's finances, in a manner similar to a private sector business.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all of the District's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as net position.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the District's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in the Statement of Activities for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

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. The District, like other local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. Fund financial statements report essentially the same functions as those reported in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented. Both the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance provide a reconciliation to facilitate the comparison between governmental funds and government-wide statements.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

Required Supplementary Information (RSI)

RSI is presented concerning the District's General Fund budgetary schedule. The District adopts an annual appropriated budget for its General Fund. A budgetary comparison schedule has been provided for the General Fund to demonstrate compliance with this budget.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE DISTRICT

Statement of Net Position

A summary of the District's Statement of Net Position is as follows:

Condensed Statement of Net Position As of June 30

			I	ncrease	Increase
	 2019	2018	_(D	ecrease) \$	(Decrease) %
Assets					
Current assets	\$ 1,252,911	\$ 1,164,465	\$	88,446	7.60%
Noncurrent assets	 513,893	536,407		(22,514)	-4.20%
Total Assets	1,766,804	1,700,872		65,932	3.88%
Deferred outflow of resources	201,382	292,783		(91,401)	-31.22%
Liabilities					
Current Liabilities	180,822	179,659		1,163	0.65%
Noncurrent Liabilities	 565,758	685,129		(119,371)	-17.42%
Total Liabilities	746,580	864,788		(118,208)	-13.67%
Deferred inflow of resources	68,489	31,491		36,998	117.49%
Net Position					
Net investment in capital assets	513,893	536,407		(22,514)	-4.20%
Unrestricted	639,224	560,969		78,255	13.95%
Total Net Position	\$ 1,153,117	\$ 1,097,376	\$	55,741	5.08%

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position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the District, total assets exceeded total liabilities by \$1,153,117 as of June 30, 2019, due primarily to purchased land and cash.

Cash and investments are maintained in the County's cash and investment pool where interest earned on the District's balance is apportioned to the District.

Statement of Activities

A summary of the District's Statement of Activities, recapping the District's revenues earned during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, and the expenses incurred, is as follows:

Condensed Statement of Activities For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30

					ncrease	Increase	
Revenues		2019		2018	(De	crease) \$	(Decrease) %
Program Revenues							
Charges for services	\$	71,401	\$	67,645	\$	3,756	5.55%
Operating grants and contributions	1	1,096,833		912,589		184,244	20.19%
General Revenues							
Property Tax		365,276		341,639		23,637	6.92%
Investment income		22,277		10,734		11,543	107.54%
Miscellaneous grants and other		34,134		58,042		(23,908)	-41.19%
Total Revenues	1	1,589,921		1,390,649		199,272	14.33%
Expenses							
Natural resource conservation	1	L,534,180		1,285,773		248,407	19.32%
Total Expenses	1	1,534,180		1,285,773		248,407	19.32%
Change in Net Position		55,741		104,876		160,617	153.15%
Net Position, Beginning of the year	1	1,097,376		992,500		104,876	10.57%
Net Position, End of the year	\$ 1	l,153,117	\$	1,097,376	\$	265,493	24.19%

Financial Analysis of the District's Governmental Fund

As noted earlier, fund accounting is used by the District to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The District ended the year with a fund balance of \$901,784, a decrease of \$14,919 from the prior year. Of that amount, \$334,707 is unassigned and available for general District operations.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Total revenues were under final budget by \$217,797, or 13%, and total expenditures were under final budget by \$293,233, or 16%.

Revenues and expenditures were under budget for a few reasons. Firstly, construction services for a road storm-proofing project funded through a multi-year grant from the State Water Resources Control Board (SWRCB) shifted to the next year. Additionally, staffing changes at the District resulted in fewer hours billed to several grants and contracts.

The District completed several large grant-funded projects including: the "Climate-Beneficial Vineyard Management Practices for the North Coast Area" project funded by the California Department of Food and Agriculture; the "Bale Slough/Bear Creek Sediment Reduction and Habitat Enhancement" project funded by the SWRCB; and the "Capacity Building" project funded by the California Department of Conservation.

The District was awarded several new grants including: a Conservation Innovation Grant from the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service for the "CA North Coast Soil Health Hub" project; a National Association of Conservation Districts (NACD) Technical Assistance Grant to support a new forestry program; and a grant from the North Bay Watershed Association to support the development of a Re-Oak North Bay Strategy.

CAPITAL ASSETS

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, the District owned the 20-acre Huichica Creek Sustainable Agriculture Demonstration Vineyard in the Carneros region of south Napa County, as well as associated land improvements and equipment (vineyard posts, trellis system, fencing, pump). Additionally, the District owned two vehicles, computer equipment (large-scale plotter, network server), and hydrologic equipment (transducer stations, water quality sampler, data logger, rotary screw trap).

DEBT ADMINISTRATION

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, the District did not have any long-term debt obligations outstanding.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET

For fiscal year 2018-2019, the District received 31% of its revenues from contracts with local public agencies, 23% from property taxes, 17% from competitive federal grants and an agreement with the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service, 15% from competitive state grants, 5% from other grants, 5% from grape sales, and 4% from donations and other sources. This funding mix will not change significantly for fiscal year 2019-2020, although the District will attempt to access more private charitable funds and will develop a new fee-for-service program.

The District manages towards financial sustainability for the organization by building a reserve balance and by keeping programs and projects focused to accomplish necessary natural resource conservation in Napa County and those suited to staff expertise. The District has identified that grants, especially public agency grants, carry burdened costs that are not captured in overhead ratios allowed by state and federal funders. Indirect cost analysis completed annually by the RCD demonstrates that actual indirect costs continue to increase and require adjustments in funding strategies dependent on federal and state grants. Also, a heavy reliance on public agency grants poses challenges because the sources change frequently, and cash flow can be severely affected during times of recession.

The annual revenues for fiscal year 2019-2020 are projected to be \$2,286,572, a 34% increase over fiscal year 2018-2019. The annual expenditures for fiscal year 2019-2020 are projected to be \$2,185,585, a 22% increase over fiscal year 2018-2019. Annual expenditures are projected to increase primarily because the District is adding three new staff positions: Forestry Program Manager (1 FTE), Conservation Project Manager (1 FTE), and Education

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGET (Continued)

Program Assistant (0.75 FTE). Additionally, the District will undertake an office remodel to accommodate a larger staff and will commence a long-range planning process with the support of a consultant. On the revenue side, several new grants have either been awarded or are anticipated. Additionally, the District will launch a new LandSmart farm planning fee-for-service program and will conduct a joint fundraising campaign with Friends of Napa River. The District also intends to annex portions of the City of Napa that were incorporated in 1945 which are currently excluded from its district boundary, and this may impact property tax revenues.

The District contracts with the County for many of its professional services, although it maintains its own office space, vehicles, equipment, and materials. The District contracts with other vendors for Information Technology support and some other professional services.

CONTACTING THE DISTRICT

These financial statements are designed to provide a general overview of the Napa County Resource Conservation District finances for all those interested. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Napa County Resource Conservation District, 1303 Jefferson Street, #500B, Napa, California, 94559.

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2019

		Governmental Activities
Assets		
Cash and investments	\$	829,681
Imprest cash		300
Grants and other receivables		420,332
Prepaid insurance		598
Prepaid expense		2,000
Total Current Asset		1,252,911
Noncurrent assets		
Capital assets-net		513,893
Total Assets		1,766,804
Deferred outflows of resources		
Deferred outflows-pension		201,382_
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	\$	201,382
Liabilities		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payables	\$	123,470
Accrued payroll		31,414
Unearned revenue		13,938
Customer deposits		12,000
Total Current Liabilities		180,822
Noncurrent liabilities:		
Due within one year		13,731
Due in more than one year		552,027
Total Noncurrent Liabilities		565,758
Total Liabilities		746,580
Deferred inflows of resources		
Deferred inflows-pension		68,489
Total Deferred inflows of resources		68,489
Net Position		
Net investment in capital assets		513,893
Unrestricted		639,224
Total Net Position	\$	1,153,117
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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES JUNE 30, 2019

		Program	_					
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions		Total			
Governmental Activities:								
Natural resource conservation	\$_1,534,180_\$	71,401	\$ 1,096,833	\$_	(365,946)			
Total Governmental Activities	\$ <u>1,534,180</u> \$	71,401	\$ 1,096,833	. –	(365,946)			
General Revenu	es:		•					
Property tax,	levied for general	purposes			365,276			
Investment inc	ome				22,277			
Miscellaneous	grants and other				34,134			
Total general revenues								
Chang	e in net position				55,741			
Net position- b	eginning				1,097,376			
Net position - ending \$								

GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 2019

	_	General Fund
Assets		
Cash and investments	\$	829,681
Imprest cash		300
Prepaid expenses		2,598
Grants and other receivables	_	420,332
Total Assets	\$_	1,252,911
Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	123,469
A ccrued payroll		31,414
Unearned revenue		13,938
Customer deposits		12,000
Total Liabilities	_	180,821
Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Unavailable revenue		170,306
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	_	170,306
Fund balances		
Restricted for imprest cash		300
Nonspendable-prepaid expenses		2,598
Committed		475,000
Assigned for next year budget		89,179
Unassigned		334,707
Total Fund Balances	_	901,784
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of		
Resources and Fund Balances	\$_	1,252,911

RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2019

Total Fund Balances of governmental funds	\$	901,784
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds.		513,893
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions are recorded as deferred outflows in the government wide financial statements and are not recorded in the funds		201,382
Long-term obligations are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds.		(565,759)
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions are recorded as deferred inflows in the government wide financial statements and are not recorded in the funds		(68,489)
Certain revenues received after ninety days from the end of the fiscal year are recorded as deferred revenue in the funds and as revenues in the government wide statement.	_	170,306
Net position of governmental activities	\$_	1,153,117

GOVERNMENTAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE JUNE 30, 2019

		General Fund
Revenues		
Taxes	\$	365,276
Intergovernmental		784,683
Use of money and property		93,678
Miscellaneous grants and other	_	244,081
Total Revenues	_	1,487,718
Expenditures		
Salaries and benefits		899,322
Services and supplies	_	603,315
Total Expenditures	_	1,502,637
Net Change in Fund Balance		(14,919)
Fund Balance, July 1, 2018	_	916,703
Fund Balance, June 30, 2019	\$_	901,784

RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENTAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES JUNE 30, 2019

Net Change in Fund Balance - Total Governmental Funds	\$	(14,919)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities differs from the amounts reported in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances because:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities. The costs of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense or are allocated to the appropriate functional expense when the cost is below the capitalization threshold. This activity is reconciled as follows:		
Capital outlay		525
Current year depreciation expense		(23,039)
Changes in compensated absences do not effect expenditures in the governmental funds but the change is adjusted through salary expense in the Statement of Net Position		(4,048)
Changes in proportions from the pension do not effect expenditures in the governmental funds, but the change is adjusted through expense in the government wide statement.		(4,981)
Certain revenues received after ninety days from the end of the fiscal year are recorded as deferred revenue in the funds and as revenues in the government wide statement.	-	102,203
Change in net position of governmental activities	\$	55,741

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Napa County Soil Conservation District (District) was organized on June 5, 1945, under Article 1.5, Division IX (currently Chapter 3, Division 9) of the Public Resources Code of the State of California. On December 14, 1971, the Board of Directors (Board) changed the District's name to the Napa County Resource Conservation District. The District is organized for the purposes in open areas, agricultural areas, urban development, wildlife areas, recreational developments, watershed management, the protection of water quality and water reclamation, the development of storage and distribution of water, and the treatment of each acre of land according to its needs. The District is governed by a Board of Directors that is selected pursuant to Government Code Section 1780. The basic operations of the District are financed by federal and state grants and local grants administered through Napa County.

The accounting policies of the Napa County Resource Conservation District conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the more significant policies:

A. Reporting Entity

The District has defined its reporting entity in accordance with U. S. generally accepted accounting principles, which provides guidance for determining which governmental activities, organizations, and functions should be included in the reporting entity. In evaluating how to define the District for financial reporting purposes, management has considered all potential component units. The primary criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is the governing body's financial accountability. A primary governmental entity is financially accountable if it appoints a voting majority of a component unit's governing body and it is able to impose its will on the component unit, or if there is a potential for the component unit to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on, the primary government. A primary government may also be financially accountable if a component unit is fiscally dependent on the primary governmental entity regardless of whether the component unit has a separately elected governing board, a governing board appointed by a higher level of government, or a jointly appointed board.

No operations of other entities met the aforementioned oversight criteria for inclusion or exclusion from the accompanying financial statements in accordance with GASB Statement No. 61.

B. Basis of Presentation

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The statement of net position and statement of activities display information about the primary government (the District). These statements include the financial activities of the overall government. Governmental activities are normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the program expenses of a given function are offset by program revenues. Program expenses include direct expenses, which are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include 1) charges paid by the recipient of goods or services offered by the programs and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular program. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented instead as general revenues.

When both restricted and unrestricted net position are available, unrestricted resources are used only after the restricted resources are depleted.

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

B. Basis of Presentation (Continued)

Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental funds, each displayed in separate columns. All remaining governmental funds are separately aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds.

The District reports the following governmental fund:

General Fund - This fund accounts for all the financial resources not required to be accounted for in another fund. This fund consists primarily of general government type activities.

C. Basis of Accounting

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned or, for property tax revenues, in the period for which levied. Expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Revenues from grants, entitlements and donations are recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligible requirements have been satisfied.

Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when both measurable and available. Measurable means the amount of the transaction can be determined and available means collectible in the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. Resources not available to finance expenditures and commitments of the current period are recognized as deferred revenue or as a reservation of fund balance. The District considers property taxes available if they are collected within sixty-days after fiscal year-end.

Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. Principal and interest on general long-term debt, as well as compensated absences and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due. General capital acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term debt and capital leases are reported as other financial sources.

When applicable, the District reports deferred revenue on its combined balance sheet. Deferred revenue arises when a potential revenue source does not meet both the measurable and available criteria for recognition in the current period. Other than property taxes, the District considers revenue available if received within ninety-days after fiscal year end. Deferred revenues also arise when resources are received by the District before it has legal claim to them, as when grant monies are received prior to the occurrences of qualifying expenditures. In subsequent periods, when both revenue recognition criteria are met, or when the District has legal claim to the resources, deferred revenue is removed from the combined balance sheet and revenue is recognized.

D. Grants Receivable

Grant revenue is recognized when program expenditures are incurred in accordance with program guidelines. Such revenue is subject to review by the funding agency and may result in disallowance in subsequent periods.

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

E. Capital Assets

Capital assets have been acquired for general District purposes. Assets purchased are recorded as expenditures in the governmental funds and capitalized at cost or estimated cost where no historical records are available. The District defines capital assets as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives. The useful lives are as follows:

Land Improvements20 yearsComputer Equipment3 yearsHydrologic Equipment5 yearsField Equipment7-20 years

F. Property Taxes

The District receives property taxes from the County of Napa (County), which has been assigned the responsibility for assessment, collection, and apportionment of property taxes for all taxing jurisdictions within the County. Secured property taxes are levied on July 1 for the following fiscal year and on which date it becomes a lien on real property. Secured property taxes are due in two installments on November 1 and February 1 and are delinquent after December 10 and April 10. Property taxes on unsecured roll are due on the July 1 lien date and become delinquent if unpaid by August 31.

The District participates in the County's "Teeter Plan" method of property tax distribution and this receives 100% of the District's apportionment each fiscal year, eliminating the need for an allowance for uncollectible. The County, in return, receives all penalties and interest on the related delinquent taxes. Under the Teeter Plan, the County remits property taxes to the District based on assessments, not on collections, according to the following minimum schedule: 55 percent in December, 40 percent in April, and 5 percent at the end of the fiscal year. Property tax is recognized when it is available and measurable. The District considers property tax as available if it is received within 60 days after fiscal year end.

G. Fund Equity

The unassigned fund balances for governmental fund represents the amount available for budgeting future operations. Unrestricted net position represents the net position available for future operations.

Restrictions of fund balances of governmental funds are established to either (1) satisfy legal covenants that require a portion of fund balance to be segregated or (2) identify the portion of the fund balance that is not appropriable for future expenditures.

Restricted net position represents the net position legally identified for specific purposes.

Note 1: Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

H. Compensated Absences

Employee's eligible for paid leave, which includes leave for vacation, sick days and personal necessities, include full time and part time employees that work a minimum of 20 hours per week.

During the first five years of employment, a full time employee earns seventy-eight (78) hours of vacation and sick leave each per year and cannot carry more than eighty (80) hours into the next calendar year. Those employed five to ten years and are full time with the District earn one hundred seventeen (117) hours and may not carry more than one hundred and twenty (120) into the next calendar year. For those employed over ten years and are full time with the District earn one hundred and fifty six (156) hours and may not carry more than one hundred and sixty (160) hours into the next calendar year. Upon termination of employment from the District, an employee will be paid for vacation time accrued through the employee's last day on the payroll. No portion of accrued sick leave is paid out at termination. No current portion of this the accrued vacation liability is recorded at year-end.

Employee Benefits and Indirect Costs

The District's Employee Benefits and Indirect Costs are allocated based upon actual expenditures to all grants in accordance with the Office of Management and Budget Uniform Guidance. The District's employee benefits are allocated to grant projects as a percentage of the District's direct labor cost. Indirect costs necessary to sustain overall operations are allocated as a percentage of total allowable direct costs charged to grant projects. Contribution to indirect costs represent revenues that offset certain costs included in the Indirect Cost Pool

J. Budgetary Reporting

The District prepares an annual operating and capital budget, which is approved and adopted by the Board of Directors. The budget serves as an approved plan to facilitate financial control and operational evaluation.

K. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenditures/expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

L. Future Accounting Pronouncements

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement Number 87 listed below will be implemented in future financial statements:

GASB Statement No. 87 Leases: The requirements of this statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. (Fiscal Year 20/21)

M. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability and deferred outflows/inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the District's California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) plan (Plan) and additions to/deductions from the Plans' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by CalPERS. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

Note 2: Cash and Investments

Cash and investments at June 30, 2019, consisted of the following:

Napa County	\$ 829,681
Imprest cash	 300
Total cash and investments	\$ 829,981

A. Investment in Government Pool

Investments are accounted for in accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 31, which requires governmental entities to report certain investments at fair value in the balance sheet and recognize the corresponding change in fair value of investments in the year in which the change occurred. The District reports its investment in the Napa County investment pool at fair value based on quoted market information obtained from fiscal agents or other sources if the change is material to the financial statements.

The County has established a treasury oversight committee to monitor and review the management of public funds maintained in the investment pool in accordance with Article 6 Section 27131 of the California Government Code. The oversight committee and the Board of Supervisors review and approve the investment policy annually. The County Treasurer prepares and submits a comprehensive investment report to the members of the oversight committee and the investment pool participants every month. The report covers the type of investments in the pool, maturity dates, par value, actual cost and fair value.

Note 3: Capital Assets

A summary of changes in capital assets for the year ended June 30, 2019, is as follows:

	Balance July 1, 2018		Additions/ Adjustments		Retirements/ Adjustments		3alance e 30, 2019
Capital assets not depreciated							
Land and right of way	\$	350,100	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 350,100
Capital assets, being depreciated:							
Vineyard land improvements		118,047		525			118,572
Computer equipment		17,195					17,195
Hydrologic equipment		31,868					31,868
Vineyard equipment and improvements		66,876					66,876
Vehicles		63,386					63,386
Infrastructure		25,999					25,999
Total capital assets, being depreciated		323,371		525		-	323,896
Less accumulated depreciation		(137,064)		(23,039)			(160,103)
Governmental activities, capital assets, net	\$	536,407	\$	(22,514)	\$	-	\$ 513,893

Current year depreciation expense was \$23,039.

Note 4: Long-Term Liabilities

The following is a summary of changes in long-term liabilities reported in the government-wide financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2019:

	Balance y 1, 2018	Additions		Retirements/ Adjustments		Balance June 30, 2019		Due Within One Year	
Net pension liability Compensated absences	\$ 661,716 23,413	\$	- 35,339	\$	(123,419) (31,291)	\$	538,297 27.461	\$	- 13,731
Totals	\$ 685,129	\$	35,339	\$	(154,710)	\$	565,758	\$	13,731

Note 5: Fund Balances

Net Position - Government-Wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements utilize a net position presentation. Net position are categorized as net investment in capital assets, restricted and unrestricted.

- Net Investment in Capital Assets This category groups all capital assets, into one component of net position.
 Accumulated depreciation and the outstanding balance of debt that are attributable to capital assets reduce the balance in this category.
- Restricted Net Position This category presents external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments and restrictions imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- Unrestricted Net Position This category represents net position of the District, not restricted for any project or any other purpose.

When both restricted and unrestricted net position are available, unrestricted resources are used only after the restricted resources are depleted.

Fund Balances - Governmental Funds

The District has adopted a policy for GASB Statement No. 54, Fund Balance Reporting. GASB 54 establishes fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds. While the classifications of fund balance in the District's various governmental funds were revised, the implementation of this standard had no effect on total fund balance.

- Nonspendable The fund balance includes those amounts that are not in a spendable form or are required to be maintained intact. The District has recorded prepaid expense as nonspendable fund balance.
- Restricted fund balances have external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, laws, regulations, or enabling legislation which requires the resources to be used only for a specific purpose. Encumbrances and nonspendable amounts subject to restrictions are included along with spendable resources. The District has imprest cash as restricted fund balance.

Note 5: Net Position/Fund Balances (Continued)

- Committed The fund balance includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purpose determined by
 a formal action of the government's highest level of decision-making authority. Per resolution 2017-03, the
 District committed \$100,000 fund balance for capital improvements at Huichica Creek Sustainable Creek
 Vineyard and \$375,000 for budget stabilization.
- Assigned The fund balance includes amounts intended to be used by the government for specific purposes.
 Intent can be expressed by the governing body or by an official, or body to which the governing body delegates the authority. In governmental funds other than the general fund, assigned fund balance represents the amount that is not restricted or committed. The District has assigned fund balance for next years budget.
- Unassigned The fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund and includes all amounts not
 contained in the other classifications. Unassigned amounts are technically available for any purpose.

Note 6: Defined Benefit Pension Cost-Sharing Employer Plan

A. General Information about the Pension Plan

Plan Descriptions— All qualified permanent and probationary employees are eligible to participate in the District's Miscellaneous Employee Pension Plan, cost-sharing multiple employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS). Benefit provisions under the Plan is established by State statute and District resolution. CalPERS issues publicly available reports that include a full description of the pension Plan regarding benefit provisions, assumptions and membership information that can be found on the CalPERS website.

Benefits Provided – Cal PERS provides service retirement and disability benefits, annual cost of living adjustments and death benefits to Plan members, who must be public employees and beneficiaries. Benefits are based on years of credited service, equal to one year of full time employment. Members with five years of total service are eligible to retire at age 50 with statutorily reduced benefits. All members are eligible for non-duty disability benefits after 10 years of service. The death benefit is one of the following: the Basic Death Benefit, the 1957 Survivor Benefit, or the Optional Settlement 2W Death Benefit. The cost of living adjustments for the Plan is applied as specified by the Public Employees' Retirement Law.

The Plan provisions and benefits in effect at June 30, 2019, are summarized as follows:

, ,	M iscellaneous		
	Prior to	On or after	
Hire date	January 1, 2013	January 1, 2013	
Benefit formula	2% @ 60	2% @ 62	
Benefit vesting schedule	5 years service	5 years service	
Benefit payments	monthly for life	monthly for life	
Retirement age	55-60	52 - 67	
Monthly benefits, % of eligible compensation	1.50% to 2.00%	1.00% to 2.00%	
Required employee contribution rates	7.00%	6.25%	
Required employer contribution rates	7.63%	6.84%	

Note 6: Defined Benefit Pension Cost-Sharing Employer Plan

Contributions – Section 20814(c) of the California Public Employees' Retirement Law requires that the employer contribution rates for all public employers be determined on an annual basis by the actuary and shall be effective on the July 1 following notice of a change in the rate. Funding contributions for the Plan is determined annually on an actuarial basis as of June 30 by CalPERS. The actuarially determined rate is the estimated amount necessary to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year, with an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability. The District is required to contribute the difference between the actuarially determined rate and the contribution rate of employees.

For the year ended June 30, 2019, the contributions recognized as part of pension expense for the miscellaneous Plan was as follows:

Contributions-employer

\$ 79,791

B. Pension Liabilities, Pension Expenses and Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

As of June 30, 2019, the District reported net pension liabilities for its proportionate shares of the net pension liability of the Plan as follows:

Proportionate share of
Net pension liability
\$ 538,298

Miscellanous Plan

The District's net pension liability for the Plan is measured as the proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability of the Plan is measured as of June 30, 2018, and the total pension liability for the Plan used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2017 rolled forward to June 30, 2018 using standard update procedures. The District's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the District's long-term share of contributions to the pension Plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined.

The District's proportionate share of the net pension liability as of measurement dates June 30, 2017 and 2018 were as follows:

 Proportion - June 30, 2017
 0.01679%

 Proportion - June 30, 2018
 0.01428%

 Change - Increase (Decrease)
 -0.00250%

Note 6: Defined Benefit Pension Cost-Sharing Employer Plan (Continued)

For the year ended June 30, 2019, the District recognized pension expense of \$85,982. At June 30, 2019, the District reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	 ed Outflows esources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$ 13,625	\$	-
Changes of assumptions	46,328		
Net difference between projected and actual earnings			
on pension plan investments	2,661		
Changes in proportion			(68,489)
Difference in actual and proportionate share of contributions	58,977		
District contributions subsequent to the measurement date	79,791		-
Total	\$ 201,382	\$	(68,489)

\$79,791 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2020. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized as pension expense as follows:

Measurement Period

Ended June 30:	_	
2020	\$	(56,271)
2021		(35,738)
2022		34,071
2023		4,836
2024		-
Thereafter		-

Actuarial Assumptions – The total pension liabilities in the June 30, 2016 actuarial valuations were determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

	M iscellaneous
Valuation Date	June 30, 2017
Measurement Date	June 30, 2018
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry-Age Normal
Actuarial Assumptions:	
Discount Rate	7.15%
Inflation	2.50%
Payroll Growth	3.00%
Projected Salary Increase	3.3% - 14.2% (1)
Investment Rate of Return	7.15%

The underlying mortality assumptions and all other actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study. Further details of the Experience Study can found on the Cal PERS website.

Note 6: Defined Benefit Pension Cost-Sharing Employer Plan (Continued)

Discount Rate— The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.15% for the Plan. To determine whether the municipal bond rate should be used in the calculation of a discount rate for the Plan, CalPERS stress tested plans that would most likely result in a discount rate that would be different from the actuarially assumed discount rate. Based on the testing, none of the tested plans run out of assets. Therefore, the current 7.15 percent discount rate is adequate and the use of the municipal bond rate calculation is not necessary. The long term expected discount rate of 7.15 percent will be applied to all plans in the Public Employees Retirement Fund (PERF). The stress test results are presented in a detailed report that can be obtained from the CalPERS website.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class.

In determining the long-term expected rate of return, CalPERS took into account both short-term and long-term market return expectations as well as the expected pension fund cash flows. Using historical returns of all the funds' asset classes, expected compound returns were calculated over the short-term (first 10 years) and the long-term (11-60 years) using a building-block approach. Using the expected nominal returns for both short-term and long-term, the present value of benefits was calculated for each fund. The expected rate of return was set by calculating the single equivalent expected return that arrived at the same present value of benefits for cash flows as the one calculated using both short-term and long-term returns. The expected rate of return was then set equivalent to the single equivalent rate calculated above and rounded down to the nearest one quarter of one percent.

The table below reflects the long-term expected real rate of return by asset class. The rate of return was calculated using the capital market assumptions applied to determine the discount rate and asset allocation. These rates of return are net of administrative expenses.

Asset Class	New Strategic Allocation	Real Return Years 1-10 (1)	Real Return Years 11+ (2)	
Global Equity	50.0%	4.80%	5.98%	
Fixed Income	28%	1.00%	2.62%	
Inflation Assets	0%	0.77%	1.81%	
Private Equity	8%	6.30%	7.23%	
Real Estate	13%	3.75%	4.93%	
Liquidity	1%	0.00%	-0.92%	

- (1) An expected inflation of 2.00% used for this period
- (2) An expected inflation of 2.92% used for this period

Sensitivity of the Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate – The following presents the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability for the Plan, calculated using the discount rate for the Plan, as well as what the District's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

	Disco	unt Rate -1%	Curre	nt Discount	Disc	count Rate +1%
	(6.15%)	Rate	e (7.15%)		(8.15%)
Misc Tier I	\$	864.656	\$	538 298	\$	268 895

Note 7: Deferred Inflows of Resources

Deferred inflows of resources (other than those accruing from pensions) in governmental funds arise when potential revenue does not meet the "available" criteria for recognition in the current period. Deferred inflows of resources (deferred revenue in accrual based statements) also arises when resources are received by the District before it has a legal claim to them (i.e., when grant monies are received prior to the incurrence of qualifying expenditures).

Note 8: Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The District is exposed to various risks of loss related to general liability and workers' compensation. Insurance for the District is secured through commercial insurance for both general liability and workers' compensation. Settlements have not exceeded insurance coverage in any of the last three years.

Note 9: Commitments and Contingencies

Grant Contingencies

Amounts received or receivable from grant agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount, if any, of expenditures that may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time.

Contingent Liability

The District is a participant in the Cal-Card, credit card program administered by U.S. Bank. As of June 30, 2019 the total credit limit available to 9 District employees was \$54,000.

Commitments

At June 30, 2019 the District has open contracts related to professional service agreements.

NAPA COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE GENERAL FUND JUNE 30, 2019

		Variance		
	Budgeted	l Amounts		Favorable
	Original	Final	Actual	(Unfavorable)
Revenues				
Taxes	\$ 325,000 \$	325,000 \$	365,276 \$	40,276
Intergovernmental	1,021,414	1,021,414	784,683	(236,731)
Use of money and property	71,700	71,700	93,678	21,978
Miscellaneous grants and other	287,400	287,400	244,081	(43,319)
Total Revenues	1,705,514	1,705,514	1,487,718	(217,796)
Expenditures				
Salaries and benefits	955,465	955,465	899,322	56,143
Services and supplies	840,405	840,405	603,315	237,090
Total Expenditures	1,795,870	1,795,870	1,502,637	293,233
Net Change in Fund Balance	\$ (90,356)	\$ (90,356)	(14,919)	\$ 75,437
Fund Balance, July 1, 2018			916,703	
		_		
Fund Balance, June 30, 2019		\$	901,784	
		_		

NAPA COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY JUNE 30, 2019

Actuarial Valuation Date	District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	District's covered-employee payroll	District's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability
6/30/2014	0.02551%	\$630,553	\$695,347	90.68%	72.95%
6/30/2015	0.01895%	\$519,872	\$674,440	77.08%	79.25%
6/30/2016	0.01740%	\$604,445	\$716,354	84.38%	80.92%
6/30/2017	0.01679%	\$661,717	\$716,082	92.41%	77.88%
6/30/2018	0.01428%	\$538,298	\$680,706	79.08%	82.37%

The schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, only information for those years for which information is available is presented.

NAPA COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF THE DISTRICT'S PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS JUNE 30, 2019

Actuarial Valuation Date	Contractually required contribution	Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	Contribution deficiency (excess)	District's covered employees payroll	Contribution as a percentage of covered-employee payroll
6/30/2014	\$134,948	(\$134,948)	\$0	\$695,347	19.41%
6/30/2015	\$117,030	(\$117,030)	\$0	\$674,440	17.35%
6/30/2016	\$140,763	(\$140,763)	\$0	\$716,354	19.65%
6/30/2017	\$67,013	(\$67,013)	\$0	\$716,082	9.36%
6/30/2018	\$79,791	(\$79,791)	\$0	\$680,706	11.72%

The schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, only information for those years for which information is available is presented.

NAPA COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT Note to Required Supplementary Information June 30, 2019

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The District is required to prepare a budget each year based on estimates of revenues and expected expenditures. The budget is adopted on a basis consistent with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. The legal level of budgetary control is exercised at the budget unit (departmental) level. All changes to the budget during the year are reflected in these financial statements and require the approval of the governing board. All unencumbered appropriations lapse at the end of each fiscal year.

The budgetary data presented in the accompanying financial statements includes all revisions approved by the Board of Directors.

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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

Board of Directors Napa County Resource Conservation District Napa, California

We have audited, 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, the financial statements of the governmental activities of Napa County Resource Conservation District (the "District") as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the District's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated January 6, 2020.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the 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 Napa County Resource Conservation District's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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 and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. 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. We did identify certain deficiencies in internal control, described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings as Finding 2019-FS01 that we consider to be a significant deficiency.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Napa County Resource Conservation 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.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the board of directors, management, Napa County Auditor Controllers Office and the Controller's Office of the State of California.

Larry Bain, CPA, An Accounting Corporation January 6, 2020

NAPA COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT Schedule of Findings June 30, 2019

Findings Relating to Financial Statements Reported in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

Finding 2019-FS01

Direct Cost Allocation

Condition:

During the 2017/18 fiscal year audit we noted the District was applying the CalPERS contribution percentage to calculate the full hourly billable rate charged to grants based on the Classic Miscellaneous estimated total employer contribution % of project payroll. The District was also applying this rate to the PEPRA employees whose CalPERS appointment effective begin date was after January 1, 2013. The PEPRA rate is lower than the Classic rate resulting in a higher hourly rate charged to grants for the PEPRA employees.

Current Year Follow Up:

During the current year audit we noted the problem still exists. In the indirect cost alloction worksheet, the District used a rate of 9.78% for the employer cost as a percentage of payroll for both PEPRA and classic employees. We calculated the employer cost at 6.57% for PEPRA employees and 10.88% for classic employees.

Effect of Condition:

The condition creates a potential to overbill the grant for the difference between the classic miscellaneous percentage that is applied to the hourly rate and the PEPRA percentage that should be applied to the hourly rate for PEPRA employees.

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the District examine the percentages that are used for CalPERS when calculating the full hourly billable rate and apply the classic miscellaneous percentage to CalPERS classic employees and apply the PEPRA percentage to PEPRA employees.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions:

Beginning in the 2019/20 fiscal year the District has revised its full hourly billable rates so that they correctly apply the classic miscellaneous percentage to CalPERS classic employees and apply the PEPRA percentages to PEPRA employees. The correct CalPERS percentages will also be used by the District in negotiating the indirect cost rate with the federal government.