

**Federal Single Audit  
and  
State Single Audit  
of the  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

**Town of Colchester, Connecticut  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

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**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***

**Independent Auditors' Report**

**Board of Finance  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

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 the governmental activities, business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Colchester, Connecticut ("Town"), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 17, 2021.

**Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Town's internal control over financial reporting ("internal control") as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town'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 combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the Town'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.

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**Compliance and Other Matters**

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Town'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 financial statements. 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 Town'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 Town's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

*PKF O'Connor Davies, LLP*

Wethersfield, Connecticut  
February 17, 2021

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# **Federal Single Audit**

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**Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program;  
Report on Internal Control Over Compliance;  
and Report on the Schedule of Expenditures  
of Federal Awards Required by the Uniform Guidance**

**Independent Auditors' Report**

**Board of Finance  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program**

We have audited the Town of Colchester, Connecticut's ("Town") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Town's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2020. The Town's major federal programs 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 statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Town's major federal programs 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"). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance 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 Town'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. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Town's compliance.

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***Opinion on Each Major Federal Program***

In our opinion, the Town 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 for the year ended June 30, 2020.

**Report on Internal Control Over Compliance**

Management of the Town 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 the Town's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program 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 to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, 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 the Town'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. *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 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. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

**Board of Finance  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

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**Report on the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards Required by the Uniform Guidance**

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Colchester, Connecticut, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements. We issued our report thereon dated February 17, 2021, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Uniform Guidance and is not a required part of the basic 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 basic 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 basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

*PKF O'Connor Davies, LLP*

Wethersfield, Connecticut  
February 17, 2021



**Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

Federal Grantor/Pass Through Grantor/ Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass through Entity Identifying Number	Passed through to Subrecipients	Total Expenditures
<u>U.S. Department of Agriculture:</u>				
Passed through State Department of Education:				
Child Nutrition Cluster:				
School Breakfast Program	10.553	12060-SDE64370-20508	\$ -	\$ 26,156
CARES Act School Breakfast	10.553	12060-SDE64370-29576	-	14,600
National School Lunch Program - Cash	10.555	12060-SDE64370-20560	-	153,800
CARES Act School Lunch	10.555	12060-SDE64370-29572	-	27,047
National School Lunch Program - Commodities	10.555	N/A	-	26,779
Total Child Nutrition Cluster				248,382
<u>U.S. Department of Justice:</u>				
Passed through State Office of Policy and Management:				
Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention		12060-OPM20350-21676	-	530
Passed through Connecticut Youth Services Association:				
Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention		N/A	-	5,745
Total Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention	16.540			6,275
<u>U.S. Department of Labor:</u>				
Passed through State Department of Labor:				
CARES Act Unemployment Insurance	17.225	N/A	-	35,668
<u>U.S. Department of Transportation:</u>				
Passed through State Department of Transportation:				
Alcohol Open Container Requirements	20.607	12062-DOT57513-22091	-	25,924
<u>U.S. Department of Treasury:</u>				
Passed through the State Office of Policy and Management:				
Coronavirus Relief Fund	21.019	N/A	-	79,435
<u>National Endowment for the Arts:</u>				
Passed through State Department of Economic and Community Development:				
Promotion of the Arts Partnership Agreement	45.025	12069-ECD46820-20328	-	1,200
<u>U.S. Department of Education:</u>				
Passed through State Department of Education:				
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies		12060-SDE64370-20679-2019	-	125,238
Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies		12060-SDE64370-20679-2020	-	80,306
Total Title I Grants to Local Educational Agencies	84.010			205,544
Special Education Cluster (IDEA):				
Special Education - Grants to States (IDEA, Part B)		12060-SDE64370-20977-2019	-	57,713
Special Education - Grants to States (IDEA, Part B)		12060-SDE64370-20977-2020	-	468,889
Total Special Education - Grants to States (IDEA, Part B)	84.027			526,602
Special Education - Preschool Grants (IDEA)		12060-SDE64370-20983-2019	-	21,353
Special Education - Preschool Grants (IDEA)		12060-SDE64370-20983-2020	-	5,933
Total Special Education - Preschool grant (IDEA)	84.173			27,286
Total Special Education Cluster (IDEA)				553,888

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See Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

**Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

Federal Grantor/Pass Through Grantor/ Program or Cluster Title	Federal CFDA Number	Pass through Entity Identifying Number	Passed through to Subrecipients	Total Expenditures
Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States		12060-SDE64370-20742-2019	\$ -	\$ 45,518
Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States		12060-SDE64370-20742-2020	-	19,115
Total Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States	84.048			64,633
Passed through Eastconn:				
English Language Acquisition State Grants (Title III, Part A)		12060-SDE64370-20868-2019	-	410
English Language Acquisition State Grants (Title III, Part A)		12060-SDE64370-20868-2020	-	1,409
Total English Language Acquisition State Grants (Title III, Part A)	84.365			1,819
Supporting Effective Instruction State Grant		12060-SDE64370-20858-2019	-	26,948
Supporting Effective Instruction State Grant		12060-SDE64370-20858-2020	-	5,051
Total Supporting Effective Instruction State Grant	84.367			31,999
Student Support and Academic Enrichment Program (Title IV)	84.424	12060-SDE64370-22854-2020	-	9,823
Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER)	84.425D	12060-SDE64370-29571-2020	-	42,097
Total U.S. Department of Education				909,803
<u>U.S. Department of Health and Human Services:</u>				
Passed through the Eastern Connecticut Area Agency on Aging: Aging Cluster:				
Special Programs for the Aging, Title III, Part B, Grants for Supportive Services and Senior Centers	93.044	N/A	-	17,250
Passed through the United Way of Connecticut: Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Projects of Regional and National Significance	93.243	N/A	-	15,528
Passed through the CT Council for Philanthropy: Preschool Development Grant Birth through Five (PDG B-5)	93.434	N/A	-	13,846
Passed through Southeast Regional Action Council: State Targeted Response to the Opioid Grants	93.788	12060-MHA51290	-	5,261
<u>U.S. Department of Homeland Security</u>				
Passed through State Department of Emergency Services and Homeland Security:				
Disaster Grants - Public Assistance (Presidentially Declared Disasters) (Coronavirus)	97.036	12060-DPS32990-22520	-	5,534
Total Federal Awards			\$ -	\$ 1,364,106

(Concluded)

N/A – Not available or applicable.

See Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards.

**Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

**1. Basis of presentation**

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards ("Schedule") includes the federal award activity of the Town of Colchester, Connecticut ("Town") under programs of the federal government. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the 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").

Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Town, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net position, changes in fund balance, or cash flows of the Town.

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies**

A. Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

B. The Town has elected not to use the 10% *de minimis* indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

**3. Noncash federal awards**

The Town received and expended \$26,779 of USDA donated commodities under the National School Lunch Program.

**4. Prior year findings and questioned costs**

There were no prior year audit findings or questioned costs.

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**Town of Colchester, Connecticut**  
**Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs**  
**For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

**I - Summary of Auditors' Results**

**Financial Statements**

Type of auditors' report issued: Unmodified opinion

Internal control over financial reporting:

Material weakness(es) identified?       yes   x  no

Significant deficiency(ies) identified?       yes   x  none reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?       yes   x  no

**Federal Awards**

Internal control over major programs:

Material weakness(es) identified?       yes   x  no

Significant deficiency(ies) identified?       yes   x  none reported

Type of auditors' report issued on compliance  
for major programs:

Unmodified opinion

Any audit findings disclosed that are required  
to be reported in accordance with  
2 CFR Section 200.516(a)?

      yes   x  no

Identification of major programs:

<u>CFDA Number</u>	<u>Name of Federal Program</u>
84.027 / 84.173	Special Education Cluster (IDEA)

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between  
type A and type B programs:

\$750,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?

  x  yes       no

**II - Findings - Financial Statement Audit**

None

**III - Findings and Questioned Costs - Major Federal Award Programs Audit**

None

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**State  
Single  
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**Report on Compliance for Each Major State Program;  
Report on Internal Control Over Compliance; and Report  
on the Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial  
Assistance Required by the State Single Audit Act**

**Independent Auditors' Report**

**Board of Finance  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Report on Compliance for Each Major State Program**

We have audited the Town of Colchester, Connecticut's ("Town") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the Office of Policy and Management's *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the Town's major state programs for the year ended June 30, 2020. The Town's major state programs 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 laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its state programs.

***Auditors' Responsibility***

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Town's major state programs 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 State Single Audit Act (C.G.S. Sections 4-230 to 4-236). Those standards and the State Single Audit Act 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 state program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Town'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 state program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Town's compliance.

**Board of Finance  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

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***Opinion on Each Major State Program***

In our opinion, the Town 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 state programs for the year ended June 30, 2020.

**Report on Internal Control Over Compliance**

Management of the Town 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 the Town's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major state program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on compliance for each major state program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the State Single Audit Act, 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 the Town'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 state 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 state program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. *A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a state program 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 State Single Audit Act. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

**Board of Finance  
Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

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**Report on the Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance Required by the State Single Audit Act**

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, business-type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Colchester, Connecticut, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements. We have issued our report thereon dated February 17, 2021, which contained unmodified opinions on those financial statements.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the State Single Audit Act and is not a required part of the basic 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 basic 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 basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

*PKF O'Connor Davies, LLP*

Wethersfield, Connecticut  
February 17, 2021



**Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

State Grantor/Pass through Grantor/Program Title	State Grant Program Core-CT Number	Passed through to Subrecipients	Total Expenditures
<u>Department of Social Services:</u>			
Medicaid	11000-DSS60000-16020	\$ -	\$ 55,876
<u>Department of Education:</u>			
Talent Development	11000-SDE64370-12552	-	7,197
Stipend for Assisting Districts with Improving Outcomes for Students with Significant Cognitive Disabilities	12060-SDE64215-20977-2020	-	1,500
Child Nutrition State Matching Grant	11000-SDE64370-16211	-	6,968
Healthy Foods Initiative	11000-SDE64370-16212	-	13,273
Adult Education	11000-SDE64370-17030	-	23,954
School Breakfast Program	11000-SDE64370-17046	-	11,468
<u>Department of Children and Families:</u>			
Youth Services Bureau	11000-DCF91141-17052	-	17,732
Youth Services Bureau Enhancement	11000-DCF91141-17107	-	8,656
<u>Department of Transportation:</u>			
Transit District Grants and Loans Transportation Fund - Bus Operations	12001-DOT57931-12175	-	30,971
Town Aid Road Grants Transportation Fund	12052-DOT57131-43455	-	123,236
Town Aid Road Grants Transportation Fund - STO	13033-DOT57131-43459	-	123,235
Local Transportation Capital Improvement Program	13033-DOT57197-43584	-	16,230
<u>Department of Energy and Environmental Protection:</u>			
Connecticut Recreational Trails Grant Program	12052-DEP44321-43314	-	2,000
<u>Office of Early Childhood:</u>			
School Readiness Quality Enhancement	11000-OEC64845-16158	-	3,881
School Readiness in Competitive Grant Municipalities	11000-OEC64845-16274	-	159,750
<u>Office of Policy and Management:</u>			
Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT) on State-Owned Property	11000-OPM20600-17004	-	74,928
Property Tax Relief on Property of Totally Disabled Persons	11000-OPM20600-17011	-	1,610
Property Tax Relief for Veterans	11000-OPM20600-17024	-	7,357
Local Capital Improvement Program	12050-OPM20600-40254	-	115,954
Municipal Grants-In Aid	12052-OPM20600-43587	-	7,500

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See Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance.

**Town of Colchester, Connecticut**

**Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance  
For the Year Ended June 30, 2020**

State Grantor/Pass through Grantor/Program Title	State Grant Program Core-CT Number	Passed through to Subrecipients	Total Expenditures
<u>Department of Public Safety:</u>			
School Security Competitive Grant Program	12052-DPS32161-43546	\$ -	\$ 131,009
<u>Department of Economic and Community Development:</u>			
Brownfield Remediation Program	12052-ECD46260-43403	-	61,004
Arts Learning - Integration	12069-ECD46820-16258	-	7,050
<u>Connecticut State Library:</u>			
Historic Documents Preservation Grants	12060-CSL66094-35150	-	5,000
Total State Financial Assistance before Exempt Programs			1,017,339
<u>Exempt Programs:</u>			
<u>Department of Education:</u>			
Education Cost Sharing	11000-SDE64370-17041	-	12,299,883
Special Education - Excess Cost - Student Based	11000-SDE64370-17047	-	675,461
<u>Office of Policy and Management:</u>			
Mashantucket Pequot and Mohegan Fund Grant	12009-OPM20600-17005	-	23,167
Municipal Stabilization Grant	11000-OPM20600-17104	-	134,167
Total Exempt Programs		-	13,132,678
Total State Financial Assistance		\$ -	\$ 14,150,017

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See Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance.

## Town of Colchester, Connecticut

### Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of State Financial Assistance For the Year Ended June 30, 2020

#### 1. Basis of presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance ("Schedule") includes state grant activity of the Town of Colchester, Connecticut ("Town"), under programs of the State of Connecticut. Various departments and agencies of the State of Connecticut have provided financial assistance through grants and other authorizations in accordance with the General Statutes of the State of Connecticut. These financial assistance programs fund several programs including general government, public safety, public works, community and human services and education.

Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the Town, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in fund balance, changes in net position, or cash flows of the Town.

#### 2. Summary of significant accounting policies

The accounting policies of the Town conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. The information in the Schedule is presented based upon regulations established by the State of Connecticut, Office of Policy and Management.

##### Basis of Accounting

The expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the modified accrual basis of accounting. In accordance with Section 4-236-22 of the Regulations to the State Single Audit Act, certain grants are not dependent on expenditure activity and, accordingly, are considered to be expended in the fiscal year of receipt. These grant program receipts are reflected in the expenditures column of the Schedule.

#### 3. Loan program

In accordance with Section 4-236-23(a)(4)(F) of the Regulations to the State Single Audit Act, the notes to the schedule of expenditures of state financial assistance shall include loans and loan activities. The following is a summary of the various loan program activity:

##### Department of Energy and Environmental Protection:

Clean Water Funds: (21015-DEP43000-42318)

Grant ID	Issue Date	Interest Rate	Original Amount	Balance July 1, 2019	Additions	Reductions	Balance June 30, 2020
CWF	07/31/09	2.12%	\$2,496,990	<u>\$1,253,101</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 126,445</u>	<u>\$ 1,126,656</u>

#### 4. Prior year findings and questioned costs

There were no prior year audit findings or questioned costs.

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# Town of Colchester, Connecticut

## Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended June 30, 2020

### I - Summary of Auditors' Results

#### Financial Statements

Type of auditors' opinion issued: Unmodified opinion

Internal control over financial reporting:

Material weakness(es) identified?       yes   x  no

Significant deficiency(ies) identified?       yes   x  none reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?       yes   x  no

#### State Financial Assistance

Internal control over major programs:

Material weakness(es) identified?       yes   x  no

Significant deficiency(ies) identified?       yes   x  none reported

Type of auditors' opinion issued on compliance  
for major programs:

Unmodified opinion

Any audit findings disclosed that are required  
to be reported in accordance with Section 4-236-24  
of the Regulations of the State Single Audit Act?

      yes   x  no

<u>State Grantor and Program</u>	<u>State Core-CT Number</u>	<u>Expenditures</u>
Department of Transportation:		
Town Aid Road Grants Transportation Fund	12052-DOT57131-43455	\$ 123,236
Town Aid Road Grants Transportation Fund - STO	13033-DOT57131-43459	123,235
Office of Policy and Management:		
Payment in Lieu of Taxes (PILOT) on		
State-Owned Property	11000-OPM20600-17004	74,928
Local Capital Improvement Program	12050-OPM20600-40254	115,954
Department of Public Safety:		
School Security Competitive Grant Program	12052-DPS32161-43546	131,009
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs:	<u>\$200,000</u>	

### II - Financial Statement Findings

None

### III - State Financial Assistance Findings and Questioned Costs

None