
LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
(A California Political Subdivision)

REPORT ON AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Board of Directors
Los Medanos Community Healthcare District
Pittsburg, California

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities and business-type activities of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's management. 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 includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, and each major fund of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District as of June 30, 2011, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows where applicable, thereof, for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in the notes to the basic financial statements, Los Medanos Community Healthcare District adopted the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions* for the year ended June 30, 2011.

The required supplementary information such as management's discussion and analysis and budgetary comparison schedule are not a required part of the basic financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 1, 2012 on our consideration of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Palmieri Associates
Oakland, California
February 1, 2012

**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (UNAUDITED)
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INTRODUCTION

This report presents Management's analysis of the Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's (the "District) financial condition and activities as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011. Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") is intended to serve as an introduction to the District's basic financial statements.

This document has been prepared based on reporting requirements included in Statement No. 34 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). GASB 34 has made changes to the contents and the format of the financial statement of governmental agencies, which include the Government-wide Financial Statements on a full accrual basis including the cost of the capital assets and related depreciation.

This information should be read in conjunction with the District's audited financial statements.

The information in the MD&A includes the following elements:

- Organization and Business
- Overview of Basic Financial Statements
- Financial Analysis
- Capital Assets
- Economic Factors and Future Plans
- Request for information.

ORGANIZATION AND BUSINESS

The Los Medanos Community Healthcare District is a governmental entity legally constituted as a special district under California law, and is located in Pittsburg, California. Los Medanos Community Healthcare District identifies local healthcare needs and collaboratively develops solutions.

District tax revenues are used for programs and activities related to health, wellness and disease prevention. The District is also actively involved in organizing and sponsoring programs to raise the community's awareness about important health issues, and is considered a full-fledged healthcare partner within the Pittsburg/Bay Point area as well as unincorporated portions of Clayton, Clyde, Antioch, and Concord.

The District is able to address health needs by partnership with other healthcare providers and agencies, providing financial support in lieu of direct services. In terms of facility use, the District has structured a lease agreement with Contra Costa Health services that leverages the building asset to provide high level of healthcare services to include a CCHS and other public health services.

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OVERVIEW OF BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The District's basic financial statements comprise the Government Wide Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Activities; the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance; and the Proprietary Fund Statement of Net Assets, Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Assets, and Statement of Cash Flows; and Notes to the Financial Statements.

Government-Wide Financial Statements

Government-Wide Financial Statements utilize the economic resources measurement focus using the full accrual basis of accounting similar to commercial enterprises. The Statement of Net Assets includes all of the District's assets and liabilities. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the Statement of Activities, regardless of when cash is received or paid.

For the current year the only difference between the Government-Wide Financial Statements and the Fund Financial Statements is the classifications within the fund balances. Under GASB 34 board designated reserves of fund balances are considered unrestricted. The Fund Financial Statements reduce the unrestricted portion of the fund balance of the amounts designated for specific purposes by the District. Therefore, the following discussion and analysis will generally be equally applicable to the Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The District uses Government and Proprietary fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with financial-related legal requirements. As indicated above, the Governmental Funds is used to account for the District's basic services and the Proprietary Fund is used to account for the District's leasing activity.

Governmental fund accounting uses a flow of current resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Modified accrual accounting recognizes revenues when available for current operations, normally those revenues that will be received within 90 days of year end. For the current year, substantially all revenues receivable at year end were collected within the 90 day period resulting in no difference between modified and full accrual in these financial statements. Proprietary (Enterprise) fund accounting uses the full accrual basis of accounting.

The District's financial statements include:

Balance Sheet

The Governmental Fund Balance Sheet presents information on the District's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as a fund balance. Over time, increases or decreases in fund balance may serve as a useful indicator of the financial health of the District. To assess the overall health of the District, achievement of the District's mission needs to be considered as well.

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The Governmental Fund Balance Sheet provides detail of assets and liabilities and describes the components of the \$0.96 million fund balance.

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Fund Balance

While the balance sheet provides information about the nature and amount of resources and obligations at year-end, the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance present the results of the District's operations over the course of the fiscal year and information as to how the fund balance changed over the year. This can be used as an indicator of the extent to which the District has successfully recovered its costs through user fees (rental income) or other funds received (tax revenues). All changes in fund balance are reported during the period on the modified accrual method of accounting which had no significant differences from full accrual accounting, in which the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

Statement of Cash Flows

The Proprietary Fund Statement of Cash Flows presents changes in cash and cash equivalents resulting from operational, capital, non-capital, and investing activities. This statement summarized the annual flow of cash receipts and cash payments, without consideration of the timing of the event giving rise to the obligations or receipt and excludes non-cash accounting measures of depreciation or amortization of assets.

Notes to Basic Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements. The notes to basic financial statements can be found following the financial statements in the audited financial statements.

Other Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report may present certain required supplementary information comparing budget to actual results of operations. The District is not required to adopt an annual budget; however, during the June 30, 2011 fiscal year the District approved and adopted a budget.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Financial Highlights

- Total assets of the District exceeded total liabilities at June 30, 2011 by \$3,058,307.
- Fund equity of the District decreased by \$740,199 for the year ended June 30, 2011.
- Property tax revenue for the year ended June 30, 2011, decreased by \$34,306 from the previous year.

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- Interest income for the year ended June 30, 2011 decreased by \$197.
- 65% of the total government expenditures were paid out to various organizations in the form of direct Health Partnership Grants. A total of \$852,836 was given out in the year ended June 30, 2011.

Financial Position

During the year, the District's net assets decreased by \$740,199 (19.49%) over the prior year. Tables 1 and 2 provide summarized Government-Wide comparative information reported by Fund statement classifications. The functional expenses are detailed on the Statement of Activities and consist of grants and program expenses for Community Non-Profit Organizations and General Administration expenses.

TABLE 1 - Comparative Statement of Net Assets is presented in the following table:

	<u>June 30, 2011</u>	<u>June 30, 2010</u>	<u>Increase (Decrease)</u>	<u>%</u>
Current Assets	\$ 1,366,831	\$ 1,605,539	(238,708)	(14.87%)
Capital assets, net	<u>3,204,988</u>	<u>3,363,394</u>	<u>(158,404)</u>	<u>(4.71%)</u>
Total assets	4,571,819	4,968,933	(397,114)	(7.99%)
Current liabilities	507,280	131,711	375,569	285.15%
Long-term debt	<u>1,006,232</u>	<u>1,038,715</u>	<u>(32,483)</u>	<u>(3.13%)</u>
Total liabilities	1,513,512	1,170,426	343,086	29.31%
Net Assets:				
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	2,098,756	2,224,678	(125,922)	(5.66%)
Temporarily Restricted	362,401	15,638	346,763	2217.44%
Unrestricted	<u>597,150</u>	<u>1,558,190</u>	<u>(961,040)</u>	<u>(61.68%)</u>
Total net assets	<u>\$ 3,058,307</u>	<u>\$ 3,798,506</u>	<u>(740,199)</u>	<u>(19.49%)</u>

Net assets invested in capital assets represent the net value of these assets less outstanding debt or commitment against those assets. These net assets invested in capital assets represent 69% of the District's fund equity at June 30, 2011. These assets are used to provide direct health care services, as the District leases the District's hospital building to Contra Costa County Health Services. These assets are not available for future spending.

Analysis of Changes in Fund Equity: The District had a net loss of \$740,199 for the year ended June 30, 2011.

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Table 2 – Comparative Statement of Activities

	Year Ended <u>June 30, 2011</u>	Year Ended <u>June 30, 2010</u>	Increase (Decrease)	%
Revenues & Support				
Tax Revenues	\$ 727,132	761,438	\$ (34,306)	(4.51%)
Lease Income	100,000	100,000	-0-	-0-
Program Income	1,213	-0-	1,213	-0-
Investment Income	6,340	6,537	(197)	(3.01%)
Total Revenues	<u>834,685</u>	<u>867,975</u>	<u>(33,290)</u>	<u>(3.84%)</u>
Expenses				
Grant & Grant Admin	920,849	188,204	732,645	389.28%
Property	257,482	271,026	(13,544)	(5.00%)
Other Expenses	372,955	248,004	124,951	50.38%
County Fees/Dues	23,598	18,480	5,118	27.69%
Total Expenses	<u>1,574,884</u>	<u>725,714</u>	<u>849,170</u>	<u>117.01%</u>
Net income/loss	<u>\$ (740,199)</u>	<u>\$ 142,261</u>	<u>\$ (882,460)</u>	<u>(620.31%)</u>

Increase in grant and grant administration expenses of \$732,645 is due to the new grant processes in place.

CAPITAL ASSETS

There were no significant additions of capital assets in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011.

DEBT ADMINISTRATION

LMCHD operated the Los Medanos Community Hospital up until 1994, when the hospital closed due to financial difficulties and the District was forced to declare bankruptcy. The California Statewide Office of Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) were entitled to file a \$1.4 million claim in the District's bankruptcy. However, in place of this claim the District entered into a contractual agreement with OSHPD whereby the District assigned all rental income from the hospital facility from August 1, 1998 to January 31, 2026 to OSHPD.

The terms of the OSHPD agreement are as follows:

1. 08/01/1998 – 7/31/2018: \$100,000 per year
2. 08/01/2018 – 7/31/2020: \$500,000 per year, minimum
3. 03/01/2020 – 7/31/2026: all rental income, if any

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For the year ended June 30, 2011, the District assigned \$100,000 of its lease income to the State to satisfy the District's contractual obligation.

Additional information on the District's long-term debt obligations can be found in Notes 4 and 5 to the accompanying financial statements.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND FUTURE PLANS

The District finalized and adopted a six-year strategic plan for 2011-2016 in October 2010. The 2011-2016 plan includes the following:

- On-going monitoring of the health profile and status of District resident to create a broad-based community approach to health care.
- Implementation of a Community Grants Program that will allow the District to continue to provide healthcare services by supporting the existence of existing organizations.
- Increase the District's financial stability.
- Provide continued Health Center Oversight as facility owner and advocate for District resident for the provision of healthcare services.
- Continuation of Health Program Partnerships with Contra Costa Health Services and other healthcare organizations.

LMCHD has restructured its financial management approach to incorporate prudent financial decision-making. The District was able to retire a portion of the bankruptcy debt early, relieving taxpayers of an additional five years of debt service (or approximately \$440,000 in interest expense).

The District hired an Executive Director to oversee and develop a grant making process, assist the Board of Trustees with the development of a new strategic plan, and expand the health program partnerships and outreach to the community.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the LMCHD's finances and to demonstrate the District's accountability for the monies it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional information, please contact Barbara Kee @ the Los Medanos Community Healthcare District, 2311 Loveridge Road, Pittsburg, CA 94565. Telephone number 925-432-2200.

LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
JUNE 30, 2011

	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,351,656	\$	\$ 1,351,656
Taxes receivable	13,170		13,170
Prepaid expenses	2,005		2,005
Capital assets, net of depreciation		3,204,988	3,204,988
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,366,831	\$ 3,204,988	\$ 4,571,819
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable	\$ 38,773	\$	\$ 38,773
Payroll liabilities	1,826		1,826
Accrued salaries payable	4,280		4,280
Grants payable	362,401		362,401
Accrued interest		69,499	69,499
Non-current liabilities:			
Due within one year		30,501	30,501
Due in more than one year		1,006,232	1,006,232
TOTAL LIABILITIES	407,280	1,106,232	1,513,512
NET ASSETS			
Temporary restricted	362,401		362,401
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt		2,098,756	2,098,756
Unrestricted	597,150		597,150
TOTAL NET ASSETS	\$ 959,551	\$ 2,098,756	\$ 3,058,307

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

<u>Functions/ Programs</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Assets</u>		<u>Total</u>
		<u>Charges for Services</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>	
Governmental Activities:					
Grants to community organizations	\$ 852,836	\$	\$ (852,836)	\$	\$ (852,836)
Grant administration	60,214		(60,214)		(60,214)
Programs/Outreach Expenses	7,799		(7,799)		(7,799)
General Administration					
Administrative services					
Accounting and bookkeeping	20,671		(20,671)		(20,671)
Advertising and promotion	2,303		(2,303)		(2,303)
Auditing services	8,000		(8,000)		(8,000)
Bank service fees & finance charges	394		(394)		(394)
Financial services	21,603		(21,603)		(21,603)
Medical records storage	1,056		(1,056)		(1,056)
Payroll processing fees	70		(70)		(70)
Professional fees	<u>12,102</u>		<u>(12,102)</u>		<u>(12,102)</u>
Sub-total administrative services	66,199		(66,199)		(66,199)
Board election charges	29,327		(29,327)		(29,327)
Board stipend fees	19,565		(19,565)		(19,565)
Continuing education, seminars, travel	19,378		(19,378)		(19,378)
County fees/ district dues	23,598		(23,598)		(23,598)
Insurance	18,600		(18,600)		(18,600)
Legal	49,443		(49,443)		(49,443)
Office expenses	25,366		(25,366)		(25,366)
Strategic planning expense	87,500		(87,500)		(87,500)
Wages and payroll taxes	<u>57,576</u>		<u>(57,576)</u>		<u>(57,576)</u>
Total governmental activities	1,317,402		(1,317,402)		(1,317,402)
Business -type Activities:					
Leasing	<u>257,482</u>	<u>100,000</u>		<u>(157,482)</u>	<u>(157,482)</u>
Total Business-type activities	<u>257,482</u>	<u>100,000</u>		<u>(157,482)</u>	<u>(157,482)</u>
Total	<u>\$ 1,574,884</u>	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	(1,317,402)	(157,482)	(1,474,884)
General revenues:					
Property taxes			713,962		713,962
Investment earnings and interest			6,340		6,340
AB1290 Pass-through/other income			14,383		14,383
Transfers			<u>(31,560)</u>	31,560	<u>0</u>
Total general revenues and transfers			<u>703,125</u>	<u>31,560</u>	<u>734,685</u>
Changes in net assets			(614,277)	(125,922)	(740,199)
Beginning net assets			<u>1,573,828</u>	<u>2,224,678</u>	<u>3,798,506</u>
Ending net assets			<u>\$ 959,551</u>	<u>\$ 2,098,756</u>	<u>\$ 3,058,307</u>

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**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
GOVERNMENTAL FUND
BALANCE SHEET
JUNE 30, 2011**

		<u>General Fund</u>
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,351,656
Taxes receivable		13,170
Prepaid expenses		<u>2,005</u>
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	<u><u>1,366,831</u></u>
 LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
Accounts payable	\$	38,773
Payroll liabilities		1,826
Accrued salaries payable		4,280
Grants payable		<u>362,401</u>
Total liabilities		<u>407,280</u>
 FUND BALANCE		
Committed to pay grants		362,401
Assigned by board for debt service		350,000
Unassigned		<u>247,150</u>
Total Fund Balance		<u>959,551</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$	<u><u>1,366,831</u></u>

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**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
GOVERNMENTAL FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

	General Fund
REVENUES	
Property tax receipts	\$ 713,962
AB 1290 Pass-through/other income	14,383
Interest income	6,340
Total revenues	734,685
COMMUNITY AND HEALTH PROGRAM EXPENSES	
Health program grants	852,836
Community expenses	3,488
Payroll taxes and insurance	4,766
Wages	52,809
Website	6,950
Total community and health program expenses	920,849
OPERATING EXPENSES	
EXPENDITURES	
Accounting / bookkeeping	20,671
Advertising and promotion	2,303
Auditing services	8,000
Bank service charges & finance charges	394
Board election charges	29,327
Board meeting expenses	6,267
Board stipend fees	19,565
Continuing education/seminars & expenses	9,800
County admin fees	7,819
District dues and fees	15,780
Equipment rental	1,349
Financial services	21,603
Insurance-D&O & general liability	18,600
Legal services	49,443
Medical records storage	1,056
Miscellaneous	280
Office refurbishing	2,382
Office signage	198
Office supplies	5,378
Payroll processing fees	70
Payroll taxes and insurance	4,766
Phone/fax/internet	4,935
Postage & delivery	1,376
Post office box rental	262
Printing	2,167
Professional fees	12,102
Strategic planning expense	87,500
Travel	10,349
Wages	52,809
Total operating expenses	396,553
Total expenditures	1,317,402
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE	(582,717)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	
Transfers out	(31,560)
Net change in fund balance	(614,277)
Fund balance - beginning of year	1,573,828
Fund balance - end of year	\$ 959,551

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**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
 PROPRIETARY FUND
 STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS
JUNE 30, 2011**

		Business-Type Activities Enterprise Fund <u>Leasing</u>
ASSETS		
Noncurrent capital assets:		
Depreciable -		
Building	\$	4,717,446
Equipment		12,592
Less: Accumulated depreciation		<u>(2,019,417)</u>
Depreciable, net		<u>2,710,621</u>
Nondepreciable -		
Land		<u>494,367</u>
Nondepreciable, net		<u>494,367</u>
Net capital assets		<u>3,204,988</u>
Total Assets	\$	<u><u>3,204,988</u></u>
LIABILITIES		
Accrued interest		69,499
Current portion of contractual obligation		30,501
Long term portion of contractual obligation		<u>1,006,232</u>
Total liabilities		<u>1,106,232</u>
Net Assets		
Invested in capital assets		<u>2,098,756</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	<u><u>3,204,988</u></u>

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 PROPRIETARY FUND
 STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
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	<u>Business-Type Activities Enterprise Fund Leasing</u>
OPERATING INCOME	
Rental income	\$ <u>100,000</u>
Total revenues	<u>100,000</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES	
Depreciation	158,405
Taxes and expenses	31,560
Interest	<u>67,517</u>
Total operating expenses	<u>257,482</u>
Operating (loss)	(157,482)
Transfers In	<u>31,560</u>
Change in net assets	(125,922)
Net assets - beginning of year	<u>2,224,678</u>
Net assets - end of year	\$ <u><u>2,098,756</u></u>

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**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
PROPRIETARY FUND
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

	Business Proprietary Fund
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Receipts from tenants	\$ 100,000
Payment for taxes and expenses	(31,560)
Payment for interest	(67,517)
Cash provided by operating activities	923
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Transfers from the General Fund	31,560
Cash provided by noncapital financing activities	31,560
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Principal paid on long term obligation	(32,483)
Cash used by financing activities	(32,483)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents	-0-
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year	-0-
Cash and cash equivalents - end of year	\$ -0-
 Reconciliation of Operating loss to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Loss from operations	\$ (157,482)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash provided by operating activities:	
Depreciation	158,405
Cash flows from operating activities	\$ 923

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**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

Los Medanos Community Healthcare District (LMCHD or the “District”) is a California Political Subdivision that was established in 1946 in accordance with provisions of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California. It is governed by a Board of Directors who is elected from the community they serve which includes Pittsburg, Bay Point and portions of Clayton, Clyde, Antioch and Concord. The primary source of funding is a share of the one percent property tax revenue.

LMCHD operated the Los Medanos Community Hospital until 1994 when the hospital closed due to financial difficulty. To settle this bankruptcy, the District accepted long-term debt from California’s Statewide Office of Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) and entered into a contractual agreement to assign rental income to OSHPD.

The primary purpose of the District is to improve the quality of healthcare in the community. LMCHD is actively involved in organizing and sponsoring programs that provide wellness and prevention services as well as raise the community’s awareness about important health issues. The District has developed a Community Grant Program and various Health Program Partnerships that allow the District to provide healthcare services by supporting the efforts of existing organizations and developing new programs and initiatives to address the needs of its residents. A list of these programs is detailed in Note 6.

As further described in Note 4, LMCHD partners with Contra Costa County Health Services (CCHS) by leasing the District’s hospital for purposes of a providing a health clinic.

B. Basis of Presentation and Accounting

The District’s basic financial statements are prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Government Accounting Standards Board is the acknowledged standard setting body for establishing accounting and financial reporting standards followed by governmental entities in the United States of America.

These Standards require that the financial statements described below be presented:

Government-wide Statements: The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities display information about the primary government (the District). These statements include the financial activities of the overall District. These statements distinguish between the *governmental* and *business-type* activities of the District. Governmental activities generally are financed through taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other non-exchange transactions. Business-type activities are financed in whole or in part by fees charged to external parties.

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The Statement of Activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each segment of the business-type activities of the District and for each function of the District's governmental activities. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a program or function and, therefore, are clearly identifiable to a particular function. Program revenues include (a) charges paid by the recipients of goods or services offered by the programs, (b) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operation needs of a particular program and (c) fees, grants and contributions that are restricted to financing the acquisition or construction of capital assets. Revenues that are not classified as program revenues, including all taxes, are presented as general revenues.

Fund Financial Statements: The fund financial statements provide information about the District's funds. Separate statements for each fund category – *governmental and proprietary* – are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major individual governmental and enterprise funds, each of which is displayed in a separate column.

Proprietary fund *operating* revenues such as charges for services, result from exchange transactions associated with the principal activity of the fund. Exchange transactions are those in which each party receives and gives up essentially equal values. *Non-operating* revenues, such as subsidies and investment earnings, result from non-exchange transactions or ancillary activities.

C. *Major Funds*

The District's major governmental and business-type funds are identified and presented separately in the fund financial statements.

Major funds are defined as funds that have either assets, liabilities, revenues or expenditures/expenses equal to ten percent of their fund-type total and five percent of the grant total. The General Fund is always a major fund. The District may also select other funds it believes should be presented as major funds.

The District reported the following major funds in the accompanying financial statements:

General Fund – The general operating fund of the District. It is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Proprietary Fund – This enterprise fund accounts for the operation, maintenance and capital improvement projects for the building which are funded by rental income.

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D. Basis of Accounting

The government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the full accrual basis. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded at the time liabilities are incurred, regardless of when the related cash flows take place.

Governmental funds are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under this method, revenues are recognized when measurable and available. Measurable means the amount of the transaction can be determined and available means the amount is collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period.

The District follows Statement and interpretations of the Financial Accounting Standards Board and its predecessors that were issued on or before November 30, 1989, in accounting for its business-type activities, unless they conflict with Government Accounting Standards Board pronouncements.

Non-exchange transactions, in which the District gives or receives value without directly receiving or giving equal value in exchange, include taxes and grants. On the accrual basis, revenue from taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied or assessed.

Other revenues susceptible to accrual are investment earnings.

Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred (generally thirty days). An exception to this general rule is principal and interest on governmental funds' long-term debt which is recognized when due. Financial resources usually are appropriated in other funds for transfer to a debt service fund in the period in which maturing debt principal and interest must be paid. Such amounts thus not current liabilities of the debt service fund as their settlement will not require expenditure of existing fund assets.

Certain indirect costs are included in program expenses reported for individual functions and activities.

E. Property Tax Revenue

The District has the authority to collect taxes on property within its political subdivision. Taxes are received by the County of Contra Costa, which has the responsibility for their collection. The District received approximately 97.2 % of its financial support from property taxes for fiscal year ending June 30, 2011. Secured property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of March 1. Taxes are payable in two installment dues November 15 and March 15. Unsecured property taxes are payable in one installment on or before August 31.

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The County of Contra Costa bills and collects property taxes that are allocated by the County Auditor's Office to the District and various other taxing entities per state legislation implementing Proposition 13. The method of allocation used by the County is subject to review by the State of California.

The District's property tax revenues are recognized in the fiscal year, for which taxes have been levied, provided they become available. "Available" means due or past due and receivable within the current period, or expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period.

F. Property and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated on the cost basis, or in the case of donated items, on the basis of fair market value at the date of donation. Expenditures that increase values, change capacities or extend useful lives are capitalized. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets ranging from three to five years for office furniture and equipment, and thirty years for building and improvements. Routine maintenance and repairs are charged to expense as incurred. The threshold for capitalizing capital expenses is \$1,500.

G. Use of Estimates

The basic financial statements have been prepared in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, and as such, include amounts based on informed estimated and judgments of management with consideration given to materiality. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

H. Depreciation Expense

Depreciation is accumulated computed using the straight-line method over the useful lives of the assets. Depreciation expense was \$158,405 for the year ended June 30, 2011.

I. Risk Management

The District is exposed to various risk of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the District carries commercial insurance. Settled claims have not exceeded this commercial coverage in any of the preceding years.

Financial instruments that potentially subject the District to concentrations of credit risk are primarily cash investments and accounts receivable. The District places its cash limited amounts in banks that are insured and in investment grade debt instruments, many of which are backed by the U.S. Government or other governmental authorities. The balances are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000.

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J. Fund Balance

The District has adopted GASB Statement No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*, as of July 1, 2010. The objectives of the Statement are to enhance the usefulness of fund balance information by providing clearer fund balance classifications that can be more consistently applied and by clarifying the existing governmental fund type definitions. The Statement establishes fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which a government is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources reported in governmental funds. Following is a description of the District's fund balance classifications:

- **Nonspendable** – Includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form (inventories, prepaid amounts, etc.) or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

- **Restricted** – Includes amounts with constraints that are either (a) externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

- **Committed** – Includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the District's Board. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the District Board removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (legislation, resolution, ordinance) it employed to previously commit those amounts.

- **Assigned** – Includes amounts the District intends to be used for specific purposes that are neither restricted nor committed.

- **Unassigned** – Includes the residual balance that has not been assigned to other funds and is not restricted, committed or assigned for specific purposes.

The District applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and other funds are available, then it applies amounts to the committed fund balance followed by assigned and then unassigned amounts.

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NOTE 2 – CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

A. Policies

California Law requires California banks and savings and loan institutions to pledge government securities with a market value of 110% of the District's cash on deposit, or first trust deed mortgage notes with a market value of 150% of the deposit, as collateral for these deposits. Under California Law this collateral is held in a separate investment pool by another institution in the District's name and places the District ahead of general creditors of the institutions.

The District considers all highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents. Cash and cash equivalents consist principally of money market accounts. Unrestricted cash and cash equivalents at June 30, 2011 consist of cash in banks in the amount of \$1,351,656.

B. Investment in the State Investment Pool

The District is a voluntary participant in the Local Agency Investment Fund (LAIF) that is regulated by California government code Section 16429.3 under the oversight of the Treasurer of the State of California. The District's investment in the pool is reported in the accompanying financial statement at amounts based upon the District's pro-rata share of the amortized cost basis provided by LAIF for the entire portfolio which approximates fair value. The balance available for withdrawal is based on the accounting records maintained by LAIF, which is recorded on the amortized cost basis.

Under Federal Law, the State of California cannot declare bankruptcy, thereby allowing the Government Code Section 16429.3 to stand. This Section states that "moneys placed with the Treasurer for deposit in the LAIF by cities, counties, special districts, nonprofit corporations, or qualified quasi-governmental agencies shall not be subject to either of the following: (a) transfer or loan pursuant to Sections 16310, 16312, or 16313, or (b) impoundment or seizure by any state official or state agency."

During the 2002 legislative session, California Government Code Section 16429.4 was added to the LAIF's enabling legislation. This Section states that "the right of a city, county, city and county, special district, nonprofit corporation, or qualified quasi-governmental agency to withdraw its deposited moneys from the LAIF, upon demand, may not be altered, impaired, or denied in any way, by any state official or state agency based upon the state's failure to adopt a State Budget by July 1 of each new fiscal year."

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C. Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in market interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Generally, the longer the maturity of an investment, the greater the sensitivity of its fair value to changes in market interest rates. The District manages its exposure to interest rate risk by investing substantially all of its funds in State investment pool.

D. Classification

The District's cash and investments consist of the following at June 30, 2011:

Governmental Activities	\$ <u>1,351,656</u>
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Cash and Investments as of June 30, 2011, consist of the following:

Cash on hand and in banks	188,593
Investment in Local Agency Investment Fund, California	1,163,063
	<u>1,351,656</u>
	<u>\$ 1,351,656</u>

NOTE 3 – CAPITAL ASSETS

Activity in capital assets for the year ended June 30, 2011 was as follows:

	<u>Balance July 1, 2010</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance June 30, 2011</u>
Land	\$ 494,367	\$	\$	\$ 494,367
Building	4,717,446			4,717,446
Equipment	<u>12,592</u>			<u>12,592</u>
Total cost	<u>5,224,405</u>			<u>5,224,405</u>
Less: Accumulated Depreciation				
Building	(1,852,865)	(157,248)		(2,010,113)
Equipment	<u>(8,147)</u>	<u>(1,157)</u>		<u>(9,304)</u>
	<u>(1,861,012)</u>	<u>(158,405)</u>		<u>(2,019,417)</u>
Property, plant and equipment (net)	<u>\$ 3,363,393</u>	<u>\$ (158,405)</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>\$ 3,204,988</u>

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NOTE 4 – LEASE AGREEMENT WITH CONTRA COSTA COUNTY

The District has entered into a lease agreement with Contra Costa County to lease the LMCHD hospital facility over a twenty-year term from August 1, 1998 to July 31, 2018 with two five-year options. The County has renovated the building and reopened the facility. The income from this lease is restricted and has been assigned to the State Office of Health Planning and Development (OSHPD).

The County makes annual lease payments of \$100,000 directly to Cal-Mortgage Insurance Division to satisfy the District's obligation as described in Note 5. The lease income is reported in the statement of revenue, expenses, and changes in net assets and offsets the contractual obligation as shown on the balance sheet.

NOTE 5 – LEASE ASSIGNMENT

As set forth in the bankruptcy Settlement Agreement dated September 10, 1998, the State Office of Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) were entitled to file a \$1.4 million claim.

In place of this claim, the District entered into a contractual agreement with OSPHD whereby the District has assigned all rental income from the hospital facility as follows:

08/01/1998 – 07/31/2018:	\$100,000 per year
08/01/2018 – 07/31/2020:	\$500,000 per year, minimum
08/01/2020 – 01/31/2026:	all rental income, if any

The District's obligation is only to assign and pay over to OSHPD the rental income as specified above. The Settlement Agreement contains a provision that if the District defaults on the repayment provisions, the District owes OSHPD \$1,300,000, with interest thereon at an annual rate of 6.5%, less all of the rental payments received by OSHPD as of the date of the rental payments cease. The District is not in default of these payment provisions.

The assignment is evidenced by an Absolute Assignment of Rents recorded in Contra Costa County as document number 98-2026029-00 on August 27, 1998. The obligation is secured by a First Deed of Trust on the hospital parcel dated May 1, 2000. The assignment and the loan were part of the bankruptcy plan approved by the court.

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The following is a schedule of the lease assignment payable and the related sublease income subsequent to June 30, 2011:

Year ending June 30:	<u>Assignment of Lease Obligations</u>	<u>Sublease Income-Contra Costa County</u>
2012	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
2013	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
2014	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
2015	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
2016	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
2017 until June 30, 2020	\$ 1,200,000	\$ 200,000

Assignment of this contractual obligation is reported in the financial statements as follows:

<u>Balance Jun 30 ,2010</u>	<u>Repayments</u>	<u>Balance Jun 30, 2011</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>Long Term</u>
\$1,067,354	(\$30,621)	\$1,036,733	\$30,501	\$1,006,232

The California Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development considers the contractual obligation as an assignment of rents, with no fixed principal or interest rates attached to the assignment. The Office calculates its value based on the present discounted value of the stream of income discounted by one percent which is slightly more than the current rate of return on the Pooled Money Investment Account maintained by the State Treasurer. The present discounted value of this stream of income as of June 30, 2011 was at least \$1,607,648.

NOTE 6 - GRANTS TO COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS

A community's health care needs are served by a broad array of health-related programs and initiatives that promote physical, emotional and psychological well being. LMCHD uses the District's grant making and initiative process to leverage District assets to make significant contribution to the health of the community focusing on the uninsured and underserved populations in the community.

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The District funded the following programs during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011:

Student Eyeglasses Program	\$	11,412
Annual Fit-Fest		29,985
Health Expn-Defibrillator Program		11,867
Pittsburg Arts & Community Organization		1,000
Community Health Empowerment		40,000
Delta Memorial Hospital Foundation		84,000
American Heart Association		20,000
Food Bank of Contra Costa/Solano		40,000
LMC College Nursing Program		60,410
Pittsburg Adult Education Center		80,000
Stoneman Village 1 & 2		50,000
Center for Human Development		28,000
Stand! Against Domestic Violence		40,000
East County Midnight Basketball		40,000
John Muir Health Foundation		146,222
Bay Point All Stars Cheerleaders & Dance		15,000
East County Boys & Girls Club		24,500
First Baptist Church Headstart		28,380
Save Our Youth Fitness For Life		21,000
Loaves & Fishes of Contra Costa		40,000
St. Vincent de Paul		15,000
St. Vincent de Paul (Discretionary Grant)		5,000
PUSD Child Nutrition Dept.		3,560
Greater Faith Food Pantry		2,500
Souljahs Program		5,000
Fitness Cubed		5,000
Community Baptist Church		500
Sister 3 Breast Cancer		4,500
Total	\$	<u>852,836</u>

NOTE 7 – CONTINGENCIES

The District is involved in legal actions arising in the ordinary course of business. In the opinion of the District's management, the District has adequate legal defense or insurance coverage with respect to each of these actions and does not believe that they will materially affect the District's results of operations or financial position.

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NOTE 8 – LEASING OF FACILITY

The District provides CCHS with full use of a medical facility with 130,900 square feet and 14 acres of land which is currently used by the County Vehicle Pool at no charge. This facility is used to provide direct medical services to individuals within the District's geographic area. The income from leasing of facility amounts to \$100,000. Management is of the opinion that the facility can generate a higher leasing income.

NOTE 9- EVALUATION OF SUBSEQUENT EVENT

The management of the District reviewed the results of operations for the period of time from its year end June 30, 2011 through February 1, 2012, the date the financial statements were available to be issued and have determined that no adjustments are necessary to the amounts reported in the accompanying financial statements nor have any subsequent events occurred, the nature of which would require disclosure except as mentioned below.

The District is currently in the process of reviewing the terms of the bankruptcy provision and lease agreement with the State Office of Health Planning and Development (OSHPD). A settlement will require that the District obtain a bank loan.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
GENERAL FUND
BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE
JUNE 30, 2011**

	Budgetary Amounts		
	Original and Final	Actual	Variance
REVENUES			
Property tax receipts	\$ 672,000	\$ 713,962	\$ 41,962
AB 1290 pass-through/other income	40,000	14,383	(25,617)
Interest income	10,000	6,340	(3,660)
Total revenues	722,000	734,685	12,685
COMMUNITY AND HEALTH PROGRAM EXPENSES			
Health program grants	350,000	852,836	502,836
Community garden	3,820	1,213	(2,607)
Health summit	5,000		(5,000)
Community expenses		2,238	2,238
Payroll taxes and insurance		4,766	4,766
Volunteer expenses		36	36
Wages		52,809	52,809
Website	6,000	6,950	950
Total Community and Health Program Expenses	364,820	920,849	556,028
OPERATING EXPENSES			
EXPENDITURES			
Accounting / bookkeeping	18,000	20,671	2,671
Advertising and promotion		2,303	2,303
Auditing services	12,000	8,000	(4,000)
Board election charges	40,000	29,327	(10,673)
Board meeting expenses	1,200	6,267	5,067
Board stipend fees	24,000	19,565	(4,435)
Continuing education/seminars and expenses	6,300	15,687	9,387
County admin fees (LAFCO)	806	375	(431)
Discretionary funds Ex-Dir	2,400		(2,400)
District dues and fees (ACHD & county fees)	21,305	23,224	1,919
Equipment rental	1,000	1,349	349
Finance charges		394	394
Financial services		21,603	21,603
Insurance-D&O	12,000	10,710	(1,290)
Insurance-general liability	8,885	7,890	(995)
Legal services	40,000	49,443	9,443
Medical records storage	1,140	1,056	(84)
Miscellaneous		280	280
Networking event	4,000		(4,000)
Office refurbishing	2,000	2,382	382
Office signage	2,000	198	(1,802)
Office supplies	2,100	5,378	3,278
Payroll processing fees	60	70	10
Payroll taxes and insurance	9,420	4,766	(4,654)
Phone/fax/internet	2,280	4,935	2,655
Postage & delivery	500	1,376	876
Post office box rental	240	262	22
Printing	90	2,167	2,077
Professional fees		12,102	12,102
Small equipment	1,000		(1,000)
Strategic planning expense	85,000	87,500	2,500
Travel		3,691	3,691
Travel -EE mileage reimbursement	1,000	771	(229)
Wages	84,000	52,809	(31,191)
Total operating expenses	382,726	396,553	13,827
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	747,546	1,317,402	569,856
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUE	(25,546)	(582,717)	(557,171)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Transfers out		** (31,560)	(31,560)
Net change in fund balance	(25,546)	(614,277)	(588,731)
Fund balance - beginning of year	1,573,828	1,573,828	
Fund balance - end of year	\$ 1,548,282	\$ 959,551	\$ (588,731)

** LMCHD do not have a policy of budgeting "Transfers out".

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

**INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL
REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED
ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN
ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS**

The Board of Directors
Los Medanos Community Healthcare District
Pittsburg, California

We have audited the financial statements of the government activities, major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011, which collectively comprise Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated February 1, 2012. 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's internal control over financial reporting.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting, described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as 2011-1 that we consider to be significant deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting. 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.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's financial statements are free of 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*.

We noted certain matters that we reported to management of Los Medanos Community Healthcare District, in a separate letter dated February 1, 2012.

Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. We did not audit Los Medanos Community Healthcare District's response and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, board of directors and others within the entity, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Patten - Associates

Oakland, California

February 1, 2012

**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FINDINGS

YEAR END ACCOUNTING ADJUSTMENTS:

Finding 2011-1

Criteria:

Good internal controls require that management should design and implement internal control measures and appropriate cut-off procedures to ensure that all the year end adjustments that are required in order to present the revenue, expenses, assets and liabilities of the organization at their correct amounts, should be duly recorded before closing the books of accounts.

Condition:

We noticed the following during our year end testing of account balance as of June 30, 2011:

1. The year end adjustment entries essential to close the books of accounts were not made on a timely basis. We also noted that the year end adjustments were made on a piecemeal basis and sometimes only after being suggested by the auditors. For example, the adjustment required for allocating a percentage of personnel costs to grant administration expense was posted only after the auditors brought this omission to the attention of LMCHD.
2. Some adjustments such as those related to accrued expenses and proprietary fund balances were incorrectly made. For example, we came across an instance of incorrectly accruing expenses in the amount of \$9,579 that belonged to the following fiscal year (2011-2012). The concerned expenses were accrued as "Accrued Expenses Payable" in the books for the year under audit (2010-2011).

Questioned Costs:

None.

Effect:

If standard year end closing procedures are not followed and proper cut-off procedures are not implemented, revenue, expenses, assets and liabilities of the organization for the affected fiscal years could be significantly misstated. Moreover, non-compliance with basic accounting principles such as accrual of expense in correct accounting period, could result in material misstatements on the financial statements. In general, assistance was provided on the part of the auditor.

**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES
FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

Cause:

Due to personnel transition in the accounting function, it became necessary for new personnel to become familiar with LMCHD's accounting issues, internal accounting policies and procedures.

Recommendation:

We recommend the following:

1. Management should ensure adherence to the GAAP before deciding accounting treatment of a particular transaction, event or account balance.
2. Management should encourage and provide an opportunity to the persons charged with the accounting function to:
 - a. Increase familiarity with the accounting issues and internal accounting policies and procedures of LMCHD.
 - b. Obtain sufficient understanding of the relevant accounting pronouncements and standard practices in the area of Governmental Accounting.
3. Management should provide adequate supervision and oversight to ultimately ensure that the financial statements and required supplementary information are accurately presented.

Views of responsible officials and corrective action:

Personnel transitioning in the accounting function was a major contributing factor to this problem. New staff accountant had to rectify journal entries and accrued expenses for IPads and At Task software entries. LMCHD will ensure that timely and accurate entries are made.

**LOS MEDANOS COMMUNITY HEALTHCARE DISTRICT
STATUS OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011**

FINDING

STATUS

2010-1:

Deficiencies were observed in the cash disbursement process, approval of expenses and credit card disbursements.

Corrective action taken and internal controls over cash disbursement and approval of expenses significantly improved.

Partially corrected for credit card disbursements. Recommendation for improving internal control over this area is identified in Management Letter issued with this report.