



Sports Leadership Arts Management
Charter Middle School
W/L# 6015
(A charter school under
Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.)
Financial Statements and
Independent Auditors' Report
June 30, 2024

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Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
(A charter school under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.)
W/L# 6015

604 NW 12th Avenue and 542 NW 12th Avenue
Miami, FL 33135

2023-2024

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors of
Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
Miami, Florida

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and each major fund of Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School (the “School”), a charter school under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. as of, and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School’s basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and each major fund of Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School as of June 30, 2024, and the respective changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor’s Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School’s ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 School's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the School's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

Emphasis of a Matter – Presentation

As described in Note 1, the accompanying financial statements referred to above present only the financial position and change in financial position of Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School that is attributable to the transactions of the School and is not intended to be a complete presentation of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. These financial statements do not purport to, and do not, present fairly the financial position of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. as of June 30, 2024 and its changes in financial position for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management’s discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison information on pages 5 through 8 and 29 to 30 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. 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 September 12, 2024 on our consideration of the School's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to solely 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 of 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 School’s internal control over financial reporting and compliance.



Coral Gables, Florida
September 12, 2024

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Management’s Discussion and Analysis
Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
(A Charter School Under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.)
June 30, 2024

The corporate officers of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. have prepared this narrative overview and analysis of Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School’s financial activities for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024.

Financial Highlights

1. The net position of the School at June 30, 2024 was \$2,521,964.
2. At year-end, the School had current assets on hand of \$2,457,320.
3. The School had an increase in net position of \$2,173,584.
4. The School had an unassigned fund balance of \$1,307,077 at year end.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction to the School’s basic financial statements. The School’s financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2024 are presented in accordance with GASB Codification Section 2200. The financial statements have three components: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other required supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

The *government-wide financial statements* are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the School’s finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The *Statement of Net Position* presents information on all of the School’s assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources. The difference is reported as net position. Over time increases or decreases in net position may serve as an indicator of whether the financial position of the School is improving or deteriorating.

The *Statement of Activities* presents information on how the School’s net position changed during the fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported when the underlying event occurs without regard to the timing of related cash flows. Accordingly, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

The government-wide financial statements can be found on pages 9-10 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

A “fund” is a collection of related accounts grouped to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities, projects, or objectives. The School like other state and local governments uses fund accounting to ensure and report compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

All of the funds of the School are governmental funds. *Governmental Funds* are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. Governmental Fund financial statements, however, focus on *near-term* inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on the balances of spendable resources which are available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be used to evaluate a government’s requirements for near-term financing.

The Board of the School adopts an annual appropriated budget for its major governmental funds. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the major governmental funds to demonstrate compliance with the School’s budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found on pages 11-14 of this report.

Notes to Financial Statements

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

The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 15-28 of this report.

School Location and Lease of Facility

The School leases a facility located at 604 NW 12th Avenue, and 542 NW 12th Ave Miami, Miami, Florida.

Capital Improvement Requirements

The School maintains a continuous capital improvements program to enhance facilities and update fixtures and equipment as required.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a charter school’s financial position. In the case of the School, the net position was \$2,521,964 at the close of the fiscal year. A summary of the School’s net position as of June 30, 2024 and 2023 is as follows:

	2024	2023
Cash	\$ 8,759	\$ 128,791
Investments	1,083,000	470,000
Prepaid expenses and other assets	58,617	78,433
Due from other agencies	2,573,983	1,492,235
Due from other divisions of SLAM, Inc.	10,000	650,000
Capital and right of use assets, net	14,344,520	15,585,531
Total Assets	18,078,879	18,404,990
Deferred outflows of resources	-	-
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	79,848	558,820
Salaries and wages payable	384,574	292,947
Due to SLAM Inc. and SLAM Foundation, Inc.	-	124,877
Note payable	-	1,564
Lease liability	15,092,493	16,078,402
Due to Mater Academy Inc.	-	1,000,000
Total Liabilities	15,556,915	18,056,610
Deferred inflows of resources	-	-
Net Position:		
Net investment in capital assets	(747,973)	(494,435)
Restricted	627,204	62,074
Unrestricted	2,642,733	780,741
Total Net Position	\$ 2,521,964	\$ 348,380

At the end of 2024 and 2023, the School is able to report a positive balance in its net position.

A summary and analysis of the School's revenues and expenses for the years ended June 30, 2024 and 2023 is as follows:

	2024	2023
REVENUES		
Program Revenues		
Operating Grants and Contributions	\$ 2,146,471	\$ 2,415,848
Capital Grants and Contributions	738,123	710,799
Charges for Services	12,017	12,539
General Revenues		
State and local sources	11,264,547	7,039,824
Other Revenues	488,023	421,920
Total Revenues	\$ 14,649,181	\$ 10,600,930
EXPENSES		
Governmental Activities:		
Instruction	\$ 4,941,078	\$ 5,306,990
Student support services	261,553	80,689
Instructional staff training	47,876	33,719
Board	51,711	45,636
General administration	96,475	-
School administration	967,354	1,004,212
Fiscal services	146,458	133,200
Food services	562,894	362,917
Central services	217,378	190,818
Operation of plant	2,271,509	2,221,103
Maintenance of plant	320,200	349,846
Administrative technology services	41,497	52,142
Debt service	2,549,614	829,943
Total Expenses	12,475,597	10,611,215
Change in Net Position	2,173,584	(10,285)
Net Position at Beginning of Year	348,380	358,665
Net Position at End of Year	\$ 2,521,964	\$ 348,380

The School's revenue increased by \$4,048,251 and expenditures increased by \$1,864,382. The School had an increase in its net position of \$2,173,584.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE GOVERNMENT'S FUND

As noted earlier, the School uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds

The focus of the School's *governmental funds* is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of *spendable* resources. Such information is useful in assessing the School's financing requirements. In particular, the *unassigned fund balance* may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year. Most of the School's operations are funded in the General Fund. The majority of the General Fund revenues are distributed to the School by the District through the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP), which uses formulas to distribute state funds and an amount of local property taxes (i.e., required local effort) established each year by the Florida Legislature. At the end of the fiscal year, the School's governmental general fund reported an ending fund balance of \$1,992,898. The School reported an unassigned fund balance of \$1,307,077. These funds will be available for the School's future ongoing operations.

Capital Assets

The School's investment in capital assets (including right of use lease assets) as of June 30, 2024 amounts to \$14,344,520 (net of accumulated depreciation and amortization). This investment in capital assets includes building and improvements, furniture, fixtures and equipment. The School has long term liabilities of \$15,092,493 associated to capital assets. The lease asset is amortized using the straight-line method over the term of the lease and the lease liability amortizes based on the effective interest method resulting in a higher liability and expense during the early years of the lease.

Governmental Fund Budget Analysis and Highlights

Prior to the start of the School's fiscal year, the Board of the School adopted an annual budget. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the governmental funds to demonstrate compliance with the School's budget.

	Governmental Fund		
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual
REVENUES			
Program Revenues			
Capital grants and contributions	\$ 485,000	\$ 529,230	\$ 548,934
Federal sources	2,844,121	3,257,468	3,260,248
Charges and other revenue	-	11,400	12,017
General Revenues			
State and local sources	8,177,273	10,077,067	10,176,697
Charges and other revenue	250,212	460,540	488,023
Total Revenues	<u>11,756,606</u>	<u>14,335,705</u>	<u>14,485,919</u>
CURRENT EXPENDITURES			
Governmental Activities			
Instruction	5,217,633	5,009,968	4,864,008
Student support services	317,566	282,322	261,553
Instructional staff training	59,320	50,420	47,876
Board	63,787	61,169	51,711
General administration	144,417	98,225	96,475
School administration	1,101,117	1,006,782	965,797
Fiscal services	192,500	166,379	146,458
Food services	619,553	575,553	562,894
Central services	242,500	233,995	217,378
Operation of plant	1,083,793	1,052,421	1,002,744
Maintenance of plant	405,325	360,040	318,210
Administrative technology services	88,214	63,809	41,497
Total Current Expenditures	<u>\$ 9,535,725</u>	<u>\$ 8,961,083</u>	<u>\$ 8,576,601</u>

Most variances occurred as a result of the Budget adopted being more conservative than actual results for the year.

Requests for Information

This financial report is intended to provide a general overview of the finances of the Charter School. Requests for additional information may be addressed to Ms. Ana Martinez at Academica Dade, LLC, 6340 Sunset Drive, Miami, Florida 33143.

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
(A charter school under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.)
Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2024

	Primary Government Governmental Activities
<u>Assets</u>	
Current assets:	
Cash	\$ 8,759
Investments	1,083,000
Due from other divisions of SLAM, Inc.	10,000
Prepaid expenses and other assets	58,617
Due from other agencies	<u>1,296,944</u>
	2,457,320
Due from other agencies, long-term	<u>1,277,039</u>
	1,277,039
Capital assets	2,008,478
Less: accumulated depreciation	(1,781,236)
Right-of-use lease asset	17,908,597
Less: accumulated amortization	<u>(3,791,319)</u>
	14,344,520
Total Assets	<u>18,078,879</u>
<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Liabilities</u>	
Current liabilities:	
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	79,848
Salaries and wages payable	384,574
Lease liability, current	<u>1,036,350</u>
	1,500,772
Lease liability	<u>14,056,143</u>
	14,056,143
Total Liabilities	<u>15,556,915</u>
<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Net Position</u>	
Net investment in capital assets	(747,973)
Restricted referendum funds	627,204
Unrestricted	<u>2,642,733</u>
Total Net Position	<u>\$ 2,521,964</u>

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
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Statement of Activities
For the year ended June 30, 2024

	Program Revenues				Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	
Primary Government:					
Governmental activities:					
Instruction	\$ 4,941,078	\$ -	\$ 1,410,494	\$ -	\$ (3,530,584)
Student support services	261,553	-	77,772	-	(183,781)
Instructional staff training	47,876	-	45,557	-	(2,319)
Board	51,711	-	-	-	(51,711)
General administration	96,475	-	-	-	(96,475)
School administration	967,354	-	89,443	-	(877,911)
Fiscal services	146,458	-	-	-	(146,458)
Food services	562,894	12,017	424,240	-	(126,637)
Central services	217,378	-	-	-	(217,378)
Operation of plant	2,271,509	-	81,042	738,123	(1,452,344)
Maintenance of plant	320,200	-	1,284	-	(318,916)
Administrative technology services	41,497	-	16,639	-	(24,858)
Debt service	2,549,614	-	-	-	(2,549,614)
Total governmental activities	12,475,597	12,017	2,146,471	738,123	(9,578,986)
General revenues:					
State and local sources				11,264,547	
Interest and other revenue				488,023	
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Change in net position				2,173,584	
Net position , beginning				348,380	
Net position, ending				<u>\$ 2,521,964</u>	

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
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Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds
June 30, 2024

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total Governmental Funds
<u>Assets</u>				
Cash	\$ 8,759	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,759
Investments	1,083,000	-	-	1,083,000
Due from other divisions of SLAM, Inc.	10,000	-	-	10,000
Due from other agencies	1,216,228	43,655	37,061	1,296,944
Due from fund	80,716	-	-	80,716
Prepaid expenses and other assets	58,617	-	-	58,617
Total Assets	<u>2,457,320</u>	<u>43,655</u>	<u>37,061</u>	<u>2,538,036</u>
<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>				
	-	-	-	-
<u>Liabilities</u>				
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	79,848	-	-	79,848
Salaries and wages payable	384,574	-	-	384,574
Due to fund	-	43,655	37,061	80,716
Total Liabilities	<u>464,422</u>	<u>43,655</u>	<u>37,061</u>	<u>545,138</u>
<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>				
	-	-	-	-
<u>Fund balance</u>				
Nonspendable, not in spendable form	58,617	-	-	58,617
Restricted	627,204	-	-	627,204
Unassigned	1,307,077	-	-	1,307,077
	<u>1,992,898</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,992,898</u>
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balance	<u>\$ 2,457,320</u>	<u>\$ 43,655</u>	<u>\$ 37,061</u>	<u>\$ 2,538,036</u>

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
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 Reconciliation of the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position
 June 30, 2024

Total Fund Balance/(Deficit) - Governmental Funds \$ 1,992,898

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:

Capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and amortization used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the fund.

Capital assets, depreciable	2,008,478	
Less: accumulated depreciation	(1,781,236)	
Right-of-use lease asset	17,908,597	
Less: accumulated amortization	<u>(3,791,319)</u>	
		14,344,520

Receivables in governmental activities that are not considered available to pay current liabilities are not current financial resources and therefore are not reported in the governmental funds. 1,277,039

Long term liabilities were not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds. (15,092,493)

Total Net Position - Governmental Activities \$ 2,521,964

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds
For the year ended June 30, 2024

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total Governmental Funds
Revenues:				
State capital outlay funding	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 548,934	\$ 548,934
Local sources	2,552,964	-	189,189	2,742,153
State passed through local	7,434,544	-	-	7,434,544
Federal sources	-	3,260,248	-	3,260,248
Charges and other revenue	488,023	12,017	-	500,040
Total Revenues	10,475,531	3,272,265	738,123	14,485,919
Expenditures:				
Current				
Instruction	3,796,200	1,067,808	-	4,864,008
Student support services	183,781	77,772	-	261,553
Instructional staff training	2,319	45,557	-	47,876
Board	51,711	-	-	51,711
General administration	96,475	-	-	96,475
School administration	876,354	89,443	-	965,797
Fiscal services	146,458	-	-	146,458
Food services	-	562,894	-	562,894
Central services	217,378	-	-	217,378
Student transportation services	-	-	-	-
Operation of plant	921,702	81,042	-	1,002,744
Maintenance of plant	316,926	1,284	-	318,210
Administrative technology services	24,858	16,639	-	41,497
Capital Outlay:				
Other capital outlay	108,371	-	-	108,371
Debt Service:				
Principal	1,564	-	985,909	987,473
Interest	84	-	781,530	781,614
Total Expenditures	6,744,181	1,942,439	1,767,439	10,454,059
Excess (deficit) of revenues over expenditures	3,731,350	1,329,826	(1,029,316)	4,031,860
Other financing sources (uses)				
Transfers in (out)	362,584	(1,391,900)	1,029,316	-
Recoverable grant repayment	(1,768,000)	-	-	(1,768,000)
Net changes payables to affiliates	(1,124,877)	-	-	(1,124,877)
Net changes receivables from affiliates	650,000	-	-	650,000
Net change in fund balance	1,851,057	(62,074)	-	1,788,983
Fund Balance at beginning of year	141,841	62,074	-	203,915
Fund Balance at end of year	\$ 1,992,898	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,992,898

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
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Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance
of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities
For the year ended June 30, 2024

Net Change in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds \$ 1,788,983

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation and amortization expense. In the current period, these amounts are:

Capital Outlay	108,371	
Depreciation and amortization expense	<u>(1,349,382)</u>	(1,241,011)

Increase in long term receivables is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but a decrease or collections of such receivables reduces long-term assets in the statement of net position. In the current period, these amounts are:

Increases in long term receivables	-	
Decreases in long term receivables	<u>(650,000)</u>	(650,000)

Revenues are recognized using the full accrual basis of accounting in the government-wide statements. However, revenues are recognized when they are measurable and available in the governmental funds. This is the difference between the revenues from prior year that is now available to pay current liabilities to the revenues from the current year that is not available to pay current liabilities. In the current period, these amounts are:

Prior year revenues available in current year	(1,113,777)	
Current year revenues not available	<u>1,277,039</u>	163,262

Additions in long term liabilities provide current financial resources to governmental funds, but increases long term liabilities in the statement of net position. Reductions in long term liabilities is an expenditure in the governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilities in the statement of net position. In the current period, these amounts are:

Decreases in long term liabilities	2,112,350	
Increases in long term liabilities	<u>-</u>	<u>2,112,350</u>

Change in Net Position of Governmental Activities \$ 2,173,584

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Reporting Entity

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School (the "School"), is a charter school sponsored by School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida (the "District"). The School's charter is held by Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. ("SLAM Inc."), a not-for-profit corporation organized pursuant to Chapter 617, Florida Statutes, the Florida Not-For-Profit Corporation Act. The governing body of the School is the board of directors of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc., which is composed of five members and also governs other charter schools. The board of directors has determined that no component unit exists that would require inclusion in the School's financial statements.

The general operating authority of the School is contained in Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes. The School operates under a charter granted by the sponsoring district, the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida. The current charter expires on June 30, 2038 and can be renewed in accordance with law. A charter can also be terminated before its date of expiration for reasons set forth in the charter and Section 1002.33 of the Florida Statutes.

The School is located in Miami, Florida for students from sixth through eighth grade. These financial statements are for the year ended June 30, 2024, when on average 925 students were enrolled for the school year.

Basis of Presentation

The School's accounting policies conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States applicable to state and local governments. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. Accordingly, the basic financial statements include both the government-wide and fund financial statements.

Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements include the statement of net positions and the statement of activities. These statements report information about the School as a whole. Any internal interfund activity has been eliminated from these financial statements. Both statements report only governmental activities as the School does not engage in any business type activities. These statements do not include fiduciary funds.

The statement of activities reports the expenses of a given function offset by program revenues directly connected with the functional program. A function is an assembly of similar activities and may include portions of a fund or summarize more than one fund to capture the expenses and program revenues associated with a distinct functional activity. Program revenues include: (1) charges for services, such as food service and student activity fees; (2) operating grants such as the National School Lunch Program, Federal grants, and other state allocations; and (3) capital grants specific to capital outlay. In addition, revenues not classified as program revenues are shown as general revenues, which include Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) revenues, and other local sources.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Fund Financial Statements

Fund financial statements are provided for governmental funds. The operations of the funds are accounted for with a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, equity, revenues and expenditures. The School reports the following major governmental funds:

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

Special Revenue Fund – accounts for specific revenues, such as federal funding, federal lunch program, and COVID-19 emergency relief funding that are legally restricted to expenditures for particular purposes.

Capital Projects Fund - accounts for resources restricted for the acquisition or construction of specific capital assets from bond proceeds and for state and local capital outlay funding that are legally restricted to expenditures for particular purposes.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the School are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The School's reporting entity applies all relevant Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) *Codification of Accounting and Financial Reporting Guidance*.

The government-wide statements report using the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. The School recognizes assets of non-exchange transactions in the period when the underlying transaction occurs, when an enforceable legal claim has arisen, or when all eligibility requirements are met. Revenues are recognized, on the modified accrual basis, when they are measurable and available. Non-exchange transactions occur when the school provides (or receives) value to (from) another party without receiving (or giving) equal or nearly equal value in return. Most donations are examples of non-exchange transactions. Revenues from grants and donations are recognized on the accrual basis, in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied.

Governmental fund financial statements report using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when they are both measurable and available. "Measurable" means the amount of the transaction can be determined. "Available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP) revenues are recognized when received. A one-year availability period is used for revenue recognition for all other governmental fund revenues. Charges for services and fees are recognized when cash is collected as amounts are not measurable.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

When grant terms provide that the expenditure of funds is the prime factor for determining eligibility for federal, state, and other grant funds, revenue is recognized at the time the expenditure is made. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred, except for long-term debt principal and interest which are reported as expenditures in the year due.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

In compliance with Florida Statutes, the Board of Directors adopts an annual budget using the modified accrual basis of accounting. During the fiscal year, expenditures were controlled at the object level (e.g. salaries and benefits, purchased services, materials and supplies and capital outlay) within each activity (e.g. instruction, pupil personnel services and school administration). Revisions to the annual budget are approved by the Board.

Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The School does not have any items that qualify for reporting in this category.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The School does not have any items that qualify for reporting in this category.

Cash and Investments

Cash is considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, non-marketable time deposits with maturities of three months or less when purchased, and money market/savings accounts.

The School has not adopted a formal deposit and investment policy that limits the School's allowable deposits or investments and address specific types of risk; however the School invests excess deposit funds in a government money market mutual fund. The School follows the provisions of GASB Statement No. 31, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and External Investment Pools, GASB Statement No. 72, *Fair Value Measurement and Application*, and other related standards which establish accounting and financial reporting standards for all investments (see Note 2). Money market investment that have maturities of one year or less from the date of acquisition are reported at amortized cost rather than fair value. Amortized cost closely approximates fair value.

Inter-fund Transfers

Inter-fund receivables/payables ("due from/to") are short-term balances that represent reimbursements between funds for payments made by one fund on behalf of another fund.

Due from Other Governments or Agencies

Amounts due to the School by other governments or agencies relate to grants or programs for which the services have been provided by the School.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Capital Assets

The School’s property, plant and equipment with useful lives of more than one year are stated at historical cost and comprehensively reported in the statement of net position in the government-wide financial statements. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair market value on the date donated. The School generally capitalizes assets with a cost of \$1,000 or more. Building improvements, additions and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the asset value or materially extend useful lives are not capitalized. Capital assets are depreciated using the straight-line method. When capital assets are sold or disposed of, the related cost and accumulated depreciation are removed from the accounts, and the resulting gain or loss is recorded in the government wide statements. Proceeds received from the sale or disposal of capital assets are recorded as Other Financing Sources in the governmental funds.

The right to use assets are initially measure at an amount equal to the initial measurement of the related lease liability plus any lease payments made prior to the lease term, less lease incentives, and plus ancillary charges necessary to place the lease into service. The right to use assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over the life of the related lease.

Estimated useful lives, in years, for capital assets are as follows:

Furniture and equipment	5 Years
Computer equipment and software	3-5 Years
Improvements	5 Years
Right-of-use asset (building)	12-16 Years

Compensated Absences

The School grants a specific number of personal time off. Full time instructional employees are eligible to receive one day per month up to ten days of active work during the ten-month period (a “benefit year”). In the event that available time is not used by the end of the benefit year, employees may “rollover” all unused days for use in future benefit years. Employees may “cash out” unused days for personal time off, however, employees may only cash out if they have used three days or less in that benefit year. Employees may not cash out more than ten days per school year and are required to maintain a minimum of twenty-one unused days in order to cash out. The cash out value is eighty percent of their current daily rate. There is no termination payment for accumulated unused days. Non-exempt and office salaried employees are not eligible to “cash out” unused personal time off days.

GASB Codification Section C60, *Accounting for Compensated Absences*, provides that compensated absences that are contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee should be accounted for in the period those events take place. Accordingly, these financial statements do not include an accrual for compensated absences available to be used in future benefits years.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Revenue Sources

Revenues for current operations are received primarily from the state through the District pursuant to the funding provisions included in the School's charter. In accordance with the funding provisions of the charter and Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes, the School will report the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) students and related data to the District. Under the provisions of Section 1011.62, Florida Statutes, the District reports the number of the full-time equivalent (FTE) students and related data to the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) for funding through the FEFP.

Funding for the School is adjusted during the year to reflect the revised calculations by the FDOE under the FEFP and the actual weighted full-time equivalent students reported by the School during the designated full-time equivalent student survey periods. After review and verification of FTE reports and supporting documentation, the FDOE may adjust subsequent fiscal period allocations of FEFP funding for prior year errors disclosed by its review as well as to prevent statewide allocations from exceeding the amount authorized by the Legislature. Normally, such adjustments are treated as reductions of revenue in the year the adjustment is made. In addition, the School receives a portion of the local operating millage revenues levied by the District (Secure our Future Referendum).

The School receives state funds through the District under charter school capital outlay funding pursuant to Section 1013.62, Florida Statutes. Funds are based on a capital outlay plan submitted to the District and are to be used for lease of school facilities. In addition, the School may receive a portion of the local capital improvement tax revenues levied by the District.

Finally, the School also receives Federal awards for the enhancement of various educational programs. Federal awards are generally received based on applications submitted to and approved by various granting agencies. For Federal awards in which a claim to these grant proceeds is based on incurring eligible expenditures, revenue is recognized to the extent that eligible expenditures have been incurred. Any excess amounts are recorded as deferred revenues until expended. Additionally, other revenues may be derived from various fundraising activities and certain other programs.

Net Position and Fund Balance Classification

Government-wide financial statements

Equity is classified as net position and displayed in three components:

- a) Net investment in capital assets - consists of capital assets net of accumulated depreciation reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition or improvement of those assets.
- b) Restricted net position - consists of balances with constraints placed on their use either by external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors or laws or regulations of other governments.
- c) Unrestricted net position - all other balances that do not meet the definition of "restricted" or "net investment in capital assets"

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for a specific purpose, it is the School's policy to use restricted resources first, until exhausted, before using unrestricted resources.

Fund financial statements

GASB Codification Section 1800.142, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*, defines the different types of fund balances that a governmental entity must use for financial reporting purposes. GASB requires the fund balance amounts to be properly reported within one of the fund balance categories listed below:

- a) Nonspendable – includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not in spendable form or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. Consists of fund balance associated with inventories and prepaid expenses.
- b) Restricted – this classification includes fund balance category amounts that can be spent only for the specific purposes stipulated by constitution, external resource providers, or through enabling legislation. Restricted fund balances at year end pertain to the School's unspent local referendum funds.
- c) Committed - fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the School's Board of Directors. There are no committed fund balances at year end.
- d) Assigned - fund balance classification that is intended to be used by the School's management for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. There are no assigned fund balances at year end.
- e) Unassigned – portion of the fund balance that has not been restricted, committed or assigned for a specific purpose. This is the residual classification for the School's general fund.

Committed amounts would be reduced first, followed by assigned amounts, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of those unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

Prepaid Expenses and Other Assets

Other assets consist mainly of prepaid expenses which as payments for goods or services that have not been consumed or used at year end. The expenditure will be recorded when the assets is used. Accordingly, prepaid expenses are equally offset by a nonspendable fund balance classification.

Long-Term Debt and Liabilities

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities statement of net position. In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types report the face amount of debt issued as other financing sources.

Note 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Income Taxes

Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. qualifies as a tax-exempt organization under Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) and is therefore, exempt from income tax. Accordingly, no tax provision has been made in the accompanying financial statements.

New Accounting Standard Adopted

In fiscal year 2024, the School adopted a new statement of financial accounting standard issued by Governmental Accounting Standards Board: GASB Statement No. 100, Accounting Changes and Error Corrections. This adoption had no material effect on the School's financial statements as of June 30, 2024.

Pronouncements Issued But Not Yet Effective

GASB has issued GASB Statement No. 101, Compensating Absences. This Statement provides guidance on the accounting and financial reporting for certain types of compensated absences including parental leave, military leave, and injury duty leave. The School is currently evaluating the effect that implementation of the new standard will have on its financial statements. The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2023.

Subsequent Events

In accordance with GASB Codification Section 2250.106, the School has evaluated subsequent events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through September 12, 2024, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Use of Estimates

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

Note 2 – Cash and Investments

Deposits

The School maintains its cash in one financial institution. Deposits at FDIC-insured institutions are insured up to \$250,000 per depositor, per financial institution. The School is a charter school under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc., which also operates various other charter schools. All bank accounts are opened under the account ownership of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc., therefore, bank balances at times may potentially be in excess of FDIC coverage. As of June 30, 2024, bank balances in potential excess of FDIC coverage was approximately \$9,000.

Note 2 – Cash and Investments (continued)

Investments

The School follows the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 72, *Fair Value Measurement and Application*. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rates, credit risk, etc.); Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

At June 30, 2024, the School had \$3,250,000 invested in a governmental money market mutual fund that is exempt from GASB 72 fair value hierarchy disclosures. The governmental money market mutual fund values its portfolio securities at amortized cost which approximates fair value. The government money market mutual fund primarily invests in cash, high quality, short-term U.S. government securities and/or repurchase agreements that are collateralized fully by government securities that have been valued by the fund as Level 2. As of June 30, 2024, maturities of the fund’s portfolio holdings are approximately 86% within 30 days.

Credit Risk

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of investments in a single issuer. The School manages its exposure to credit risk by limiting investments to highly rated government money market mutual funds. The fund is rated Aaa-mf by Moody’s.

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a failure of a depository financial institution or counterparty that is in possession of investment or collateral securities, the School will not be able to recover deposits or will not be able to recover collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of the failure of the counterparty to a transaction, the School will not be able to recover the value of investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. At June 30, 2024, all of the School’s investments in government money market mutual funds were held in a separate account and designated as assets of the School.

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rate will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The School manages its exposure to declines in fair values by limiting all investments to government money market mutual funds that can be redeemed daily.

Note 3 –Due from Other Agencies

The following is due from other agencies as of June 30, 2024:

Funding Source	Governmental Fund	Balance
Due from Miami-Dade County Public Schools, referendum	General Fund	\$ 1,216,228
Title IV	Special Revenue Fund	43,655
Capital Outlay	Capital Projects Fund	37,061
Total Due from Other Agencies, current		\$ 1,296,944
Due from Miami-Dade County Public Schools, referendum, long-term portion		1,277,039
Total Due from Other Agencies		\$ 2,573,983

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Note 4 –Capital Assets

The following schedule provides a summary of changes in capital assets, acquired substantially with public funds, for the year ended June 30, 2024:

	Balance 07/01/23	Additions	Retirements/ Reclassification	Balance 06/30/24
Capital assets, depreciable:				
Buildings and improvements	\$ 850,350	\$ 13,267	\$ -	\$ 863,617
Computer equipment and software	244,255	1,445	(45,373)	200,327
Furniture and equipment	939,595	93,659	(88,720)	944,534
Total Capital Assets	<u>2,034,200</u>	<u>108,371</u>	<u>(134,093)</u>	<u>2,008,478</u>
Less Accumulated Depreciation:				
Buildings and improvements	(804,299)	(18,856)	-	(823,155)
Computer equipment and software	(222,591)	(10,465)	45,373	(187,683)
Furniture and equipment	(802,830)	(56,288)	88,720	(770,398)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(1,829,720)</u>	<u>(85,609)</u>	<u>134,093</u>	<u>(1,781,236)</u>
Capital Assets, net	<u>\$ 204,480</u>	<u>\$ 22,762</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 227,242</u>
Lease Assets:				
Right of use lease asset (building)	\$ 17,908,597	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 17,908,597
Less accumulated amortization:	<u>(2,527,546)</u>	<u>(1,263,773)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(3,791,319)</u>
Total Lease Assets, net	<u>15,381,051</u>	<u>(1,263,773)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>14,117,278</u>
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, net	<u>\$ 15,585,531</u>	<u>\$ (1,241,011)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 14,344,520</u>

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024, depreciation and amortization expense is allocated in the Statement of Activities by function as follows:

	Depreciation	Amortization
Instruction	\$ 77,070	\$ -
School administration	1,557	-
Maintenance of plant	1,990	-
Operation of plant	4,992	1,263,773
Total Expense	<u>\$ 85,609</u>	<u>\$ 1,263,773</u>

Note 5 –Education Service Support Provider

Academica Dade, LLC, an education service and support provider, provides administrative services to the School including, but not limited to facility design, staffing recommendations, human resource coordination, regulatory compliance, legal and corporate upkeep, maintenance of the books and records, bookkeeping, budgeting and financial reporting and virtual education services. The agreement calls for a fee on a per student basis.

Note 5 – Education Service Support Provider (continued)

The agreement is with Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. through June 30, 2028, and unless terminated by the board, will have the option to renew for an additional 5 year period. During the year ended June 30, 2024, the School incurred \$439,375 in fees.

Note 6 –Transactions with Affiliates

Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. and Mater Academy, Inc. share common board members. SLAM Foundation, Inc. is a not-for-profit supporting organization of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. under Section 509(a)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Mater Academy, Inc., and Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. have made non-interest bearing advances to the School. The following schedule provides a summary of changes in long-term payables for the year ended June 30, 2024.

	Balance 07/01/23	Increases	Decreases	Balance 06/30/24
Mater Academy, Inc. - Corporate account	\$ 1,000,000	\$ -	\$ (1,000,000)	\$ -
SLAM, Inc.	124,877	-	(124,877)	-
Total Long Term Payables	<u>\$ 1,124,877</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ (1,124,877)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

Recoverable Grant

The School received a recoverable grant from the Mater Academy Inc. totaling \$90,000 in 2015 with repayment contingent on the school subsequently meeting certain financial conditions. As of June 30, 2024, management determined that the School met the requirements for repayment under the grant terms and repaid the recoverable grant in full.

The School received recoverable grants from SLAM Inc. of \$480,000 (in prior periods) and from SLAM Foundation, Inc. of \$1,198,000 (in prior periods), respectively, with repayment contingent on the School subsequently meeting certain financial conditions. As of June 30, 2024 management determined that the School met the requirements for repayment under the grant terms and repaid the recoverable grants in full.

Note 7 –Transactions with other divisions of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.

The School’s facility is shared with Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter High School, another charter school under SLAM, Inc. Management allocates a proportionate share of leases, salaries, lunch receipts, food and supplies, and other expenses to each school individually based on student enrollment and usage of facilities and staff to these schools and other schools operated by Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. In addition, the student activities account on the school is recorded in Sport Leadership Arts Management Charter High School’s books.

Sports Leadership and Management Academy, Inc. received funds for the Federal lunch program for all the schools in this campus, as listed above. Revenues and expenses related to such program have been allocated to each school based on FTE equivalent for purposes of presentation in the financial statements.

Note 7 –Transactions with other divisions of Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. (continued)

Sports Leadership and Management, Inc., charges all its affiliated schools an assessment for shared corporate costs and accreditation expenses. Fees charged to the School during the year was \$138,675.

The School has made certain long term, non-interest-bearing advances to Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter High School. The following represents the changes in long-term receivables during the year:

	Balance 07/01/23	Increases	Decreases	Balance 06/30/24
Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter High School	\$ 650,000	\$ -	\$ (650,000)	\$ -
Total Long Term Receivables	\$ 650,000	\$ -	\$ (650,000)	\$ -

Note 8 – Long-Term Liabilities

Lease Liability

On June 20, 2012 (building 1) and July 1, 2017 (building 2), Sports Leadership and Management, Inc. (the subtenant) entered into two space sublease agreements with Mater Academy Inc., as sublandlord. Mater Academy, Inc. is the subtenant under the superior sublease agreements with Mater Academy Foundation, Inc. Mater Academy Foundation, Inc. is the tenant under both master lease agreements with Miami Sports Property, LLC (the “Landlord”). The Landlord is an affiliate of the School's education service support provider (See Note 5). The charter schools’ facilities are located at 602-630 NW 12th Avenue, Miami, Florida (building 1) and 542 NW 12th Ave, Miami, FL (building 2).

The term of these sublease agreements continues through July 31, 2033 and June 29, 2037, respectively with an option to renew for an additional five-year term.

Effective August 1, 2017, the sublease agreement for Building 1 was amended to reflect an annual fixed payment of \$1,319,579 to be adjusted annually based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI). The sublease agreement for Building 2 was also amended effective August 1, 2017 to reflect an annual fixed rent of \$1,823,094 to be adjusted annually based on the Consumer Price Index (CPI).

At the time of the initial measurement, the lease right of use asset and liability were allocated between the two schools based on enrollment and usage of facility. The allocation used was approximately 52% for the School and 48% for Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter High School. The School has used an average effective interest for several borrowings during FY 2021 and 2022. At the time of initial measurement, the average borrowing rate was 5% which was used to discount the annual lease payments to recognize the intangible right to use this asset and the lease liability.

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Note 8 – Long-Term Liabilities (continued)

For the year ended June 30, 2024, interest expense totaled \$781,530, as it relates to its lease agreements.

For 2024, variable and other payments of approximately \$173,000 in connection with the lease agreement not previously included in the measurement of the lease liability were recorded in rent expense.

Annual requirements to amortize the lease liability and related interest are as follows:

Year	Principal	Interest	Total	
2025	\$ 1,036,350	\$ 731,089	\$ 1,767,439	
2026	1,089,371	678,068	1,767,439	
2027	1,145,106	622,333	1,767,439	
2028	1,203,691	563,748	1,767,439	
2029	1,265,274	502,165	1,767,439	
2030-2034	6,578,596	1,488,868	8,067,464	(total for five-year period)
2035-2037	2,774,105	219,022	2,993,127	(total for three-year period)
	<u>\$ 15,092,493</u>	<u>\$ 4,805,293</u>	<u>\$ 19,897,786</u>	

Changes in long term lease liabilities during the year are as follows:

	Balance 07/01/23	Increases	Decreases	Balance 06/30/24
Lease Liability	\$ 16,078,402	\$ -	\$ (985,909)	\$ 15,092,493
Total Lease Liability	<u>\$ 16,078,402</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ (985,909)</u>	<u>\$ 15,092,493</u>

Notes Payable

The School obtained equipment financing from a financial institution and issued a note payable for a total loan balance of \$72,824. The facility requires 48 monthly principal and interest payments of \$1,648 based on a fixed rate of 4.1%. As of June 30, 2024, the loan was paid in full. The following schedule provides a summary of changes in long-term debt for the year:

	Balance 07/01/23	Increases	Decreases	Balance 06/30/24
Notes payable to financial institution	1,564	\$ -	\$ (1,564)	\$ -
Total Long Term Debt	<u>\$ 1,564</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ (1,564)</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

Note 9 – Contingencies and Concentrations

Contingencies and Concentrations

The School receives substantially all of its funding from the District under the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP), which is based in part on a computation of the number of full-time equivalent (FTE) students attending different instructional programs. The accuracy of FTE student data submitted by individual schools and used in the FEFP computations is subject to audit by the state and, if found to be in error, could result in refunds to the state or in decreases to future funding allocations.

Note 9 – Contingencies and Concentrations (continued)

Additionally, the School receives various forms of federal, state and local funding which are subject to financial and compliance audits. It is the opinion of management that the amount of funding, if any, which may be remitted back to the state due to errors in the FTE student data or the amount of grant expenditures which may be disallowed by grantor agencies would not be material to the financial position of the School. As of year end June 30, 2024, the School accrued for \$67,448 in accounts payable as contingency for the 2023-2024 referendum revenues recognized. See Note 13.

Pursuant to the Charter School contract with the School District, the District withholds an administrative fee of 5% of the qualifying revenues of the School. For the year ended June 30, 2024, administrative fees withheld by the School District totaled \$96,475.

Note 10 – Interfund Transfers

Interfund transfers in governmental funds as of June 30, 2024 consist of the following:

	General Fund	Special Revenue Fund	Capital Projects Fund
To reimburse the general fund for prior period's federal expenditures	\$ 1,391,900	\$ (1,391,900)	\$ -
To fund lease payments in the Capital Projects Fund	(1,029,316)	-	1,029,316
Total Transfers, net	<u>\$ 362,584</u>	<u>\$ (1,391,900)</u>	<u>\$ 1,029,316</u>
Due to General Fund from Capital Projects Fund for Capital Outlay	\$ 37,061	\$ -	\$ (37,061)
Due to General Fund from Special Revenue Fund for Title IV	43,655	(43,655)	-
Total Due from/(Due to) Funds	<u>\$ 80,716</u>	<u>\$ (43,655)</u>	<u>\$ (37,061)</u>

Note 11 – Risk Management

The School is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; thefts of, damage to and destruction of assets; administrative errors and omissions; personal injury; workers compensation and natural disasters for which the School carries commercial insurance. Settlement amounts have not exceeded insurance coverage in any of the past three years. In addition, there were no reductions in insurance coverage from those in the prior year.

The School has entered into a strategic relationship with ADP TotalSource Group, Inc., a human resource management firm, typically known as “Professional Employer Organization” (PEO). Under a co-employment agreements, the PEO is the employer of record and is responsible for administering payroll, payroll taxes, provide employee benefits and assist with human resources and risk management. Accordingly, certain human resource related risks are transferred to the PEO. Nevertheless, the School may be subject to risks, including loss, penalties and fines related to employment practices, administrative error and omissions.

Note 12 – Defined Contribution Retirement Plan

The School’s personnel, which are leased through ADP TotalSource Group, Inc., are eligible to participate in a defined contribution 401(k) plan sponsored by the leasing company, covering employees who meet certain age and tenure requirements. Under the ADP TotalSource Retirement Savings Plan (the “Plan”), the School provides a match of 100% of the employee’s contribution up to 4% of the employee’s compensation. The School contributed to the Plan \$66,174 for the year ended June 30, 2024. The School does not exercise any control or fiduciary responsibility over the Plans’ assets, which are administered by Voya Financial.

Note 13 – Referendum

On November 6, 2018, and November 8, 2022, the voters of Miami-Dade approved and renewed, respectively, the Secure Our Future Referendum to raise/maintain teacher compensation and improve school safety and security. The Miami-Dade County School District shares a portion with charter schools. The District entered into a settlement agreement with the School for the 2018 Referendum funds not received for the 2019-2020; 2020-2021; 2021-2022 school years. The District agreed to pay these funds totaling \$2,493,267 (including interest) to the School in two installments in August 2024 and July 2025.

The following is the referendum funds allocated and expended as of and for the years ended June 30, 2023 and 2024:

	<u>2022-2023</u>
Funds Allocation	\$ 836,272
Less: Actual Expenditures	(412,276)
Rollover revenues as of June 30, 2023	<u>\$ 423,996</u>
Plus: 2022-2023 Funds re-allocated from charterholder based on actual expenditures	45,416
Less: Actual Expenditures	(469,412)
Restricted 2022-2023 Referendum as of June 30, 2024	<u>\$ -</u>
	<u>2023-2024</u>
Actual Allocation	\$ 1,348,962
Less: 2023-2024 Contingency	(67,448)
2023-2024 Referendum Funds, net of contingency	\$ 1,281,514
Less: Actual Expenditures	(654,310)
Restricted 2023-2024 Referendum as of June 30, 2024	<u>\$ 627,204</u>

The following are referendum funds recognized by the School during the School year ended June 30, 2024:

Total Referendum Revenue Recognized:-	
2022-2023 Referendum Funds	\$ 469,412
2023-2024 Referendum Funds, net of contingency	1,281,514
2018 Referendum Settlement Agreement, excluding interest of \$414,190	<u>2,079,077</u>
Total per Government-Wide Statement of Activities	<u>3,830,003</u>
Less: Due from Miami-Dade County Public Schools, referendum, long-term portion	<u>(1,277,039)</u>
Total per Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Governmental Funds	<u>\$ 2,552,964</u>

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
(A charter school under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.)
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance
For the year ended June 30, 2024

	General Fund		
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual
REVENUES			
State passed through local	\$ 6,797,273	\$ 7,399,389	\$ 7,434,544
Local sources	1,195,100	2,492,778	2,552,964
Charges and other revenue	250,212	460,540	488,023
Total Revenues	<u>8,242,585</u>	<u>10,352,707</u>	<u>10,475,531</u>
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
Instruction	3,927,212	3,810,000	3,796,200
Student support services	236,912	201,372	183,781
Instructional staff training	3,000	3,000	2,319
Board	63,787	61,169	51,711
General administration	144,417	98,225	96,475
School administration	1,006,700	914,121	876,354
Fiscal services	192,500	166,379	146,458
Central services	242,500	233,995	217,378
Operation of plant	993,427	966,010	921,702
Maintenance of plant	403,325	358,040	316,926
Administrative technology services	68,214	43,809	24,858
Total Current Expenditures	<u>7,281,994</u>	<u>6,856,120</u>	<u>6,634,162</u>
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Current Expenditures	<u>960,591</u>	<u>3,496,587</u>	<u>3,841,369</u>
Debt Service:			
Principal	1,564	1,564	1,564
Interest	84	84	84
Capital Outlay:			
Other Capital Outlay	108,500	108,500	108,371
	<u>110,148</u>	<u>110,148</u>	<u>110,019</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>7,392,142</u>	<u>6,966,268</u>	<u>6,744,181</u>
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenditures	850,443	3,386,439	3,731,350
Other Financing Sources (Uses):			
Transfers in (out)	(506,735)	111,010	362,584
Recoverable grant repayment	-	(1,768,000)	(1,768,000)
Net changes payables to affiliates	-	(1,124,877)	(1,124,877)
Net changes receivables from affiliates	-	650,000	650,000
Net change in fund balance	343,708	1,254,572	1,851,057
Fund Balance at beginning of year	<u>141,841</u>	<u>141,841</u>	<u>141,841</u>
Fund Balance at end of year	<u>\$ 485,549</u>	<u>\$ 1,396,413</u>	<u>\$ 1,992,898</u>

Notes to Budgetary Comparison Schedule

An annual budget is adopted on the modified accrual basis of accounting, consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Amendments to the budget can only be made with the approval of the Board of Directors.

Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
(A charter school under Sports Leadership and Management, Inc.)
Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance
For the year ended June 30, 2024

	Special Revenue Fund		
	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual
REVENUES			
Federal sources	\$ 2,844,121	\$ 3,257,468	\$ 3,260,248
Charges for services	-	11,400	12,017
Total Revenues	<u>2,844,121</u>	<u>3,268,868</u>	<u>3,272,265</u>
EXPENDITURES			
Current:			
Instruction	1,290,421	1,199,968	1,067,808
Student support services	80,654	80,950	77,772
Instructional staff training	56,320	47,420	45,557
School administration	94,417	92,661	89,443
Food services	619,553	575,553	562,894
Operation of plant	90,366	86,411	81,042
Maintenance of plant	2,000	2,000	1,284
Administrative technology services	20,000	20,000	16,639
Total Current Expenditures	<u>2,253,731</u>	<u>2,104,963</u>	<u>1,942,439</u>
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Current Expenditures	<u>590,390</u>	<u>1,163,905</u>	<u>1,329,826</u>
Capital Outlay			
Other Capital Outlay	-	-	-
Total capital outlay and debt service expenditures	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Total Expenditures	<u>2,253,731</u>	<u>2,104,963</u>	<u>1,942,439</u>
Excess/(Deficit) of Revenues Over Expenditures	590,390	1,163,905	1,329,826
Other financing sources (uses)			
Transfers in (out)	<u>(652,464)</u>	<u>(1,225,979)</u>	<u>(1,391,900)</u>
Net change in fund balance	(62,074)	(62,074)	(62,074)
Fund Balance at beginning of year	<u>62,074</u>	<u>62,074</u>	<u>62,074</u>
Fund Balance at end of year	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

Notes to Budgetary Comparison Schedule

An annual budget is adopted on the modified accrual basis of accounting, consistent with generally accepted accounting principles. Amendments to the budget can only be made with the approval of the Board of Directors.



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 of
Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
Miami, Florida

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 and each major fund of Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School (the "School"), as of, and for the year ended June 30, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the School's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated September 12, 2024.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the School's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing 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 the School's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the School'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 combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the School'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. 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 or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the School'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 financial statements. 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*.

We issued a separate management letter pursuant to Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General dated September 12, 2024.

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 School'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 School's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "HLB Gravier, LLP". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Coral Gables, Florida
September 12, 2024



MANAGEMENT LETTER

Board of Directors of
Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School
Miami, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the financial statements of Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School, Miami, Florida as of and for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024 and have issued our report thereon dated September 12, 2024.

Auditor's Responsibility

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General.

Other Reporting Requirements

We have issued our Independent Auditors' Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of the Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*. Disclosures in those reports and schedules, which are dated September 12, 2024, should be considered in conjunction with this management letter.

Prior Audit Findings

Section 10.854(1)(e)1., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we determine whether or not corrective actions have been taken to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report.

There were no findings or recommendation made in the preceding audit report.

Official Title

Section 10.854(1)(e)5., Rules of the Auditor General, requires the name or official title of the entity and the school code assigned by the Florida Department of Education be disclosed in this management letter. The official title and the school code assigned by the Florida Department of Education of the entity is: Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School (W/L# 6015).

Financial Condition and Management

Section 10.854(1)(e)2. and 10.855(11), Rules of the Auditor General, require us to apply appropriate procedures and communicate whether or not Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes, and to identify the specific condition(s) met. In connection with our audit, we determined that Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School did not meet any of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes.

Pursuant to Sections 10.854(1)(e)6.a and 10.855(12), Rules of the Auditor General, we applied financial condition assessment procedures for Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School. It is management's responsibility to monitor Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School's financial condition, and our financial condition assessment was based in part on representations made by management and the review of financial information provided by same.

Section 10.854(1)(e)3., Rules of the Auditor General, requires that we communicate any recommendation to improve financial management. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such recommendations.

Transparency

Sections 10.854(1)(e)7. and 10.855(13), Rules of the Auditor General, require us to apply appropriate procedures and communicate the results of our determination as to whether Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School maintains on its Web site the information specified in Section 1002.33(9)(p), Florida Statutes. In connection with our audit, we determined that Sports Leadership Arts Management Charter Middle School maintained on its Web site the information specified in Section 1002.33(9)(p), Florida Statutes.

Additional Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Letter

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



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Coral Gables, Florida
September 12, 2024