

**EARLY LEARNING
COALITION OF
SOUTHWEST FLORIDA, INC.**

**Financial Statements
and Supplemental
Information**

June 30, 2016

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To the Board of Directors of
Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.
Fort Myers, Florida

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2016, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc. as of June 30, 2016, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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Other Matters

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*, State of Florida Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General*, and special audit guidance provided by the Office of Early Learning, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information 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 financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated January 25, 2017 on our consideration of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'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 internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Moss, Krusick & Associates, LLC

Winter Park, Florida
January 25, 2017

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

June 30, 2016

ASSETS

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 274,553
Contracts and grants receivable:	
Office of Early Learning	2,180,902
Other	139,082
Prepaid expenses	114,591
Property and equipment, net	<u>42,413</u>
Total assets	<u>\$ 2,751,541</u>

LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Accounts payable:	
Office of Early Learning	\$ 62,030
Redlands Christian Migrant Association, Inc.	110,631
Providers	2,126,748
Accrued payroll and benefits	238,201
Advance payments to providers	8,682
Deferred revenue	<u>5,330</u>
Total liabilities	<u>2,551,622</u>
Commitments and contingencies	<u>-</u>
Net assets	
Unrestricted	<u>199,919</u>
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 2,751,541</u>

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

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

REVENUE

Office of Early Learning	\$ 39,877,497
Local match	616,651
Other revenue	4,937

Total revenue 40,499,085

EXPENSES

Program services	39,141,978
Other programs	72,162
Supporting services	1,301,418

Total expenses 40,515,558

Change in net assets (16,473)

NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR 216,392

NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR \$ 199,919

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

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

	<u>Functional Category</u>			<u>Total</u>
	<u>School Readiness/ Voluntary Pre- Kindergarten</u>	<u>Other Programs</u>	<u>Administration</u>	
Child care payments	\$ 33,929,783	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 33,929,783
Salaries and benefits	2,288,740	58,877	952,385	3,300,002
Pass-through payments to sub-recipients	1,859,062	-	47,356	1,906,418
Match	549,596	-	-	549,596
Shared costs	295,998	-	193,517	489,515
Program consultants and supplies	75,602	2,701	35,285	113,588
Other expenses	40,865	1,116	17,506	59,487
Utilities and telephone	24,893	-	18,892	43,785
Office expenses	28,566	-	12,624	41,190
Contract services	18,583	8,850	9,678	37,111
Travel expense	22,464	618	10,367	33,449
Depreciation	4,654	-	3,808	8,462
Outreach and advertising	3,172	-	-	3,172
	<u>\$ 39,141,978</u>	<u>\$ 72,162</u>	<u>\$ 1,301,418</u>	<u>\$ 40,515,558</u>

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

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

Change in net assets	\$ (16,473)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash used by operating activities:	
Depreciation	8,462
Decrease (increase) in assets:	
Contracts and grants receivable	45,152
Advance payments to providers	15,560
Prepaid expenses	(11,571)
Increase (decrease) in liabilities:	
Accounts payable	(414,949)
Accrued payroll and benefits	63,008
Deferred revenue	5,330
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Net cash used by operating activities	(305,481)
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Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(305,481)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - BEGINNING OF YEAR	<hr/> 580,034
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	<hr/> <hr/> \$ 274,553

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

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2016

NOTE A - ORGANIZATION

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc. (the "Coalition") was formed exclusively to fulfill the intent of Florida State Statute 411.01 "The School Readiness Act". The Coalition recognizes the role of parents as their children's first teachers and the importance of children entering the education system ready to learn. The Coalition seeks to assist parents by providing opportunities for the birth-to-kindergarten population to enhance their chances for education success by participating in quality school readiness ("SR") and voluntary pre-kindergarten ("VPK") programs that can better prepare them for school. The Coalition performs services in Lee, Collier, Hendry, and Glades Counties, Florida.

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. Functional allocation of expenses

The cost of providing the various programs and other activities have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among the programs and supporting services benefited as shown in the statement of functional expenses.

Administration: This designation includes the functions necessary to maintain the Coalition's programs and activities; to provide coordination and articulation of the Coalition's program strategy through the office of the executive director; to secure the proper administrative functioning of the board of directors; and to manage the financial and budgetary responsibilities of the Coalition.

Programs: The following programs are included in the accompanying financial statements: School Readiness ("SR") - programs to empower parents as a child's first teacher and help them prepare their children to be ready for school. Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten ("VPK") - program available for every four-year old in Florida for 540 hours of care in either a traditional school year or 300 hours for a summer program.

2. Use of estimates

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

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2016

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

3. Basis of accounting and financial statement presentation

The accompanying financial statements and schedule have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America and include all funds and activities over which the board of directors of the Coalition has oversight and financial responsibility.

The Coalition reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets. A description of the three net asset categories follows:

Unrestricted – net assets not subject to donor-imposed stipulations.

Temporarily Restricted – net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met by actions of the Coalition and/or passage of time.

Permanently Restricted – net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the Coalition.

4. Revenue recognition

Revenues from financial assistance programs are reported as increases in unrestricted net assets because the related restrictions are satisfied in the period in which the support is recognized.

The Coalition receives funding through grants and contract revenue from Federal, State, County and City agencies, and from United Way. Revenues are earned as allowable grant costs are incurred.

5. Cash and cash equivalents

For purposes of the statements of cash flows, the Coalition considers all unrestricted, highly liquid investments with an initial maturity of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

6. Contracts and grants receivable

Contracts and grants receivable, which consists principally of grants due from federal and state governmental agencies, are recorded when services are provided. The Coalition's receivables as of June 30, 2016 are due in less than one year and management believes all receivables are fully collectible.

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2016

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

7. Concentration of credit risk

Financial instruments, which potentially expose the Coalition to concentrations of credit risk, consist principally of cash bank deposits. The Coalition's policy is to place its cash investments in accounts with high quality financial institutions which are insured by Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, which provides coverage on balances up to \$250,000 per depositor per institution.

The Coalition's bank deposit account balances which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Coalition has not experienced any losses in such accounts and does not believe it is exposed to any significant credit risk on cash and cash equivalents.

8. Property and equipment

The Coalition's policy is to capitalize property and equipment with a cost in excess of \$5,000. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of five to ten years.

Property acquired with governmental funds is considered to be owned by the Coalition while used in the program for which it was purchased or in future authorized programs; however, its disposition as well as the ownership of any proceeds from the sale of assets there from is subject to applicable regulations.

9. Income taxes

The Coalition is exempt from income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; therefore no income tax provision is required in the accompanying financial statements. The Coalition is not classified as a private foundation. Contributions to the Coalition are qualified as deductions for charitable contributions.

Management has analyzed the Coalition's various federal and state filing positions and believes that its income tax filing positions and deductions are well documented and supported and that no accruals for tax liabilities are necessary. Therefore, no reserves for uncertain income tax positions have been recorded. The Coalition remains subject to examination by the US Internal Revenue Service for the years ended June 30, 2013 through June 30, 2016.

10. Donated services, materials and facilities

Donated services, materials and facilities that are measurable are recorded as support at their fair market values at the date of receipt by the Coalition. A corresponding amount is recorded as expense or property and equipment. Donated services, materials or facilities for the year ended June 30, 2016 totaled \$52,698.

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2016

NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

11. Recent accounting pronouncements

In February 2016, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-02, Leases, that requires lessees to put most leases on their balance sheets and recognize expenses on their income statements in a manner similar to today's capital lease accounting. For lessors, the guidance modifies the classification criteria for accounting for sales-type and direct financing leases. The new guidance is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019. Early adoption is permitted. The Coalition is evaluating the potential effects ASU 2016-02 will have on its financial statements.

In August 2016, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2016-14, *Not-for-Profit Entities (Topic 958): Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities*, which is designed to help not-for-profits tell their stories through their financial statements. Not-for-profit financial statements have been prepared under the FASB's current guidance since 1993. The new standard changes presentation and disclosure requirements with the intention of helping not-for-profits provide more relevant information about their resources—and the changes in those resources—to donors, grantors, creditors, and other financial statement users. Specifically, ASU 2016-14 decreases the number of net asset classes from three to two, requires disclosure of qualitative information on liquid resources and liquidity risks for meeting cash needs for general expenses within one year, requires reporting and analysis of expenses by function and nature, and enhances reporting and disclosures about underwater endowments. The new net asset classes will be *net assets with donor restrictions* and *net assets without donor restrictions*. The standard will take effect for annual financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2017, and early application of the standard is permitted. The Coalition is currently assessing the impact the new standard will have on its financial statements.

12. Subsequent events

Management has evaluated the effect subsequent events would have on the financial statements through the date these financial statements were available to be issued on January 25, 2017.

NOTE C - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Certain voting members of the Board of Directors are required by the "School Readiness Act" to be board members. These members include Redland Christian Migrant Association, Inc. (subrecipient administrators of SR and VPK services to the Coalition), and other representatives from private and public sector industries. Total payments to RCMA during the year ended June 30, 2016 were \$1,906,418 and accounts payable to RCMA at June 30, 2016 was \$110,631.

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2016

NOTE D - COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

1. Federal and state appropriated funds

The Coalition receives substantially all of its support from the federal and state governments in the form of grants. A significant reduction in the level of this support, if this were to occur, may have a significant effect on the Coalition's programs and activities.

Government grants require the fulfillment of certain conditions as set forth in applicable laws, rules and regulations and in the grant agreements. Failure to fulfill the conditions could result in the return of the funds to the grantor. Management believes such disallowances, if any, would not be material.

2. Operating lease

The Coalition has entered into a non-cancelable operating lease agreement for its administrative office. Future minimum annual rentals under the non-cancelable operating lease are as follows for the fiscal years ending June 30,

2017	\$ 331,364
2018	334,769
2019	345,085
2020	<u>301,531</u>
	<u>\$1,312,749</u>

Rent expense for the year ended June 30, 2016 was \$342,421.

NOTE E - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment and accumulated depreciation at June 30, 2016 is summarized as follows:

Furniture and Fixtures	\$ 62,932
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(20,519)</u>
Property and equipment, net	<u>\$ 42,413</u>

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2016

NOTE F - 401K Plan

The Coalition established a 401K Plan effective January 1, 2008 for all qualifying employees. All employees with one full year of service and at least 21 years of age are eligible to participate in the plan. The Coalition's plan includes a 401(k) match fund for participating employees in an amount equal to 100% of their elective deferrals that does not exceed 6% of the employees' compensation. Contributions to the profit sharing component of the plan are at the discretion of the Coalition and are determined on an annual basis. The Coalition provided for matching contributions of \$89,095 to the plan for the year ended June 30, 2016. There were no discretionary profit sharing contributions. Employees are immediately vested in their contributions and the matching contributions.

NOTE G - MATCHING FUNDS

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services funding, which passed through Florida's Office of Early Learning, School Readiness Program contract SR-155, provided for subsidized child care services and required local match of six-percent (6%) for certain services for "at risk" children. During the year ended June 30, 2016, the local matching requirement was met. The Coalition included \$616,651 of matching funds collected by the Coalition as both revenue and expense in the statement of activities.

NOTE H - SCHEDULE OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

The schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance follows the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is a different basis of accounting as that used in the preparation of the financial statements. During the year ended June 30, 2015, the Coalition made payments to providers for services rendered in excess of the contract amounts available under the federal programs. The Florida Office of Early Learning, the pass-through entity for the programs, approved reimbursement of the excess amounts; however, the related expenditures and reimbursement are attributable to the 2015-2016 contracts. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require recognition of the expenditures in the period incurred and recognition of the corresponding reimbursement once the amount is earned and collection is certain. A reconciliation of the schedule of (federal) expenditures to actual (federal) expenditures included in the statement of activities is as follows:

Federal expenditures – schedule of federal awards and state financial assistance	\$ 40,607,259
Federal expenditures / reimbursements from 2015-2016 contracts recognized in the 2017 financial statements	92,529
Federal expenditures / reimbursements from 2015-2016 contracts recognized in the 2015 financial statements	<u>(822,291)</u>
Federal expenditures – statement of activities and changes in net assets	<u>\$ 39,877,497</u>

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION



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

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To the Board of Directors of
Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.
Fort Myers, Florida

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc. (the "Coalition") (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2016, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated January 25, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Coalition's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or 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. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Coalition's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Coalition's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND STATE PROJECT AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY UNIFORM GUIDANCE AND STATE OF FLORIDA CHAPTER 10.650, RULES OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL

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To the Board of Directors of
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Fort Myers, Florida

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program and State Project

We have audited Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* and the requirements described in the *Department of Financial Services' State Projects Compliance Supplement*, and special audit guidance provided by the Office of Early Learning that could have a direct and material effect on each of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s major federal programs and state projects for the year ended June 30, 2016. Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s major federal programs and state projects are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal and state statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards and state financial assistance applicable to its federal programs and state projects.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s major federal programs and state projects based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. 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 the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General*, and special audit guidance provided by the Office of Early Learning. Those standards and the Uniform Guidance, and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General*, 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 or state project occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'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 on compliance for each major federal program and state project. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program and State Project

In our opinion, Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc. complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs and state projects for the year ended June 30, 2016.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc. is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program and state project to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and state project and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General*, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.'s internal control over compliance.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND STATE PROJECT AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE AND STATE OF FLORIDA CHAPTER 10.650, RULES OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL (continued)

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 or state project 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 or state project will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program or state project that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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 material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance, and Chapter 10.650 *Rules of the Auditor General*. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Moss, Krusick & Associates, LLC

Winter Park, Florida
January 25, 2017

Early Learning Coalition of Southwest Florida, Inc.
SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS
FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

June 30, 2016

Section I – Summary of Auditors’ Results

Financial Statements

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| 1. Type of auditors’ report issued: | Unmodified |
| 2. Internal control over financial reporting: | |
| a. Material weakness(es) identified? | No |
| b. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | No |
| 3. Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? | No |

Federal Awards

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|---|------------|
| 1. Type of auditors’ report issued on compliance for major programs: | Unmodified |
| 2. Internal control over major programs: | |
| a. Material weakness(es) identified? | No |
| b. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | No |
| 3. Audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance? | N/A |
| 4. Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs | \$750,000 |
| 5. Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? | Yes |

Identifications of major programs:

<u>Name of Federal Program</u>	<u>CFDA Number</u>
Child Care and Development Block Grant	93.575
Child Care Mandatory and Matching Funds of the Child Care and Development Fund	93.596
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	93.558

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Section I – Summary of Auditors’ Results (continued)

State Financial Assistance

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| 1. Type of auditors’ report issued on compliance for major programs: | Unmodified |
| 2. Internal control over major projects: | |
| a. Material weakness(es) identified? | No |
| b. Significant deficiencies identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | No |
| 3. Audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Florida Single Audit Act and Chapter 10.650, <i>Rules of the Auditor General</i> | N/A |
| 4. Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B projects | \$623,635 |

Identification of major projects:

<u>Name of State Projects</u>	<u>CSFA Number</u>
Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten	48.108

Enhanced Fields System (EFS) Monthly Reconciliation

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| 1. EFS reconciled monthly | Yes |
| 2. Processes in place to identify and correct errors during monthly reconciliations to EFS | Yes |
| 3. Coalition’s financial records reconcile and agree to EFS records as of program year ended June 30, 2016 | Yes |
| 4. Audit work papers documenting verification of reconciliations available to OEL staff | Yes |

Section II – Financial Statement Findings

None (no corrective action plan or management letter required)

Section III – Federal Award and State Programs Findings and Questioned Costs

None reported (no corrective action plan or management letter required)

Section IV – Status of Prior Year Audit Findings

There were no prior year audit findings.

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SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS AND STATE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

For the Year Ended June 30, 2016

Grantor/Program Title	CFDA CSFA	Award Number	Expenditures	Transfer to Sub- recipient
Federal Awards:				
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services				
<i>Passed through Florida's Office of Early Learning</i>				
<i>School Readiness Services</i>				
Child Care and Development Block Grant	93.575	SR 156	\$ 3,063,290	\$ 3,304
Child Care Mandatory and Matching Funds of the Child Care and Development Fund	93.596	SR 156	11,717,850	12,430
Total Child Care Cluster			14,781,140	15,734
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	93.558	SR 156	5,022,890	
Social Services Block Grant	93.667	SR 156	15,396	-
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			<u>\$ 19,819,426</u>	<u>\$ 15,734</u>
State Financial Assistance:				
State of Florida Department of Education				
<i>Passed through Florida's Office of Early Learning</i>				
Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten	48.108	SV 156	<u>20,787,833</u>	<u>1,890,684</u>
Total Expenditures of State Awards			<u>\$ 20,787,833</u>	<u>\$ 1,890,684</u>

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards and state financial assistance is presented on the accrual basis of accounting. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) the Florida Executive Office of the Governor's State Projects Compliance Supplement and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General*. Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements.

Indirect Cost Rates

The Coalition has elected to not use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate for its federal programs and state projects for the year ended June 30, 2016.

See Independent Auditors' Report