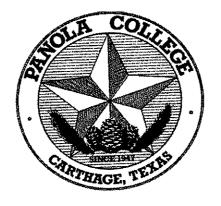
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FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED

AUGUST 31, 2003



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INTRODUCTORY SECTION



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November 3, 2003

To the taxpayers of Panola County and the citizens of the Panola College service area:

The comprehensive annual financial report of Panola County Junior College District (Panola College) for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2003, is hereby submitted. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and the completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with Panola College. To the best of our knowledge, the enclosed data are accurate in all material respects and are reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the various funds of the College. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the College's financial activities have been included.

The comprehensive annual financial report is presented in four sections: introductory, financial, statistical, and single audit. The introductory section includes this transmittal letter, the College's organizational chart, and a list of principal officials. The financial section includes the Management's Discussion and Analysis, financial statements, notes to the financial statements, and the Independent Auditor's Report on the financial statements. The statistical section includes selected financial and demographic information, generally presented on a multi-year basis.

The College is required to undergo an annual single audit in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act as amended in 1996 and U. S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, <u>Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations.</u> Information related to this single audit, including the schedule of expenditure of federal awards and auditor's reports on the internal control structure and compliance with applicable laws and regulations are included in this report.

Panola College is committed to offering quality educational programs and services for the people of the College's service area at a reasonable cost. The College provides a wide range of programs, including general academic, technical-vocational, student development services, continuing education, and community service.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (MD&A)

GASB Statement No. 34 requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview and analysis to accompany the Basic Financial Statements in the form of Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A). This letter of transmittal is intended to compliment MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The MD&A can be found immediately following the Independent Auditor's Report.

ORGANIZATION OF COLLEGE

Panola County Junior College District was established as a public junior college in an election held in Panola County, Texas, in 1947. The District operates as a junior college district under the laws of the State of Texas. An elected, seven-member board of trustees governs the District.

The College is considered to be a special purpose, primary government according to the definition in Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 14. While the College receives funding from local, state, and federal sources, and must comply with the spending reporting and record keeping requirements of these entities, it is not a component unit of any other governmental entity.

Panola College's campus is located in Carthage, Panola County, Texas. Classes are offered at alternate sites in Shelby County, Harrison County, and Marion County.

The Panola College Foundation, Inc. was created for the sole purpose to support the mission and vision of Panola College and to support its students. The Foundation is controlled by a separate board of directors that are ratified by the Panola College board of trustees and is included in the financial statements of the College as an affiliated organization.

ECONOMIC CONDITION AND OUTLOOK

Panola College's four-county service area borders Louisiana in Northeast Texas. The counties include Panola, Shelby, Marion, and Harrison. The largest cities in the service area are Carthage, Center, Jefferson and Marshall. These cities are also the county seats of their respective counties.

Panola County ranks as one of the leading natural gas producers in Texas. Continued lignite mining activities along with new natural gas wells contribute greatly to the area's wealth. Timber, poultry, and cattle production also continue to contribute to the local economy. All of these activities have a positive impact on employment and the county tax base. Natural gas prices continued to drop during the year and as a result property values declined 9% this year.

The national recession that some economists believe started in March 2001 was felt by the State of Texas. The State was facing a five billion dollar deficit for the biennium ending August 31, 2003. To balance the budget, across the board cuts were made to previous approved appropriations. Community colleges in the state were faced with a mid-year cut of 7% in appropriations. The reduction to Panola College amounted to a little over \$300,000. The College was able to make budget adjustments to offset the reduction by deferring needed facility maintenance and limiting new hires and travel.

Community colleges in Texas receive state appropriations based upon a contact hour formula that was originally intended to cover the institutions instructional and administrative costs with the local taxpayers and tuition and fee revenues to pay for facilities. To balance the budget for the next biennium it was necessary for additional reductions in appropriations. For the next biennium the state appropriation is funding only 51.9% of the instructional and administrative costs. Panola College had a 5.0% increase in base year contact hours and a 9.8% reduction in appropriations. To meet the reduction it was necessary to eliminate some programs and increase local taxes 3% and tuition and fees 8%.

MAJOR INITIATIVES

Course offerings via interactive television (ITV) were increased utilizing the 380-foot communication tower constructed on the campus last year, which connects fifteen higher education facilities serving 50 East Texas counties.

To help meet the demand for nurses the number of students admitted to our Associate Degree Nursing (ADN) program was expanded from 30 to 60. This year 100% of Panola College ADN graduates passed state board examinations to become registered nurses.

The Panola Ponies Basketball team won the Region XIV Athletic Conference Championship. Panola Pony Omar Thomas led the country in scoring and rebounding for the second year and set a National Junior College Athletic Association record for scoring average over a two-year career.

The Panola Pipers Choir performed at the White House and for the 22nd consecutive year were featured at the Texas State Fair.

Student enrollment increased. Enrollment in the Fall 2002 semester was 1694, which was up 13.46% from the prior year.

The College renovated the physical plant. The College continued the renovation project financed last year primarily with a two million dollar maintenance tax note. Nearly all of the heating, venting, and air conditioning (HVAC) systems, lighting fixtures, plumbing fixtures, and roofs were replaced last year. Installation of an energy management system, additional landscaping, and outside lighting was completed this year. The Student Center remodeling included relocating and expanding the College Bookstore and Cafeteria.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The administration of the College is responsible for establishing and maintaining an internal control structure designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the assets of the College are protected from loss, theft, or misuse and to ensure that adequate accounting data are compiled to allow for the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that the cost of controls should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived and the valuation of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by administration.

SINGLE AUDIT

As a recipient of federal and state financial assistance, the College also is responsible for ensuring that an adequate internal control structure is in place to ensure compliance with applicable laws and regulations related to these programs. This internal control structure is subject to periodic evaluation by administration and the independent auditors of the College.

As a part of the College's single audit, described earlier, tests are made to determine the adequacy of the internal control structure, including that portion related to federal financial assistance programs, as well as to determine that the College has complied with applicable laws and regulations. The results of the College's single audit for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2003, provided no instances of material weaknesses in the internal control structure or significant violations of applicable laws and regulations.

BUDGETING CONTROLS

In addition, the College maintains budgetary controls. The objective of these budgetary controls is to ensure compliance with legal provisions embodied in the annual appropriated budget approved by the College's Board of Trustees. Activities of the unrestricted current fund, auxiliary enterprises fund, and retirement of indebtedness fund are included in the annual appropriated budget. The College also maintains an encumbrance accounting system as one technique of accomplishing budgetary control. Encumbered amounts lapse at year-end. However, encumbrances are appropriated as part of the next year's budget.

As demonstrated by the statements and schedules included in the financial section of this report, the College continues to meet its responsibility for sound financial management.

CASH MANAGEMENT

Cash temporarily idle during the year was invested in demand deposits, repurchase agreements, certificates of deposit, and the Lone Star Investment Pool. The Lone Star Investment Pool is a public funds investment pool administered by the Texas Association of School Boards. The average yield on investments for the year ending August 31, 2003 was 3.9%. The College earned \$ 333,861 in interest on all investments for the year.

The College's investment policy is to minimize credit and market risks while maintaining a competitive yield on its portfolio. Accordingly, deposits were either insured by federal depository insurance or collateralized. A financial institution's trust department in the College's name held all collateral on deposits. The Lone Star Investment Pool invests solely in obligations issued or secured by the U. S. Government and its agencies and instrumentalities. All of the investments held by the College during the year and on August 31, 2003, are classified in the category of lowest credit risk as defined by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

RISK MANAGEMENT

The College has developed a complete insurance program to protect against the risk inherent with the operation of a college and a public entity. This includes various policies protecting public officials, administrators, instructional personnel, law enforcement personnel, automobile liability, building and content liability, umbrella liability, and other policies. These policies are underwritten by nationally known and rated insurers. Efforts are routinely made to make all employees aware of policies, regulations, and matters related to safety to help minimize exposure to the risks associated with College operations.

INDEPENDENT AUDIT

State statutes require an annual audit by independent certified public accountants. The accounting firm of Robinson & Williams, P.L.L.C. was selected by the College's Board of Trustees. In addition to meeting the requirements set forth in state statutes, the audit also was designed to meet the requirements of the federal Single Audit Act and related OMB Circular A-133.

AWARDS

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting (CAFR) for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2002 to Panola College for its comprehensive annual financial reports. This was the ninth consecutive year that the College has achieved this prestigious award. In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a college must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized CAFR. This report must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements.

A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe that our current comprehensive annual financial report continues to meet the Certificate of Achievement Program's requirements and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The preparation of the comprehensive annual financial report on a timely basis was made possible by the hard work and diligence of many College employees. Each employee who contributed to this report has our sincere appreciation. We would also like to thank the accounting firm of Robinson & Williams, P.L.L.C. for their assistance and timely completion of the audit.

Sincerely,

Louis A. Johnagin Dean of Fiscal Affairs Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting

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Panola College, Texas

For its Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the Fiscal Year Ended August 31, 2002

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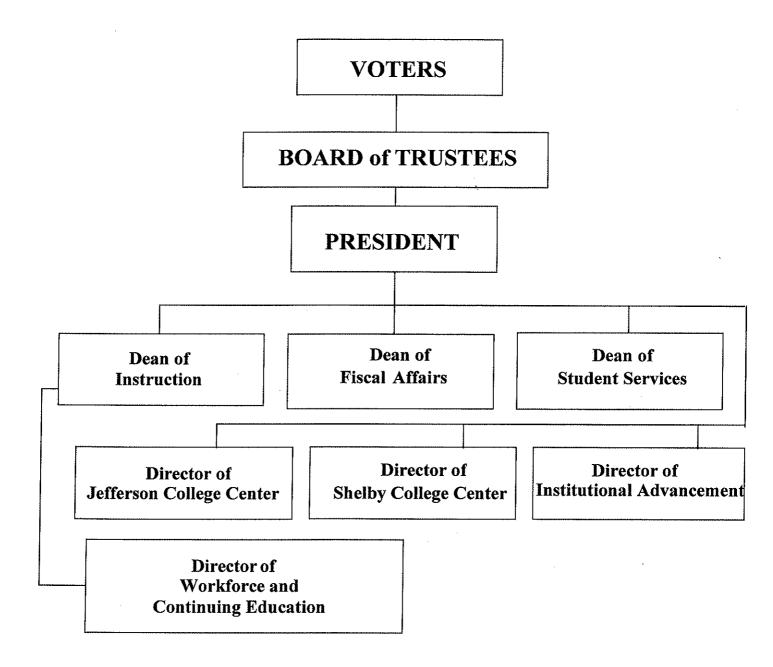
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PANOLA COLLEGE PRINCIPAL OFFICIALS AUGUST 31, 2003

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Advancement

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Members of the Board:

We have audited the accompanying statement of net assets, statement of financial position – affiliated organization and the related statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets, and statement of activities – affiliated organization and statement of cash flows of Panola College and the affiliated organization as of and for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002, which collectively comprise the College's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the College's administrators. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audits 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 audits provide 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 Panola College as of August 31, 2003 and 2002, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Management's Discussion and Analysis is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. 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 a report dated October 23, 2003 on our consideration of the College's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contract and grants. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The additional financial information presented as supplementary schedules A and B are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. The supplementary schedules have been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements that collectively comprise Panola College's basic financial statements. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Schedule C) is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of State Awards (Schedule D) is also presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Annual Financial Requirements for Texas Public Community Colleges published by the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board. These statements are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and in our opinion, the statements are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The additional financial information presented as additional supplementary data (Schedules E, F and G), and the statistical section on pages 55 to 77 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. The additional supplementary data and the statistical section have not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on such data.

Robinson & Williams, P.L.L.C. Certified Public Accountants

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October 23, 2003

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

As management of Panola County Junior College District (Panola College), we offer readers of the College's financial statement this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the College for the year ended August 31, 2003. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information that we have furnished in our letter of transmittal, which can be found at the front of this report and the District's financial statements and notes to the financial statements, which follow this section.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The assets of the College exceeded its liabilities at August 31, 2003 by \$11,034,975 (net assets). Of this amount \$4,508,024 (unrestricted net assets) may be used to meet the College's ongoing obligations.
- Revenue exceeded expenses by \$267,994 for the current fiscal year end.
- Statewide reductions in budgeted appropriations were reduced approximately 7% in mid-year. The formula funding was reduced \$250,170 and the group insurance contributions \$55,420 for a total of \$305,590. State contributions to employee retirement plans are constitutionally guaranteed and were not reduced.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This discussion and analysis are intended to serve as an introduction to the College's basic financial statements. Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34 required the implementation of new financial statement reporting standards for the first time during the previous fiscal year. The new standards require the College's financial statements to be prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. In accordance with these new reporting standards, the basic financial statements include: 1) the Statement of Net Assets, 2) the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets, and 3) Statement of Cash Flows. The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

<u>Statement of Net Assets</u>. The Statement of Net Assets presents all of the College's assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as *net assets*. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the College is improving or deteriorating.

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets. The Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets focuses on both the gross costs and the net costs of college activities, which are supported mainly by State Appropriations, Federal revenue, ad-valorem taxes, and tuition and fee revenues. This approach is intended to summarize and simplify the user's analysis of costs of various College services to students and the public. The statement presents information for all of the current year's revenues and expenses regardless of when cash is received or paid. Thus, revenues, and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

Both of these statements distinguish the functions of the College as being a "special purpose government engaged only in business-type activities" (BTA), as permitted in GASB 35, Par. 43. Business-type activity reporting is a category of "Proprietary" funds referred to as "Enterprise" funds (GASB34, Par. 66 and 138) and is presented in a single column entity-wide format. Although the College is funded from sources in addition to user charges, the district meets the principal criteria for BTA reporting (GASB34, Par. 67 & GASB35 Par. 44).

<u>Statement of Cash Flows</u>. The Statement of Cash Flows is used to account for essentially the same functions reported in the other basic financial statements. However, unlike the Statement of Net Assets and The Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets, the Statement of Cash Flows focuses on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources at the end of the fiscal year.

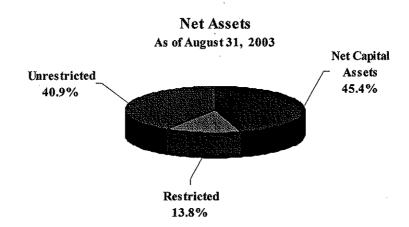
Notes to the financial statements.

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

ANALYSIS OF BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Condensed Statement of Net Assets as of August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003	% of Total	Increase (Decrease)	% of Increase (Decrease)	2002
Current assets	\$7,005,446	45.9%	(\$459,237)		\$7,464,683
Non-current assets:					
Capital assets, net	6,963,989	45.6%	274,053	4.1%	6,689,936
Other	1,295,189	8.5%	179,334	<u>16.1%</u>	1,115,855
Total Assets	\$15,264,624	100.0%	(\$5,850)	0.0%	<u>\$15,270,474</u>
Current liabilities	\$2,401,278	56.7%	(\$115,451)	-4.6%	\$2,516,729
Non-current liabilities	1,828,371	43.3%	(158,393)	<u>-8.0%</u>	<u>1,986,764</u>
Total Liabilities	\$4,229,649	<u>100%</u>	(\$273,844)	<u>-6.1%</u>	\$4,503,493
Net Assets:					
Invested in capital assets, net of					
related debt	\$5,009,134	45.4%	\$469,388	10.3%	\$4,539,746
Restricted	1,517,817	13.7%	111,183	7.9%	1,406,634
Unrestricted	4,508,024	<u>40.9%</u>	(312,577)	<u>-6.5%</u>	4,820,601
Total Net Assets	<u>\$11,034,975</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>\$267,994</u>	<u>2.5%</u>	<u>\$10,766,981</u>

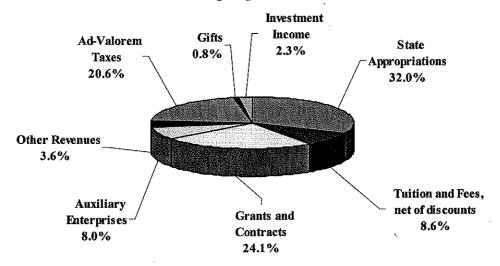


The College's assets exceeded liabilities by \$11,034,975 as of August 31, 2003. Assets amounted to \$15,264,624 with the investment in capital assets comprising \$6,963,989 of that total. Capital assets include land, library books, buildings and improvements, vehicles, furniture, and equipment. The College uses these capital assets to provide services to students and consequently these assets are not available for future spending. The College's investment in capital assets, reported net of related debt, is 45.4 % of the total net assets. It should be noted that the capital assets themselves may not be used to liquidate these liabilities. Additionally \$1,517,817 or 13.7 % of total net assets is externally restricted. The remaining balance of \$4,508,024 represents unrestricted net assets that may be used to meet the College's ongoing obligations. Capital assets net of related debt was \$5,009,134. The total liabilities amounted to \$4,229,649 of which \$2,401,278 is due next year.

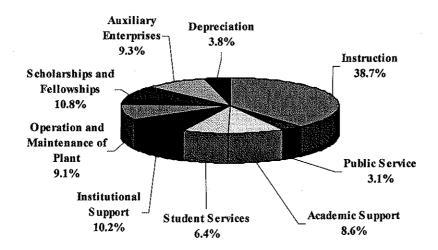
Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets For the Year Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003	% of Total	Increase (Decrease)	% of Increase (Decrease)	2002
Operating Revenues					
State Appropriations	\$4,583,327	32.0%	(\$37,373)	-0.8%	\$4,620,700
Tuition and Fees, net of discounts	1,238,410	8.6%	8,632	0.7%	1,229,778
Grants and Contracts	3,454,460	24.1%	(71,653)	-2.0%	3,526,113
Auxiliary Enterprises	1,141,084	8.0%	379,166	49.8%	761,918
Other Revenues	<u>517,699</u>	<u>3.6%</u>	<u>133,475</u>	<u>34.7%</u>	<u>384,224</u>
Total Operating Revenues	<u>\$10,934,980</u>	<u>76.3%</u>	\$412,247	<u>3.9%</u>	<u>\$10,522,733</u>
Non-Operating Revenues					
Ad-Valorem Taxes	\$2,951,066	20.6%	\$112,060	3.9%	\$2,839,006
Gifts	109,068	0.8%	5,613	5.4%	103,455
Investment Income	333,861	2.3%	<u>29,934</u>	<u>9.8%</u>	<u>303,927</u>
Total Non-Operating Revenues	<u>\$3,393,995</u>	23.7%	<u>\$147,607</u>	<u>4.5%</u>	<u>\$3,246,388</u>
Total Revenues	<u>\$14,328,975</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>\$559,854</u>	<u>4.1%</u>	<u>\$13,769,121</u>
Operating Expenses					
Instruction	\$5,408,490	38.5%	\$159,606	3.%	\$5,248,884
Public Service	430,877	3.1%	(52,557)	-10.9%	483,434
Academic Support	1,196,312	8.5%	10,149	.9%	1,186,163
Student Services	895,266	6.4%	(21,110)	-2.3%	916,376
Institutional Support	1,419,525	10.1%	126,840	9.8%	1,292,685
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	1,274,994	9.1%	164,427	14.8%	1,110,567
Scholarships and Fellowships	1,503,426	10.7%	437,993	41.1%	1,065,433
Auxiliary Enterprises	1,298,156	9.2%	32,250	2.5%	1,265,906
Depreciation	<u>531,011</u>	<u>3.8%</u>	<u>31,350</u>	<u>6.3%</u>	499,661
Total Operating Expenses	<u>\$13,958,057</u>	<u>99.3%</u>	<u>\$888,948</u>	<u>6.8%</u>	<u>\$13,069,109</u>
Non-Operating Expenses	102,924	<u>0.7%</u>	18,478	<u>21.9%</u>	84,446
Total Expenses	<u>\$14,060,981</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>\$907,426</u>	6.9%	<u>\$13,153,555</u>
Changes in Net Assets	\$267,994	2.4%	(\$347,572)	-56.5%	\$615,566
Beginning Net Assets	<u> 10,766,981</u>	<u>97.6%</u>	<u>615,566</u>	<u>6.1%</u>	<u>10,151,415</u>
Ending Net Assets	<u>\$11,034,975</u>	<u>100.0%</u>	<u>\$267,994</u>	<u>2.5%</u>	<u>\$10,766,981</u>
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Revenue by Source For Year Ending August 31, 2003



Expenses by Function For Year Ending August 31, 2003



Operating revenue amounted to \$10,934,980 and non-operating revenues \$3,393,995 for a total of \$14,328,975. The major revenues include \$4,583,327 (32%) in state appropriations, \$1,238,410 (8.6%) in tuition and fees, \$3,454,460 (24.1%) in grants and contracts, \$1,141,084 (8.0%) in auxiliary enterprises, and \$2,951,066 (20.6%) in ad-valorem taxes.

The state appropriations of \$4,583,327 include \$1,103,031 for employee benefits (\$342,190 for retirement benefits and \$760,841 for health and life insurance coverage). Additional information is available in footnotes 13, 16 and 17 found on pages 34-38 regarding benefits provided by the state. The balance of state appropriations of \$3,480,296 represents contact hour reimbursement for instruction provided by the College. In Texas the state appropriation to community colleges is operating revenue due to an implied contractual agreement based on contact hours taught. The Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board (THECB) determined that the appropriation was program revenue under GASB 34, para47 (b), because it is performance based and since the appropriation is restricted to instructional programs.

Operating Expenses totaled \$13,958,057 and non-operating expenses \$102,924 for total expenses of \$14,060,981. Revenues exceeded expenses for the year by \$267,994, and are the increase in net assets.

Instruction at \$5.4 million is the largest operating expense. It includes expenditures for all activities that are part of the institution's instruction program. These activities include credit and noncredit courses, for academic, vocational, and developmental and tutorial instruction. Academic support at \$1.2 million provides support of services for the college's primary missions of instruction and public service. This includes library expenses, academic administration, computer services, and distance learning support. Student services of \$.9 million, includes expenses for offices of records and admissions and student activities. Institutional support of \$1.4 million include expenses related to the college's executive management, fiscal operations, personnel management, college development, administrative computing, and general institutional expenses. Operation and maintenance of plant \$1.3 million are expenditures for the operation and maintenance of the physical plant. Auxiliary enterprises of \$1.3 million, includes expenditures for the College Store, food service, residence halls, and athletic programs.

Scholarships and fellowships include tuition remissions and exemptions. The scholarship payments include disbursements through the U.S. Department of Education Pell grant program, Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (SEOG) program, and the Federal Work Study program. Scholarships and fellowship expenses of \$1.5 million reflected in the statements represent that portion of total expenses paid directly to the student. The portion of awards the College receives in the form of applying scholarships to tuition, fees and other charges is accounted for as allowances and deducted from gross tuition, fees and other charges. The differences between the amount of scholarships and awards paid directly to the students and the amounts retained by the College can vary widely from year to year.

OVERALL FINANCIAL POSITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATION

As mentioned earlier, revenues exceeded expenses by \$267,994 for the year ended August 31, 2003. The College's unrestricted net assets represent approximately five months of operating reserves.

CAPITAL ASSET AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

Capital Assets

The College's investment in capital assets as of August 31, 2003, amounts to \$6,689,936 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment includes land, library books, buildings and improvements, and furniture and equipment. The most significant capital asset acquisition was an energy management system costing \$163,706.

Capital Assets (net of deprecation)

As of August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003	Increase (Decrease)	% of Increase (Decrease)	2002
Land	\$968,460	\$0	0.0%	\$968,460
Library Books	589,734	32,021	5.7%	557,713
Buildings and Improvements	4,501,135	(199,432)	-4.2%	4,700,567
Furniture and Equipment	<u>904,660</u>	441,464	<u>95.3%</u>	<u>463,196</u>
Total at historical cost	<u>\$6,963,989</u>	<u>\$274,053</u>	<u>4.1%</u>	<u>\$6,689,936</u>

Please refer to footnote number 7 on page 27 and 28 for additional information on capital assets.

Long-term Debt

The College has no bonded indebtedness. In December 2001 the College received a 15-year Maintenance Tax Note. The note is secured with proceeds from the College's maintenance and operations tax. The principal balance at August 31, 2003, was \$1,855,654. Approximately one acre of land and two structures that adjoin College property were purchased in October 1999, and the note was paid off this year.

The only other debt the College has is in the form of capital leases. The College leases most of its copying machines. In addition, three vehicles, POISE computer technology equipment, and the telephone system are on a capital lease. The principal balance on the leases at August 31, 2003 was \$99,201.

Long-term Liabilities

As of August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003	Increase (Decrease) (% of Increase Decrease)	2002
Lease Purchase Agreements	\$99,201	(\$34,283)	-25.7%	\$133,484
Notes Payable	0	(63,731)	-100.0%	63,731
Maintenance Notes Payable	<u>1,855,654</u>	<u>(97,321</u>)	<u>-5.0%</u>	<u>1,952,975</u>
Total Long-term Liabilities	<u>\$1,954,855</u>	(195,335)	<u>-9.1%</u>	<u>\$2,150,190</u>

Additional information on the College's long-term debt can be found in footnote number 8 on pages 28 - 30 of this report.

ECONOMIC FACTORS

The Texas Legislature convened in January 2003 and set appropriation amounts for the fifty state community colleges for the next biennium beginning September 1, 2003. The appropriation is divided among the colleges based on a percentage of the total contact hours reported. The growth rate in community college since the last funding has been greatest in the large metropolitan areas. The formula funding year started in March 2002. Contact hours increased by 5% at Panola College since the prior funding year started in March 2000. Statewide the increase was 14.7%. Due to budget restrains, not only was the growth not funded, the appropriations were also cut. The legislature did set a stop loss percentage of no more than 10% for each college. The formula funding model continues to adversely affect smaller rural colleges with higher costs per contact hour, due to the smaller class size, fewer available adjunct faculty, and lack of economy of scale.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, students, stockholders and creditors with a general overview of the College's finances as well as demonstrate accountability for the funds the College receives. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional information should be addressed to the Office of the Dean of Fiscal Affairs, Panola College, 1109 West Panola, Carthage, Texas 75633.

PANOLA COLLEGE

EXHIBIT 1

STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS

For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003	2002
	Primary	Primary
	Institution	Institution
ASSETS		411000000000000000000000000000000000000
Current Assets	·	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,687,056	\$ 2,172,992
Short-term investments	3,748,000	3,231,453
Accounts receivable (net)	1,154,506	1,667,706
Inventories	108,113	82,304
Other assets	307,771	310,228
Total Current Assets	7,005,446	7,464,683

Noncurrent Assets		
Endowment short-term investments	1,295,189	1,115,855
Capital assets, (net) (See note)	6,963,989	6,689,936
Total Noncurrent Assets	8,259,178	7,805,791
Total Assets	\$ 15,264,624	\$ 15,270,474
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 471,392	\$ 578,899
Accrued liabilities	221,095	237,592
Funds held for others	83,671	79,772
Deferred revenues	1,475,590	1,439,636
Capital Leases Payable - current portion	47,680	63,589
Notes Payable - current portion	101,849	117,241
Total Current Liabilities	2,401,278	2,516,729
Noncurrent Liabilities		
Deposits	23,045	17,404
Capital Leases Payable	51,521	69,895
Notes Payable	1,753,805	1,899,465
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	1,828,371	1,986,764
Total Liabilities	\$ 4,229,649	\$ 4,503,493
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NET ASSETS	Ø 5 000 124	D 4530546
Invested in capital assets, net of related debt	\$ 5,009,134	\$ 4,539,746
Restricted for		
Nonexpendable	1 450 505	1 244 051
Student Aid	1,459,705	1,344,951
Expendable		
Instruction related	58,112	48,453
Capital Projects	-	13,230
Unrestricted	4,508,024	4,820,601
Total Net Assets	\$ 11,034,975	\$ 10,766,981
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PANOLA COLLEGE EXHIBIT 1-A AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003 Panola College Foundation		F	2002 Panola College oundation
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	21,970	\$	5,495
Short Term Certificates of Deposit		58,746		57,502
Mutual Fund Investments		19,718		6,590
Annuity Contracts		379,115		75,090
Total Assets	\$	479,549	\$	144,677
Liabilities		,		
Accrued liabilities	\$	3,432	\$	1,400
Total Liabilities	\$	3,432	\$	1,400
Net Assets				
Unrestricted	\$	15,531	\$	13,835
Permanently Restricted		460,586	_	129,442
Total Net Assets	\$	476,117	\$	143,277

PANOLA COLLEGE EXHIBIT 2

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

		2003 Primary Institution	•	2002 Primary Institution
Revenues				
Operating Revenues	a	4 502 225	\$	4 620 700
State Appropriations	\$	4,583,327	3	4,620,700
Tuition and Fees (Net of Discounts of		1 220 410		1 220 770
\$1,152,667 for 2003 and \$854,816 for 2002)		1,238,410		1,229,778
Federal Grants and Contracts		2,955,807		2,913,750
State Grants and Contracts		413,091		598,020
Non-Governmental Grants and Contracts		85,562		14,343
Sales and Services of Educational Activities Auxiliary Enterprises (Net of Discounts of		187,020		109,977
\$230,834 for 2003 and \$532,910 for 2002)		1,141,084		761,918
Other Operating Revenues (Net of Discounts of \$-0-)	330,679		274,247
Total Operating Revenues (Schedule A)		10,934,980	***************************************	10,522,733
Expenses Operating Expenses				·
Instruction		5,408,490		5,248,884
Public Service		430,877		483,434
Academic Support		1,196,312		1,186,163
Student Services		895,266		916,376
Institutional Support		1,419,525		1,292,685
Operation and Maintenance of Plant		1,274,994		1,110,567
Scholarships and Fellowships		1,503,426		1,065,433
Auxiliary Enterprises		1,298,156		1,265,906
Depreciation		531,011		499,661
Total Operating Expenses (Schedule B)	_	13,958,057		13,069,109
Operating Income (Loss)	_	(3,023,077)		(2,546,376)
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses)				
Ad-Valorem Taxes for Maintenance & Operations		2,951,066		2,839,006
Gifts		109,068		103,455
Investment Income (Net of Investment Expenses)		333,861		303,927
Interest on Capital Related Debt		(102,924)		(84,446)
Net Non-Operating Revenues		3,291,071		3,161,942
Increase in Net Assets		267,994		615,566
NET ASSETS		10 7// 004		10 174 117
Net Assets - Beginning of Year		10,766,981		10,151,415
Net Assets - End of Year	\$	11,034,975	\$	10,766,981

PANOLA COLLEGE EXHIBIT 2-A AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003 Panola College Foundation			2002 Panola College Foundation
Revenue				
Investment income	\$	2,004	\$	1,945
Unrealized investment income		16,578		(18,500)
Gifts	<u> </u>	318,858		3,000
Total Revenue		337,440	•	(13,555)
Expenses				
Scholarships and support		4,600		1,400
Total Expenses		4,600		1,400
Change in net assets		332,840		(14,955)
Net Assets - Beginning of Year		143,277		158,232
Net Assets - End of Year	\$	476,117	\$	143,277

PANOLA COLLEGE EXHIBIT 3

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003	2002
	Primary	Primary
	Institution	Institution
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	to the last of the	***************************************
Receipts from students and other customers	\$ 4,137,463	\$ 3,498,570
Receipts of appropriations, grants, and contracts	7,298,527	6,743,510
Payments to or on behalf of employees	(6,866,940)	(6,489,673)
Payments to suppliers for goods or services	(3,857,772)	(3,582,136)
Payments of scholarships	(2,772,616)	(2,383,896)
Net cash used for operating activities	(2,061,338)	(2,213,625)
CASH FLOWS FROM NON-CAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Ad valorem tax revenues	2,952,666	2,843,588
Gifts and grants (other than capital)	109,068	103,455
Student organization and other agency transactions	8,117	(16,689)
Net cash provided (used) by non-capital financing activities	3,069,851	2,930,354
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CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACT Net proceeds from issuance of capital debt	IVIIIES	2 000 000
Purchases of capital assets	(778,285)	2,000,000
Interest expense paid	(104,018)	(2,145,611) (64,824)
Payments on capital debt and leases	(232,433)	
•		(160,706)
Net cash used for capital and related financing activities	(1,114,736)	(371,141)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sale and maturity of investments	4,347,308	337,000
Investment earnings	311,609	185,110
Purchases of investments	(5,038,630)	(4,347,308)
Net cash used for investing activities	(379,713)	(3,825,198)
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(485,936)	(3,479,610)
Cash and cash equivalents - Beginning	2,172,992	5,652,602
Cash and cash equivalents - Ending	\$1,687,056_	\$
Noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:		
Capital assets purchased	\$ 805,065	\$ 2,145,611
Less capitalized leases	(26,780)	, . •
Cash paid for capital assets	\$ 778,285	\$ 2,145,611
Increase (decrease) in fair value of investments	<u>- \$ 4,559</u>	\$ (5,554)

PANOLA COLLEGE EXHIBIT 3 (Continued) STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003 Primary Institution		2002 Primary Institution	
Reconciliation of operating loss to net cash used	h			
for operating activities				
Operating loss	\$	(3,023,077)	\$	(2,546,376)
Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash used for operating activities			-	
Depreciation expense		531,011		499,661
Operating expenses financed		10,317		
Bad debt expense		-		7,000
Changes in assets and liabilities				
(Increase) Decrease in Receivables, net		529,294		(584,477)
(Increase) Decrease in Inventories		(25,809)		35,021
(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid expenses		3,069		(18,220)
(Increase) Decrease in Utility deposits		-		(6,473)
(Increase) Decrease in Deferred expenses		(612)		32,194
Increase (Decrease) in Deferred credits student related		65,875		99,433
Increase (Decrease) in Deferred credits other		(29,921)		17,097
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts payable		(106,082)		271,011
Increase (Decrease) in Accrued liabilities-payroll related		1,801		336
Increase (Decrease) in Accrued liabilities-other		•		(52,773)
Increase (Decrease) in Other liabilities		-		(9,183)
Increase (Decrease) in Compensated absences		(17,204)		42,124
Total Adjustments	-	961,739		332,751
Net cash used by operating activities	\$	(2,061,338)	\$	(2,213,625)

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PANOLA COLLEGE EXHIBIT 3-A AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	2003 Panola College Foundation	2002 Panola College Foundation
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from donors	\$ 318,858	\$ 3,000
Payments for scholarships and support	(2,568)	7 2,000
Investment receipts	2,004	1,945
Net cash provided by operating activites	318,294	4,945
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	,	
Maturities and liquidation of investments	75,090	
Purchase of investments and annuities	(376,909)	(3,815)
Net cash used for investing activites	(301,819)	(3,815)
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	16,475	1,130
Cash and cash equivalents-beginning	5,495	4,365
Cash and cash equivalents-ending	\$ 21,970	\$ 5,495
Reconciliation of change in net assets to net		
cash used for operating activities		•
Change in net assets	\$ 332,840	\$ (14,955)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash used	Ψ 332,046	<u> </u>
to net cash used for operating activities		
(Increase) Decrease in fair value of investments	(16,578)	18,500
Changes in assets and liabilities		
Increase in Accrued liabilities	2,032	1,400
Total Adjustments	(14,546)	19,900
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 318,294	\$ 4,945

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PANOLA CÓLLEGE NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2003 AND 2002

1. REPORTING ENTITY

Panola College was established in 1947 in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas to serve the educational needs of the Panola College service area. The College is considered to be a special purpose, primary government according to the definition in Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 14. While the College receives funding from local, state and federal sources, and must comply with the spending, reporting and recordkeeping requirements of these entities, it is not a component unit of any other governmental entity.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Reporting Guidelines

The significant accounting policies followed by the College in preparing these financial statements are in accordance with the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board's Annual Financial Reporting Requirements for Texas Public Community and Junior Colleges. The College applies all applicable GASB pronouncements and all applicable Financial Accounting Standard Board (FASB) statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, unless they conflict or contradict GASB pronouncements. The College has elected not to apply FASB guidance issued subsequent to November 30, 1989, unless specifically adopted by the GASB. The College is reported as a special-purpose government engaged in business-type activities.

Tuition Discounting

Texas Public Education Grants

Certain tuition amounts are required to be set aside for use as scholarships by qualifying students. This set aside, called the Texas Public Education Grant (TPEG), is shown with tuition and fee revenue amounts as a separate set aside amount (Texas Education Code 56.0333). When the award for tuition is used by the student, the amount is recorded as tuition and a corresponding amount is recorded as a tuition discount.

Title IV, HEA Program Funds

Certain Title IV HEA Program funds are received by the college to pass through to the student. These funds are initially received by the college and recorded as restricted revenue. When the student is awarded and uses these funds for tuition and fees, the amounts are recorded as revenue and a corresponding amount is recorded as a tuition discount.

Other Tuition Discounts

The college awards tuition and fee scholarships from institutional funds to students who qualify. When these amounts are used for tuition and fees, the amounts are recorded as tuition and fee revenue and a corresponding amount is recorded as a tuition discount.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the College have been prepared on the accrual basis whereby all revenues are recorded when earned and all expenses are recorded when they have been reduced to a legal or contractual obligation to pay.

PANOLA COLLEGE NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2003 AND 2002

Encumbrance accounting, under which purchase orders, contracts, and other commitments for expenditures of funds are recorded in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation, is employed as an extension of formal budgetary integration. Under Texas law, appropriations lapse at August 31, and encumbrances outstanding at that time are to be either cancelled or appropriately provided for in the subsequent year's budget. Encumbrances outstanding at year-end that are provided for in subsequent year's budget are reported as designations of net assets since they do not constitute expenditures or liabilities.

Budgetary Data

Each community college district in Texas is required by law to prepare an annual operating budget of anticipated revenues and expenditures for the fiscal year beginning September 1. The District's Board of Trustees adopts the budget, which is prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. A copy of the approved budget must be filed with the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, Legislative Budget Board, Legislative Reference Library, and Governor's Office of Budget and Planning.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The College's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

Investments

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 31, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Certain Investments and External Investment Pools, investments are reported at fair value. Fair values are based on published market rates. Short-term investments have an original maturity greater than three months but less than one year at time of purchase. (The governing board has designated public funds investment pools comprised of \$55,256 and \$422,943 at August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively to be short-term investments). Long-term investments have an original maturity of greater than one year at the time of purchase.

Inventories

Inventories consist of consumable office supplies, physical plant supplies, food service supplies, and bookstore stock. Inventories are valued at lower of cost under the "first-in, first-out" method, or market and are charged to expense as consumed.

Capital Assets

Capital assets are stated at cost. Donated capital assets are valued at their estimated fair market value on the date received. Panola College's capitalization policy includes real or personal property with a value equal to or greater than \$5,000 and has an estimated life of greater than 1 year. The College reports depreciation under a single-line item as a business-type unit. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets applying the half-year convention. The following lives are used:

Buildings	30 years
Facilities and Other Improvements	10-20 years
Furniture, Machinery, Vehicles and Other Equipmen	nt 5-10 years
Telecommunications and Peripheral Equipment	5 years
Library Books	As long as in collection

PANOLA COLLEGE NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2003 AND 2002

Library Books

Library books are capitalized as inexhaustible assets and therefore are not depreciated. Library books have an economic benefit or service potential that is used up slowly and their estimated useful lives are extraordinarily long. Some books have a cultural, aesthetic, or historical value, and efforts are usually applied to protect and preserve these assets in a manner greater than that for similar assets without such cultural, aesthetic, or historical value. Library books will be written off as the books are removed from service.

Collections

The College does not maintain any collections for public exhibition, education, or research.

Deferred Revenues

Tuition, fees, and other revenues received and related to the periods after August 31, 2003 and 2002 have been deferred.

Estimates

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

<u>Prior Year Restatement - Year 2002</u>

In June 1999, GASB approved Statement No. 34, Basic Financial Statements – Management's Discussion and analysis – for State and Local Governments. This was followed by GASB Statement No. 35, Basic Financial Statements – Management's Discussion and Analysis for Public Colleges and Universities, which extends the guidance of GASB 34 to public colleges and universities. The College implemented these changes for the year ended August 31, 2002, resulting in an entirely new financial statement presentation format. The College is reported as a special-purpose government engaged in business-type activities. Significant changes included eliminating the plant funds and reporting capital assets including accumulated depreciation of \$7,860,768, reporting outstanding debt, and including full accrual of property taxes assessed but uncollected. The cumulative effect of these changes was to decrease beginning net assets by \$9,886,580.

A summary of the cumulative effect of the changes is as follows.

Net Assets – Beginning of year as originally reported \$20,037,995

Cumulative effects of changes in accounting principles related to capital assets and other (9,886,580)

Net Assets – Beginning of year as restated \$10,151,415

PANOLA COLLEGE NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AT AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED AUGUST 31, 2003 AND 2002

Operating Revenues and Non-Operating Revenues

The statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets distinguishes between operating and non-operating revenues. For this purpose, operating revenues, such as tuition and fees, result from exchange transactions associated with the principal activities of the College. Exchange transactions are those in which each party to the transactions receives or gives up essentially equal values. The College also recognizes as operating revenue allocations from the state. State allocations are classified as operating revenues because the college is a separate primary government and is not included as part of the Texas statewide CAFR. In addition, Texas state allocations are program specific for instructional services provided on behalf of the State and are affected by performance through a formula funding process (exchange-transaction) based on contact hours of instruction provided. Non-operating revenues arise from exchange transactions not associated with the College's principal activities (such as investment income) and from all non-exchange transactions (such as property taxes).

Net Assets

The College reports its net assets in three components. Net assets invested in capital assets are equal to amounts reported for capital assets net of accumulated depreciation and net of related debt. Restricted net assets are reported when assets (net of related debt) can only be used for a specified purpose that is established by grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations governing the College. Unrestricted net assets are all other College net assets that do not meet the definitions of invested in capital assets or restricted.

3. COMPONENT UNIT (AFFILIATED ORGANIZATION)

Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement 39 amends GASB Statement 14 regarding the inclusion of annual financial statements of certain non-profit organizations in the primary government's annual report. The Panola College Foundation (the Foundation) is a non-profit corporation organized under the Texas Non Profit Corporation Act. The Foundation is exempt from Federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The sole purpose of the Foundation is to strengthen the educational resources of Panola College by encouraging a program of benefactions to the College. Appointments to the board of directors are ratified by the Panola College board of trustees, and two members of the College's board serve on the Foundation's board. The College has adopted early implementation of the provisions of GASB 39 by discreetly presenting the financial activity of the Foundation in the College's annual financial report as an affiliated organization.

Financial transactions in the form of support from the Foundation to the College for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002 amounted to approximately \$4,600 and \$1,400, respectively.

4. <u>AUTHORIZED INVESTMENTS</u>

Panola College is authorized to invest in obligations and instruments as defined in the Public Funds Act (Sec. 2256.001 Texas Government Code). Such investments include (1) obligations of the United States or its agencies, (2) direct obligations of the State of Texas or its agencies, (3) obligations of political subdivisions rated not less than A by a national investment rating firm, (4) certificates of deposit, and (5) other instruments and obligations authorized by statute. The investments of the College are in compliance with these investment policies.

5. <u>DEPOSITS AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS</u>

Deposits and Investments

At August 31, 2003 and 2002, the carrying amount of Panola College's deposits was \$6,639,543 and \$6,068,545, respectively. Total bank balances (balances per financial institution records) equaled \$6,805,836 and \$6,229,886, respectively.

Depository bank balances of \$6,723,475 (2003) and \$6,142,165 (2002) were covered by \$100,000 in federal depository insurance and \$9,275,804 (2003) and \$5,485,596 (2002) (book value) in pledged securities. These pledged securities are held by the depository bank's agent in the name of the bank, for the benefit of Panola College. Based on this arrangement, the pledged securities meet the definition of GASB Statement No. 3 as uncollateralized.

Deposits and investments in other financial institutions totaling \$82,361 (2003) and \$87,721 (2002) were fully covered by federal depository insurance. Short-term investments with the Lone Star Investment Pool and a mutual fund investment firm described below totaling \$87,137 (2003) and \$448,265 (2002) were not covered by insurance.

Deposits with the contracted depository bank were in interest bearing accounts which were secured throughout the year by FDIC coverage and by securities conforming to the provisions of House Bill 1488 pledged to the College and held by the First State Bank's agent. Following are selected details about the deposits at the depository bank:

- a. Name of the Bank: First State Bank, Carthage, Texas.
- b. The amount of bond and/or the market value of securities pledged as of the date of the highest combined balance on deposit were approximately \$8,963,045 (2003) and \$9,870,837 (2002). The highest combined balances of cash, savings and time deposits accounts amounted to approximately \$7,587,753 (2003) and \$9,363,207 (2002) and occurred during the months of November 2002 (FYE 2003) and December 2001 (FYE 2002).
- c. Total amount of FDIC coverage at the time of the highest combined balance in November and December was \$100,000.
- d. At year end, fair value of securities pledged was approximately \$9,354,026 (2003) and \$7,665,117 (2002).

Cash and cash equivalents as reported on Exhibit 1, Statement of Net Assets, consist of the items reported below.

		2003	2002
Cash and Cash Equivalents			
Cash in Bank			
Demand Deposits	\$	1,628,235	\$ 989,260
Time Deposits		0	731,977
Cash and Cash Equivalents	-	1,628,235	 1,721,237
Short Term Investments		55,256	448,265
Petty Cash on Hand		3,565	3,490
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	1,687,056	\$ 2,172,992

Short-term investments reflected on Exhibit 1, Statement of Net Assets, consisted of certificates of deposit with a maturity date greater than 90 days in the amount of \$5,011,308 (2003) and \$4,347,308 (2002), an investment in the Lone Star Investment Pool in the amount of \$55,256 (2003) and \$422,943 (2002), and an investment with a mutual fund investment firm of \$31,881 (2003) and \$25,322 (2002). The Lone Star Investment Pool is an investment pool administered by the Texas Association of School Boards, Inc. The pool has various investment options for participating members. The College's investment portfolio at August 31, 2003 and 2002, is in the Liquidity Plus Fund. The composition of this pool consists of cash and repurchase agreements (66%) and U.S. Treasures and Agencies (34%). Fair value of the College's portfolio at August 31, 2003 and 2002, was approximately \$55,256 and \$422,943, respectively, the same as the carrying amount. GASB statement 31 requires that investments be reported at fair value.

The cash deposits held at financial institutions can be categorized according to three levels of risk in accordance with GASB Statement 3. Those levels of risk give an indication of credit risk assumed by Panola College at year end. Credit risk is the risk that another party to a deposit or investment transaction will not fulfill its obligations. This is not to be confused with market risk, which is the risk that the market value of an investment, collateral profecting a deposit, or securities underlying a repurchase agreement will decline. Market risk is not depicted in this note.

- Category 1: Deposits which are insured or collateralized with securities held by the entity or by its agent in the entity's name.
- Category 2: Deposits which are collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the entity's name.
- Category 3: Uncollateralized, including any bank balance that is collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution or by its trust department or agent but not in the entity's name.

Based on these definitions, the Colleges deposits are categorized as follows:

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Deposit Type Demand and Time Deposits	Category 1	s	Carrying Amount 182,361	s	Institution Balance 182,361	· -	Carrying Amount 286,996	s	Institution Balance 287,721
Demand and Time Deposits Total	3	<u>s</u>	6,457,182 6,639,543	\$	6,623,475 6,805,836	\$	5,781,549 6,068,545	S	5,942,165 6,229,886
Uncategorized investments Lone Star Investment Pool Mutual Fund		\$	55,256 31,881	\$	55,256 31,881	\$	422,943 25,322	\$	422,943 25,322
Total		\$	87,137	\$	87,137	\$	448,265	\$	448,265

Reconciliation of Deposits and Investments Between Note 4 and Exhibit 1:

	2003	2002
Per Note 4		
Petty Cash on Hand	\$ 3,565	\$ 3,490
Demand and Time Deposits	1,628,235	1,721,237
Short Term Time Deposits	5,011,308	4,347,308
Lone Star Investment Pool	55,256	422,943
Mutual Fund Investments	31,881	25,322
	\$ 6,730,245	\$ 6,520,300
Per Exhibit 1	<u>2003</u>	<u>2002</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 1,687,056	\$ 2,172,992
Short Term Investments -	3,748,000	3,231,453
current Short Term Investments - endowments	1,295,189	1,115,855
	\$ 6,730,245	\$ 6,520,300

The College did not invest in securities other than those shown above during the year, nor did any losses result from default on investment transactions.

6. **DERIVATIVES**

Interest in derivative products has increased in recent years. Derivatives are investment products which may be a security or contract which derives its value from another security, currency, commodity or index, regardless of the source of funds used. Panola College did not invest in any derivative products during the year.

7. <u>CAPITAL ASSETS</u>

Capital assets activity for the year ended August 31, 2003 was as follows:

Description	Balance September 1, 2002		Increases	r	Decreases	 Balance August 31, 2003
Capital assets not being depreciated:						
Land	\$ 968,460			\$		\$ 968,460
Library Books	557,713	\$	32, 021			 589,734
Total capital assets not being Depreciated	 1,526,173		32,021		L	 1,558,194
Capital assets, being depreciated:		,				
Buildings and Improvements	11,714,087		131,051			11,845,138
Equipment under Capital Lease	462,637		26,779			489,416
Furniture, Fixtures, Machinery &	·					
Equipment and Other Equipment	1,188,804		615,213			1,804,017
Total capital assets, being depreciated	 13,365,528		773,043		*	 14,138,571
Less accumulated depreciation for:						
Building and Improvements	(7,013,520)		(330,483)			(7,344,003)
Equipment under Capital Lease Furniture, Fixtures, Machinery &	(377,888)		(38,406)			(416,294)
Equipment and Other Equipment	 (810,357)		(162,122)			 (972,479)
Total accumulated depreciation	 (8,201,765)		(531,011)			 (8,732,776)
Total capital assets, being						
depreciated, net	 5,163,763		242,032			 5,405,795
Net Capital Assets	\$ 6,689,936	\$	274,053	\$	_	\$ 6,963,989

Capital assets activity for the year ended August 31, 2002 was as follows:

Description	 Balance September 1, 2001		Increases		Decreases	 Balance August 31, 2002
Capital assets not being						
depreciated:						
Land	\$ 968,460					\$ 968,460
Library Books	 520,521	_\$	37,192		_	557,713
Total capital assets not being						
depreciated	 1,488,981		37,192		-	 1,526,173
Capital assets, being depreciated: Other Capital Assets						
Buildings and Improvements	9,773,703		1,940,384		_	11,714,087
Equipment under Capital Lease	462,637		\ **			462,637
Furniture, Fixtures, Machinery &	•					,
Equipment and Other Equipment	1,179,432		168,036	\$	(158,664)	1,188,804
Total capital assets, being depreciated	 11,415,772		2,108,420		(158,664)	 13,365,528
Less accumulated depreciation for:						
Building and Improvements	(6,763,130)		(250,390)		_	(7,013,520)
Equipment under Capital Lease	(285,361)		(92,527)		-	(377,888)
Furniture, Fixtures, Machinery &	, , ,		, ,			(= , - , = - ,
Equipment and Other Equipment	 (812,277)		(156,744)		158,664	 (810,357)
Total accumulated depreciation	 (7,860,768)		(499,661)		158,664	 (8,201,765)
Total capital assets, being						
depreciated, net	 3,555,004		1,608,759		<u></u>	 5,163,763
Net Capital Assets	\$ 5,043,985	\$	1,645,951	\$	-	\$ 6,689,936

8. <u>LONG-TERM LIABILITIES</u>

Long-term liability activity for the year ended August 31, 2003 was as follows:

,	S	Balance September 1, 2002		Additions		Reductions		Balance August 31, 2003		Current Portion
Leases and Notes Capital Leases	<u> </u>	133,484	- · ·	37,097	·	71,380	· -	99,201	s	47,680
Oupitul Leases	Ψ	100,101	•	01,051	Ψ	71,500	φ	77,201	φ	47,000
Notes Payable		63,731		-		63,731		-		-
Maintenance Notes Payable		1,952,975		37,097		97,321		1,855,654		101 0 <i>4</i> 0
i ayabic	PAVA.	1,752,773		37,077		37,321		1,000,004		101,849
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$	2,150,190	\$	37,097	\$	232,432	\$	1,954,855	\$	149,529
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Compensated absences consist of accrued vacations. Such liabilities are considered as current liabilities and not included in long-term liabilities.

Long-term liability activity for the year ended August 31, 2002 was as follows:

	Se	Balance eptember 1, 2001	Additions		Reductions		Balance August 31, 2002		Current Portion
Leases and Notes Capital Leases	\$	227,241	\$ ***	\$	93,757	\$	133,484	\$	63,589
Notes Payable		82,436	-		18,705		63,731		19,921
Maintenance Notes Payable	***************************************	_	 2,000,000	- M. V.	47,025	•	1,952,975		97,320
Total Long-Term Liabilities	S	309,677	\$ 2,000,000	\$	159,487	\$	2,150,190	\$	180,830

Lease Purchase Agreements Payable

During the current year and prior years, the College entered into capital lease commitments for copy equipment. The leases are for twenty-four copiers and related attachments. The arrangements require the College to make payments in monthly installments of \$3,756 ranging from 30 to 60 months. Summarized below are annual lease requirements associated with the commitments. Imputed interest assumed in the leases ranges from 5% to 8%. The interest portion of current year payments amounted to \$7,216 and \$8,042 for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002 respectively.

Year			2003			2002		
Ending August 31,	•	Interest	 Principal	 Total Requirement	Interest	Principal	•	Total Requirement
2003	\$	_	\$ -	\$ •	\$ 6,088	\$ 25,494	\$	31,582
2004		5,158	39,911	45,069	3,972	27,610		31,582
2005		2,237	42,678	44,915	1,681	29,901		31,582
2006		103	8,844	8,947	47	4,616		4,663
Total	-\$	7,498	\$ 91,433	\$ 98,931	\$ 11,788	\$ 87,621	\$	99,409

In prior years, the College entered into lease purchase agreements with Bank One Leasing Corporation for the rental of vehicles, computer technology equipment, and telephone systems. Terms of current, five separate lease agreements require that the College pay \$6,230 for 60 months. Total rents to be paid on the lease agreements amount to \$373,807. Summarized below are annual lease requirements associated with the agreements. Interest rates of 5.25% to 5.65% are assumed in the leases. The interest portion of lease payments amounted to \$1,351 and \$5,423 for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

Year			2003			2002	
Ending August 31,	Interest	·	Principal	Total Requirement	 Interest	Principal	 Total Requirement
2003	\$ -	\$		\$ -	\$ 1,351	\$ 38,095	\$ 39,446
2004	68		7,768	7,836	68	7,768	7,836
2005	-		-	-	-	-	´ <u>-</u>
2006	_		_	-	-	-	-
2007	-		-	_	-	•	-
Total	\$ 68	\$	7,768	\$ 7,836	\$ 1,419	\$ 45,863	\$ 47,282

Note Payable

In October 1999, the college purchased approximately one acre of land and two structures adjoining existing College land. This real estate was purchased from an individual for a purchase price of \$120,000. The \$120,000 was financed with a cash down payment of \$20,000 to the former owner and execution of a real estate lien note to the former owner in the amount of \$100,000. The note bears an interest rate of 6.5% from October 1, 1999 with five annual installments of \$24,063 beginning October 1, 2000. Interest associated with the note payment amounted to \$6,722 and \$5,358 for the years ending August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively. The note was paid off early in August, 2003.

Scheduled payments associated with the Note at August 31, 2002 are summarized below.

Year Ending August 31	Ir	iterest	P	rincipal	Total juirement
2003	\$	4,142	. \$	19,922	\$ 24,064
2004		2,848		21,216	24,064
2005		1,471		22,593	24,064
	\$	8,461	\$	63,731	\$ 72,192

Maintenance Notes Payable

On December 15, 2001, the College issued Maintenance Tax Notes, Series 2001 in the amount of \$2,000,000. The maintenance notes carry an interest rate of 4.6% payable in thirty semi-annual installments of \$93,025 each.

The notes were issued to finance facility improvements related to an energy management project. In addition to the note proceeds being used for upgrades and replacements to lighting and HVAC equipment, the notes were also used for roofing projects and other maintenance projects to the physical plant.

In accordance with Section 45.108 of the Texas Education Code, all available funds of the College are pledged to the payment of principal and interest on the notes. In the event such available funds are insufficient to meet the obligations, the College has the authority to assess a separate maintenance tax levy in addition to the regular maintenance and operations tax levy to insure the funds are available to meet the scheduled obligations.

Assessment of a separate maintenance tax levy is not anticipated and payment of the obligations due in the fiscal year ending August 31, 2004 has been provided for in the budget.

The first of the thirty semi-annual installments was made on June 19, 2002. Interest expense on the note amounted to \$88,730 and \$64,403 for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively. Accrued interest on the note at August 31, 2003 and 2002 amounted to approximately \$17,309 and \$18,403 and is included in the financial statements.

Annual debt service requirements associated with the notes are summarized below.

Year		2003			 2002	
Ending			 Total			 Total
August 31,	Interest	Principal	Requirement	Interest	Principal	Requirement
2003	\$ 	\$ -	\$ *	\$ 88,730	\$ 97,321	\$ 186,051
2004	84,201	101,849	186,050	84,201	101,849	186,050
2005	79,462	106,588	186,050	79,462	106,588	186,050
2006	74,503	111,547	186,050	74,503	111,547	186,050
2007	69,313	116,737	186,050	69,313	116,737	186,050
2008	63,881	122,169	186,050	63,881	122,169	186,050
2009-2013	228,666	701,588	930,254	228,666	701,588	930,254
2014-2017	56,007	595,176	651,183	56,006	595,176	651,182
Total	\$ 656,033	\$ 1,855,654	\$ 2,511,687	\$ 744,762	\$ 1,952,975	\$ 2,697,737

9. <u>DISAGGREGATION OF RECEIVABLES AND PAYABLES BALANCES</u>

Receivables

Receivables at August 31, 2003 and 2002, were as follows:

				2003						2002					
	•		Less Allowance							Less Allowance					
		Total Receivable		For Uncollectibles		Net Receivable		Total Receivable		For Uncollectibles		Net Receivable			
Student Receivables	-\$	488,006	\$	217,172	\$	270,834	\$	555,133	\$	168,172	\$	386,961			
Taxes Receivable		194,698		131,177		63,521		200,493		135,372		65,121			
Federal Receivables		411,426		,		411,426		741,592				741,592			
State Receivables		210,000				210,000		268,648				268,648			
Accounts Receivable		6,010				6,010		62,654				62,654			
Interest Receivable		145,553				145,553		127,860				127,860			
Other Receivables		47,162				47,162		14,870	-			14,870			
TOTAL	\$	1,502,855	\$	348,349	\$	1,154,506	S	1,971,250	\$	303,544	\$	1,667,706			

Payables

Payables at August 31, 2003 and 2002, were as follows:

Vendors Payable Salaries and Benefits Payable		2003	 2002
	\$	471,392	\$ 578,899
Salaries and Benefits Payable		203,786	219,189
Students Payable		46,413	42,829
Accrued Interest		17,309	18,403
Other Payables		37,258	36,943
TOTAL	\$	776,158	\$ 896,263

10. CONTRACT AND GRANT AWARDS

Contract and grant awards are accounted for in accordance with the requirements of the AICPA Industry Audit Guide, <u>Audits of Colleges and Universities</u>. Funds received, but not expended during the reporting period, are shown as additions to fund balance. Revenues are recognized as funds are actually expended. For direct federal contract and grant awards, funds expended, but not collected, are reported as federal receivables. Federal pass through awards and non-federal contract and grant awards for which funds are expended, but not collected, are reported as state and local contracts and grants receivable. Contract and grant awards that are not yet funded and for which the institution has not yet performed services are not included in the financial statements.

11. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes are levied each October 1 in conformity with Subtitle E, Texas Property Tax Code. The levy is based on the assessed value as of the prior January 1 for all real and personal property located in the District. The taxes become due January 1 of the following year. A discount of up to 3% is allowed for taxes paid between October 1 and December 31. Taxes become past due February 1 and become delinquent on June 30. A tax lien attaches to property on January 1 of each year to secure the payment of all taxes, penalties, and interest ultimately imposed. Taxes receivable as reflected on the balance sheet are net of an allowance for doubtful accounts. The allowance is based upon historical experience in collecting property taxes.

Taxes levied for current year operations are summarized below:

	 2003	2002		
Original tax levy Supplemental levy and adjustments	\$ 3,065,430	\$	2,912,574	
Adjusted levy	 (24,576) 3,040,854		(6,486) 2,906,088	
Penalty and interest assessments	 13,990	****	11,781	
Total Levy	\$ 3,054,844	\$	2,917,869	

Tax collections for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002, including delinquent collections, exceeded 99% of the levy for both years.

A summary of tax data is presented as follows:

	2003	 2002
Assessed valuation of the District	\$ 3,118,959,711	\$ 3,194,124,050
Less: Exemptions	(139,607,344)	(132,607,701)
Less Abatements	(368,504,844)	(377,651,056)
Net Assessed Valuation of the District	\$ 2,610,847,523	\$ 2,683,865,293
Tax Rate Per \$100 authorized:		
Current Operations	\$ 0.35000	\$ 0.35000
Debt Service	0.50000	0.50000
Total	\$ 0.85000	\$ 0.85000
Tax Rate Per \$100 assessed		
Current Operations	\$ 0.11647	\$ 0.10828
Debt Service	 **	 10
Total	\$ 0.11647	\$ 0.10828
Gross Taxes Collected (Current Operations)	\$ 2,967,337	\$ 2,867,461
Discounts Allowed	(77,128)	(74,613)
Delinquent Taxes Collected	59,534	45,143
Penalties and Interest Collected	51,679	51,758
Collection Fees	 (50,356)	 (50,743)
Total Collections	\$ 2,951,066	\$ 2,839,006

12. <u>DEFERRED REVENUES</u>

Revenues, primarily consisting of tuition, fees and housing charges, related to academic terms in the next fiscal year are recorded in the statement of net assets as deferred revenue in the current fiscal year.

A summary of deferred revenues follows:

		2003	2002
Tuition and Fees	\$	1,055,370 \$	991,816
Housing and Residential Life		218,458	274,951
Bookstore Profit Deferral		169,971	171,757
Other		31,791	41,112
Total	\$	1,475,590 \$	1,479,636

13. EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT PLANS

Teacher Retirement System

Plan Description:

The Teacher Retirement System of Texas (TRS) is a multiple-employer public employee retirement system (PERS). It is a cost-sharing PERS with one exception: all risks and costs are not shared by the employer (unless the employer is a senior college, medical school, or a state agency in which case the employer is considered the State of Texas) are the liability of the State of Texas. By statute, the State of Texas contributes to the retirement system an amount equal to the current authorized rate times the aggregate annual compensation of all members of the retirement system during that fiscal year.

Types of Employees Covered:

All employees of public, state-supported educational institutions in Texas who are employed for 1/2 or more of the standard workload and who are not exempted from membership under Texas Government Code, Title 8, Subtitle C Section 822.002 are covered under the plan.

Benefit Provisions:

The Teacher Retirement System of Texas administers retirement and disability annuities, and death and survivor benefits to employees and beneficiaries of employees of the public school system of Texas. It operates primarily under the provisions of Texas Constitution, Article XVI, Section 67 and Texas Government Code, Title 8, Subtitle C.

The system also administers proportional retirement benefits and service credit transfer under Texas Government Code, Title 8, Chapter 803 and 805, respectively.

Service Retirement:

1. Normal -

age 65 with 5 years of service age 60 with 20 years of service age 50 with 30 years of service age plus years of service equals 80

Reduced-

age 55 with at least 5 years of service, or any age below 50 with 30 years of service

A member is fully vested after 5 years of creditable service and entitled to any benefit for which eligibility requirements have been met.

Funding Status and Progress

State law provided for a state contribution rate for fiscal years 1998 - 2002 of 6.0% and a member contribution rate of 6.4%. These rates are set by state statutes. The actuarially determined contribution requirements for the fiscal year were 6.4% for the employee and 6.0% for the state. In certain instances, the reporting district is required to make all or a portion of the State's 6.0% contribution. Contribution requirements are not actuarially determined but are legally established each biennium pursuant to the following state funding policy: (1) The state constitution requires the legislature to establish a member contribution rate of not less than 6% of the member's annual compensation and a state contribution rate of not less than 6% and not more than 10% of the aggregate annual compensation of all members of the system during that fiscal year. (2) A state statute prohibits benefit improvements or contribution reductions if, as a result of the particular action, the time required to amortize TRS's unfunded actuarial liabilities would be increased to a period that exceeds 31 years, or, if the amortization period already exceeds 31 years, the period would be increased by such action.

Contribution requirements for Panola College for fiscal years ended August 31, 2000 through 2002 were as follows:

Fiscal Year Ended August 31,	n-Behalf State ntribution	mployee atribution	Cor	Total ntribution	Covered Payroli		
2000	\$ 162,603	\$ 173,443	\$	336,046	\$	2,710,054	
2001	176,167	187,911		364,078		2,936,103	
2002	181,720	193,835		375,555		3,029,043	
2003	203,972	217,505		421,477	•	3,399,533	

The contributions applicable to Panola College for the above years are less than 1/10 of 1 percent of total contributions into the Teacher Retirement System as a whole.

Actuarial values of assets and accrued liabilities of the Teacher Retirement System of Texas as of August 31, 2000 to 2003 were as follows (in billions).

Fiscal Year		Actuarial Value Of Assets	Actuarial Accrued Liability	(Unfunded)/Overfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability					
2000	<u> </u>	79.3	\$ 73.9	\$ 5.4					
2001		86.3	84.2	2.1					
2002		86.0	89.3	(3.3)					
2003		89.0	94.2	(5.2)					

The Teacher Retirement System of Texas issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the defined benefit pension plan. That report may be obtained by writing to the Teacher Retirement System, 1000 Red River Street, Austin, Texas 78701.

Optional Retirement Program

The State has also established an Optional Retirement Program for institutions of higher education. Participation in the Optional Retirement Program is in lieu of participation in the Teacher Retirement System. The Optional Retirement Program provides for the purchase of annuity contracts or mutual funds. The percentages of participant salaries currently contributed by the state and each participant are 6.0% and 6.65% respectively. Since these are individual investments, the State has no additional or unfunded liability for this program. Currently, the District contributes an additional 2.5% of each participant's salary who was a member of the program at August 31, 1995, to the Optional Retirement Program as allowed under provisions of state law. A summary of on-behalf, District and participant contribution is as follows:

DEFERRED COMPENSATION PROGRAM

Year Ended August 31,	 On Behalf State Contribution	Panola College Contribution	Participant Contributions	Total Contributions	Covered Payroll
2003	\$ 138,218	\$ 40,378	\$ 153,192	\$ 331,788	\$ 2,305,632
2002	143,164	41,211	158,690	343,065	2,386,074

All on-behalf payments referenced above are included in the statement of revenues, expenses, and changes in net assets.

14. State employees may elect to defer a portion of their earnings for income tax and investment purposes pursuant to authority granted in Government Code 609.001. As of August 31, 2003 and 2002, the College had twenty-three employees participating in the tax sheltered annuity program. A total of \$98,256 and \$68,556 in payroll deductions was invested in approved plans during the years ending August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

15. <u>COMPENSATED ABSENCES</u>

On retirement, termination, or death of full time employees, the College pays employees for unused vacation leave. The College recognized the accrued liability for the unpaid annual leave in the financial statements. Sick leave is not paid to an employee upon death, termination, or retirement; therefore, there is no liability shown in the financial statements.

Vacation is earned at the rate of one day per month up to a maximum of ten days per year. Employees accrue the vacation during the first six months of employment but are not eligible to take vacation until after six months of continuous employment. Sick leave is also earned at the rate of one day per month up to ten days per year. In addition, two personal days are earned each year.

Total accrued compensated absences representing unused vacation leave amounted to approximately \$114,940 at August 31, 2003 and \$132,144 at August 31, 2002, and are included in the statement of net assets as accrued liabilities.

16. HEALTH CARE AND LIFE INSURANCE COVERAGE

Employees of Panola College were covered by a health and life insurance plan (the Plan). The Plan is funded by the State. The State paid premiums of \$307 and \$276 per month per employee to the Plan for the years ending August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively. Employees, at their option, authorized payroll withholdings to pay premiums for dependents. All premiums were paid to a licensed insurer. The Plan was authorized by Article 3.51.2, Texas Insurance Code.

The College supplements cost of the plan from local sources for active employees and board members due to the state not fully funding this benefit plan. Cost and employees covered under the plan are summarized below.

Fiscal	Average			
Year	Number	Board	On Behalf	
Ended	Employees	Members	State	College
August 31,	Covered	Covered	Contributions	Contributions
2003	128	7	551,086	128,882
2002	139	7	515,068	82,521

17. POST-RETIREMENT HEALTH BENEFITS

Panola College as allowed, but not required by state statutes, presently reimburses retired employees for the cost of continuation of dental insurance. This is the same amount provided to active employees employed prior to May 26, 1998 who participate in the dental plan.

Additionally, the College in accordance with state statutes, funds the costs of health insurance of retired employees who formerly worked in auxiliary departments of the College. Shown below are costs and coverages associated with the dental and health insurance plans.

	Average	Average		Average
Year	Number	Monthly	Retired	Monthly
Ended	Retirees	Dental	Auxiliary	Health Insurance
August 31,	Covered	Premium	Employees	 Premium
2003	45	\$ 19.58	4	\$ 326

In addition to providing pension benefits, the State provides in accordance with state statutes, certain health care and life insurance benefits for retired employees. Almost all of the employees may become eligible for those benefits if they reach normal retirement age while working for the State. Those and similar benefits for active employees are provided through an insurance company whose premiums are based on benefits paid during the previous year. The cost to the State (on-behalf payments) of providing those benefits for these retirees is included in the financial statements as revenues and expenditures in the restricted fund. A summary of the coverage is summarized below.

Post Retirement Health Benefits:

		Average	
Year	On Behalf	Number	
Ended	State	Retirees	
August 31,	Contribution	Covered	
2003	\$209,755	42	
2002	\$189,186	42	

18. RELATED PARTIES

Panola College Development Foundation is a nonprofit organization with the sole purpose of supporting the educational and other activities of the College. The Foundation accepts donations and acts as coordinator of gifts made by other parties. Other details regarding activities of the foundation are presented in Note 3.

19. FUNDS HELD IN TRUST BY OTHERS

The balances and transactions of funds held in trust by others on behalf of Panola College are not reflected in the financial statements. At August 31, 2003 and 2002, there were five such funds for the benefit of the College. The Lawrence R. and Debbie H. Sharp Endowment Scholarship Fund, the Q. M. Martin Trust No. 2, the Reeves Scholarship Fund, the Daniel Scholarship Fund, and the Jacke Daniel Davis Memorial Scholarship Fund are held in trust by First State Bank and Trust of Carthage, Texas. Funds held in trust on these amounted to approximately \$315,496 at August 31, 2003 and \$319,577 at August 31, 2002.

20. RISK MANAGEMENT

The College is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The College maintains commercial insurance coverage covering each of those risks of loss. Management believes such coverage is sufficient to preclude any significant uninsured losses to the College. At no time during the last three fiscal years have claims exceeded commercial coverage.

21. NON-MONETARY TRANSACTIONS

The College receives the benefit from the use of certain facilities at its off campus sites at no cost or costs below prevailing market rates that the College would have to pay in an exchange transaction. Included in operating revenues are approximately \$263,000 and \$156,000 in non-monetary transactions representing the value of the use of the facilities for the years ended August 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively. A corresponding amount is also included in operating expenses.

22. FUND BALANCES

The College accounts internally for net assets on a fund basis. Components of net assets by fund at August 31, 2003 and 2002 are shown below.

	Aug	gust 31, 2003	August 31, 2002		
Unrestricted Fund	\$	2,421,699	\$	2,383,631	
Auxiliary Fund		231,240		214,106	
Restricted Fund		58,112		52,935	
Sub-Total Current funds		2,711,051		2,650,672	
Endowment Fund		1,459,705		1,344,951	
Unexpended Plant Fund		1,840,085		2,227,461	
Retirement of Indebtedness Fund		15,000		4,152	
Expended Plant Funds		5,009,134		4,539,745	
Total Fund Balances (Net Assets)	\$	11,034,975	\$	10,766,981	

23. PENDING CLAIMS

The administration of the College and its legal counsel are aware of only one pending lawsuit against the College. While the ultimate liability with the respect to the litigation is unknown, legal counsel is of the opinion that the suit is without any grounds in Texas law. A motion for summary judgment has been filed in the case and is pending.

24. OTHER DISCLOSURES

Panola College had no transactions related to advance refunding bonds or defeased bonds outstanding during the periods.

The College is exempt from income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 115, <u>Income of States</u>, <u>Municipalities</u>, Etc., although unrelated business income may be subject to income taxes under Internal Revenue Code Section 511 (a)(2)(B), <u>Imposition of Tax on Unrelated Income of Charitable</u>, Etc. <u>Organizations</u>. The College had no unrelated business income tax liability for the year ended August 31, 2003 or 2002.

SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

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PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDULE B

SCHEDULE OF OPERATING EXPENSES BY FUNCTIONAL AND NATURAL CLASSIFICATION For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

2003 Operating Expenses

				 Operating i	ZAP.				
				Ben	efit	5			
	Faculty Salaries	5	Staff Salaries/Wages	State Benefits		Local Benefits	•	Other Expenses	Total (Exh.2)
Educational Activities									
Instruction	\$ 3,212,637	\$	331,533	\$ 655,934	\$	403,943	\$	804,443	\$ 5,408,490
Public Service	_		244,563	45,262		28,546		112,506	430,877
Academic Support	45,004		591,814	117,858		74,331		367,305	1,196,312
Student Services	3,000		580,060	107,909		68,056		136,241	895,266
Institutional Support	_		677,622	125,410		79,093		537,400	1,419,525
Operation and Maintenance of Plant	-		273,711	50,657		31,948		918,678	1,274,994
Scholarship and Fellowships	-			-				1,503,426	1,503,426
Educational Activities	3,260,641		2,699,303	1,103,030		685,917		4,379,999	12,128,890
Auxiliary Enterprises	65,736		109,446	10		30,188		1,092,786	1,298,156
Depreciation Expense				\				531,011	531,011
Total	\$ 3,326,377	\$	2,808,749	\$ 1,103,030	\$	716,105	\$	6,003,796	\$ 13,958,057

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PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDULE A

SCHEDULE OF DETAILED OPERATING REVENUES

For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

	•	2003			2002	•
	Educational Activities	Auxiliary Enterprises	Total	Educational Activities	Auxiliary Enterprises	Total
State appropriations	0 2 400 200	Φ.	e 2 400 20 <i>C</i>		ø.	A 2 5572 OFF
Education and general state support State group insurance	\$ 3,480,296	\$ -	\$ 3,480,296 760,841	\$ 3,573,855 704,254	\$ -	\$ 3,573,855
	760,841 342,190	-	760,841 342,190	704,254 324,884	•	704,254 324,884
State retirement matching Other	342,190	_	342,170	17,707		17,707
Total state appropriations	4,583,327		4,583,327	4,620,700	<u>-</u>	4 640 400
• •	1,000,027		1,000,021	.,,,,,,,,,,		.,,,,,,,,,
Tuition State funded courses						
In-district resident tuition	224,798	_	224,798	205,927	_	205,927
Out-of-district resident tuition	510,164	-	510,164	417,669	-	417,669
TPEG (set aside)*	45,462		45,462	59,277	_	59,277
Non-resident tuition	36,458	-	36,458	5,691	-	5,691
Non-state funded continuing education	143,311		143,311	119,000	-	119,000
Total tuition	960,193	_	960,193	807,564	-	807,564
Fees						
General fee	731,432	_	731,432	578,083	_	578,083
Student service fee	,	-	-	15,085	-	15,085
Out-of-district fees	568,350	-	568,350	517,507	-	517,507
Laboratory fee	89,293	-	89,293	81,217	-	81,217
Other fees	102,286	-	102,286	85,138	•	85,138
Total fees	1,491,361	•	1,491,361	1,277,030	BA	1,277,030
Scholarship allowances and discounts						
Scholarship allowances	(316,710)	_	(316,710)	(211,889)		(211,889)
Remissions and exemptions	(60,477)	-	(60,477)	(5,462)	-	(5,462)
TPEG allowances	(45,462)	-	(45,462)	(42,639)	-	(42,639)
Federal grants to students	(691,448)	-	(691,448)	(464,776)	_	(464,776)
State grants to students	(99,047)	_	(99,047)	(130,050)	_	(130,050)
Total scholarship allowances	(1,213,144)	-	(1,213,144)	(854,816)	-	(854,816)
Total net tuition and fees	1,238,410	**	1,238,410	1,229,778	***	1,229,778
Other operating revenues						
Federal grants and contracts	2,955,807	-	2,955,807	2,913,750	н	2,913,750
State grants and contracts	413,091	-	413,091	598,020	**	598,020
Nongovernmental grants and contracts	85,562	-	85,562	14,343		14,343
Sales and services of educational activities	187,020	-	187,020	109,977	•	109,977
Other operating revenues	327,964	2,715	330,679	274,247	_	274,247
Total other operating revenues	3,969,444	2,715	3,972,159	3,910,337	-	3,910,337
Auxiliary enterprises				•		
Residential life	_	511,870	511,870		490,148	490,148
Scholarship allowances and discounts	_	(130,476)	(130,476)	_	(328,102)	(328,102)
Net resident life	=	381,394	381,394		162,046	162,046
Bookstore		860,048	860,048	×	804,680	804,680
Scholarship allowances and discounts	-	(100,358)	(100,358)	-	(204,808)	(204,808)
Net bookstore	-	759,690	759,690	-	599,872	599,872
Total net auxiliary enterprises		1,141,084	1,141,084		761,918	761,918
Total Operating Revenues (Exh. 2)	\$ 9,791,181	\$ 1,143,799	\$ 10,934,980	\$ 9,760,815	\$ 761,918	\$ 10,522,733

^{*}In accordance with Education Code 56.033, \$45,462 and \$59,277 of tuition was set aside for Texas Public Education Grants (TPEG)

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PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDULE B (continued)

SCHEDULE OF OPERATING EXPENSES BY FUNCTIONAL AND NATURAL CLASSIFICATION For the Years Ended August 31, 2003 and 2002

2002 Operating Expenses

		Ben	efits	_	
 Faculty Salaries	Staff Salaries/Wages	State Benefits	Local Benefits	Other Expenses	Total (Exh.2)
\$ 3,107,017	\$ 296,523	\$ 599,452	\$ 330,880	\$ 915,012	\$ 5,248,884
133,232	131,680	47,364	24,471	146,687	483,434
4,800	621,012	111,089	84,731	364,531	1,186,163
3,000	554,841	98,785	63,711	196,039	916,376
	641,077	114,143	79,798	457,667	1,292,685
-	220,352	35,895	34,528	819,792	1,110,567
_		-	-	1,065,433	1,065,433
3,248,049	2,465,485	1,006,728	618,119	3,965,161	11,303,542
60,866	103,435	22,410	28,282	1,050,913	1,265,906
				499,661	499,661
\$ 3,308,915	\$ 2,568,920	\$ 1,029,138	\$ 646,401	\$ 5,515,735	\$ 13,069,109

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PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDÜLE C

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

For the Year Ended August 31, 2003

For the Year Ended Augu	ist 31, 2003	•	***
Federal Grantor/Pass Through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass-Through Grantor's Number	Expenditures and Pass-Through Disbursements
U. S. Department of Education Direct			
SEOG	84.007	EP007A024092	\$ 85,12
SEOG	84.007	EP007A034092	10,19
Sub- total SEOG Program			95,32
Federal College Workstudy	84.033	EP033A024092	86,72
Federal College Workstudy	84.033	EP033A034092 *	•
·			87,54
Federal Pell Grant Program	84.063	EP063P022297 *	1,468,60
Federal Pell Grant Program		EP063P032297 *	
			1,913,34
Passed Through From:	-		
Texas Education Agency			
Adult Basic Education	84.002A	341000131	66,45
Adult Basic Education	84.002A	341000131	2,00
Adult Basic Education		441000132107031	2,09
Adult Basic Education - Corrections	84.002A	341000231	51,50
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board			
Carl Perkins Voc. Ed.	84.048	34236	223,91
Navarro College	04040		A 44
Carl Perkins Voc. Ed. (Rural Focus)	84.048		2,41
East Texas Tech Prep Consortium Carl Perkins Voc. Ed.	04.040		11 72
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board	84.048		11,750
Leveraging Education Coordinating Board Leveraging Educational Assistance Program	84.069A		5,128
Special Leveraging Educational Assistance Program	84.069B		889
Total U. S. Department of Education	04100715		
-			2,462,359
U. S Department of Housing and Urban Development Housing Interest Subsidy	14.000	CH-TEX-263 (D)	8,688
·	14.000	CH-1EA-203 (D)	0,000
U. S Department of Labor			
Passed Through From:	15.005 /	00.02 \$2/02000	100 mm
Texas Workforce Commission	17.207	08-02-WPB000	182,772
Department of Health and Human Services			
Pass Through From:			
Texas Education Agency	02 770 1	20.00.00	2450
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) East Texas Council of Governments	93,338 3	336250131	34,765
	02 EE0 T	PC-TANF-PY02-03	70 noo
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF 25) Deep East Workforce Development Board	95,556 1	FC-1ANF-F 1 02-03	78,082
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF)	03 559 6)2-64 TANF LWDA 17	3,846
Texas Workforce Commission	25.550 (72-04 IA:NE 171117A I/	5,040
Self Sufficency Grant	93,558 (0801SSF001	17,191
Self Sufficency Grant		0803SSF000	168,104
Total Depatment of Health and Human Services	, U	*	301,988
Total Federal Financial Assistance			\$ 2,955,807
Federal Grants and Revenues -Per Schedule A			
reactal Grants and Nevenues "Fel Scheuure A			\$ 2,955,807

^{*} Denotes major federal financial assistance program as defined by the Single Audit Act as amended in 1996 and OMB Circular A-133.

PANOLA COLLEGE NOTES ON ACCOUNTING POLICIES FOR FEDERAL AWARDS YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2003

Significant accounting policies used in preparing the schedule

The expenditures included in the schedule are reported for the College's fiscal year. Expenditure reports to funding agencies are prepared on the award period basis. The expenditures reported on the previous page represent funds which have been expended by the College for the purposes of the award. The expenditures reported in the schedule may not have been reimbursed by the funding agencies as of the end of the fiscal year. Some amounts reported in the schedule may differ from amounts used in the preparation of the general purpose financial statements. Separate accounts are maintained for the different awards to aid in the observance of limitations and restrictions imposed by the funding agencies. The College has followed all applicable guidelines issued by various entities in the preparation of the schedule.

PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDULE D

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF STATE AWARDS

For the Year Ended August 31, 2003

Grantor Agency/ Program Title	Grant Contract Number	Expenditures		
	•			
Passed Through From:	•			
Texas Education Agency		_		
Adult Basic Education	301000131	\$	17,172	
Adult Basic Education TANF	301000131		12,573	
Sub-Total			29,745	
Texas Infrastructure Board				
Texas Infrastructure Grant	QE-2000-D14C-5086		29,320	
Texas Infrastructure Grant	QE-2002-HE4C-7297		56,331	
Sub-Total			85,651	
Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board		٠		
Texas Grant			264,493	
Texas Guaranteed Student Loan	V		8,300	
PSIG Program			8,923	
Nursing Innovation Grant			15,979	
Sub-Total			297,695	
Total State Financial Assistance		\$	413,091	

ADDITIONAL SUPPLEMENTARY DATA (UNAUDITED)

PANOLA COLLEGE

SCHEDULE E

STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUNDS REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHANGES

For the Year Ended August 31, 2003

With Memorandum Totals for the Year Ended August 31, 2002 (UNAUDITED)

TOTALS

								MEMODA		
				Auxiliary			-	MEMORA Current	NDU	Prior
REVENUES		Unrestricted		Enterprises		Restricted		Year		Year
State Appropriations - General Revenue	s	3,480,296	· s	2 Item prizes	- .	1,103,031	· s	4,583,327		4,620,700
Tuition and Fees	Ψ	2,391,077	•		u	1,200,001		2,391,077	•	2,079,132
Taxes for Current Operation		2,951,066						2,951,066		2,839,006
Federal Grants and Contracts		,,				2,947,119		2,947,119		2,909,406
State Grants and Contracts						413,091		413,091		598,020
Private Gifts, Grants and Contracts						85,562		85,562		25,643
Sales & Service of Educational Activities		187,020				,		187,020		109,977
Sales & Services of Auxiliary Enterprises				1,371,918				1,371,918		1,294,828
Other Sources				,				,		.,
Investment/Endowment Income		150,180		9,070		64,177		223,427		197,839
Royalty Income		•		• •		46,268		46,268		29,459
Facility Use- In Kind		262,682				•		262,682		156,535
Misc. Income	_	64,538	-	2,715		744		67,997		55,058
Total Current Funds Revenues	s _	9,486,859	S _	1,383,703	\$ _	4,659,992	S =	15,530,554	\$	14,915,603
EXPENDITURES AND MANDATORY TRANSFERS:		*								•
Educational and General										
Instruction	\$	4,451,816	\$		\$	1,079,126	\$	5,530,942	\$	5,279,402
Public Service						440,202		440,202		483,434
Academic Support		1,097,639				180,689		1,278,328		1,341,723
Student Services		608,011				287,255		895,266		921,376
Institutional Support		1,421,705				125,410		1,547,115		1,284,785
Operation and Maintenance of Plant		1,177,064				50,657		1,227,721		983,419
Scholarships and Fellowships		37,583	•		_	2,746,115	••••	2,783,698		2,338,584
Total Educational & General Expenditures	_	8,793,818			_	4,909,454	_	13,703,272		12,632,723
Auxiliary Enterprise Expenditures				1,391,067				1,391,067		1,375,020
Mandatory Transfers for:										
Retirement of indebtedness				-						
TPEG		(45,462)				45,462				
To restricted for scholarships		(204,000)				204,000				
Total expenditures and mandatory transfers		9,043,280		1,391,067	_	4,659,992		15,094,339		14,007,743
Other transfers and additions/(deductions):										
Non-mandatory transfers		(405,511)		24,498				(381,013)		(823,442)
Excess of restricted receipts over (under)										
transfer to revenues						5,177		5,177		3,878
Net increase (decrease) in fund balances	s	38,068	s	17,134	\$	5,177	\$	60,379	s	88,296

PANOLA COLLEGE

SCHEDULE E (Continued)

STATEMENT OF CURRENT FUNDS REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND OTHER CHANGES

For the Year Ended August 31, 2003

With Memorandum Totals for the Year Ended August 31, 2002 (UNAUDITED)

Reconciliation to Increase in Net Assets-Exhibit 2

		2003	2002
Net increase in fund balances	\$	60,379 \$	88,296
Non Mandatory Transfers		381,013	823,442
Depreciation Expense	y	(531,011)	(499,661)
Capital Outlay Expenditures		454,814	191,078
Federal grant revenues in other funds		8,688	4,344
Gifts in other funds		109,068	92,155
Other operating revenues in plant funds			62,654
Investment income in other funds		58,989	72,752
Operating expenses financed by capital lease		(10,318)	is a
Operating expense in plant funds		(160,704)	(135,048)
Interest expense		(102,924)	(84,446)
Increase in Net Assets- Exhibit 2	s <u> </u>	267,994 \$	615,566

PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDULE F

DETAIL OF STATE APPROPRIATIONS AND TUITION AND FEES

For the Year Ended August 31, 2003

With Memorandum Totals for the Year Ended August 31, 2002 (UNAUDITED)

			•							A L S OUM ONLY
		Unrestricted		Auxiliary Enterprises		Restricted	•	Current Year	N	Prior Year
State Appropriations:	•		•			·····	• •		•	
Education and General State Support	\$	3,480,296	\$		\$		\$	3,480,296	\$	3,591,562
State Group Insurance State Retirement Matching						760,841 342,190		760,841 342,190		704,254 324,884
Total State Appropriations		3,480,296				1,103,031		4,583,327		4,620,700
Tuition and Fees (a)										
State Funded Courses										
In-District Resident Tuition		245,685						245,685		205,927
Out-of-District Resident Tuition		534,739						534,739		476,946
Non-resident Tuition		36,458						36,458		5,691
Non-State Funded Continuing Education		143,311						143,311		119,000
Subtotal Tuition		960,193			١,			960,193		807,564
General Fees		731,432						731,432		578,083
Out of District Fees		568,350						568,350		517,507
Laboratory Fee		89,293						89,293		81,217
Other Fees		102,286						102,286		100,223
Subtotal Fees	_	1,491,361						1,491,361	_	1,277,030
Remissions and Exemptions-State		(60,477)						(60,477)		(5,462)
Total Tuition and Fees	\$ <u>_</u>	2,391,077	\$		\$		\$	2,391,077	\$_	2,079,132
								(Sch E)		(Sch E)

(a) In accordance with Education Code 56.033 \$45,462 of tuition was set aside for Texas Public Education Grants (TPEG).

PANOLA COLLEGE

SCHEDULE G

SCHEDULE OF CURRENT FUNDS EXPENDITURES BY OBJECT

For the Year Ended August 31, 2003

With Memorandum Totals for the Year Ended August 31, 2002

(UNAUDITED)

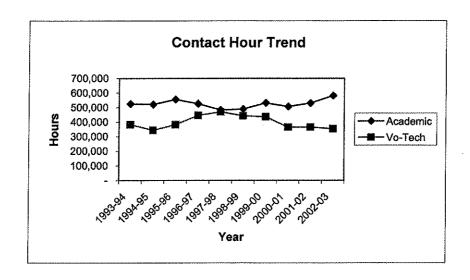
MEMORANDUM ONLY Current Prior		4,451,816 4,741,381			,			Š		1 070 126		180 689		195.410		2,746,115		(Sch. E)	13,703,272	1,391,067 1.375,020	(Sch. E) (Sch. E)	15,094,339 14,007,743	S)
CAPITAL OUTLAY		\$ 10,432 \$	32,021		127,590	113,431	•	283,474		112.020	9.325	49.995					171,340		454,814			\$ 454,814 \$	
OTHER EXPENSES		\$ 565,917	354,470	77,515	537,400	757,973	37,583	2,330,858		238.526	112.506	12.836	58.727			2,746,115	3,168,710		5,499,568	1,185,697		\$ 6,685,265	
STAFF BENEFITS		\$ 392,839	74,331	55,448	79,093	31,948		633,659		667,038	73,808	117,858	120.516	125,410	50,657		1,155,287		1,788,946	30,188		\$ 1,819,134	25
SALARIES AND WAGES		3,482,628	636,817	475,048	677,622	273,712		5,545,827		61,542	244,563		108,012				414,117		5,959,944	175,182		6,135,126	
		69																				6/3	
	Unrestricted - Educational and General	Instruction	Academic Support	Student Services	Institutional Support	Operation and Maintenance of Plant	Scholarships and Fellowships	Total Unrestricted	Restricted - Education and General	Instruction	Public Service	Academic Support	Student Services	Institutional Support	Operation and Maintenance of Plant	Scholarships and Fellowships	Total Restricted		Total Educational and General	Auxiliary Enterprises		Total Current Fund Expenditures	

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STATISTICAL SECTION (UNAUDITED)

PANOLA COLLEGE CONTACT HOUR STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

	Contact 1	Hours	
Fiscal Year	Academic	Vo-Tech	Total
1993-94	525,072	382,831	907,903
1994-95	520,528	344,206	864,734
1995-96	555,728	382,496	938,224
1996-97	526,160	445,851	972,011
1997-98	483,616	470,985	954,601
1998-99	488,176	441,712	929,888
1999-00	531,568	435,658	967,226
2000-01	506,640	365,433	872,073
2001-02	530,944	365,639	896,583
2002-03	582,016	353,969	935,985



PANOLA COLLEGE STATE APPROPRIATIONS PER FULL TIME STUDENT EQUIVALENTS (FTSE) LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year	Appr	State opriations r FTSE
1993-94		2,703
1994-95	V	2,276
1995-96		2,233
1996-97		2,216
1997-98		2,604
1998-99		2,747
1999-00		2,793
2000-01		2,893
2001-02		2,741
2002-03		2,402

PANOLA COLLEGE EXPENDITURES BY FUNCTION (I) LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year	Instruction		Research		Public Service	cademic Support	Student Services	
1993-94	\$	2,941,595	\$	21,693		\$ 590,183	\$	645,705
1994-95		3,564,957				525,834		669,241
1995-96		3,668,420				826,387		745,232
1996-97		4,018,742			71,336	720,648		948,740
1997-98		4,122,474			142,431	1,279,016		703,306
1998-99		4,076,593			292,321	1,173,995		719,946
1999-00		4,753,371			313,401	1,432,755		771,305
2000-01		4,820,808			313,197	1,277,212		804,017
2001-02		5,279,402			483,434	1,341,723		921,376
2002-03		5,530,942			440,202	1,278,328		895,266

⁽¹⁾ Expenditures include government wide activities including capital and debt outlays and excluding depreciation.

⁽²⁾ Year 01-02 Scholarships and fellowships includes \$1,387,726 of discounts from operating revenues.

⁽³⁾ Year 02-03 Scholarships and fellowships includes \$1,443,978 of discounts from operating revenues.

Institutional Support		Operation & Maintenance of Plant		Scholarships and Fellowships		Auxiliary nterprises		Debt Service	 Totals
\$	773,123	\$	995,840	\$ 1,207,462	\$	944,222	\$	142,168	\$ 8,261,991
	808,962		1,382,991	1,626,866		872,264		138,738	9,589,853
	909,160		960,603	1,285,451		864,428		88,751	9,348,432
	1,043,810		1,298,724	1,433,724		947,469		91,544	10,574,737
	1,376,752		1,113,752	1,308,191		1,158,777		113,912	11,318,611
	1,259,836		917,479	1,851,101		1,159,960		124,001	11,575,232
	1,124,204		863,313	1,909,360		1,275,720		125,326	12,568,755
	1,181,797		1,113,903	2,122,285		1,312,935		154,533	13,100,687
	1,292,685		3,065,101	2,453,159 (2)		1,265,906		245,152	16,347,938
	1,547,115		1,388,425	2,783,698 (3)		1,391,067	4	335,357	15,590,400

PANOLA COLLEGE REVENUES BY SOURCE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (1) (UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year	State Appropriations		Gross Tuition & Fees		-	Taxes for Current Operations		Federal & State Grants & Contracts		Investment Income	
1993-94	\$	3.387.370	\$	763,961		\$	2,393,599	s	1,244,987	\$	181,100
1994-95		3,282,548		1,094,453			2,491,307		1,540,843		178,845
1995-96		3,640,572		1,220,804			2,587,938		1,248,142		233,900
1996-97		3,524,089		1,556,362			2,588,723		1,345,438		246,001
1997-98		3,928,256		1,541,162			2,683,436		1,502,071		247,556
1998-99		4,080,669		1,688,829			2,667,618		1,744,843		252,108
1999-00		4,442,104		1,766,100			2,668,222		2,106,401		332,671
2000-01		4,553,608		1.865,909			2,722,625		2,475,492		373,673
2001-02		4,620,700		2,084,594	(3)		2,839,006		3,511,770		303,927
2002-03		4,583,327		2,451,554	(4)		2,951,066		3,368,898		333,861

Notes:

- (1) Revenues include government wide activities
- (2) Miscellaneous includes sales & services of educational activities, private gifts and grants and other miscellaneous income.
- (3) Tuition & fees and auxiliary enterprises excludes discounts (scholarships) of \$854,816 and \$532,910, respectively.
- (4) Tuition & fees and auxiliary enterprises excludes discounts (scholarships) of \$1,152,667 and \$230,834, respectively.

Table 4

Mis	Miscellaneous (2)		Auxiliary Enterprises		Totals	
\$	94,934	\$	792,176		\$	8,858,127
	132,634		746,851			9,467,481
	169,226		800,510			9,901,092
	235,323		811,386			10,307,322
	694,981		1,020,164			11,617,626
	494,784		1,146,846			12,075,697
	467,678		1,216,328			12,999,504
	326,150		1,193,796			13,511,253
	502,022		1,294,828	(3)		15,156,847
	712,329		1,371,918	(4)		15,772,953

PANOLA COLLEGE
PROPERTY TAX LEVIES & COLLECTIONS
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal year	,	Total Tax Levy	 Current Tax Collections	% of Levy Collected	Delinquent Tax Collections	 Total Tax Collections
1993-94	\$	2,463,580	\$ 2,393,870	97.17%	64,064	\$ 2,457,934
1994-95		2,556,344	2,510,759	98.22%	65,682	2,576,441
1995-96		2,659,962	2,609,186	98.09%	67,287	2,676,473
1996-97		2,673,934	2,622,811	98.09%	57,295	2,680,106
1997-98		2,750,498	2,700,732	98.19%	72,547	2,773,279
1998-99		2,747,743	2,683,405	97.66%	46,825	2,730,230
1999-00		2,758,209	2,693,891	97.67%	46,271	2,740,162
2000-01		2,807,219	2,759,074	98.28%	37,546	2,796,620
2001-02		2,906,089	2,867,461	98.67%	45,143	2,912,604
2002-03		3,040,854	2,967,337	97.58%	59,534	3,026,871

Note:

The above collection data does not include the effects of discounts, penalties and interest or collection fees associated with net tax revenues.

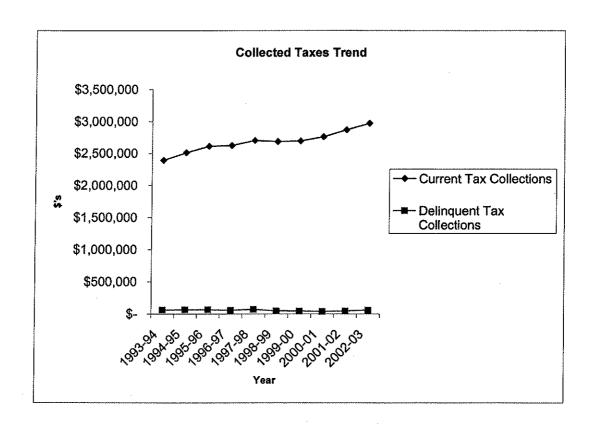


Table 5

% of Total Collections to Tax Levy	atstanding elinquent Taxes	% of Delinquent Taxes to Levy
99.77%	\$ 211,927	8.60%
100.79%	203,696	7.97%
100.62%	199,876	7.51%
100.23%	207,503	7.76%
100.83%	191,363	6.96%
99.36%	188,630	6.86%
99.35%	202,903	7.36%
99.62%	211,249	7.53%
100.22%	193,388	6.65%
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PANOLA COLLEGE ASSESSED & ESTIMATED ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY LAST TEN TAX ROLL YEARS AND CURRENT TAX ROLL YEAR (UNAUDITED)

Tax Roll Year	Taxable Value	Estimated Value	Ratio of Total Actual/ Total Estimated
1993	\$ 1,518,974,659	\$ 1,518,974,659	100%
1994	1,911,959,249	1,911,959,249	100%
1995	1,773,071,737	1,773,071,737	100%
1996	1,572,994,934	1,572,994,934	100%
1997	2,032,137,421	2,032,137,421	100%
1998	2,186,980,773	2,186,980,773	100%
1999	1,961,427,205	1,961,427,205	100%
2000	1,964,396,169	1,964,396,169	100%
2001	2,016,245,780	2,016,245,780	100%
2002	2,683,865,293	2,683,865,293	100%
2003	2,610,847,523	2,610,847,523	100%

PANOLA COLLEGE
PROPERTY TAX RATES - DIRECT & OVERLAPPING
(PER \$100 OF ASSESSED VALUE)
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

	College				
Fiscal Year	Current Operations	Debt Service	Total	County	Cities (Average)
1993-94	0.16228		0.16228	0.4239	0.51880
1994-95	0.13975		0.13975	0.3668	0.51610
1995-96	0.15002		0.15002	0.3996	0.51742
1996-97	0.16999		0.16999	0.4661	0.51742
1997-98	0.13535		0.13535	0.3862	0.42621
1998-99	0.12585		0.12585	0.3539	0.39286
1999-00	0.14041		0.14041	0.3926	0.40810
2000-01	0.13923		0.13923	0.3949	0.42368
2001-02	0.10828		0.10828	0.3249	0.41033
2002-03	0.11647		0.11647	0.3677	0.39068

Table 7

Independent School Districts (Average)	Rural Fire District	Total	
1.30150		2.40648	
1.26000		2.28265	
1.33137		2.39841	
1.48223	\$0.03000	2.66574	
1.44714	0.02370	2.41860	
1.48743	0.02179	2.38183	
1.46291	0.02560	2.42962	
1.45130	0.02520	2,43431	
1.37786	0.02000	2.24137	
1.52867	0.01750	2.42103	

PANOLA COLLEGE
RATIO OF NET BONDED DEBT TO ASSESSED VALUE AND NET BONDED DEBT PER CAPITA
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year	Population(1)	Assessed Value(2) (Thousands)	Gross Bonded Debt	Available Debt Service Funds	Net Bonded Debt	Ratio of Net Bonded Debt to Assessed Value	Net Bonded Debt Per Capita
1993-94	22,430	1,911,959	170,000	34,512	135,488	7.09%	6.04
1994-95	22,500	1,773,072	150,000	25,517	124,483	7.02%	5.53
1995-96	22,500	1,572,994	130,000	25,517	104,483	6.64%	4.64
1996-97	23,402	2,031,345	105,000	25,517	79,483	3.91%	3.40
1997-98	22,949	2,186,981	80,000	25,517	54,483	2.49%	2.37
1998-99	22,891	1,961,427	55,000	25,517	29,483	1.50%	1.29
1999-00	23,070	1,964,306	30,000	25,517	4,483	0.23%	0.19
2000-01	22,756	2,016,246	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00
2001-02	22,689	2,683,865	0	0	0	0.00%	0.00
2002-03	22,606	2,610,848	0	0	. 0	0.00%	0.00

 ¹⁹⁹³ through 1995 population is based on estimates.
 1996 is based on Texas State and Local Government Fiscal 1996 Debt Report.

⁽²⁾ Panola County Appraisal District.

PANOLA COLLEGE COMPUTATION OF LEGAL DEBT MARGIN AUGUST 31, 2003 (UNAUDITED)

The amount of bonded debt is limited by statute to the extent that the aggregate annual bond taxes in the District shall never exceed \$0.50 per \$100 valuation of taxable property in the District.

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2003, the College had no general obligation debt; therefore, no tax rate was established for the purpose of debt service.

PANOLA COLLEGE COMPUTATION OF DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING BONDED DEBT AUGUST 31, 2003 (UNAUDITED)

You to Ato Atom	Net Bonded Debt Outstanding (1)	Percent Applicable to College (2)	Amount Applicable to College
Jurisdiction	Outstanding (1)	Conege (2)	Conlege
Direct:			
Panola College	\$0	100.00%	\$0
Sub total-Direct	0		0
Overlapping:			
Panola County	0	100.00%	0
City of Carthage	20,810,000	100.00%	20,810,000
City of Beckville	0	100.00%	0
Carthage ISD	7,810,000	100.00%	7,810,000
Gary ISD	1,770,000	100.00%	1,770,000
Beckville ISD	5,460,000	100.00%	5,460,000
Elysian Fields ISD	1,575,000	53.75%	846,563
Tatum ISD	0	32.50%	0
Tenaha ISD	0	1.86%	. 0
Joaquin ISD	2,615,000	5.05%	132,058
Sub total-Overlapping	40,040,000		36,828,620
Total Direct and Overlapping Debt	\$40,040,000		\$36,828,620

⁽¹⁾ Respective entities and auditors of respective entities.

⁽²⁾ Texas Municipal Reports

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PANOLA COLLEGE
RATIO OF ANNUAL DEBT SERVICE EXPENDITURES FOR GENERAL
BONDED DEBT TO TOTAL EXPENDITURES
LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS
(UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year	Principal	<u> </u>	Interest	 tal Debt ervice	Exp	Total penditures (1)	Debt Service to Total General Expenditures
1993-94	\$ 20,000		\$ 12,965	\$ 32,965	\$	8,261,991	0.40%
1994-95	20,000		11,520	31,520		9,589,853	0.33%
1995-96	20,000		10,080	30,080		9,348,432	0.32%
1996-97	25,000		8,460	33,460		10,574,737	0.32%
1997-98	25,000		6,660	31,660	٠	11,318,611	0.28%
1998-99	25,000		4,860	29,860		11,575,232	0.26%
1999-00	25,000		3,060	28,060		12,568,755	0.22%
2000-01	30,000		1,080	31,080		13,100,687	0.24%
2001-02	30,000		1,080	31,080	,	16,347,938	0.19%
2002-03	0	(2)	0	0		15,590,400	0.00%

⁽¹⁾ Represents government wide expenditures

⁽²⁾ Bonded debt was liquidated in the 2001-02 year.

PANOLA COLLEGE
PRINCIPAL TAXPAYERS
AUGUST 31, 2003
(UNAUDITED)

Taxpayer (1)	Type of Business	2002 Assessed Valuation (1) (in 1,000's)	Percentage of Total Assessed Valuation
Anadarko E&P Company	Petroleum	\$266,325	10.20%
Chevron USA, Inc.	Petroleum	182,068	6.97%
Devon Energy	Petroleum	168,997	6.47%
EOG Resources	Petroleum	81,153	3.11%
BP Amoco Corporation	Petroleum	76,329	2.92%
Lacy R. Inc.	Petroleum	69,057	2.65%
Exxon Corp.	Petroleum	66,194	2.54%
Duke Energy Field Svcs-Processing	Petroleum	50,588	1.94%
Ocean Energy Inc.	Petroleum	43,692	1.67%
TXU Mininig Company LP	Petroleum	41,649	1.60%
Totals (40.07% of Actual Value of \$2	,610,847,523)	\$1,046,052	40.07%

⁽¹⁾ Panola County Appraisal District

PANOLA COLLEGE DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS-TAXING DISTRICT LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Fiscal Year	Popula- tion (1)	Median Age (2)	Per Capita Effective Buying Income	Median Household Effective Buying Income (2)	Unemploy- ment Rate (3)
1993-94	22,430	35.4	\$15,449	\$21,746	7.0%
1994-95	22,500	36.1	\$16,375	\$23,139	6.3%
1995-96	22,500	36.1	\$16,695	\$21,027	8.7%
1996-97	23,402	36.1	\$17,550	\$22,899	9.6%
1997-98	22,949	36.1	\$16,720	\$21,027	9.8%
1998-99	22,891	36.1	\$16,800	\$25,781	10.5%
1999-00	23,070	36.1	\$16,948	\$23,651	9.9%
2000-01	22,756	36.1	\$16,992	\$25,059	6.9%
2001-02	22,689	37.1	\$15,439	\$31,909	7.9%
2002-03	22,606	37.1	\$15,589	\$32,209	8.8%

^{(1) 1993} through 1996 estimated.
1997 based on Texas State and Local Government Fiscal 1996 Debt Report.

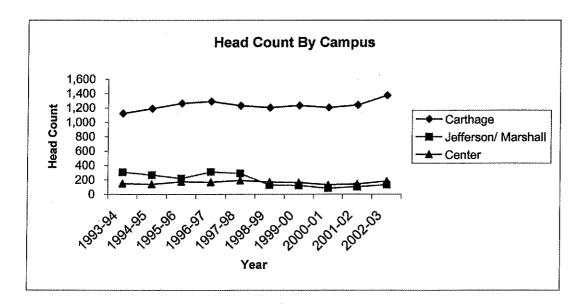
⁽²⁾ Federal Bureau of Census, East Texas Council of Governments, Regional Economic Information System Bureau of Economic Analysis and Estimates.

⁽³⁾ Texas Workforce Commission.

PANOLA COLLEGE STUDENT ENROLLMENT LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Head Count:

Fiscal		Jefferson/		
Year	Carthage	Marshall	Center	Total
1002.04	1 107	210	1.40	1 504
1993-94	1,125	310	149	1,584
1994-95	1,192	268	140	1,600
1995-96	1,264	220	173	1,657
1996-97	1,292	312	168	1,772
1997-98	1,232	292	193	1,717
1998-99	1,205	129	170	1,504
1999-00	1,234	124	164	1,522
2000-01	1,206	85	133	1,424
2001-02	1,243	106	144	1,493
2002-03	1,376	134	184	1,694

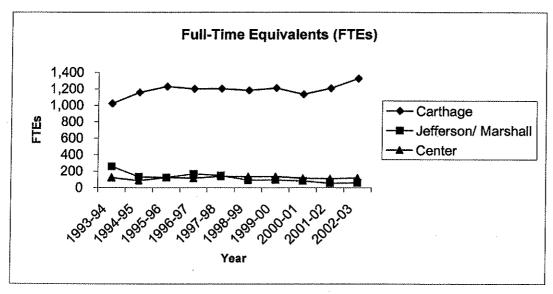


The above information reflects the fall semester statistics for the respective fiscal years.

Table 14

Full-Time Equivalents (FTEs):

Fiscal Year	Carthage	Jefferson/ Marshall	Center	Total
1993-94	1,023	259	124	1,406
1994-95	1,159	133	86	1,378
1995-96	1,230	126	125	1,481
1996-97	1,202	169	116	1,487
1997-98	1,204	149	139	1,492
1998-99	1,185	. 91	135	1,411
1999-00	1,212	94	136	1,442
2000-01	1,136	83	115	1,334
2001-02	1,209	56	111	1,376
2002-03	1,327	60	120	1,507



The above information reflects the fall semester statistics for the respective fiscal years.

PANOLA COLLEGE STUDENT ENROLLMENT DEMOGRAPHIC STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

	Attendance	e	Gender			Residency	
Fiscal Year	Full Time	Part Time	Male	Female	Resident	Out of County	Out of State
1993-94	54%	46%	34%	66%	33%	61%	6%
1994-95	54%	46%	35%	65%	34%	58%	8%
1995-96	54%	46%	35%	65%	32%	61%	7%
1996-97	51%	49%	38%	62%	31%	63%	6%
1997-98	53%	47%	38%	62%	27%	68%	5%
1998-99	61%	39%	32%	68%	33%	66%	1%
1999-00	63%	37%	35%	65%	31%	68%	1%
2000-01	63%	37%	34%	66%	31%	68%	1%
2001-02	61%	39%	34%	66%	33%	66%	1%
2002-03	58%	42%	34%	66%	32%	67%	1%
	Average			Et	hnic Background	I	
Fiscal Year	Age of Student		Asian	Black	Hispanic	White	Other
1993-94	25.8		1%	14%	1%	83%	1%
1994-95	25.3		0%	15%	1%	84%	0%
1995-96	25.2		0%	15%	1%	84%	0%
1996-97	25.7		1%	14%	1%	83%	1%
1997-98	24.7		1%	16%	1%	81%	1%
1998-99	24,3		1%	18%	2%	79%	1%
1999-00	23.0		0%	18%	3%	79%	0%
2000-01	23.0		0.5%	17%	2%	80%	0.5%
2001-02	23.6		1.0%	18%	2%	78%	1.0%
2002-03	24.1		1.0%	19%	3%	76%	1.0%

PANOLA COLLEGE TUITION AND FEE STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (UNAUDITED)

Cost for Full Time Resident Student (12 Credit Hours) Per Semester:

Fiscal Year	Tuition	General Fees	Total Cost	Percentage of Increase	
1993-94	\$120	\$48	\$168	0.0%	
1994-95	\$180	\$48	\$228	35.7%	
1995-96	\$180	\$48	\$228	0.0%	
1996-97	\$180	\$48	\$228	0.0%	
1997-98	\$216	\$48	\$264	15.8%	
1998-99	\$216	\$72	\$288	9.1%	
1999-00	\$216	\$96	\$312	8.3%	
2000-01	\$216	\$156	\$372	19.2%	
2001-02	\$216	\$180	\$396	6.5%	
2002-03	\$216	\$216	\$432	9.1%	
In addition to the		ng fees are required,	as applicable:	\$15	
Special Laborate Photography, and Nursing	ory Fees: Welding, Cosmetolo	gy, Forestry		\$10-\$185	
Private Music Le	essons			\$50-\$75	
Building use fee for off campus sites			\$2	\$2 per/semester hour	

PANOLA COLLEGE FACULTY STATISTICS AUGUST 31, 2003 (UNAUDITED)

	Number of	
Years of	Full Time	Percentage
Experience	Faculty	of Total
0-5 years	26	43.33%
6-10 years	12	20.00%
11-15 years	9	15.00%
16-20 years	8 .	13.33%
More than 21 years	5	8.33%
	60	100.00%
	Number of	
	Full Time	Percentage
	<u>Faculty</u>	of Total
Less than Bachelor's	5	8.33%
Bachelor's	11	18.33%
Master's	41	68.33%
Doctorate	3	5.00%
	60	100.00%

SINGLE AUDIT SECTION

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Board of Trustees Panola College 1109 West Panola Carthage, Texas 75633

We have audited the financial statements of Panola College as of and for the year ended August 31, 2003, and have issued our report thereon dated October 23, 2003. 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.

Compliance

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Panola College's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grants, including the Public Funds Investment Act (Texas Government Code, Chapter 2256), 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 that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered Panola College's internal control over financial reporting in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on the internal control over financial reporting. Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that misstatements in amounts that would be material in relation to the financial statements being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over financial reporting and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended for the information of the administration, trustees, the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board, and the United States Department of Education. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

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REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

Board of Trustees Panola College 1109 West Panola Carthage, Texas 75633

Compliance

We have audited the compliance of Panola College with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended August 31, 2003. Panola College's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. Compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations contracts and grants applicable to each of its major federal programs is the responsibility of Panola College's administration. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on Panola College's compliance based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Panola College's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on Panola College's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, Panola College complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that are applicable to each of its major federal programs for the year ended August 31, 2003.

Internal Control Over Compliance

The administration of Panola College is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to federal programs. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Panola College's internal control over compliance with requirements that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133.

Our consideration of the internal control over compliance would not necessarily disclose all matters in the internal control that might be material weaknesses. A material weakness is a condition in which the design or operation of one or more of the internal control components does not reduce to a relatively low level the risk that noncompliance with applicable requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants that would be material in relation to a major federal program being audited may occur and not be detected within a timely period by employees in the normal course of performing their assigned functions. We noted no matters involving the internal control over compliance and its operation that we consider to be material weaknesses.

This report is intended for the information of the administration, trustees, the Texas Higher Education Coordination Board, and the United States Department of Education. However, this report is a matter of public record and its distribution is not limited.

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PANOLA COLLEGE SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2003

I. Summary of the Auditor's Results:

- a. The type of report issued on the financial statements of Panola College was an unqualified opinion.
- b. No material weaknesses were identified in internal control over financial reporting; and no reportable conditions were reported.
- c. The audit did not disclose any noncompliance which is material to the financial statements of the College.
- d. No material weaknesses were identified in internal control over major programs and no reportable conditions were reported.
- e. The type of report issued on compliance for major programs was an unqualified opinion.
- f. The audit did not disclose any audit findings which is required to be reported under Section__.510(a) of the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular No. A-133.
- g. Major programs of Panola College include:
 - the cluster of The United States Department of Education Student Financial Aid Programs administered by the College. The cluster of programs include the campus-based programs of the Federal Work Study (FWS -CFDA 84.033) and the Federal Supplemental Education Opportunity Grant (FSEOG CFDA 84.007); and the Federal Pell Grant (Pell CFDA 84.063) program.
 - 2. the Department of Health and Human Services grants (CFDA 93.558) program passed through from various agencies.
- h. The dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A
 Type B programs was \$300,000.
- i. Panola College qualified as a low-risk auditee.
- II. Findings Relating to the Financial Statements Which Are Required To Be Reported in Accordance with Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards.

NONE

III. Findings and Questioned Costs For Federal Awards

NONE

IV. Status of Prior Audit Findings

There are no outstanding findings.

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