### CLARK ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER A CHARTER SCHOOL OPERATED BY INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE

### **FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

June 30, 2012

### Clark Advanced Learning Center A Charter School Operated By Indian River State College

### **Financial Statements**

Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2012

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### **Report of Independent Auditors**

To the Board of Trustees
Clark Advanced Learning Center
A Charter School Operated By
Indian River State College
Fort Pierce, Florida

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Clark Advanced Learning Center, A Charter School Operated by Indian River State College, as of June 30, 2012, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Charter School's management. 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, the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As discussed in Note A, the accompanying financial statements were prepared to present financial position, changes in financial position and cash flows of Clark Advanced Learning Center and are not intended to be a complete presentation of the Indian River State College's financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Clark Advanced Learning Center as of June 30, 2012, and the changes in its' financial position and its' cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principals generally accepted in the United States of America.



Board of Trustees
Clark Advanced Learning Center
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Fort Pierce, Florida

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated September 28, 2012 on our consideration of Clark Advanced Learning Center's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its' compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be read in conjunction with this report in considering the results of our audit.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis on pages 3-8 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by *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 historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted principally of inquires of management regarding 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 we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express and opinion or provide any assurance.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Trustees and management of Indian River State College and state and local agencies and should not be used for any other purpose.

Berger, Toombs, Elam, Gaines & Frank Certified Public Accountants PL

Fort Pierce, Florida

September 28, 2012

### Introduction

The following Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) provides an overview of the financial position and activities of the Clark Advanced Learning Center a Charter School Operated by Indian River State College (CLARK) for the year ended June 30, 2012. This discussion has been prepared by management and should be read in conjunction with the financial statements and the notes, which follow this section.

CLARK is operated by Indian River State College (IRSC) and is housed on the Indian River State College, Chastain Campus in Stuart, Florida. Students attending CLARK enjoy full access to all College facilities, activities and services. Enrollment during fiscal year 2011-2012 consisted of 218 students compared to 212 students in the prior fiscal year.

### **Using the Financial Statements**

This report consists of three basic financial statements: the Statement of Net Assets, the Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets and the Statement of Cash Flows that provides information on CLARK as a whole and presents a long term view of CLARK's finances. The following activities are included in CLARK's basic financial statements:

The Primary Institution, Clark Advanced Learning Center, is a public charter high school operated by Indian River State College and sponsored by the School Board of Martin County, open to Martin County public, private or home school students who are in the 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades. The purpose of CLARK is to provide academic and technical education for high school students and the opportunity to complete a high school diploma and an Associate Degree, simultaneously, in either academic transfer or technical education options. The high school is distinguished by the application of varied instructional delivery and learning styles, a technology-across-the-curriculum approach and incorporation of an integrated academic seminar series at each grade level.

The Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A), Financial Statements and accompanying Notes are prepared in accordance with the appropriate Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) pronouncements: Statement No. 35, Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis for Public Colleges and Universities.

#### **Statement of Net Assets**

The Statements of Net Assets presents a financial picture of CLARK's financial condition at June 30, 2012 by reporting assets (current and non-current), liabilities (current and non-current), and net assets (assets less liabilities).

#### Assets

Total assets of CLARK at June 30, 2012 were \$2,680,308 of which cash and investments of \$2,331,731 represented the major portion. Total assets increased by \$57,295 or 2% over the prior fiscal year primarily due to an increase in capital assets. Total non-current assets net of depreciation were \$334,895.

#### Liabilities

Total liabilities at June 30, 2012 were \$71,815, a \$14,555 or 25% increase from the prior year balance. This increase is primarily attributed to accrued wages and compensated absences at fiscal year end.

Current liabilities consisting of accounts payable, accrued liabilities and compensated absences – current were \$59,973 at June 30, 2012. This figure represents an increase of \$15,718 or 36% from the prior fiscal year. Total non-current liabilities consisting of compensated absences payable was \$11,842 compared to \$13,005 in the prior fiscal year.

#### **Net Assets**

Net assets were \$2,608,493 and were divided into three major categories, defined as follows:

- Invested in capital assets, net of related debt and depreciation This category represents CLARK's net equity in property, plant and equipment.
- o Restricted This category represents Capital Outlay Funds.
- <u>Unrestricted</u> This category represents the net assets held by CLARK that have no formal restrictions placed upon them.

### Condensed Statement of Net Assets At June 30, 2012

	6/30/2012	6/30/2011
Total Assets	\$ 2,680,308	\$ 2,623,013
Total Liabilities Total Net Assets Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 71,815 2,608,493 \$ 2,680,308	\$ 57,260 2,565,753 \$ 2,623,013

### Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets

The Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets, which is generally referred to as the activities statement, presents the total revenues (operating and non-operating) received and expenses (operating and non-operating) paid and owed and income or loss from operations for the fiscal years 2012 and 2011.

### Revenues

Non-operating revenues for fiscal years ending June 30, 2012 and 2011 totaled \$1,582,819 and \$1,728,824, respectively, a decrease of \$146,005 or 8%. For 2012, intergovernmental revenues from Martin County District School Board totaled \$1,213,981. CLARK received a special funding award entitled School Recognition Funds totaling \$14,877. Charter School Capital Outlay funds totaled \$117,009 in fiscal year 2012 compared to \$121,896 received in prior fiscal year.

CLARK received the same amount of general allocation funding from IRSC for fiscal years 2012 and 2011 totaling \$190,164. The funds were used mainly to support CLARK's operating activities.

Other income totaling \$26,472 consists of funding received from the CLARK Foundation in support of student activities programs. This figure represents an increase of \$14,659 or 124% over the prior fiscal year. Interest income increased by \$3,534 or 22% compared to prior fiscal year due to higher interest rates.

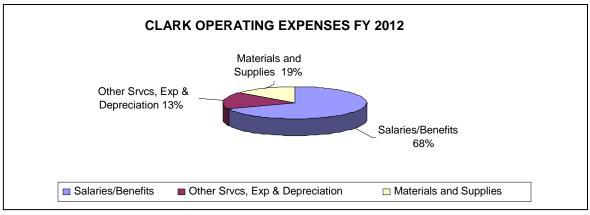
### **Expenses**

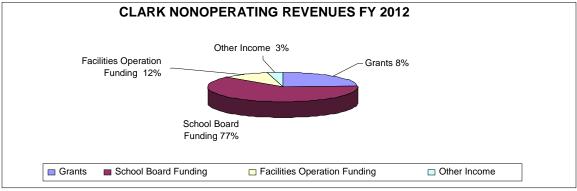
Total operating expenses for CLARK for the fiscal years ending June 30, 2012 and 2011 were \$1,540,079 and \$1,533,230, respectively, representing an increase of \$6,849 or 0.5%. This increase is partially attributed to the hiring of additional instructors to meet the needs of the increased enrollment.

### Condensed Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Assets For the June 30<sup>th</sup> Fiscal Years Ended

	FYE 2012	FYE 2011
OPERATING EXPENSES:		
Salaries and benefits	\$ 1,051,970	\$ 1,015,161
Other services/expenses and depreciation	197,434	214,595
Materials and supplies	290,675	303,474
Total Operating Expenses	\$ 1,540,079	\$ 1,533,230

	FYE 2012		FYE 2011		
NONOPERATING REVENUES:					
School board funding	\$	1,213,981	\$	1,372,509	
Federal and capital grants		132,967		138,637	
Facilities operation funding		190,164		190,164	
Other income and interest		45,707		27,514	
Total Non-Operating Revenues	\$	1,582,819	\$	1,728,824	
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CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	\$	42,740	\$	195,594	
Net Assets-Beginning of Year		2,565,753		2,370,159	
Net Assets-End of Year	\$	2,608,493	\$	2,565,753	





### **Statement of Cash Flows**

The Statement of Cash Flows provides a summary of the sources and uses of cash by categories. The primary purpose of the Statement of Cash Flows is to provide information about CLARK's cash receipts and payments during the year and help assess CLARK's ability to generate future net cash flows and meet future obligations.

The major source of cash is the pass through grant funds received from the State of Florida, Department of Education to the CLARK sponsor, the Martin County District School Board, totaling \$1,213,981. The main uses of Cash for Operating Activities were payments to suppliers totaling \$442,752 and payments to employees in the amount of \$1,046,975.

The Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing activities include receipts from state and local sources totaling \$1,416,925 and \$15,958 as receipts from grants.

Net Cash Flow from Capital and Related Financing Activities sources totaled (\$73,945) for fiscal year 2012. The Cash Flow from Investing activities represent interest income earned on investments in the amount of \$19,235.

Overall, cash at the fiscal year end totaled \$2,331,731.

### Condensed Statement of Cash Flows For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2012

Cash Flows from Operating Activities	\$ (1,489,727)
Cash Flows from Noncapital Financing Activities	1,432,883
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities	(73,945)
Cash Flows from Investing Activities	19,235
Net Decrease in Cash	 (111,554)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	2,443,285
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$ 2,331,731

#### **Economic Factors That Will Affect the Future**

Overall, the Clark Advanced Learning Center's financial position is strong and has sufficient unrestricted reserves to offset reductions of State appropriations in the immediate future. For the 2009-2010 and the 2010-2011 Academic School Years, the Clark Advanced Learning Center received an "A" rating from the Florida Department of Education. School grades for the 2011-2012 Academic Year have not been released from the Florida Department of Education.

Indian River State College and the School Board of Martin County are committed to maintaining the high caliber of student enrollment at CLARK to continue its present level of success.

### **Request For Information**

Questions concerning information provided in the MD&A and financial statements and notes thereto, or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Vice President of Administration and Finance, Indian River State College, 3209 Virginia Avenue, Fort Pierce, FL 34981.

## CLARK ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER A CHARTER SCHOOL OPERATED BY INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE STATEMENT OF NET ASSETS June 30, 2012

### **ASSETS**

Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 2,331,731
Accounts receivable		13,682
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		2,345,413
Non-current Assets Capital assets being depreciated		
Improvements other than building	S	333,288
Furniture and equipment		75,003
Less: Accumulated depreciation		(73,396)
Total Non-Current Assets		334,895
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Total Assets		\$ 2,680,308
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	LIABILITIES	
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilit	ties	\$ 38,255
Compensated absences - current		21,718
Total Current Liabilities		59,973
Noncurrent Liabilities		
Compensated absences		11,842
Total Liabilities		71,815
	NET ASSETS	
Invested in capital assets		334,895
Restricted for capital projects		517,378
Unrestricted		1,756,220
Total Net Assets		\$ 2,608,493

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

## CLARK ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER A CHARTER SCHOOL OPERATED BY INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the Year Ended June 30, 2012

Operating Expenses	
Salaries	\$ 908,998
Benefits	142,972
Other services and expenses	161,646
Materials and supplies	290,675
Depreciation	35,788
Total Operating Expenses	1,540,079
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Nonoperating Revenues	4 040 004
Intergovernmental revenues	1,213,981
Federal grants	15,958
Capital grants	117,009
Facilities operation funding from Indian River State College	190,164
Other income	26,472
Interest income	19,235
Total Nonoperating Revenues	1,582,819
Change in Net Assets	42,740
Net Assets, July 1, 2011	 2,565,753
Net Assets, June 30, 2012	\$ 2,608,493

### CLARK ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER A CHARTER SCHOOL OPERATED BY INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

### For the Year Ended June 30, 2012

CASH FLOWS USED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES  Payments to employees  Payments to suppliers  Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	\$ (1,046,975) (442,752) (1,489,727)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES Receipts from state and local sources Receipts from federal grants Net Cash Provided by Noncapital Financing Activities	1,416,925 15,958 1,432,883
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Receipts from federal grants Acquisition and construction of capital assets Net Cash Used by Capital and Related Financing Activities	117,009 (190,954) (73,945)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Interest income	19,235
Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(111,554)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - July 1, 2011	2,443,285
Cash and Cash Equivalents - June 30, 2012	\$ 2,331,731
Reconciliation of net operating (loss) to net cash provided by operating a	activities
Cash flows from operating activities:  Operating loss  Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	\$ (1,540,079)
Depreciation	35,787
Changes in assets and liabilities  Decrease in accounts payable	9,570
Increase in accrued compensated absences	4,995
Total Adjustments	50,352
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	\$ (1,489,727)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

## CLARK ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER A CHARTER SCHOOL OPERATED BY INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS For the Year Ended June 30, 2012

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ASSETS Cash and investments	_\$	8,798
LIABILITIES Agency funds on hand	\$	8,798

### NOTE A - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Reporting Entity

Clark Advanced Learning Center ("The School") is a charter school operated in Martin County, Florida by Indian River State College (the "College"). It is governed by the District Board of Trustees of the College who are appointed by the Governor of the State of Florida.

The School is organized and operated in accordance with Section 1002.33, Florida Statutes. The School operates under a charter of the sponsoring school district – The School Board of Martin County, Florida. The original charter became effective on July 1, 2004 for a five-year term ending June 30, 2009. The original agreement has been renewed for an additional five year term upon the mutual consent of the parties. The charter may be terminated by the School Board if good cause is shown.

The accompanying financial statements were prepared to present financial position, results of operations and cash flows of Clark Advanced Learning Center and are not intended to be a complete presentation of the College's financial statements.

### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

The School's accounting policies conform with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America applicable to colleges and universities as prescribed by the Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB). The School follows Financial Accounting Standards Board statements and interpretations issued after November 30, 1989, unless those pronouncements conflict with GASB pronouncements. GASB allows public colleges various reporting options. The School elected to report as an entity engaged in only business-type activities. This election requires the adoption of the accrual basis of accounting and reporting to include the following components:

- ♦ Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A)
- ♦ Basic Financial Statements
  - Statement of Net Assets
  - Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets
  - Statement of Cash Flows (presented using the direct method in compliance with GASB No. 9)
  - Notes to the Financial Statements

### NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

Basis of accounting refers to when revenues, expenses and related assets and liabilities are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Specifically, it relates to the timing of the measurements made, regardless of the measurement focus applied. The School's financial statements are presented using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from exchange and exchange-like transactions are recognized when the exchange takes place. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from non-exchange activities are generally recognized when all applicable eligibility requirements, including time requirements, are met.

The School's principal operating activity is instruction. Operating expenses include all fiscal transactions related to instruction as well as administration, academic support, and student services. Nonoperating revenues include Federal, State and local grants and appropriations and investment income.

The statement of net assets is presented in a classified format to distinguish between current and non-current assets and liabilities. When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available to find certain programs, it is the School's policy to first apply the restricted resources to such programs followed by the use of unrestricted resources.

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on hand, cash in bank and cash placed with the State Board of Administration. For cash flow purposes the College considers all highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

### Capital Assets

Capital assets, which consist of equipment, are recorded at cost or, in the case of donated property, at the estimated fair market value at the date of receipt. The College has a capitalization threshold of \$5,000 for tangible personal property and \$25,000 for buildings and improvements.

Depreciation of capital assets is computed and recorded by utilizing the straight-line method. Estimated useful lives of the various classes of depreciable capital assets are as follows:

Buildings	40 years
Other Structures and Improvements	10 years
Furniture, Machinery and Equipment	5-10 years
Assets Under Capital Leases and Leasehold Improvements	10 years

### NOTE A – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

### Compensated Absences

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 250, Part III, Florida Statutes, State Board of Education rules and Board policies, employees earn annual vacation and sick leave based on the length of service, but subject to certain limitations regarding the amount that will be paid upon termination. These earnings for accumulated leave are recorded as a liability in the School's financial statements.

### NOTE B - CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash as reported on the Statement of Net Assets, includes the following:

Checking	\$ 645,274
Cash Equivalents	1,686,357
Petty Cash	 100
Total Cash	\$ 2,331,731

Cash for the operation of the School is combined with other cash of the District Board of Trustees of Indian River State College.

Banks qualified as public depositories under Chapter 280, Florida Statutes hold cash deposits of the College. In addition to insurance provided by the Federal Depository Insurance Corporation, all demand deposits are held in banking institutions approved by the State Treasurer of the State of Florida to hold public funds and are collateralized under the provisions of the state statute noted above.

The School follows the Indian River State College investment policy.

<u>Interest Rate Risk</u> - The investment policy limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

<u>Credit Risk</u> - The investment policy of the college limits investments to certain fixed income securities.

<u>Concentration of Credit Risk</u> - The investment policy places a limit on the amount it may invest in any one investment type.

The types of deposits and investments and their level of risk exposure as of June 30, 2012 were typical of these items during the fiscal year then ended. The school considers any decline in fair value for certain investments to be temporary.

### **NOTE C – CHANGES IN CAPITAL ASSETS**

A summary of changes in Capital Assets follows:

	Beginning Balance Increases		Decre	eases_	Ending Balance		
Capital assets being depreciated:							
Furniture & equipment	\$	75,003	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 75,003
Other structures & improvements		142,334	190	,954		-	333,288
Accumulated depreciation		(37,609)	(35	,787)			(73,396)
Total Capital Assets Being Depreciated		179,728	155	,167		-	334,895
Captial Assets, Net	\$	179,728	\$ 155	,167	\$		\$ 334,895
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### NOTE D - ACCRUED COMPENSATED ABSENCES

A summary of changes in accrued compensated absences follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance	
Compensated absences	\$ 28,565	\$ 30,868	\$ (25,873)	\$ 33,560	

#### NOTE E – RETIREMENT PLAN

Most employees working in regularly established positions of the College are covered by the Florida Retirement system, a State-administered, cost-sharing, multiple-employer, defined benefit retirement plan (the "Plan"). All instructors and supporting staff of the School are employed by Indian River State College. Plan provisions are established by Chapters 121 and 122, Florida Statutes; Chapter 112, Part IV, Florida Statutes; Chapter 238, Florida Statutes; and Florida Retirement System Rules, Chapter 605 Florida Administrative Code, wherein Plan eligibility, contributions, and benefits are defined and described in detail. Essentially, all regular employees of participating employers are eligible and must enroll as members of the Plan.

### **NOTE E – RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)**

Benefits vest at specified ages or number of years of service depending upon the employee's classification. The Plan also includes an early retirement provision, but imposes a penalty for each year a member retires before the specified retirement age. The Plan provides retirement, disability, death benefits and annual cost-of-living adjustments, as well as supplements for certain employees to cover social security benefits lost by virtue of retirement system membership.

A Deferred Retirement Option Program ("DROP"), subject to provisions of Section 121.091, Florida Statutes, permits employees eligible for normal retirement under the Plan to defer receipt of monthly benefit payments while continuing employment with the Florida Retirement System employer. An employee may participate in the DROP for a period not to exceed 60 months after electing to participate. During the period of DROP participation, deferred monthly benefits are held in the Florida Retirement System Trust Fund and accrue interest. The School had one employee enrolled in the Deferred Retirement Option Program for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 and required contributions of \$4,159 were made to the Plan.

The Plan's financial statements and other supplemental information are included in the State's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, which may be obtained by contacting the Florida Department of Financial Services in Tallahassee, Florida. Also, an annual report on the Plan, which includes its financial statements, required supplemental information, actuarial report and other relevant information may be obtained from the Florida Department of Management Services, Division of Retirement in Tallahassee, Florida.

The contribution rates for Plan members are established, and may be amended, by the State of Florida. Contribution rates during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 are presented in the following table:

	Percent of Gross Salary		
Class or Plan	Employee	Employer (A)	
Florida Retirement System, Regular	3%	4.91%	
Florida Retirement System, CCORP	3%	7.92%	
Florida Retirement System, Special Risk	3%	14.10%	
Deferred Retirement Option Program - Applicable to			
Members from All of the Above Classes or Plan	0%	4.42%	
Florida Retirement System, Reemployed Retiree	(B)	(B)	

- (A) Employer rates include the post-employment health insurance subsidy of 1.11 percent and .03 percent for administrative costs of the Public Employee Optional Retirement Program.
- (B) Contribution rates are dependent upon retirement class or plan in which reemployed.

### **NOTE E – RETIREMENT PLAN (CONTINUED)**

The School's liability for participation in the Plan is limited to the payment of the required contribution at the rates and frequencies established by law on future payrolls of the School. The School's employer contributions to the Plan for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2012, 2011 and 2010 totaled \$38,234, \$79,705, and \$74,467, respectively, which were equal to the required contributions for the fiscal year. Effective July 1, 2011, employees were required to contribute 3% and the employer contribution rate was reduced for all membership. The employee contribution portion for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 was \$38,939.

<u>Public Employee Optional Retirement Program (PEORP)</u> – Pursuant to Section 121.4501, Florida Statutes, and the Florida Legislature created a defined contribution program called the Public Employee Optional Retirement Program. The program is an option to the Florida Retirement System and is self-directed by the employee. A retirement account is established for each employee who selects this option and an employer contribution is directed to the individual account. The employees have the responsibility of selecting how their funds are invested within the approved set of investment choices and may take their funds when they leave the Florida Retirement System. The School had six employees enrolled in the Program for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2012 and required contributions of \$10,182 were made to the plan.

#### NOTE F - INDIRECT COST ALLOCATION

The School's operating expenses do not include any indirect operating costs of the College, such as facility rent, finance, payroll and administrative services performed by the College. These services are provided by the College at no cost to the School.

### **NOTE G - RISK MANAGEMENT**

The School is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft, damage to and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees and natural disasters. The School is insured for these risks through the Florida Community Colleges Risk Management Consortium. The Consortium was created under authority of Section 1001.64(27), Florida Statutes by the Boards of Trustees of the Florida Public Community Colleges for the purpose of joining a cooperative effort to develop, implement and participate in a coordinated statewide community college risk management program. The Consortium is to be self-sustaining through member assessments (premiums) and is reinsured through commercial companies for claims in excess of specified amounts. Insurance coverage obtained through the Consortium included health, dental, fire and extended property, general and automobile liability, workers' compensation and other liability coverage. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded coverage in any of the past three years.



## CLARK ADVANCED LEARNING CENTER A CHARTER SCHOOL OPERATED BY INDIAN RIVER STATE COLLEGE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUNDS

For the Year Ended June 30, 2012

	Beginning Balance		Additions		Deletions	Ending Balance	
<b>Assets</b> Cash	\$	9,947	\$	22,724	\$ 23,873	\$	8,798
<b>Liabilities</b> Agency funds on hand	\$	9,947	\$	22,724	\$ 23,873	\$	8,798

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

To the Board of Trustees
Clark Advanced Learning Center
A Charter School Operated By
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Fort Pierce, Florida

We have audited the financial statements of Clark Advanced Learning Center as of and for the year ended June 30, 2012, and have issued our report thereon dated September 28, 2012. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States.

#### Internal Control over Financial Reporting

Management of Clark Advanced Learning Center is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over financial reporting. In planning and performing our audit, we considered Clark Advanced Learning Center's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Clark Advanced Learning Center's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Clark Advanced Learning Center's internal control over financial reporting.

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

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



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### **Compliance and Other Matters**

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

We noted certain matters that we reported to management of Clark Advanced Learning Center in a separate letter dated September 28, 2012.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of management, others within the entity, and the Auditor General of the State of Florida, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than those specified parties.

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September 28, 2012



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### **Management Letter**

To the Board of Trustees
Clark Advanced Learning Center
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We have audited the financial statements of the Clark Advanced Learning Center, A Charter School Operated By Indian River State College, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2012, and have issued our report thereon dated September 28, 2012.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. We have issued our Independent Auditor's 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*. Disclosures in that report which is dated September 28, 2012 should be considered in conjunction with this Management Letter.

Additionally, our audit was conducted in accordance with Chapter 10.850, Rules of the Auditor General, which governs the conduct of charter school and similar entity audits performed in the State of Florida. This letter includes the following information, which is not included in the aforementioned auditor's reports or schedule.

The Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(e)1.) require that we determine whether or not corrective actions have been taken to address findings and recommendations made in the preceding annual financial audit report. There were no findings or recommendations made in the preceding audit report.

Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(e)3.) requires that we address in the management letter any recommendations to improve financial management. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such recommendations.

Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(e)4.) requires that we address violations of provisions of contracts or grant agreements, or abuse, that have an effect on the financial statements that is less than material but more than inconsequential. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such findings.



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Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(e)5.) provides that the auditor may, based on professional judgment, report the following matters that have an inconsequential effect on the financial statements considering both quantitative and qualitative factors: (1) violations of provisions of contracts or grant agreements, fraud, illegal acts, or abuse, and (2) deficiencies in internal control that are not significant deficiencies. In connection with our audit, we did not have any such findings.

Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(e)6) requires the name or official title of the school. The official title of the school is Clark Advanced Learning Center.

Rules of the Auditor General (Section 10.854(1)(e)2) requires a statement be included as to whether or not the school has met one or more of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes, and identification of the specific condition(s) met. In connection with our audit, we determined that the Clark Advanced Learning Center did not meet any of the conditions described in Section 218.503(1), Florida Statutes.

As required by the Rules of the Auditor General (Sections 10.854(1)(e)7.a. and 10.855(10)) we applied financial condition assessment procedures. It is management's responsibility to monitor The Clark Advanced Learning Center's financial condition, and our financial condition assessment was based in part on representations made by management and the review of financial information provided by same.

Pursuant to Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, this Management Letter is a public record and its' distribution is not limited. Auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America require us to indicate that this letter is intended solely for the information and use of Management and the State of Florida Office of the Auditor General, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

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Fort Pierce, Florida

September 28, 2012