

CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION**

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

OPERATING:

Creekside Charter School (Creekside Charter) #1102



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors
Creekside Charter Management
Olympic Valley, California

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Creekside Charter Management (the Organization), a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2019, and the related statements of activities, cash flows, and functional expenses for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

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.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion 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 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 auditors' 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 opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to on page 1 present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Organization as of June 30, 2019, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the Organization's financial statements as a whole. The accompanying supplementary schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued a report dated November 25, 2019 on our consideration of the Organization'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 solely 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 the effectiveness on the Organization's 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 the Organization's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California
November 25, 2019

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
JUNE 30, 2019**

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS

Cash	\$ 437,302
Accounts Receivable	110,678
Prepaid Expenses	17,510
Total Current Assets	<u>565,490</u>

LONG-TERM ASSETS

Property, Plant, and Equipment, Net	<u>41,227</u>
Total Long-Term Assets	<u>41,227</u>

Total Assets	<u><u>\$ 606,717</u></u>
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LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

CURRENT LIABILITIES

Accounts Payable	<u>\$ 165,597</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>165,597</u>

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NET ASSETS

Without Donor Restriction	<u>441,120</u>
Total Net Assets	<u>441,120</u>

Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u><u>\$ 606,717</u></u>
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See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

REVENUES, WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTION

State Revenue:	
State Aid	\$ 911,251
Other State Revenue	232,874
Federal Revenue:	
Grants and Entitlements	24,165
Local Revenues:	
In-Lieu of Property Tax Revenue	641,586
Contributions	187,550
Other Revenue	24,170
Total Revenues	<u>2,021,596</u>

EXPENSES

Program Services	1,570,773
Management and General	<u>342,923</u>
Total Expenses	<u>1,913,696</u>

CHANGE IN NET ASSETS

107,900

Net Assets Without Donor Restriction - Beginning of Year

333,220

NET ASSETS WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTION - END OF YEAR

\$ 441,120

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Change in Net Assets	\$ 107,900
Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash Used by Operating Activities:	
Depreciation	1,047
Change in Operating Assets:	
Accounts Receivable - Federal and State	(43,151)
Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets	(5,483)
Change in Operating Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable	97,615
Deferred Revenue	(201,090)
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	<u>(43,162)</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
Purchases of Property, Plant, and Equipment	<u>(37,823)</u>
Net Cash Used by Investing Activities	(37,823)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(80,985)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	<u>518,287</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 437,302</u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

	Program Services	Management and General	Total
Salaries and Wages	\$ 805,761	\$ 177,583	983,344
Pension Expense	113,162	19,110	132,272
Other Employee Benefits	113,445	11,104	124,549
Payroll Taxes	16,027	5,642	21,669
Legal Expenses	-	4,214	4,214
Accounting Expenses	-	50,225	50,225
Instructional Materials	87,476	-	87,476
Other Fees for Services	56,934	17,652	74,586
Advertising and Promotions Expenses	-	16,896	16,896
Office Expenses	-	3,689	3,689
Information Technology Expenses	14,757	-	14,757
Occupancy Expenses	285,181	-	285,181
Travel Expenses	11,918	161	12,079
Depreciation Expense	1,047	-	1,047
Insurance Expense	-	18,302	18,302
Other Expenses	65,065	18,345	83,410
Total	<u>\$ 1,570,773</u>	<u>\$ 342,923</u>	<u>\$ 1,913,696</u>

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2019**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Activities

Creekside Charter Management (Organization) was incorporated on December 20, 2012 under the state of California's nonprofit public benefit corporation laws, and serves as the charter management organization for Creekside Charter School.

Creekside Charter School (Creekside Charter) was authorized and chartered through June 30, 2021 by Newcastle Elementary School District, pursuant to the terms of the Charter Schools Act of 1992, as amended.

The mission of the school is to cultivate student success through mindful perseverance, critical thinking, resourcefulness and advanced knowledge that will prepare students for high levels of success in school, work and life, while honoring the individuality and passions of each student through personalized learning. The mission of the Organization is to insure fiscal and academic responsibility and accountability in the operation of its two charter schools.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared on the accrual method of accounting and accordingly reflect all significant receivables and liabilities.

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as prescribed by the Financial Accounting Standards Board.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Functional Allocation of Expenses

Costs of providing the Organization's programs and other activities have been presented in the statement of functional expenses. During the year, such costs are accumulated into separate groupings as either direct or indirect. Indirect or shared costs are allocated among program and support services by a method that best measures the relative degree of benefit.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2019**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Organization defines its cash and cash equivalents to include only cash on hand, demand deposits, and liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less.

Net Asset Classes

Net assets, revenues, gains, and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor or grantor imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions – Net assets available for use in general operations and not subject to donor (or certain grantor) restrictions. The governing board has designated, from net assets without donor restrictions, net assets for an operating reserve and board-designated endowment.

Net Assets With Donor Restrictions – Net assets subject to donor- (or certain grantor-) imposed restrictions. Some donor-imposed restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those that will be met by the passage of time or other events specified by the donor. Other donor-imposed restrictions are perpetual in nature, where the donor stipulates that resources be maintained in perpetuity. Donor-imposed restrictions are released when a restriction expires, that is, when the stipulated time has elapsed, when the stipulated purpose for which the resource was restricted has been fulfilled, or both.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable primarily represent amounts due from federal and state governments as of June 30, 2019. Management believes that all receivables are fully collectible; therefore, no provisions for uncollectible accounts were recorded.

Property, Plant, and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment are stated at cost, if purchased or at estimated fair value, if donated. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the asset.

Property Taxes

Secured property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Taxes are levied on September 1 and are payable in two installments on or before November 1 and February 1. Unsecured property taxes are not a lien against real property and are payable in one installment on or before August 31. The County bills and collects property taxes for all taxing agencies within the County and distributes these collections to the various agencies. The sponsor agency of the Organization is required by law to provide in-lieu property tax payments on a monthly basis, from August through July. The amount paid per month is based upon an allocation per student, with a specific percentage to be paid each month.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2019**

NOTE 1 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Compensated Absences

Accumulated unpaid employee vacation benefits are recognized as a liability of the Organization. The entire compensated absences liability is reported on the statement of financial position. Employees of the Organization are paid for days or hours worked based upon board approved schedules which include vacation.

Revenue Recognition

Amounts received from the California Department of Education are recognized as revenue by the Organization based on the average daily attendance (ADA) of students. Revenue that is restricted is recorded as an increase in net assets without donor restriction, if the restriction expires in the reporting period in which the revenue is recognized. All other restricted revenues are reported as increases in net assets with donor restriction.

Contributions

All contributions are considered to be available for use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are restricted to specific use or future periods are reported as contributions with donor restrictions. Restricted contributions that are received and released in the same period are reported as promises to give without donor restrictions. Unconditional promises to give expected to be received in one year or less are recorded at net realizable value. Unconditional promises to give expected to be received in more than one year are recorded at fair value at the date of the promise. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until they become unconditional, that is, when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met.

Income Taxes

The Organization is a nonprofit entity exempt from the payment of income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) and California Revenue and Taxation Code Section 23701d. Accordingly, no provision has been made for income taxes. Management has determined that all income tax positions are more likely than not of being sustained upon potential audit or examination; therefore, no disclosures of uncertain income tax positions are required. The School is subject to income tax on net income that is derived from business activities that are unrelated to the exempt purposes. The School files and exempt School return and applicable unrelated business income tax return in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and with the California Franchise Tax Board.

Evaluation of Subsequent Events

The Organization has evaluated subsequent events through November 25, 2019, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

Change in Accounting Principle

On August 18, 2016, FASB issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-14, Not-for-Profit Entities (Topic 958) – Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities. The update addresses the complexity and understandability of net asset classification, deficiencies in information about liquidity and availability of resources, and the lack of consistency in the type of information provided about expenses and investment return. The School has implemented ASU 2016-14 and have adjusted the presentation in these financial statements accordingly.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2019**

NOTE 2 LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

Financial assets available for general expenditure are those without donor or other restrictions limiting their use within one year of the statement of financial position date. Financial assets available for general expenditures comprise cash and cash equivalents and grants receivable for the total amount of \$547,980.

As part of our liquidity management plan, we invest cash in excess of daily requirements in short term investments, CDs, and money market funds.

NOTE 3 CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Organization maintains cash balances held in banks and revolving funds which are insured up to \$250,000 by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation (FDIC). At times, cash in these accounts exceeds the insured amounts. The Organization has not experienced any losses in such accounts and believes it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on its cash and cash equivalents.

NOTE 4 PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant, and equipment in the accompanying financial statements is presented net of accumulated depreciation. The Organization capitalizes all expenditures for land, buildings, and equipment over \$5,000. Depreciation expense was \$671 for the year ended June 30, 2019.

The components of property, plant, and equipment as of June 30, 2019 are as follows:

Buildings and Improvements	\$ 37,823
Equipment, Furniture and Fixtures	5,122
Total	<u>42,945</u>
Less: Accumulated Amortization	(1,718)
Total Property, Plant, and Equipment	<u>\$ 41,227</u>

NOTE 5 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT

Multi-Employer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

Qualified employees are covered under multi-employer defined benefit pension plans maintained by agencies of the state of California.

The risks of participating in these multi-employer defined benefit pension plans are different from single-employer plans because: (a) assets contributed to the multi-employer plan by one employer may be used to provide benefits to employees of other participating employers, (b) the required member, employer, and state contribution rates are set by the California Legislature, and (c) if the Organization chooses to stop participating in the multi-employer plan, it may be required to pay a withdrawal liability to the plan. The Organization has no plans to withdraw from this multi-employer plan.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2019**

NOTE 5 EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT (CONTINUED)

State Teachers' Retirement System (STRS)

Plan Description

The plan provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits to beneficiaries. Benefit provisions are established by state statutes, as legislatively amended, within the state Teachers' Retirement Law. According to the most recently available Comprehensive Annual Financial Report and Actuarial Valuation Report for the year ended June 30, 2018, total STRS plan net assets are \$225 billion, the total actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits is \$374 billion, contributions from all employers totaled \$4.9 billion, and the plan is 64% funded. The School did not contribute more than 5% of the total contributions to the plan.

Copies of the STRS annual financial reports may be obtained from STRS, 7667 Folsom Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95826 and www.calstrs.com.

Funding Policy

Active plan members hired before January 1, 2013 are required to contribute 10.25% of their salary and those hired after are required to contribute 9.205% of their salary. The School is required to contribute an actuarially determined rate. The actuarial methods and assumptions used for determining the rate are those adopted by the STRS Teachers' Retirement Board. Under the 2014 funding plan, employer contributions on compensation creditable to the program will increase every year for the next seven years, up to 19.10% in 2020–21. The required employer contribution rate for year ended June 30, 2018 was 16.28% of annual payroll. The contribution requirements of the plan members are established and may be amended by state statute.

The Organization's contributions to STRS for the past two years are as follows:

<u>Year Ended June 30,</u>	<u>Required Contribution</u>	<u>Percent Contributed</u>
2018	\$ 112,731	100%
2019	\$ 132,272	100%

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2019**

NOTE 6 OPERATING LEASES

The Organization leases facilities from Squaw Education Foundation (the Foundation) on a year to year lease. The related party has waived the rent payments and the Organization's annual in-kind rent totaled \$85,554 for the year ending June 30, 2019.

NOTE 7 CONTINGENCIES

The Organization has received state and federal funds for specific purposes that are subject to review and audit by the grantor agencies. Although such audits could generate disallowances under terms of the grants, it is believed that any required reimbursement would not be material.

NOTE 8 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Squaw Education Foundation is a non-profit public benefits corporation organized for the specific purpose to raise funds for the benefit of the Organization and its related activities. For the year ended June 30, 2019, the Foundation made in-kind contributions to the Organization totaling \$85,554.

NOTE 9 FUNCTIONALIZED EXPENSES

The financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributed to more than one program or supporting function(s). Therefore, expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. The expenses that are allocated include salaries and wages, pension expense, other employee benefits, payroll taxes, other fees for services, office expenses, printing and postage, information technology, and other expenses, which are allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

Creekside Charter Management consists of Creekside Cooperative Charter School.

Creekside Cooperative Charter School [#1102] is a Kindergarten through Grade 6 Charter School and was granted its charter renewal through June 30, 2021 by Newcastle Elementary School District, pursuant to the terms of the Charter School Act of 1992, as amended.

The Board of Directors and the Administrator as of the year ended June 30, 2019 were as follows:

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

<u>Member</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Term Expires (2 year terms)</u>
Sean Whelan	President	December 31, 2020
Gerard Fenech	Vice-President	December 31, 2020
Valerie Burman	Secretary	December 31, 2019
Emily Williams	Member	December 31, 2021
Eric Russell	Member	December 31, 2021
Michael Ellis	Member	December 31, 2019
Aaron Sturm	Member	March 31, 2020

ADMINISTRATOR

Jeff Kraunz	Executive Director
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**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

This school is all non-classroom based.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

	Second Period Report		Annual Report	
	Classroom Based	Total	Classroom Based	Total
Grades TK/K-3	-	87.49	-	87.91
Grades 4-6	-	64.05	-	64.03
Grades 7-8	-	39.81	-	39.56
ADA Totals	-	191.35	-	191.50

See Independent Auditors' Report and accompanying Notes to Supplementary Information

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT WITH
AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

There were no differences between the Annual Financial Report and the Audited Financial Statements.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
NOTES TO SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

PURPOSE OF SCHEDULES

NOTE 1 SCHEDULE OF INSTRUCTIONAL TIME

This schedule presents information on the amount of instructional time offered by the Organization and whether the Organization complied with the provisions of California Education Code.

NOTE 2 SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE DAILY ATTENDANCE

Average daily attendance is a measurement of the number of pupils attending classes of the Organization. The purpose of attendance accounting from a fiscal standpoint is to provide the basis on which apportionments of state funds are made to charter schools. This schedule provides information regarding the attendance of students at various grade levels.

NOTE 3 RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT WITH AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This schedule provides the information necessary to reconcile the net assets of the charter schools as reported on the Annual Financial Report form to the audited financial statements.



**INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' 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
Creekside Charter Management
Olympic Valley, California

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of Creekside Charter Management (the Organization), a nonprofit California public benefit corporation, which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2019, and the related statements of activities, cash flows, and functional expenses for the year then ended, the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 25, 2019.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Organization'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 opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization'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 financial statements will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Organization’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.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California
November 25, 2019



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON STATE COMPLIANCE

Board of Directors
Creekside Charter Management
Olympic Valley, California

We have audited Creekside Charter Management's (the Organization) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *2018-2019 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel for the year ended June 30, 2019. The Organization's state compliance requirements are identified in the table below.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for the compliance with the state laws and regulations as identified below.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Organization's compliance based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to below. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and the *2018-2019 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the specific areas listed below has occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Organization's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on state compliance. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Organization's compliance.

Compliance Requirements Tested

In connection with the audit referred to above, we selected and tested transactions and records to determine the Organization's compliance with the laws and regulations applicable to the following items:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Procedures Performed</u>
School Districts, County Offices of Education, and Charter Schools:	
California Clean Energy Jobs Act	Yes
Before/After School Education and Safety Program	Not applicable
Proper Expenditure of Education Protection Account Funds	Yes

<u>Description</u>	<u>Procedures Performed</u>
Unduplicated Local Control Funding Formula Pupil Counts	Yes
Local Control and Accountability Plan	Yes
Independent Study-Course Based Charter Schools:	Not applicable
Attendance	Yes
Mode of Instruction	Yes
Nonclassroom-based instructional/independent study	Yes
Determination of funding for nonclassroom-based instruction	Yes
Annual instructional minutes – classroom based	Not applicable
Charter School Facility Grant Program	Not applicable

Opinion on State Compliance

In our opinion, the Organization complied with the laws and regulations of the state programs referred to above in all material respects for the year ended June 30, 2019.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report on state compliance is solely to describe the results of testing based on the requirements of the *2018-2019 Guide for Annual Audits of K-12 Local Education Agencies and State Compliance Reporting*, published by the Education Audit Appeals Panel. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Glendora, California
November 25, 2019

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

All audit findings must be identified as one or more of the following categories:

<u>Five Digit Code</u>	<u>Finding Types</u>
10000	Attendance
20000	Inventory of Equipment
30000	Internal Control
40000	State Compliance
42000	Charter School Facilities Program
43000	Apprenticeship
50000	Federal Compliance
60000	Miscellaneous
61000	Classroom Teacher Salaries
62000	Local Control Accountability Plan
70000	Instructional Materials
71000	Teacher Misassignments
72000	School Accountability Report Card

There were no findings and questioned costs related to the basic financial statements or state awards for June 30, 2019.

**CREEKSIDE CHARTER MANAGEMENT
SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019**

There were no findings and questioned costs related to the basic financial statements or state awards for the prior year.

