Instructions for Completing the Data Template for the Governmental Charter School Annual Financial and Compliance Report

The data template for the governmental charter school annual financial and compliance report (AFR) includes several tabs for data entry: **Cover**, **Required Questions**, **Charter Holder**, **SofNP-GW**, **SofA-GW**, **BalSheet**, **SofRECFB**, **Budget Comparison**, **SofFQC**, and **Reconciliation**.

Enter data in unshaded (white) cells only. The shaded blue cells include calculations that automatically populate the cells with totals after you enter individual amounts in unshaded cells.

**Tab: Cover**
1. From the **For the Fiscal Year Ended** drop-down list, select the fiscal year ended date.
2. From the **Charter School CDN and Name** drop-down list, select your charter school’s county–district number and name.
3. In the **Preparer Contact Information** section, enter the name, title, phone number, and email address for each person who enters data in this template.

**Tab: Required Questions**
1. Enter responses for questions under **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR DETERMINATIONS**, **PAYMENT COMPLIANCE**, and **TRANSPARENCY** sections by selecting responses from the drop-down lists.
2. Enter any comments in the **Comments** cell.

**Tab: Charter Holder**
1. Enter information for the charter holder in the following cells:
   - Charter Holder Name
   - Charter Holder FEIN
   - Charter Holder Debt
   - Charter Holder Cash on Hand
   - Charter Holder Federal Revenue
   - Charter Holder Federal Expenditures
2. In the **Explanation** cell, explain any difference (calculated in the **Difference** cell) between the amounts for **Charter Holder Federal Revenue** and **Charter Holder Federal Expenditures**.
3. Enter any comments in the **Comments** cell.
**Tab: SofNP-GW**

1. Enter amounts from the AFR’s Statement of Net Position for the line items under **ASSETS**, **DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES**, **LIABILITIES**, **DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES**,** and **NET POSITION**. Enter these amounts in the **Governmental Activities** and **Component Units** columns as applicable. The shaded blue cells are calculated totals of the line item amounts.

2. In the **Total Stated on AFR for Governmental Activities** column, enter the total *as stated on the AFR’s financial statement* for each category of assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and net position. In the **Explanation for Variance** cells, explain any variances (shown in the **Variance** cells).

3. Enter any comments in the **Comments** cell.

**Tab: SofA-GW**

1. Enter amounts from the AFR’s Statement of Activities (Government Wide) for the line items under **PRIMARY GOVERNMENT** and **COMPONENT UNITS**. Enter these amounts in the **Expenses**, **Charges for Services**, **Operating Grants and Contributions**, and **Capital Grants and Contributions** columns as applicable. The shaded blue cells are calculated totals of the line item amounts.

2. In the **COMPONENT UNITS** area, enter amounts and a brief description as applicable.

3. In the **Total Stated on AFR for Governmental Activities** column, enter the total *as stated on the AFR’s financial statement* for each category of primary government and component units. In the **Explanation for Variance** cells, explain any variances (shown in the **Variance** cells).

4. Under **General Revenues**, enter amounts in the **Primary Government** and **Component Units** columns with a brief description as applicable.

5. Enter the amounts of **Net Position, beginning** in the **Primary Government** and **Component Units** columns. Also, enter any adjustments as applicable.

6. Enter any comments in the **Comments** cell.

**Tab: BalSheet**

1. Enter amounts from the AFR’s Balance Sheet (Governmental Funds) for the line items under **ASSETS**, **LIABILITIES**, and **FUND BALANCES**. Enter these amounts in the **General Fund** and **Other Governmental Funds** columns. The shaded blue cells are calculated totals of the line item amounts.

2. In the **Total Stated on AFR for Total Governmental Funds** column, enter the total *as stated on the AFR’s financial statement* for each category of assets, liabilities, and fund balances. In the **Explanation for Variance** cells, explain any variances (shown in the **Variance** cells).

3. In the **Reconciliation of the governmental funds Balance Sheet to the government-wide Statement of Net Position** area, enter amounts from the AFR’s **financial statement** and a brief description if applicable.

4. Enter any comments in the **Comments** cell.
Tab: SofRECFB

1. Enter amounts from the AFR’s Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances (Governmental Funds) for the line items under REVENUE, EXPENDITURES, and OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES). Enter these amounts in the General Fund and Other Governmental Funds columns as applicable. The shaded blue cells are calculated totals of the line item amounts.

2. In the Total Stated on AFR column, enter the total as stated on the AFR’s financial statement for each category of revenue, expenditures, and fund balances. In the Explanation for Variance cells, explain any variances (shown in the Variance cells).

3. In the OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) area, enter any other sources (uses) and a brief description as applicable.

4. Enter the amounts of FUND BALANCES at Beginning of Year and FUND BALANCES as Restated if applicable.

5. In the FUND BALANCES as Restated area, enter adjustments and a brief description as applicable.

6. In the Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities area, enter amounts from the AFR’s financial statement and a brief description if applicable.

7. Enter any comments in the Comments cell.

Tab: Budget Comparison

1. Enter amounts from the AFR’s Budgetary Comparison Schedule for the ORIGINAL BUDGET, FINAL BUDGET, and ACTUAL AMOUNTS. The following items are automatically calculated in the shaded blue cells:
   - Total Revenue
   - Total Expenditures
   - Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures
   - TOTAL OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)
   - NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES
   - FUND BALANCES at End of Year

2. Variances between the ACTUAL AMOUNTS and the FINAL BUDGET are also automatically calculated. If the variance is 10 percent or more, a message appears stating “Variance should be noted in the AFR.”

3. In the Total ACTUAL AMOUNT Stated on AFR column, enter the total as stated on the AFR’s schedule. Any variances will be shown in the Variance cells.

4. In the OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) area, enter any other sources (uses) and a brief description as applicable.

5. Enter the amounts of FUND BALANCES at Beginning of Year and FUND BALANCES as Restated if applicable.

6. In the FUND BALANCES as Restated area, enter adjustments and a brief description as applicable.

7. Enter any comments in the Comments cell.
Tab: SofFQC

1. Enter information for FINANCIAL STATEMENTS and FEDERAL AWARDS from the AFR’s Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs by selecting responses from the drop-down lists.
2. Enter the dollar amount for the Dollar Threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs.

Tab: Reconciliation

1. This reconciliation schedule
   • compares various amounts entered in this workbook for discrepancies and
   • automatically calculates any differences.
2. You must enter data on this worksheet only if differences occur.

List of Acronyms

AFR – Annual Financial and Compliance Report
BalSheet – Balance Sheet
CDN – County District Number
FEIN – Federal Employer Identification Number
SofA-GW – Statement of Activities (Government Wide)
SofFQC – Statement of Findings and Questioned Costs
SofNP-GW – Statement of Net Position (Government Wide)
SofRECFB – Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances (Governmental Funds)