PROPOSITION 39 GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS MEASURE S FINANCIAL AUDIT

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2004

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

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We have audited the accompanying Balance Sheet, Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Change in Fund Balance and Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Change in Fund Balance – Budget and Actual for the Bond Construction Fund – Measure S Bond Program of the Ventura County Community College District as of June 30, 2004. These statements are the responsibility of the District's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit of the Bond Construction Fund in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Governmental 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 for the Bond Construction Fund are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the Bond Construction Fund 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 our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position and results of operations for the Bond Construction Fund of the Ventura County Community College District as of June 30, 2004, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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July 22, 2004



BALANCE SHEET BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND June 30, 2004

ASSETS		
Cash in County Treasury	\$	63,776,676
Interest Receivable	-	250,711
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	64,027,387
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE		
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable	\$	1,687,989
TOTAL LIABILITIES		1,687,989
FUND BALANCE		
Designated		62,339,398
TOTAL FUND BALANCE	····	62,339,398
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$	64,027,387

See the accompanying notes to the financial statements.

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2004

REVENUES	
Interest Income	\$ 1,124,505
TOTAL REVENUES	1,124,505
EXPENDITURES	
Supplies and Materials	951
Other Expenses and Services	268,829
Capital Outlay	10,279,563
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	10,549,343
Deficiency of revenues over expenditures	(9,424,838)
Fund Balance at Beginning of Year	71,764,236
Fund Balance at End of Year	\$ 62,339,398

See the accompanying notes to the financial statements.

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL - BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2004

	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES			
Proceeds from the Sale of Bonds	\$ 237,537,790	\$	\$ (237,537,790)
Interest Income		1,124,505	1,124,505
TOTAL REVENUES	237,537,790	1,124,505	(236,413,285)
EXPENDITURES			
Supplies and Materials	2,360	951	1,409
Other Expenses and Services	277,224	268,829	8,395
Capital Outlay	237,258,206	10,279,563	226,978,643
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	237,537,790	10,549,343	226,988,447
Deficiency of revenues over expenditures	\$ -	(9,424,838)	\$ (9,424,838)
Fund Balance at Beginning of Year		71,764,236	
Fund Balance at End of Year		\$ 62,339,398	

See the accompanying notes to the financial statements.

VENTURA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2004

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles as prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board and <u>Audits of State and Local Governmental Units</u> issued by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants.

FUND STRUCTURE

The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Change in Fund Balance is a statement of financial activities of the Bond Construction Fund related to the current reporting period. Expenditures frequently include amounts for land, buildings, equipment, retirement of indebtedness, transfers to other funds, etc. Consequently, this statement does not purport to present the result of operations or the net income or loss for the period as would a statement of income for a profit-type organization.

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The Bond Construction Fund of the Ventura County Community College District is maintained on the modified accrual basis of accounting. As such, revenues are recognized when they become susceptible to accrual, which is to say, when they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. Expenditures are recognized in the accounting period in which the liability is incurred (when goods are received or services rendered).

Cash in the County Treasury is recorded at cost, which approximates fair value, in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 31.

BUDGET

The Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Change in Fund Balances – Budget and Actual includes a column titled "Budget". The amounts in this column represent the budget adopted by the Board and all amendments throughout the year.

VENTURA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2004

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (continued)

CAPITAL ASSETS AND LONG-TERM DEBT

The accounting and reporting treatment applied to the capital assets and long-term liabilities associated with the Bond Construction Fund are determined by its measurement focus. The Fund is accounted for on a spending or "financial flow" measurement focus. This means that only current assets and current liabilities are generally included on the balance sheet. The reported fund balance is considered a measure of "available spendable resources". Thus, the capital assets and long-term liabilities associated with the Bond Construction Fund are accounted for in the basic financial statements of the Ventura County Community College District.

NOTE 2 – PURCHASE COMMITMENTS:

As of June 30, 2004, the District was committed under various capital expenditure purchase agreements for construction and modernization projects totaling approximately \$17,660,000. Projects will be funded through bond proceeds.

NOTE 3 – BONDED DEBT:

On March 5, 2002, the voters authorized the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds totaling \$356,347,814. In August 2002, \$85,000,000 of general obligation bonds were sold under Proposition 39/Measure S which provides that proceeds of the bonds will generally be used to construct, acquire, modernize and equip district facilities, classrooms and sites, including campus, facility and classroom replacement, modernization and seismic retrofit, parking construction and improvements and that bond proceeds will not be used for salaries of school administrators or other operating expenses of the District.

VENTURA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS June 30, 2004

NOTE 3 – BONDED DEBT: (continued)

The outstanding related bonded debt for the Ventura County Community College District at June 30, 2004 is:

Date of Issue	Interest Rate %	Maturity <u>Date</u>	Amount of Original <u>Issue</u>	Outstanding July 1, 2003	Issued Current <u>Year</u>	Redeemed Current Year	Outstanding June 30, 2004
8/1/2002	3.00-5.00%	8/1/2027	\$85,000,000	\$85,000,000	\$0	\$7,300,000	\$77,700,000

The annual requirements to amortize all bonds payable, outstanding as of June 30, 2004, are as follows:

Year EndedJune 30	_Principal_	<u>Interest</u>	Total
2005	\$ 8,500,000	\$ 3,473,250	\$ 11,973,250
2006	2,500,000	3,308,250	5,808,250
2007	2,200,000	3,237,750	5,437,750
2008	1,000,000	3,189,750	4,189,750
2009	1,000,000	3,158,500	4,158,500
2010-2014	6,600,000	15,211,875	21,811,875
2015-2019	15,600,000	12,432,500	28,032,500
2020-2024	20,300,000	7,846,250	28,146,250
2025-2028	20,000,000	2,075,000	22,075,000
Totals	\$ <u>77,700,000</u>	\$ <u>53,933,125</u>	\$ <u>131,633,125</u>

The repayment of the debt related to the Measure S General Obligation Bonds is accounted for in the District's Bond Interest and Redemption Fund which is part of the Ventura County Community College District's basic financial statements.

VENTURA COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT BOND CONSTRUCTION FUND

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS June 30, 2004

There were no findings and questioned costs related to the financial audit of the Bond Construction Fund for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2004.