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The Georgia Department of Audits and Accounts, as required by the Official Code of Georgia §50-6-32, has posted the Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) Report to the searchable website. We have not audited or reviewed the accompanying Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) Report and, accordingly, do not express an opinion or any other form of assurance on this information.

HABERSHAM COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHEDULE OF APPROVED LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROJECTS FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

| PROJECT | Original Estimated | Current Estimated | Expended In Current | Expended In Prior | Total Completion | Project |
|--|------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|------------------|
| SPLOST Issue 2011 (i) A portion of the principal and interest due on the school district's General Obligation Refunding Bond, Series 2003 and General Obligation Bond, Series 2005, the maximum amounts of such payments not to exceed \$30,000,000. | Cost (1) \$ 17,786,775 | Cost (2) \$ 20,727,547 | Year (3) (4) \$ 2,345,525 | Years (3) (5) \$ 18,404,293 | Cost \$ 20,749,818 | Status Completed |
| (ii) Acquiring, constructing and equipping new school buildings and facilities useful and desirable, including but not limited to, agricultural facilities. (iii) Adding to, renovating, repairing, improving, furnishing, and equipping existing school buildings and other buildings and facilities useful and desirable in connection therewith, including, but not limited to, additional classrooms, physical education/athletic facilities, and HVAC. (iv) Acquiring technology improvements, including safety and security improvements, computer technology, hardware and software. (v) Acquiring new school equipment, including, but not limited to, new buses, textbooks, band instruments, maintenance vehicles, and playground equipment. (vi) Acquiring any necessary or desirable property, both real and personal. | 4,500,000 | 4,999,800 | 0 | 4,999,800 | 4,999,800 | Completed |
| SPLOST Issue 2016 (i) Paying a portion of the principal and interest due on outstanding Habersham | | | | | | |
| County School District (Georgia) General Obligation Refunding Bonds, Series 2013, the maximum amount of total debt service to be paid shall not exceed \$28,000,000. | 20,000,000 | 20,000,000 | 2,015,525 | 0 | 2,015,525 | Ongoing |
| (ii) Modernizing, adding to, renovating, repairing, improving, furnishing and equipping existing school buildings and other facilities, including, but not limited to Hazel Grove and Woodville Elementary Schools, agricultural, athletic/physical education and fine arts facilities; (iii) Acquiring new school equipment, including, but not limited to agricultural, athletic/physical education and fine arts; (iv) Acquiring technology, including safety and security equipment, computers/tablets, hardware, software and infrastructure; (v) Acquiring school buses and other vehicles. | 15,000,000 | 15,000,000 | 3,526,805 | 2,855,653 | 6,382,458 | Ongoing |
| | 13,000,000 | 15,000,000 | 3,320,003 | 2,033,033 | 0,302,430 | Jingoling |
| | \$ 57,286,775 | \$ 60,727,347 | \$ 7,887,855 | \$ 26,259,746 | \$ 34,147,601 | |

- (1) The School District's original cost estimate as specified in the resolution calling for the imposition of the Local Option Sales Tax.
- (2) The School District's current estimate of total cost for the project(s). Includes all cost from project inception to completion.
- (3) The voters of Habersham County approved the imposition of a 1% sales tax to fund the above project(s) and retire associated debt.

 Amounts expended for these projects may include sales tax proceeds, state, local property taxes and/or other funds over the life of the project(s).
- (4) During fiscal year 2013, the Habersham County Board of Education issued General Obligation Refunding Bond Issue 2013 to refund portions of the 2005 Bond Issue. The amount expended in the current year includes debt service on the replacement refunding issues.
- (5) The balance of expenditures reported for prior years for these projects have been corrected by the School District to appropriately reflect the actual balance of SPLOST funds expended in accordance with the voter approved referendum.