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NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

This section of the Board's financial report represents Management's analysis of the Board's financial performance during the years ended June 30, 2014 and 2013. Please read it in conjunction with the financial statements which follow this section.

Financial Highlights

During 2014, the Board's net position decreased by \$18,822, or 5.7%, due primarily to the Board's operating expenses exceeding its operating revenues. During 2013, the Board's net position decreased by \$22,698, or 6.4%, due primarily to an increase in expenses.

During 2014, the operating revenues of the Board increased by \$3,105, or 1.5%, due primarily to an increase in licensing fee revenue. During 2013, the operating revenues of the Board increased by \$9,690, or 4.9%, due primarily to an increase in licensing fee revenue.

During 2014, the non-operating revenues of the Board decreased by \$438, or 75.1%, due primarily to a decrease in the rate of return on investments. During 2013, the non-operating revenues of the Board decreased by \$1,353, or 69.9%, due primarily to a decrease in the rate of return on investments.

During 2014, the operating expenses of the Board decreased by \$1,209, or 0.5%, due primarily to a decrease in board members expenses. During 2013, the operating expenses of the Board increased by \$27,543, or 13.5%, due primarily to an increase in salaries, employee benefits and legal fees.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This financial report consists of two sections: Management's Discussion and Analysis and the Financial Statements. The Board has no other supplementary information required by Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34. The Financial Statements also include notes to the financial statements that provide detail of the information included in the financial statements.

Basic Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Board report information about the Board using accounting methods similar to those used by private sector companies. These statements offer short and long-term financial information about the activities of the Board.

The Statements of Net Position present the current and long-term portions of assets and liabilities separately.

The Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position present information on how the Board's assets changed as a result of its operations.

The Statements of Cash Flows present information on how the Board's cash changed as a result of its financial activities.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Condensed Financial Information

The following presents condensed financial information on the operations of the Board:

	Current Year as of and for the year ended June 30, 2014	Current Year as of and for the year ended June 30, 2013
Current assets	\$ 274,033	\$ 340,138
Capital assets	4,562	2,952
Other assets	175,839	126,624
Total assets	<u>\$ 454,434</u>	<u>\$ 469,714</u>
Current liabilities	\$ 137,868	\$ 134,346
Long-term liabilities	4,963	4,943
Total liabilities	<u>\$ 142,831</u>	<u>\$ 139,289</u>
Invested in capital assets	\$ 4,562	\$ 2,952
Unrestricted	307,041	327,473
Total net position	<u>\$ 311,603</u>	<u>\$ 330,425</u>
Operating revenues	\$ 211,270	\$ 208,165
Operating expenses	(230,237)	(231,446)
Operating income	<u>(18,967)</u>	<u>(23,281)</u>
Non-operating revenues	145	583
Change in net position	<u>\$ (18,822)</u>	<u>\$ (22,698)</u>

Events Affecting Future Operations

The Board has indicated it has no significant events affecting future operations which are reportable pursuant to GASB reporting requirements.

Contacting the Board's Management

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Board's finances and to demonstrate the Board's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional information, contact: North Carolina Board of Dietetics/Nutrition, 1000 Centre Green Way, Suite 200, Cary, NC 27513.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Members of the Board
North Carolina Board of Dietetics/Nutrition
Cary, North Carolina

Report on the Financial Statements

I have audited the accompanying financial statements and the related notes to the financial statements as listed in the table of contents of the North Carolina Board of Dietetics/Nutrition (the "Board"), an independent state agency which is a nonmajor enterprise fund of the primary government of the State of North Carolina, as of June 30, 2014 and 2013.

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.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on the audits. I conducted my audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that I plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of 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 auditor's judgement, 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, I 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.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the North Carolina Board of Dietetics/Nutrition as of June 30, 2014 and 2013, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (CONCLUDED)

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historic context. I have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge I obtained during my audits of the basic financial statements. I do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the supplementary information because the limited procedures do not provide sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance thereon.



Shelton L. Hawley, C.P.A., P.A.

Angier, North Carolina

September 11, 2014

**NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION
JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013**

	June 30, 2014	June 30, 2013
	Proprietary- Enterprise Fund	Proprietary- Enterprise Fund
ASSETS		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	\$ 271,344	\$ 312,780
Investments (Note 2)		24,992
Accrued interest receivable (on investments)		27
Prepaid expenses (Note 1)	2,689	2,339
Total current assets	274,033	340,138
Capital assets (Note 1):		
Office and computer equipment	4,562	2,952
Total capital assets - net of depreciation	4,562	2,952
Other assets:		
Investments (Note 2)	173,204	124,864
Accrued interest receivable (on investments)	267	222
Security deposit (on rental of office space)	2,368	1,538
Total other assets	175,839	126,624
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 454,434	\$ 469,714
LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$ 1,062	\$ 1,792
Accrued payroll (including payroll taxes and related costs)	2,927	2,731
Accrued vacation (Note 1)	1,654	1,648
Unearned revenue (Note 3)	132,225	128,175
Total current liabilities	137,868	134,346
Long term debt:		
Accrued vacation (Note 1)	4,963	4,943
Total long term debt	4,963	4,943
TOTAL LIABILITIES	142,831	139,289
NET POSITION (NOTE 4)		
Invested in capital assets	4,562	2,952
Unrestricted net position	307,041	327,473
TOTAL NET POSITION	311,603	330,425
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET POSITION	\$ 454,434	\$ 469,714

See notes to financial statements.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
	<u>Proprietary- Enterprise Fund</u>	<u>Proprietary- Enterprise Fund</u>
OPERATING REVENUES:		
Application fees	\$ 10,600	\$ 11,150
Licensing fees (including late fees)	200,485	196,570
Other operating income	<u>185</u>	<u>445</u>
Total operating revenues	\$ 211,270	\$ 208,165
OPERATING EXPENSES:		
Salaries and wages - staff (including accumulated leave)	\$ 107,606	\$ 105,750
Payroll taxes	8,885	8,090
Retirement (Note 6)	6,316	6,280
Employee benefits	13,397	14,591
Staff travel expenses	1,036	2,714
Board members expenses	8,262	10,878
Legal fees	31,640	29,521
Audit and accounting fees	4,795	4,995
Rent for office space (Note 5)	16,241	17,300
Telephone	532	1,812
Data processing services	8,150	7,800
Website and related expenses	1,308	1,308
Data processing fees (to outside agents)	1,670	905
Postage and freight	3,651	3,858
Printing and copying	3,089	3,263
Insurance	4,002	3,384
Office supplies and expenses	1,591	1,249
Depreciation	3,033	2,404
Bank charges (including discount fees)	3,982	4,986
Miscellaneous expenses	<u>1,051</u>	<u>358</u>
Total operating expenses	\$ 230,237	\$ 231,446
Operating income (loss)	\$ (18,967)	\$ (23,281)

See notes to financial statements.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
	<u>Proprietary- Enterprise Fund</u>	<u>Proprietary- Enterprise Fund</u>
NON-OPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES):		
Interest income (including unrealized gain/loss on certificates of deposit in the secondary market) (Note 2)	\$ 145	\$ 583
Total non-operating revenues	\$ 145	\$ 583
Change in net position	\$ (18,822)	\$ (22,698)
Net position - beginning of year	<u>330,425</u>	<u>353,123</u>
Net position - end of year	<u><u>\$ 311,603</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 330,425</u></u>

See notes to financial statements.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

	2014	2013
	Proprietary- Enterprise Fund	Proprietary- Enterprise Fund
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Cash received from fees	\$ 215,135	\$ 212,670
Cash received from other operating revenues	185	445
Cash payments to employee(s) for services	(135,982)	(130,975)
Cash payments for operating expenses	(92,910)	(94,520)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	<u>\$ (13,572)</u>	<u>\$ (12,380)</u>
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:		
Acquisition of capital assets	<u>\$ (4,643)</u>	<u>\$</u>
Net cash provided (used) by capital and related financing activities	<u>\$ (4,643)</u>	<u>\$ 0</u>
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Earnings on investments	\$ 779	\$ 2,251
Transfers from (to) investments	100,000	135,000
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Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	<u>\$ (23,221)</u>	<u>\$ 37,251</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash	<u>\$ (41,436)</u>	<u>\$ 24,871</u>
Cash - beginning of year	<u>312,780</u>	<u>287,909</u>
Cash - end of year	<u><u>\$ 271,344</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 312,780</u></u>

See notes to financial statements.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

	2014	2013
	Proprietary- Enterprise Fund	Proprietary- Enterprise Fund
Reconciliation of operating income		
to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Operating income (loss)	\$ (18,967)	\$ (23,281)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income		
to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Depreciation	\$ 3,033	\$ 2,404
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Other receivable		9,686
Prepaid expenses and other assets	(1,180)	(2,057)
Accounts payable	(730)	(7,818)
Other liabilities	222	3,736
Unearned revenue	4,050	4,950
Total adjustments	\$ 5,395	\$ 10,901
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	<u>\$ (13,572)</u>	<u>\$ (12,380)</u>

See notes to financial statements.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

Note 1 - Nature of Activities and Significant Accounting Policies

Description of Organization

The North Carolina Board of Dietetics/Nutrition (the "Board") is an independent state agency. It is an occupational licensing board and is authorized by Chapter 90 of the North Carolina General Statutes. The Board is composed of seven members who are appointed by the Governor and the General Assembly of the State of North Carolina. It is a nonmajor enterprise fund of the primary government of the State of North Carolina and is reported as such in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR).

The Board is established to maintain minimum standards for services provided by dietitians/nutritionists.

The Board's operations are financed with self-generated revenues from fees charged to licensees.

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting principles and reporting standards.

All activities of the Board are accounted for within a single proprietary (enterprise) fund. Proprietary funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises where the intent of the governing body is that the cost of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis be financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

Reporting Entity

The concept underlying the definition of the financial reporting entity is that elected officials are accountable to their constituents for their actions. As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP), the financial reporting entity includes both the primary government and all of its component units. An organization other than a primary government serves as a nucleus for a reporting entity when it issues separate financial statements. The accompanying financial statements present all funds and activities for which the Board is responsible.

For financial reporting purposes, the Board is a nonmajor enterprise fund of the primary government of the State of North Carolina and is reported as such in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR). These financial statements for the Board are separate and apart from those of the State of North Carolina and do not present the financial position of the State nor changes in the State's financial position and cash flows.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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Note 1 - Nature of Activities and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Basis of Accounting

In accordance with *Statement of Governmental Accounting Standards 34 (as amended, if applicable)*, the Board herewith presents Statements of Net Position, Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position; and Statements of Cash Flows. These statements reflect entity-wide operations of the Board. The Board has no fiduciary funds or component units.

The Statements of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position demonstrate the degree to which the direct expenses of the Board are offset by license fees.

The financial statements report all activities of the North Carolina Board of Dietetics/Nutrition using the economic resource measurement focus and the full accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized in the accounting period in which they are earned and become measurable. Expenses are recognized when incurred, when measurable, regardless of the timing of cash flows.

Operating revenues and expenses consist of those revenues and expenses that result from the ongoing principal operations of the Board. Operating revenues consist primarily of license fees. Operating expenses are all expense transactions incurred other than those related to capital and noncapital financing or investing activities as defined by GASB Statement No. 9, *Reporting Cash Flows of Proprietary and Nonexpendable Trust Funds and Governmental Entities That Use Proprietary Fund Accounting*. Non-operating revenues and expenses consist of those revenues and expenses that are related to investing, capital, and non-capital financing activities; and are classified as non-operating in the financial statements.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

This classification includes undeposited receipts, petty cash, checking accounts and time deposits (excluding certain certificates of deposit, if any) held by the Board.

Investments

The Board is authorized to invest idle funds in accordance with North Carolina General Statutes. This classification consists of certain certificates of deposits held by the Board for investment. Investments generally are reported at fair market value. Certificates of deposit are reported at cost (which is the same as fair value) if purchased in the primary certificate of deposit market, and at fair value if purchased in the secondary certificate of deposit market (as determined by quoted market prices). The net increase (decrease) in the fair value of investments for certificates of deposit is recognized as a component of investment interest income.

Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The carrying amounts of the Board's financial instruments approximate their fair value.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

Note 1 - Nature of Activities and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Prepaid Expenses

This classification includes expenses which were prepaid at year end for commercial insurance coverage and office space rent.

Capital Assets

Property and equipment are stated at cost and are being depreciated over their useful lives on a straight-line basis. The Board capitalizes assets that have a value or cost of \$500 or greater at the date of acquisition and an estimated useful life of more than one year. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method of depreciation over the estimated useful lives of the assets, generally estimated as follows: office furniture and equipment, 5 to 7 years. Summaries follow:

	Cost 06-30-13	Acquisitions	Disposals	Cost 06-30-14	Accumulated Depreciation	Net Amount
Office/computer equipment	12,031	4,643	1,444	15,230	10,668	4,562
	\$ 12,031	\$ 4,643	\$ 1,444	\$ 15,230	\$ 10,668	\$ 4,562

	Cost 06-30-12	Acquisitions	Disposals	Cost 06-30-13	Accumulated Depreciation	Net Amount
Office/computer equipment	12,031	-	-	12,031	9,079	2,952
	\$ 12,031	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 12,031	\$ 9,079	\$ 2,952

When an asset is disposed of, the cost of the asset and the related accumulated depreciation are removed from the books. Any gain or loss on disposition is reflected in earnings for the period. Depreciation expense was \$3,033 for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 and \$2,404 for the year ended June 30, 2013.

Vacation and Sick Leave

Board employees may accumulate up to thirty days earned vacation and such leave is fully vested when earned. At year end, accrued vacation in excess of the limits are transferred and added to sick leave balances. Accumulated earned vacation payable at June 30, 2014 and 2013, consisted of the following:

	June 30, 2014	June 30, 2013
Current portion	\$ 1,654	\$ 1,648
Long-term portion	4,963	4,943
Total	\$ 6,617	\$ 6,591

The Board's sick leave policy provides for an unlimited accumulation of earned sick leave. Since the Board has no obligation for the accumulated sick leave until it is actually taken, or until retirement, no accrual for sick leave has been made. The Board has a contingent liability for sick leave in the amount of \$5,083 at June 30, 2014 and \$1,801 at June 30, 2013.

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

Note 1 - Nature of Activities and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Income Taxes

The Board is a nonmajor enterprise fund of the primary government of the State of North Carolina and is exempt from federal and state income taxes.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles 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.

Note 2 - Deposits and Investments

Deposits

All of the Board's deposits which are uninsured are uncollateralized [unless collateralized pursuant to NC Administrative Code (20 NCAC 7)] by the financial institution holding said deposits. For deposits, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of the failure of the depository (or counterparty), the Board will not be able to recover the value of its deposits that are in the possession of the outside party. The Board does not have policies regarding custodial credit risk for deposits.

At June 30, 2014, the Board's deposits had a carrying amount of \$444,548 and a bank balance of \$444,942, which was covered by federal depository insurance. Certificates of deposit in the amount of \$173,204 are considered time deposits for this disclosure and are classified as investments on the Statements of Net Position. At June 30, 2013, the Board's deposits had a carrying amount of \$462,636 and a bank balance of \$465,642, which was covered by federal depository insurance. Certificates of deposit in the amount of \$149,856 are considered time deposits for this disclosure and are classified as investments on the Statements of Net Position.

Investments

At June 30, 2014 and 2013, the Board had the following investments and maturities.

Investment Type	June 30, 2014			June 30, 2013		
	Fair Value	3-12	Over 12	Fair Value	3-12	Over 12
		Months	Months		Months	Months
Certificate of Deposit	\$	\$	\$	\$ 24,992	\$ 24,992	\$
Certificates of Deposit	173,204		173,204	124,864		124,864
Total	\$ 173,204	\$ 0	\$ 173,204	\$ 149,856	\$ 24,992	\$ 124,864

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

Note 2 - Deposits and Investments (Continued)

Risk Disclosures for Investments

Interest rate risk - As a means of limiting its exposure to fair value losses arising from rising interest rates, the Board limits its investment in certificates of deposits to maturities of no more than 30 months.

Credit risk - State law limits the investments of the Board to certain types of investments. The Board's present policy for managing credit risk is to limit its investments to certificates of deposits.

Custodial credit risk - For an investment, custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of the failure of the depository (or counterparty), the Board will not be able to recover the value of its investments that are in the possession of the outside party. The Board does not have policies regarding custodial credit risk for investments.

Concentration of credit risk - During the year under audit, the Board placed no limit on the amount that it invested in any one issuer, however Board management has attempted to maximize FDIC coverage by depositing its certificates of deposit with various financial institutions through the securities division of its financial institution.

Reconciliation of Deposits and Investments

A reconciliation of deposits and investments for the Board to the basic financial statements at June 30, 2014 and 2013, is as follows:

	<u>June 30, 2014</u>	<u>June 30, 2013</u>
Carrying Amount of Bank Deposits	\$ 271,344	\$ 312,780
Certificates of Deposits	<u>173,204</u>	<u>149,856</u>
Total Deposits and Investments	<u>\$ 444,548</u>	<u>\$ 462,636</u>
Current:		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 271,344	\$ 312,780
Investments		24,992
Noncurrent:		
Investments	<u>173,204</u>	<u>124,864</u>
Total Deposits and Investments	<u>\$ 444,548</u>	<u>\$ 462,636</u>

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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Note 3 - Unearned Revenue

The Board's fees are assessed and collected on an annual basis for the period April 1 through March 31 of each year. Licenses are renewed for a period of one year. License fees received in the latter part of the fiscal year are deferred and recognized as revenue over the periods to which they relate.

Note 4 - Net Position

Invested in capital assets - This component of net position consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any loan proceeds that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those capital assets.

Restricted net position - expendable - This component of net position consists of net position which the Board is legally or contractually obligated to spend in accordance with restrictions imposed by external parties. The Board had no *restricted net position*.

Unrestricted net position - This component of net position consists of net position that does not meet the definition of *restricted or invested in capital assets*.

Note 5 - Operating Lease

Beginning in June, 2009, the Board leased office space under an operating lease. Total rent expense (including utilities and supplemental charges) charged to operations under the lease agreement was \$16,241 in 2014 and \$17,300 in 2013.

Rental commitments under the noncancellable operating lease at June 30, 2014 are as follows:

Year Ended June 30,	
2015	\$ <u>16,905</u>
	\$ <u><u>16,905</u></u>

NORTH CAROLINA BOARD OF DIETETICS/NUTRITION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2014 AND 2013

Note 6 - Pension Plan and Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions

Simplified Employee Pension Plan

During 2011, the Board entered into a Simplified Employee Pension plan agreement on behalf of eligible employee(s) of the Board. Two employees are covered under the plan, one management employee and one clerical staff employee. Only the Board contributes to the plan, and only the Board has the authority to authorize and amend the plan. The Board's payroll for employee(s) covered by the plan for the year ended June 30, 2014 was \$105,269; the Board's total payroll was \$107,606. The Board's pension contribution amounted to \$6,316 for 2014. The Board's payroll for employee(s) covered by the plan for the year ended June 30, 2013 was \$103,505; the Board's total payroll was \$105,750. The Board's pension contribution amounted to \$6,280 for 2013. The Board's payroll for employee(s) covered by the plan for the year ended June 30, 2012 was \$94,454; the Board's total payroll was \$94,454. The Board's pension contribution amounted to \$6,364 for 2012. The Board assumes no liability for retiree benefits provided by this program other than its required contributions. The Board has no postemployment benefits other than this defined contribution retirement plan.

Note 7 - Contingencies

The Board is involved in occasional disciplinary hearings throughout the year which arise in the ordinary course of its operations. In the opinion of management of the Board, the results of such actions during the years under audit do not materially affect the Board's operations, changes in financial position, or cash flows for the years herein ended.

Note 8 - Risk Management

The Board is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and the destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These exposures to loss are handled by participation in certain state-administered risk programs and self retention of certain risks. Additionally, the Board protects itself from exposure to loss through the purchase of commercial insurance coverage.

Note 9 - Subsequent Events

Subsequent events have been evaluated through September 11, 2014, the date the financial statements were available to be issued. Events occurring after that date have not been evaluated to determine whether a change in the financial statements would be required.

This audit required 58 audit hours at a cost of \$4,895.