#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 and 2010 and SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

with INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORTS

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

### To the Board of Directors Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc.

We have audited the accompanying statement of financial position of Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc. (the "Organization") as of June 30, 2011 and 2010, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets and cash flows for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

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 audits 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 Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc. as of June 30, 2011 and 2010, and the changes in net assets and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated November 29, 2011 on our consideration of the Organization's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements of Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc. taken as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards on page 19 is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by U.S. Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Nonprofit Organizations*, and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. This schedule along with the other supplementary information on page 18 is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Smith + Howard

November 29, 2011

#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010

#### **ASSETS**

		<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Cash and cash equivalents Restricted cash Contributions, grants and other receivables, net (Note 2) Prepaid expenses and other assets Property and equipment, net (Note 3)	\$	1,781,786 58,390 336,881 51,478 39,509	\$ 1,605,270 84,329 582,956 45,533 57,051
Total Assets	\$	2,268,044	\$ 2,375,139
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSE	ГЅ		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses Advances under grants Deferred rent liability Note payable (Note 4)	\$	412,114 15,864 77,415 15,982	\$ 898,714 53,611 80,820 19,415
Total Liabilities		521,375	1,052,560
Commitments and contingencies (Note 8)			
Net assets Unrestricted			
Undesignated		120,026	62,135
Designated for specific purposes		800,000	 800,000
		920,026	862,135
Temporarily restricted (Note 5)		826,643	 460,444
Total Net Assets		1,746,669	 1,322,579
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$	2,268,044	\$ 2,375,139

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2010 AND 2009

2011 **Temporarily** Restricted **Unrestricted Total** Revenues and Other Support: Contributions and other revenues 1,949,130 \$ 992,969 2,942,099 Grants 2,405,602 2,405,602 Interest income 4,491 4,491 Net assets released from restrictions (Note 5) 626,770 (626,770)Total Revenues and Other Support 4,985,993 366,199 5,352,192 Expenses: Program services (Note 6) 4,313,821 4,313,821 Supportive services: Fund-raising 209,569 209,569 Management and general 404,712 404,712 Total supportive services 614,281 614,281 **Total Expenses** 4,928,102 4,928,102 Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets 57,891 366,199 424,090 Net assets: Beginning of year 862,135 460,444 1,322,579 End of year 920,026 826,643 \$ 1,746,669

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

<u>Uı</u>	nrestricted	emporarily <u>Restricted</u> <u>Total</u>		
\$	2,785,661 3,081,366 3,064 814,758	\$ 754,224 - - (814,758)	\$	3,539,885 3,081,366 3,064
	6,684,849	(60,534)		6,624,315
	5,763,615			5,763,615
	327,647 454,300 781,947	 - - -		327,647 454,300 781,947
	6,545,562	 	_	6,545,562
	139,287	(60,534)		78,753
	722,848	 520,978	_	1,243,826
\$	862,135	\$ 460,444	\$	1,322,579

#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010

	<u> 2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:		
Increase in net assets Adjustments:	\$ 424,090	\$ 78,753
Depreciation and amortization	28,467	35,445
Provision (credit) for doubtful accounts	(45,000)	45,000
Gain on disposition of property and equipment	-	(4,410)
Changes in:		
Contributions, grants and other receivables, net	291,075	128,886
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(5,945)	10,533
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(486,600)	187,353
Advances under grants	(37,747)	(32,151)
Deferred rent liability	 (3,405)	 1,587
Total adjustments	 (259,155)	 372,243
Net cash provided by operating activities	 164,935	 450,996
Cash Flows from Investing Activities:		
Additions of property and equipment, net	(10,925)	 (5,436)
Net cash required by investing activities	(10,925)	(5,436)
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:		
Principal payments on note payable	(3,433)	(275)
Net cash required by financing activities	(3,433)	(275)
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents		
and Restricted Cash	150,577	445,285
Cash and Cash Equivalents and Restricted Cash, Beginning of Year	 1,689,599	1,244,314
Cash and Cash Equivalents and Restricted Cash, End of Year	\$ 1,840,176	\$ 1,689,599

#### Schedule of Non-Cash Investing and Financing Activities

During 2011, the Organization received donated furniture and fixtures in the amount of \$7,136.

During 2010, the Organization financed the purchase of a vehicle with a note payable in the amount of \$19,690.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

#### **NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

#### Nature of Organization

Communities in Schools of Georgia, Inc. (the "Organization") was formed August 15, 1989 as a not-for-profit organization. The purpose of the Organization is to assist communities in Georgia in providing educational and developmental services to young people who are considered to be at risk of dropping out of school or who have already dropped out.

#### Basis of Accounting

The Organization follows accounting standards set by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB"). The FASB sets accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP").

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash and highly liquid investments that are readily convertible into cash and have a maturity of ninety days or less when purchased.

#### Restricted Cash

Certain of the Organization's state and federal grants require that a separate bank account be maintained. The cash balance that was restricted at June 30, 2011 and 2010 was \$58,390 and \$84,329, respectively.

#### Contributions, Grants, and Other Receivables

Contributions, grants and other receivables are stated at their fair value, less any allowance for doubtful accounts. Management estimates the allowance for doubtful accounts based on existing economic conditions, the financial conditions of the contributors, and the amount and age of the receivables. Bad debts are expensed and charged against the allowance account when deemed uncollectible based upon a periodic review of collections.

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### Concentration of Credit Risk

The Organization's financial instruments that are exposed to concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash, and contributions, grants and other receivables. At times, cash and cash equivalent balances exceed federally insured amounts. The Organization believes it reduces risks associated with balances in excess of federally insured amounts by maintaining its cash with major financial institutions with sound financial standing. Management continually monitors receivable balances and believes that its exposure to credit risk is limited. As a result of liquidity issues experienced in the global credit and capital markets, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in risks in the near term could occur which in turn could materially affect the amounts reported in the accompanying financial statements.

#### Property and Equipment

The Organization capitalizes property and equipment expenditures over \$1,000. Property and equipment is stated at cost. Donations of property and equipment are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair value at the date of the gift. Such donations are reported as unrestricted contributions unless the donor has restricted the donated asset to a specific purpose. Assets donated with explicit restrictions regarding their use and contributions of cash that must be used to acquire property and equipment are reported as restricted contributions. Absent donor stipulations regarding how long those donated assets must be maintained, the Organization reports expirations of donor restrictions when the donated or acquired assets are placed in service as instructed by the donor. The Organization reclassifies temporarily restricted net assets to unrestricted net assets at that time. Property and equipment is depreciated on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets.

#### <u>Deferred Rent Liability</u>

Rent expense for operating leases that contain scheduled rent increases, net of any landlord allowances, is recognized for financial reporting purposes on the straight-line method. Consequently, amounts that have been expensed for financial reporting purposes, but not yet paid, are reflected as deferred rent liability in the accompanying statement of financial position.

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

#### Revenue Recognition

The Organization records contributions as revenue upon notification from the donor. Contributions are reported as restricted support if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities and changes in net assets as net assets released from restrictions. During the year ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, 22% and 12% of revenues and other support, respectively, related to one donor.

The Organization receives certain of its grants from governmental agencies and accounts for their grants as exchange transactions whereby revenue is recognized as expenses are incurred.

#### **Donated Goods and Services**

Donated goods, such as materials, equipment, or other assets, are reported as contributions at their estimated fair values at the date of donation. Donated services that create or enhance non-financial assets or that require specialized skills, that are provided by individuals possessing those skills and that would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation are recorded as contributions at their estimated fair values in the period the services are performed. These services totaled approximately \$96,300 in 2011 and \$10,500 in 2010.

#### Income Taxes

The Organization is exempt from income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and is classified by the Internal Revenue Service as other than a private foundation. Accordingly, no provision or liability for federal and state income taxes has been recorded in the accompanying financial statements.

The Organization annually evaluates all federal and state income tax positions. This process includes an analysis of whether these income tax positions the Organization takes meet the definition of an uncertain tax position under the Income Taxes Topic of the Financial Accounting Standards Codification.

In the normal course of business, the Organization is subject to examination by the federal and state taxing authorities. In general, the Organization is no longer subject to tax examinations for the years ending before June 30, 2008.

#### **NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)**

#### Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Reclassifications

Certain amounts in the June 30, 2010 financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the current year presentation.

#### Subsequent Event

Management has evaluated subsequent events through the date of this report, which is the date which the financial statements were available to be issued.

#### NOTE 2 - CONTRIBUTIONS, GRANTS AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

Contributions, grants and other receivables consist of the following at June 30:

		<u>2011</u>		<u>2010</u>
Grants receivable Accounts receivable, local affiliates Other	\$	287,162 29,018 20,701 336,881	\$	557,424 51,727 18,805 627,956
Less allowance for doubtful accounts			-	(45,000)
Contributions, grants and other receivables, net	<u>\$</u>	336,881	<u>\$</u>	<u>582,956</u>

#### **NOTE 3 - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT**

Property and equipment consist of the following at June 30:

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Office equipment Furniture and fixtures	\$ 737,339 132,930	\$ 726,414 132,930
Computer software Vehicles	 127,879 28,900 1,027,048	 127,879 28,900 1,016,123
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	 (987,539)	 (959,072)
	\$ 39,509	\$ 57,051

Depreciation and amortization expense for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010 was \$28,467 and \$35,445, respectively.

#### **NOTE 4 - NOTE PAYABLE**

In June 2010, the Organization entered into a \$19,690 note payable with a financial institution at a fixed rate of 6.94%. Interest and principal payments of \$390 are due monthly. The note payable is secured by the purchased vehicle and matures in June 2015. The outstanding borrowings at June 30, 2011 and 2010 totaled \$15,982 and \$19,415, respectively.

Principal maturities on the note payable are as follows at June 30:

2012	\$	3,361
2013		3,920
2014		4,200
2015		4,501
	<u>\$</u>	15,982

#### **NOTE 5 - TEMPORARILY RESTRICTED NET ASSETS**

The components of temporarily restricted net assets were as follows at June 30:

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Development of Performance Learning Centers Performance Learning Centers Support Leadership Institute Communities in Schools Network Investment Mentoring Program Other	\$ 350,000 188,632 175,000 96,081 16,930	\$ 174,157 150,000 97,012 32,775 6,500
	\$ 826,643	\$ 460,444

Net assets released from restrictions during the years ended June 30 were as follows:

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Development of Performing Learning Centers Performance Learning Centers Support Leadership Institute Communities in Schools Network Investment Mentoring Program Internship and Job Shadowing Program Other	\$ 50,000 85,525 125,000 286,016 73,729 - 6,500	\$ 70,000 266,595 - 239,243 23,261 186,000 29,659
	\$ 626,770	\$ 814,758

#### **NOTE 6 - PROGRAM EXPENSES**

Program service expenses during the years ended June 30 were as follows:

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Performance Learning Centers Comprehensive Student Dropout Prevention	\$ 1,713,091	\$ 1,975,338
Initiative - DOE	933,100	1,117,775
Parental Information Resource Centers III	405,908	501,581
AmeriCorps	359,424	340,922
Communities in Schools Network Investment	323,281	239,243
Adolescence & Family Life Demonstration		
Project	258,961	968,362
Georgia Institute of Technology/BOR	130,668	158,262
Communities Empowerment Youth Program	118,493	93,711
Volunteers in Service to America	60,100	23,947
Other Dropout Prevention Programs	-	344,474
Other	 10,795	 
	\$ 4,313,821	\$ 5,763,615

#### **NOTE 7 - RETIREMENT PLANS**

The Organization has a Simplified Employee Pension Plan (SEP), a defined contribution plan, under which the Organization may contribute, at their discretion, 3% of each employee's salary, plus up to an additional 3% to match employees' contributions. All employees are eligible to participate in this plan. The Organization also has an Internal Revenue Code Section 403(b) defined-contribution plan whereby employees can contribute to the plan on a voluntary basis. In June 2008, the Board of Directors approved suspension of all employer contributions.

#### **NOTE 8 - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

The Organization leases office space under various non-cancellable operating leases. The office leases, which expire August 2015, stipulates terms for forecasting additional rent and operating expenses, and includes a renewal option for one additional period of five years.

Future minimum lease payments for the years ending June 30 are as follows:

2012	\$ 176,270
2013	181,611
2014	187,074
2015	192,628
2016	<u>32,259</u>
	<u>\$ 769,842</u>

Total rent expense under all operating leases for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010 approximated \$194,000 and \$200,000, respectively.

The Organization is dependent upon contributions, grants and other public support for its revenues. Since 2008, the Organization experienced a significant decline in those revenues due mainly to the ending of certain programs and economic conditions that have impacted the ability of contributors, grantors and other supporters to give at levels previously provided to the Organization. The ability of the Organization's contributors, grantors and supporters to give amounts comparable with previous years is greatly dependent upon current and future overall programmatic and economic conditions. Therefore, the Organization has developed a financial and operational plan projecting reduced revenues and expenses to continue providing its programs. While the Organization believes it has the resources to continue its programs during the year ending June 30, 2012 and beyond, its ability to do so is dependent upon the above factors.

Grants often require fulfillment of certain conditions as set forth in the instrument of the grant. Failure to fulfill the conditions could result in the return of the funds to the grantor. Although the return of funds is a possibility, the Organization deems the contingency unlikely as the Organization has implicitly agreed to comply with the provisions of each grant received.



#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. SCHEDULE OF STATE REVENUES YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010

	<u>2011</u>		<u>2010</u>
Agency/Funding Georgia Department of Education	\$ 933,100	<u>\$</u>	1,117,775

#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010

Federal Grantor/Pass Through Grantor/Program Title	Federal CFDA <u>Number</u>	Pass-Through Entity Identifying <u>Number</u>	2011 Federal <u>Expenditures</u>	2010 Federal <u>Expenditures</u>
U.S. Corporation for National & Community Service:				
Direct Programs: Volunteers in Service to America	94.013		\$ 60,100	\$ 19,447
ARRA- Volunteers in Service to America	94.013			4,500
Total Volunteers in Service to America			60,100	23,947
Pass-through programs from Georgia Department				
of Community Affairs:				
ARRA - AmeriCorps	94.006	06AFHGA0016	80,811	82,700
ARRA - AmeriCorps	94.006	06AFHGA0026	278,613	258,222
Total AmeriCorps			359,424	340,922
Learn and Serve America School and Community				
Based Programs	94.004	10KSSGA001	90,558	
			510,082	364,869
U.S. Department of Education:				
Direct Programs:				
Communities in Schools of Georgia's Information and Resource Centers Project (Goals 2006: Parental				
Information and Resource Centers III)	84.310A		405,908	501,581
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Pass-through program from Communities in Schools, Inc:	04.04511	N1/A	27.005	
Fund for the Improvement of Education	84.215U	N/A	37,265	-
Pass-through program from the Georgia Department of				
Education:				
ARRA- Race to the Top - Early Learning Challenge	84.395A	11-335-16679	39,769	-
Pass-through program from the Georgia Institute of				
Technology: College Access Challenge Grant Program	84.378A	Y0015-G18	130,668	158,262
College Access Challenge Chall Program	04.570A	10013-010	130,000	130,202
			613,610	659,843
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services:				
Direct Programs:				
Adolescence & Family Life Demonstration Project	93.995	N/A	258,961	968,362
Pass-through program from Communities in Schools, Inc:	02.647	NI/A	110 100	00.744
Communities Empowerment Youth Program	93.647	N/A	118,493	93,711
			377,454	1,062,073
U.S. Department of Justice:				
Pass-through program from Home Builders Institute:				
Juvenile Mentoring Program	16.726	N/A	23,402	
Total Federal Expenditures			\$ 1,524,548	\$ 2,086,785

Note: This schedule is prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of OMB Circular A-133, *Audit of States*, *Local Governments*, *and Non-Profit Organizations*.



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

### To the Board of Directors Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc.

We have audited the financial statements of Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc. (the "Organization") as of June 30, 2011 and for the year then ended, and have issued our report thereon dated November 29, 2011. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we considered to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

#### Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Organization's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Smith + Honard

November 29, 2011



# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH REQUIREMENTS THAT COULD HAVE A DIRECT AND MATERIAL EFFECT ON EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OMB CIRCULAR A-133

To the Board of Directors

Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc.

#### **Compliance**

We have audited the compliance of Communities In Schools of Georgia, Inc. (the "Organization") with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) *Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2011. The Organization's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditors' 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 the Organization's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Organization'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 the Organization's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion. Our audit does not provide a legal determination on the Organization's compliance with those requirements.

In our opinion, the Organization complied, in all material respects, with the requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2011.

#### Internal Control Over Compliance

The management of the Organization 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 the Organization'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, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion of the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be deficiencies, significant deficiencies, or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, federal awarding agencies, and pass-through entities listed in the schedule of expenditures of federal awards and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Smith + Honard

November 29, 2011

#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

#### Section I – Summary of Auditor's Results

Financial Statements Type of auditor's report issued: Unqualified Internal control over financial reporting: Material weakness(es) identified? X no yes Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)? X none reported yes Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? \_\_X\_\_ no \_\_\_ yes Federal Awards Internal control over major programs: Material weakness(es) identified? X no yes Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weakness(es)? X none reported yes Type of auditor's report issued on compliance of major programs: Unqualified Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be Reported in accordance with Section 510(a) of X no OMB Circular A-133? yes Identification of major programs: CFDA Number(s) Name of Federal Program or Cluster 94.006 ARRA - AmeriCorps Parental Information and Resource Centers 84.310A

#### COMMUNITIES IN SCHOOLS OF GEORGIA, INC. SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2011

\$ 300,000

## <u>Section I – Summary of Auditor's Results (Continued)</u> Dollar threshold used to distinguish between

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? X yes \_\_\_\_ no

<u>Section II – Financial Statement Findings</u>

No matters were reported.

type A and type B programs:

<u>Section III – Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs</u>

No matters were reported.

Section IV – Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings and Questioned Costs

No matters were reported.