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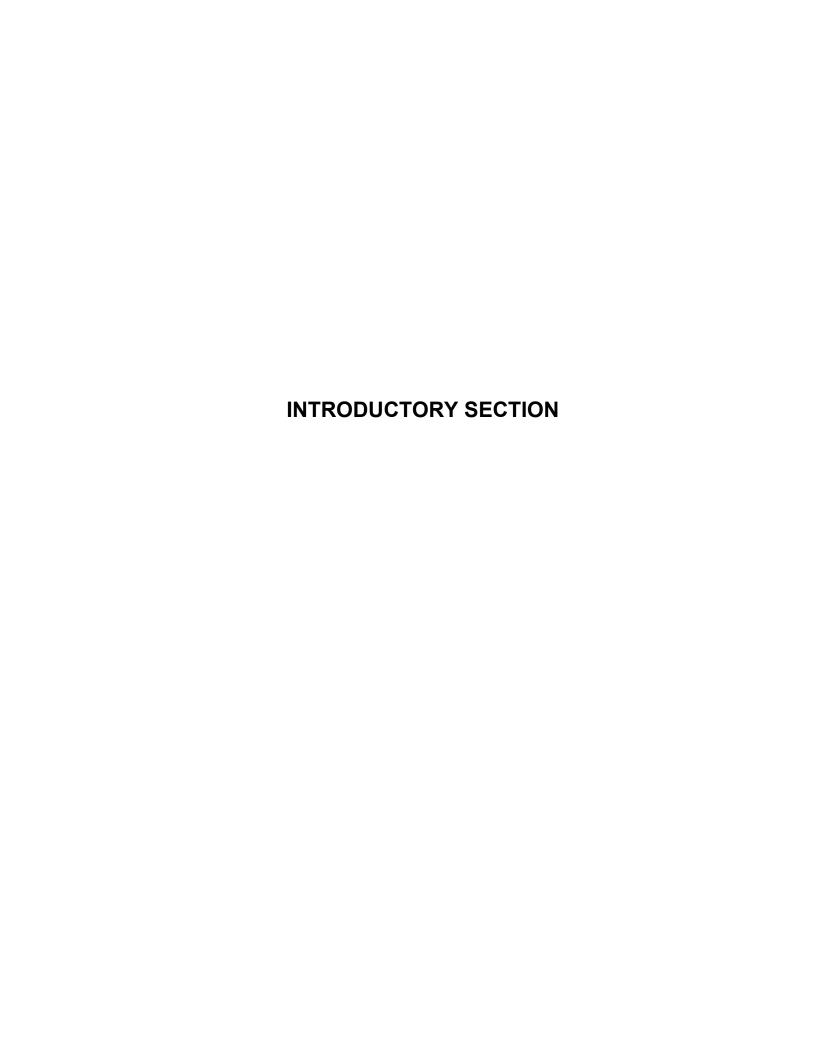
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November 13, 2023

To the Honorable Mayor, Distinguished Members of City Council and the Citizens of the City of Stockbridge

Ladies and Gentlemen:

State Law requires that all general-purpose local governments publish, within six months of the close of each fiscal year, a complete set of financial statements presented in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and audited in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards by a firm of licensed certified public accountants. Pursuant to that requirement, we hereby issue the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia (the "City") for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022.

This report consists of management's representations concerning the finances of the City. Consequently, management assumes full responsibility for the completeness and reliability of all the information presented in this report. To provide a reasonable basis for making these representations, management of the City of has established a comprehensive internal control framework that is designed both to protect the government's assets from loss, theft, or misuse and to compile sufficient reliable information for the preparation of the City's financial statements in conformity with GAAP. Because the cost of the internal controls should not outweigh their benefits, the City's comprehensive framework of internal controls has been designed to provide reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance that the financial statements will be free from material misstatement. As management, we assert that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this financial report is complete and reliable in all material respects.

The City's financial statements have been audited by Mauldin and Jenkins, LLC, a firm of licensed certified public accountants. The goal of the independent audit was to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements of the City for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022, are free of material misstatement. The independent audit involved examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements; assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management; and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. The independent auditor concluded, based upon the audit, that there was a reasonable basis for rending an unmodified opinion that the City's financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022, are fairly presented in conformity with GAAP. The independent auditor's report is presented as the first component of the financial section of the report. A single audit was necessary in 2022. The requirement for a single audit is the expense of \$750,000 or more in federal funds.

Government Auditing Standards require the independent auditor to report not only on the fair presentation of the financial statements, but also on the audited government's internal controls and compliance with legal requirements. This report is available under a separate cover.

GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of the Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A"). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The City's MD&A can be found immediately following the report of the independent auditors.

PROFILE OF THE CITY

The City of Stockbridge was founded in 1829 and was incorporated as a city in 1920. The City is in the northern part of Henry County, Georgia and is approximately eighteen miles from the state capital of Atlanta. The City is a municipal corporation created under the laws of the State of Georgia and has its corporate name as "City of Stockbridge, Georgia." The affairs of the City are conducted by a Mayor and a five-member City Council. The Mayor and City Council members are elected at large. This elected body is responsible for the active coordination of community resources, to anticipate problems and meet community needs.

The City Manager, who is appointed by the Mayor and City Council, oversees the day-to-day operations of the City and ensures the smooth and efficient delivery of City services. All activities and functions of the City are administered by the City Manager under the jurisdiction of the Mayor and City Council, as set forth in State and local law.

The City provides a full range of services to approximately 29,064 residents. These services are provided in whole either by the City or through contractual agreements with Henry County. They include public safety (police and fire), community development, highways and streets, water, sewer, sanitation, public improvements, planning and zoning, code enforcement and general administrative services. The City currently employs 147 full-time employees.

The City is one of four incorporated municipalities within Henry County and is not included in Henry County's reporting entity.

The annual budget serves as the foundation for the City's financial planning and control. All funds and departments of the City are required to submit requests for appropriations to the City Manager in August of each year. The City Manager uses these requests as the starting point for developing a proposed budget. The City Manager then presents this proposed budget to the Council for review in October. The Council is required to hold public hearings on the proposed budget and to adopt a final budget no later than December 31st, the close of the City's fiscal year. The appropriated budget is prepared by fund and department. Department supervisors may make transfers of appropriations within a department. Transfers of appropriations between departments require the special approval of the governing council. Budget to actual comparisons is provided in this report for the general fund. These comparisons are presented beginning on page 14 of the basic financial statements.

On January 1, 1995, the City received its status as a Certified City by the State of Georgia Department of Community Affairs. The State designated the Stockbridge Main Street Program on January 26, 2015. The Main Street Program was established to design an identifiable downtown historic district that promotes economic vitality, encourages cultural enrichment, and nurtures a collaborative community spirit.

FACTORS AFFECTING FINANCIAL CONDITION

The information presented in the financial statements is perhaps best understood when it is considered from the broader perspective of the specific environment within which the City operates.

Strategic Financial Planning

The Mayor and Council of the City are very diligent with budgeting and planning. With the Joint Comprehensive Development Plan, the Short-Term Work program as well as other programs, we share in the planning for growth and development of infrastructure with our county. These plans also address population, economic development, natural histories, and cultural resources as well as transportation and community facilities throughout the City and county. In May 2016, sanitation services were contracted through Waste Industries at no additional cost to the citizens. Waste Industries also offers curbside recycling services. Henry County diverted the tickets from our Municipal Court revenues for fines and forfeitures to the Henry County State Court in McDonough, thus reducing court revenue by 49% until July 1, 2022, when the Stockbridge Police Department was implemented.

Local Economy

The City is intersected by two interstate expressways, I-75 and I-675. These heavily traveled interstates bring tourists into our City. The tourists boost the sales tax revenue as well as the Hotel/Motel tax revenue. The City has a Hotel/Motel tax rate of 8%. We currently have five hotels in the city limits of Stockbridge for which we receive this tax revenue. This revenue has increased due to the overall economy.

Our citizen's employment, as well as our local economy, depends largely on what happens in and around Atlanta. The 2022 unemployment rates for the State of Georgia and the City, are at 3.1 and 2.9%, respectively. Property values have increased 18% in the net maintenance and operation tax digest from 2021 to 2022.

The City depends largely on Local Option Sales Tax for revenue. The 2022 sales tax revenue increased by approximately 10.2% compared to 2021. Other increases in revenue occurred in occupational taxes and insurance premium taxes. Franchise taxes were up overall by \$119,685 in 2022 from 2021.

RELEVANT FINANCIAL POLICIES

Fiscal Policies

The City actively supports economic development efforts to expand our revenue base and extend support to local business owners already established within our City limits. Budgeted revenue projections are made conservatively so that actual revenues will consistently meet or exceed budgeted revenues. The City provides medical, dental, and life insurance for its employees. The cost for these benefits is shared by the City and its employees. The City also provides a defined benefit pension plan for the City employees and elected officials.

Treasury Policies

The City's financial policies authorize investment in any securities approved by the State of Georgia for local governments. The City administers the conservative treasury approach, and we employ safe and financially stable practices to protect the City's liquid assets. Other policies that have been established by the Council include Capital Assets, as well as Purchasing and Procurement.

Debt Administration

On December 31, 2022, the only outstanding long-term debt of the City, other than compensated absences and net pension liability, were Urban Redevelopment Agency revenue bonds in the amount of \$8,835,000. Under current state statutes, the City's general obligation bonded debt issuances are subject to a legal limitation based on 10% of total assessed value of real and personal property. As of December 31, 2022, the City did not have any general obligation bonded debt outstanding. The City's legal limit was \$128,615,094 and related debt per capita was zero.

The City's Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund was issued a note by the Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority in 2010 to finance construction projects to improve the City's water distribution facilities. The outstanding balance that matures in 2031 is \$1,023,845 at the end of 2022.

MAJOR INITIATIVES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In 2016, the Mayor and Council adopted a Mission Statement:

To provide visionary leadership and superior municipal services that enhance the quality of life for the citizens while creating a welcoming business atmosphere focused on sustainability and expansion of tourism and cultural events. They are passionate on establishing the Values of PEACE.

Professionalism

Excellence

Adaptability

Communications

Ethics

Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax IV was passed by the citizens in November of 2013. We began receiving these funds in May of 2014. The plans are to use these funds for Capital Projects such as roads, bridges, sidewalks as well as public works facilities and equipment, parks and recreation and public safety facilities and equipment.

There are currently several projects that are being funded through our SPLOST revenues and supplemented by fund balance in the enterprise funds or Community Development Block Grant Funds:

- Ted Strickland Building Renovations Approximately \$500,000
- Police Department Facility Renovations Approximately \$3,000,000
- Water Source Development Approximately \$1,000,000
- Sewer Line Replacement Approximately \$1,000,000

The Future

The Mayor and Council are working on the Main Street Revitalization and Economic Development in our downtown area. In 2017, the Carrie Mae Hambrick building was demolished with plans to rebuild a state-of-the-art community center. Future considerations include a fiber optic network for our City buildings and downtown area. The City is designing/building a new Cultural Art Facility, Public Works Warehouse Facility, and Senior/Youth Center.

AWARDS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the City for its annual financial report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2021. The City is hopeful to obtain this prestigious award once again this year.

The Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe that our current Annual Comprehensive Financial Report meets the Certificate of Achievement Program's requirements, and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

The preparation of this report would not have been possible without the efficient and dedicated services of the entire staff (current and former) of the finance and administration departments. We would like to express our appreciation to all members of the department who assisted and contributed to the preparations of this report. The independent audit firm of Mauldin & Jenkins, LLC is also to be commended for their guidance and assistance in the preparation of this document.

We would like to also thank the Mayor, Members of City Council, City Manager and Department Heads for their support in planning and conducting the financial operations of the City in a responsible and progressive manner.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick Gardiner City Manager



Government Finance Officers Association

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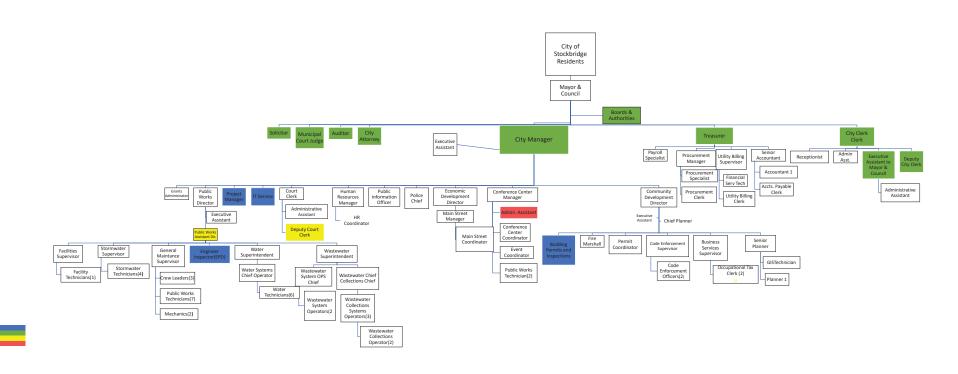
For its Annual Comprehensive Financial Report For the Fiscal Year Ended

December 31, 2021

Christopher P. Morrill

Executive Director/CEO

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART DECEMBER 31, 2022



LIST OF ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS DECEMBER 31, 2022

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

Anthony Ford Mayor

Alphonso Thomas Mayor Pro Tem
John Blount Council Member
LaKeisha Gantt Council Member
Elton Alexander Council Member
Yolanda Barber Council Member

OFFICERS OF THE COUNCIL

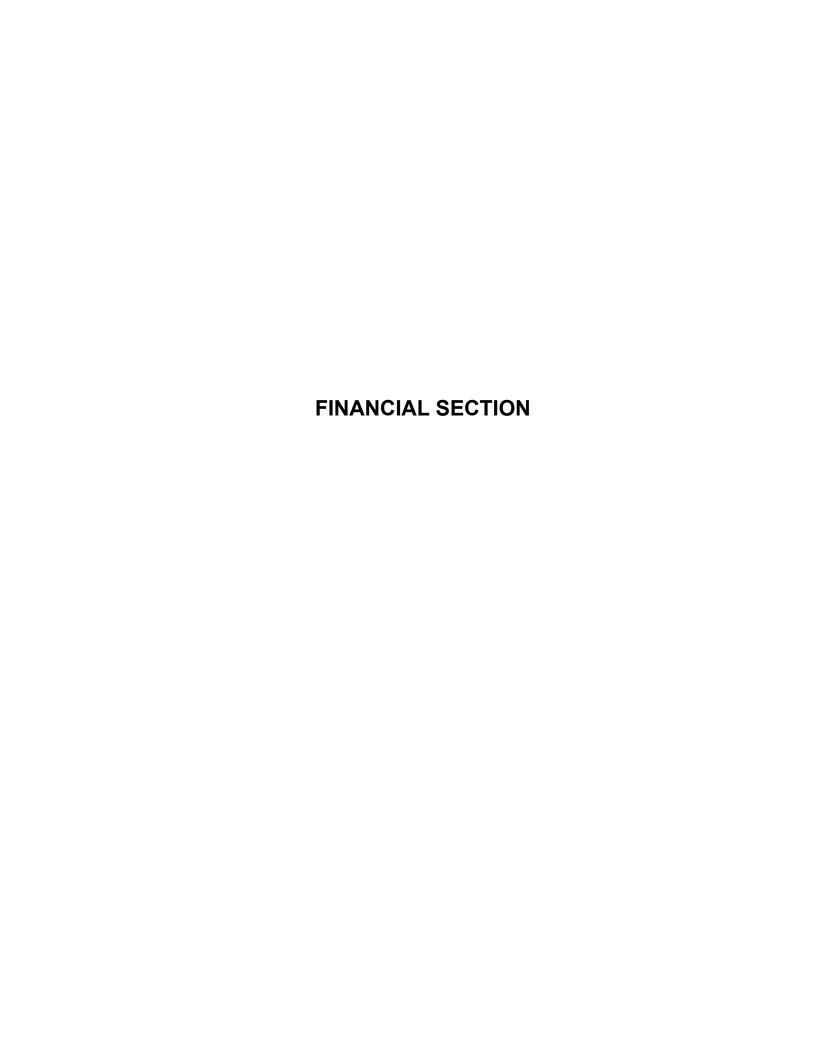
Frederick Gardiner City Manager Vanessa Holiday City Clerk

Randi Rainey Deputy City Clerk
Quinton Washington City Attorney
Jeremy Berry City Attorney

JUDICIAL BRANCH

Matthew McCord Municipal Court Judge

Julie Kert City Solicitor Genea Stanley Court Clerk





INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council City of Stockbridge, Georgia Stockbridge, Georgia

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia's (the "City"), as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City, as of December 31, 2022, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof, and the budgetary comparison for the General Fund and the American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAS") and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in the *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States ("Government Auditing Standards"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the City, and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Emphasis of Matter

The City implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 87, *Leases*, as of January 1, 2022. This standard significantly changed the accounting for the City's leases and the related disclosures. See Notes 6 and 7. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the City's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and, therefore, is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or
 error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include
 examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 City's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the City's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.



Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the Management's Discussion and Analysis (on pages 5 through 13), the Schedule of Changes in the City's Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios (on pages 58 and 59), and the Schedule of City Contributions (on pages 60 and 61) be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and, 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 historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the Required Supplementary Information ("RSI") in accordance with GAAS, 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 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 an opinion or provide any assurance.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements. The accompanying combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Schedules of Expenditures of Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax proceeds as required by the Official Code of Georgia Annotated ("O.C.G.A.") §48-8-121, and the Schedule of Expenditures of Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax proceeds, as required by O.C.G.A. §48-8-269.5, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards and is not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, the Schedules of Expenditures of Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax proceeds, Schedule of Expenditures of Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax proceeds, and the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "supplementary information") are 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 basic 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 GAAS. In our opinion, the supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.



Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual report. The other information comprises the introductory and statistical sections but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated November 13, 2023, on our consideration of the City's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely 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 effectiveness of the City's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Mauldin & Jerkins, LLC

Macon, Georgia November 13, 2023



MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS DECEMBER 31, 2022

As management of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia (the "City"), we offer readers of the City's financial statements this narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities of the City for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022. We encourage readers to consider the information presented here in conjunction with additional information that we have furnished in the City's financial statements, which follow this narrative.

Financial Highlights

- The assets and deferred outflows of the City exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows on December 31, 2022, by \$115,487,724 (total net position). Of this amount, \$9,901,805 is unrestricted and may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.
- The total net position, on an entity-wide basis, increased by \$13,471,851. Of this amount, a decrease of \$12,087,661 was associated with governmental activities and an increase of \$25,559,512 was associated with business-type activities.
- As of the close of the current fiscal year, the City's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$45,095,149, a decrease of \$993,101 in comparison with the prior year. Of this amount, \$951,417 is unassigned and available for spending and \$40,535,859 is restricted by third parties or assigned for other specific future uses.
- At the end of the current year, unassigned fund balance for the General Fund was \$1,212,272, or 6.7%, of total General Fund expenditures.
- The City's total debt obligations decreased by a net \$2,580,018 for an overall decrease of 7.0% in total debt obligations. The Net Pension Liability increased by \$734,095 and accrued compensated absences increased by \$141,719. Due to the implementation of GASB Statement No. 87, *Leases*, as of January 1, 2022, lease liability increased by \$105,492. Bonds and notes payable decreased by \$3,561,324 due to scheduled debt service payments.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") is intended to serve as an introduction to the City's basic financial statements. The City's basic financial statements are comprised of three components:

- 1) Government-wide financial statements;
- 2) Fund financial statements; and
- 3) Notes to the financial statements.

The basic financial statements present two different views of the City through the use of government-wide statements and fund financial statements. In addition to the basic financial statements, this report also contains other supplementary information that will enhance the reader's understanding of the financial condition of the City.

Basic Financial Statements

The first two statements in the basic financial statements are the Government-wide Financial Statements. They provide both short and long-term information about the City's financial position.

The next statements are Fund Financial Statements. These statements focus on the activities of the individual parts of the City government. These statements provide more detail than the government-wide statements. There are three parts to the Fund Financial Statements:

- 1) The governmental funds statements;
- 2) The budgetary comparison statements; and
- 3) The proprietary fund statements.

The next section of the basic financial statements is the notes. The notes to the financial statements explain in detail some of the data contained in those statements. After the notes, supplemental information is provided to show details about the City's individual funds.

Government-wide financial statements. The government-wide financial statements are designed to provide readers with a broad overview of the City's finances, in a manner similar to a private-sector business.

The Statement of Net Position presents information on all the City's assets and deferred outflows and liabilities and deferred inflows, with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the City is improving or deteriorating.

The Statement of Activities presents information showing how the government's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods.

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the City that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business-type activities). The governmental activities of the City include general government, public safety and courts, highways and streets, parks and recreation, tourism and promotion, and code enforcement. The business-type activities of the City are water and sewer, solid waste management, conference center, community center, amphitheater and stormwater management.

Fund financial statements. A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The City, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the City can be divided into two categories: governmental funds and proprietary funds.

Governmental funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near-term financing requirements.

Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between the two.

The City maintains six major governmental funds. The City's major governmental funds are the General Fund, American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") Fund, Public Facilities Authority Fund, the Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("SPLOST") V Capital Project Fund, the City-wide Capital Projects Fund, and the Transportation Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("TSPLOST") Capital Project Fund. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and in the governmental fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances for all major funds. The nonmajor funds are the Hotel/Motel Fund, the Grants Fund, the Perpetual Care Permanent Fund, the Downtown Development Authority ("DDA") Fund, the State and Federal Grants Fund, the Impact Fee Fund and the Urban Redevelopment Fund, along with the SPLOST III Capital Project Fund, and the SPLOST IV Capital Project Fund.

The City adopts an annual budget for the Hotel/Motel Fund, Grants Fund, Burke Cemetery Fund, the Downtown Development Authority Fund, the Urban Redevelopment Fund, and the Impact Fee Fund. The City is required by state law to adopt annual budgets for the General Fund and its special revenue funds (Hotel/Motel Tax Fund and Grants Fund). Budgetary comparison statements have been provided for the General Fund for the fiscal year 2022 budget. The City adopts project length budgets for the SPLOST Capital Projects Funds, the Public Facilities Authority Fund, the City-wide Capital Projects Fund, the TSPLOST Fund, and the State and Federal Grants Fund.

Proprietary funds. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The City uses enterprise funds to account for its Water and Sewer Fund, Solid Waste Management Fund, Amphitheater Fund, Stormwater Management Fund, and the Conference Center Fund. The first three enterprise funds are considered by the City to be major funds.

Proprietary funds provide the same type of information as government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The proprietary fund financial statements provide separate information for each of the City's major funds.

Notes to the financial statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements.

Other information. In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain other supplementary information which consists of individual fund financial statements.

Government-wide Financial Analysis

As noted earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. On December 31, 2022, the City's assets and deferred outflows of resources exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$115,487,724. The City's net position reflects its investment in capital assets of \$80,264,522 (69.5%), less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. Capital assets are used to provide services to citizens, and they are not available for future spending. Although the investment in capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities. Of the total net position, \$25,060,542 (21.7%) is restricted to capital projects and other external restrictions on how they may be used. The unrestricted amount of \$10,162,660 (8.8%) may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.

The following is a comparison statement of the City's net position as of December 31, 2022:

	Activ	ities	Activ	/ities	Totals		
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Current and other assets	\$ 52,680,302	\$ 53,065,492	\$ 8,091,106	\$ 7,997,539	\$ 60,771,408	\$ 61,063,031	
Capital assets	51,349,010	65,939,935	48,045,415	22,629,252	99,394,425	88,569,187	
Total assets	104,029,312	119,005,427	56,136,521	30,626,791	160,165,833	149,632,218	
Deferred outflows of resources							
Pension	558,826	415,829	495,029	261,346	1,053,855	677,175	
Long-term liabilities outstanding	32,796,027	_	1,513,968	2,227,816	34,309,995	2,227,816	
Other liabilities	7,906,382	7,330,232	2,253,903	1,236,577	10,160,285	8,566,809	
Total liabilities	40,702,409	7,330,232	3,767,871	3,464,393	44,470,280	10,794,625	
Deferred inflows of resources							
Pension	669,032	1,133,230	592,652	712,229	1,261,684	1,845,459	
Net position:							
Net investment in capital assets	33,292,952	48,261,529	46,971,570	21,459,083	80,264,522	69,720,612	
Restricted	25,321,397	11,599,061	-	, , , <u>-</u>	25,321,397	11,599,061	
Unrestricted	4,602,348	15,443,768	5,299,457	5,252,432	9,901,805	20,696,200	
Total net position	\$ 63,216,697	\$ 75,304,358	\$ 52,271,027	\$ 26,711,515	\$ 115,487,724	\$ 102,015,873	

Governmental activities. Governmental activities decreased the City's net position by \$12,087,661, primarily because of transferring Amphitheater assets from the governmental activities to the proprietary funds and due to an increase of transfers from the governmental funds to supplement the proprietary funds during 2022. Other key elements of this decrease are as follows:

City of Stockbridge C	Changes in Net Position
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	Gover Activ	nmental ities		ss-Type vities	Total		
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022	2021	
Revenues:							
Program revenues							
Charges for services	\$ 1,509,362	\$ 1,439,128	\$ 7,298,821	\$ 6,951,378	\$ 8,808,183	\$ 8,390,506	
Capital grants and contributions	32,021,633	11,203,137	24,555,035	563,657	56,576,668	11,766,794	
General revenues							
Other tax	7,485,614	7,091,392	-	-	7,485,614	7,091,392	
Interest	1,256	1,894	-	=	1,256	1,894	
Total Revenues	41,017,865	19,735,551	31,853,856	7,515,035	72,871,721	27,250,586	
Expenses:							
General Government	14,215,859	3,760,382	-	-	14,215,859	3,760,382	
Judicial	1,625,210	155,059	-	-	1,625,210	155,059	
Public safety	8,317,170	345,410	-	-	8,317,170	345,410	
Public works	20,668,385	3,149,973	-	-	20,668,385	3,149,973	
Health and welfare	-	42,502	-	-	-	42,502	
Culture and Recreation	-	376,263	-	=	-	376,263	
Housing and development	2,989,823	1,972,305	-	=	2,989,823	1,972,305	
Interest on long-term debt	914,109	1,381,846	-	=	914,109	1,381,846	
Water and sewer	-	-	4,457,740	4,370,327	4,457,740	4,370,327	
Stormwater management	-	-	579,548	628,728	579,548	628,728	
Solid waste	-	-	1,884,867	1,658,235	1,884,867	1,658,235	
Conference center	-	-	665,555	2,315,364	665,555	2,315,364	
Community center	-	-	-	567,622	-	567,622	
Amphitheater	-	-	3,081,604	-	3,081,604	-	
Total Expenses	48,730,556	11,183,740	10,669,314	9,540,276	59,399,870	20,724,016	
Increase (decrease) in net position before							
transfers	(7,712,691)	8,551,811	21,184,542	(2,025,241)	13,471,851	6,526,570	
Transfers	(4,374,970)	154,386	4,374,970	(154,386)	-	-	
Increase (decrease) in net position	(12,087,661)	8,706,197	25,559,512	(2,179,627)	13,471,851	6,526,570	
Net position - beginning of year	75,304,358	66,598,161	26,711,515	28,891,142	102,015,873	95,489,303	
Net position - end of year	\$ 63,216,697	\$ 75,304,358	\$ 52,271,027	\$ 26,711,515	\$115,487,724	\$102,015,873	

- Revenues from Local Option Sales Tax (reported as intergovernmental revenues/capital contributions) increased by \$604,932, or 10.2%, from 2021 to 2022. This increase is due to the overall economy. SPLOST increased by \$9,588,376, or 73.4%, for the SPLOST V revenues, due to the beginning of revenue collections of SPLOST V.
- Investment earnings decreased from 2021 to 2022. This is due to the fluctuations in interest rates.
- The City received \$281,849 for Local Maintenance Improvement Grants for the year associated with street improvements.
- Revenue from Courts was up \$199,990 due to municipal court receiving fines on current and past cases.

Business-type activities. Business-type activities increased the City's net position by \$25,559,512. The increase is basically the result of the capital contributions and transfers from the SPLOST V Fund to the Water and Sewer Fund and the Conference Center Fund. The transfer from the City's General Fund to the Conference Center is to supplement the operation. The sanitation department privatized the collection of residential solid waste with Waste Industries and the startup proved beneficial.

Financial Analysis of the Government's Funds

As noted earlier, the City uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds. The purpose of the City's governmental fund financial statements is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the City's financing requirements. In particular, unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

On December 31, 2022, the City's governmental funds reported combined ending fund balances of \$45,095,149, a decrease of \$993,101 in comparison to the prior year. Of this amount, \$951,417 (2.1%) is unassigned fund balance, which is available for spending at the government's discretion. Additionally, \$40,535,859 is restricted by third parties for: 1) capital items, most of which is funded mainly by the proceeds of the SPLOST (\$39,430,598); 2) Perpetual Care of the City's cemetery (\$6,950); and 3) tourism (\$1,098,311). The General Fund's decrease of fund balance in the amount of \$11,581,788, mainly resulted from transfers out to other funds for local capital outlay projects.

The General Fund is the City's chief operating fund. At the end of the current fiscal year, unassigned fund balance of the General Fund was \$1,212,272. As a measure of the General Fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unassigned fund balance and total fund balance to total fund expenditures. Unassigned fund balance represents 6.7% of the total General Fund expenditures, while total fund balance represents 24.5% of that same amount.

During the current fiscal year, the fund balance of the City's General Fund decreased by \$11,581,788. A key factor in the decrease is due to an increase in funds transferred out. The City collected a total of \$6,540,225 in local option sales taxes for 2022, an increase of 10.2% over 2021. Franchise taxes increased by 8.0% to \$1,614,172 in 2022 from \$1,494,487 in 2021, for electric, television and telephone taxes. The City's General Fund revenues increased due to an increase in tax revenues. The expenditures in General Fund increased by 72.2%, from \$10,586,099 to \$18,225,910 in 2022 compared to 2021.

The City received \$13,063,820 in SPLOST in 2022 compared to \$3,476,312 in 2021. This is up by 275.8% due primarily to the collections starting in April 2021 for SPLOST V. The projects approved for SPLOST V include new park equipment, the City's share of roads, bridges, sidewalks and transportation facilities and public safety facilities and equipment.

As of December 31, 2022, the Urban Redevelopment Agency of the City had long-term liabilities from Revenue Bonds in the amount of \$8,835,000. The majority of these funds were used for purchasing property and building and furnishing a new City Hall facility which was completed in 2009. The cost of the building is approximately \$11,964,000.

The Hotel/Motel Tax Fund is used to promote tourism in the City. The fund is used to account for proceeds from the City's Hotel/Motel tax. The City is required to pay Henry County Chamber of Commerce 43.75% of all payments. The total fund balance on December 31, 2022 for this fund amounted to \$1,098,311.

The City has a Perpetual Care Permanent Fund which is for the upkeep of the City cemetery. A donation of \$5,000 was made with only the investment earnings to be used for cemetery upkeep purposes. Currently, the City has not used any of these proceeds.

Proprietary funds. The City's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide financial statements but in more detail.

Unrestricted net position of the proprietary funds at the end of the year were \$5,299,457 of which the Water and Sewer Fund had \$2,669,176 (50%), the Solid Waste Fund had \$1,194,815 (23%), the Amphitheater Fund had \$358,504 (7%), and all other enterprise funds had \$1,076,962 (20%). Other factors concerning the finances of proprietary funds have already been addressed in the discussion of the City's business-type activities.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The original budget for the City's General Fund for 2022 was \$16,366,986. There was a \$1,982,748 difference between the net change in fund balance from the original budget.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital assets. The City's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities on December 31, 2022, amounts to \$99,394,425 (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, buildings, improvements, automobiles and equipment, sidewalks, bridges, and roads.

Major capital asset events during the current fiscal year include the following:

- \$436,495 for Public Works Department Vehicles and Sidewalk Repairs.
- \$1,299,637 for Amphitheater final payments.
- \$3,591,398 for Police Department Building Renovation.
- \$195,125 for Merle Manders Renovation Improvements.
- \$338,355 for Stormwater Improvements, Vehicle, and Equipment.
- \$33,337 for Watershed Monitoring.
- \$1,308,659 for Amphitheater Road Paving Projects Design SPLOST IV.
- \$202,395 for Public Works Facility Construction SPLOST IV.
- \$374,633 for the Ted Strickland Building Renovation SPLOST IV.
- \$4,707,847 for the Police Department Vehicles and Equipment ARPA Funds.
- \$2,113,178 for Sewer Department Improvements ARPA Funds.
- \$142,464 for the Stormwater Improvements ARPA Funds.
- \$31,395 for Water System Improvements ARPA Funds.
- \$305,725 for Sewer Repair Grant Funds.

Additional information on the City's capital assets can be found in Note 6.

Long-term debt. At the end of the current fiscal year, the City had \$34,309,995 in outstanding debt consisting of the following:

	Balance
Governmental Activities	
Revenue Bonds	\$ 31,955,000
Accrued Compensated Absences	271,399
Net Pension Liability	464,136
Lease liability	105,492
Business-Type Activities	
GEFA Notes Payable	1,023,845
Accrued Compensated Absences	78,975
Net Pension Liability	411,148
TOTAL	\$ 34,309,995

The City's total debt decreased by \$2,580,018. Additional information on the City's long-term debt can be found in Note 8.

State statutes limit the amount of general obligation debt a governmental entity may issue to 10% of its total assessed valuation. The current debt limitation for the City is \$128,615,094, which is in excess of the City's outstanding general obligation debt.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates

- The estimated unemployment rate for the City is currently 2.9%, which is slightly below the state and the national rates.
- Cost of Living indices in the region compare favorably to national indices.
- Occupational Taxes (Business Licenses) were up from 2022 due to the economic rebound. These are based on gross receipts.
- Sales tax receipts have been rising in recent months.
- During 2022 and going forward, the City will continue to do its best to secure additional funding sources, such
 as fees, grants and private participation, to continue to construct roads and capital projects and purchase and
 improve capital items.

All of these factors were considered in preparing the City's budget for Fiscal Year 2023.

Requests for Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the City of Stockbridge's finances, comply with finance-related laws and regulations, and demonstrate the City's commitment to public accountability. Questions concerning this report or requests for additional information can be obtained by contacting the City at (770) 389-7900 or at the following address:

City of Stockbridge Finance Department 4640 North Henry Boulevard Stockbridge, Georgia 30281



STATEMENT OF NET POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Primary Government	<u>t </u>
	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
ASSETS	Activities	Activities	IOlai
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 47,313,735	\$ 7,033,256	\$ 54,346,99°
Investments	12,284	58,000	70,284
Taxes receivable	2,654,368	-	2,654,368
Accounts receivable, net of allowances	61,171	820,209	881,38
Due from other governments	68,459	14,768	83,22
Inventories	-	97,867	97,86
Prepaid expenses	373,253	67,006	440,25
Assets held for resale	2,197,032	-	2,197,03
Leased assets, net of accumulated amoritization	97,824	_	97,82
Capital assets, non-depreciable	22,218,183	8,742,866	30,961,04
Capital assets, horreciable,	22,210,100	0,742,000	30,301,04
net of accumulated depreciation	29,033,003	39,302,549	68,335,55
Total assets	104,029,312	56,136,521	160,165,83
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension	558,826	495,029	1,053,85
Total deferred outflows of resources	558,826	495,029	1,053,85
LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable	2,845,769	339,964	3,185,73
Retainage payable	488,949	50,000	538,94
Accrued interest expense	370,887	2,920	373,80
Other accrued expenses	151,946	25,367	177,31
Customer deposits	-	136,045	136,04
Leases, due within one year	27,688	-	27,68
Leases, due in more than one year	77,804	-	77,80
Compensated absences due within one year	54,280	15,795	70,07
Compensated absences due in more than one year	217,119	63,180	280,29
Unearned revenue	4,048,831	1,699,607	5,748,43
Bonds payable due within one year	4,735,000	-	4,735,00
Bonds payable due in more than one year	27,220,000	-	27,220,00
Notes payable due within one year	· · · · -	97,777	97,77
Notes payable due in more than one year	_	926,068	926,06
Net pension liability due in more than one year	464,136	411,148	875,28
Total liabilities	40,702,409	3,767,871	44,470,28
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension	669,032	592,652	1,261,68
Total deferred inflows of resources	669,032	592,652	1,261,68
NET POSITION	00.000	40	
Net investment in capital assets	33,292,952	46,971,570	80,264,52
Restricted for capital projects	24,211,136	-	24,211,13
Restricted for tourism	1,098,311	-	1,098,31
Restricted for cemetery maintenance - non-expendable	5,000	-	5,00
Restricted for cemetery maintenance - expendable	6,950	-	6,95
Unrestricted	4,602,348	5,299,457	9,901,80
Total net position	\$ 63,216,697	\$ 52,271,027	\$ 115,487,72

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

			Program	Revenues		
Functions/Programs	Expenses		Charges for Services		Capital Grants and ontributions	
Primary government						
Governmental activities:						
General government	\$ 14,215,859	\$	1,252,877	\$	8,173,804	
Judicial	1,625,210		256,485		475,956	
Public safety	8,317,170		-		7,698,050	
Public works	20,668,385		-		12,310,711	
Housing and development	2,989,823		-		3,363,112	
Interest on long-term debt	914,109		-		-	
Total governmental activities	 48,730,556		1,509,362		32,021,633	
Business-type activities:						
Water and sewer	4,457,740		3,991,542		1,752,918	
Stormwater	579,548		1,037,207		73,188	
Solid waste	1,884,867		1,811,707		_	
Amphitheater	3,081,604		447,580		20,509,745	
Conference center	665,555		10,785		2,219,184	
Total business-type activities	10,669,314		7,298,821		24,555,035	
Total primary government	\$ 59,399,870	\$	8,808,183	\$	56,576,668	

General revenues:

Property taxes

Franchise taxes

Alcoholic beverage excise taxes

Business and occupation taxes

Insurance premium taxes

Hotel/motel taxes

Other taxes

Unrestricted investment earnings

Transfers

Total general revenues and transfers

Change in net position

Net position, beginning of year

Net position, end of year

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Net (Expenses) Revenues and Changes in Net Position

G	overnmental Activities	В	Business-type Activities		Total
\$	(4,789,178) (892,769)	\$	-	\$	(4,789,178) (892,769)
	(619,120) (8,357,674) 373,289		- - -		(619,120) (8,357,674) 373,289
_	(914,109) (15,199,561)		-	_	(914,109) (15,199,561)
	-		1,286,720		1,286,720
	-		530,847 (73,160)		530,847 (73,160)
			17,875,721 1,564,414 21,184,542		17,875,721 1,564,414 21,184,542
	(15,199,561)		21,184,542		5,984,981
	770,169		-		770,169
	1,614,172 851,324		-		1,614,172 851,324
	1,210,279 2,389,696		-		1,210,279 2,389,696
	484,363 165,611 1,256		-		484,363 165,611 1,256
	(4,374,970) 3,111,900		4,374,970 4,374,970		7,486,870
\$	(12,087,661) 75,304,358 63,216,697	\$	25,559,512 26,711,515 52,271,027	\$	13,471,851 102,015,873 115,487,724

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2022

	General Fund			ARPA Fund		Public Facilities Authority		SPLOST V Fund	
ASSETS									
Cash and cash equivalents Investments	\$	1,715,725 -	\$	3,456,051 -	\$	15,219,462 -	\$	14,987,594 -	
Taxes receivable		2,020,738		-		-		596,482	
Accounts receivable		58,671		-		-		-	
Due from other governments		68,459		=		-		=	
Prepaid expenditures		372,687		-		-		-	
Assets held for resale		2,197,032		-		-			
Total assets	\$	6,433,312	\$	3,456,051	\$	15,219,462	\$	15,584,076	
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES									
LIABILITIES									
Accounts payable	\$	639,344	\$	260,685	\$	-	\$	880,239	
Retainage payable		159,993		117,678		-		91,236	
Accrued liabilities		151,946		-		-		-	
Unearned revenue - occupational taxes		971,143		-		-		-	
Unearned revenue - grants	_	-	_	3,077,688		-		-	
Total liabilities		1,922,426		3,456,051		-		971,475	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES									
Unavailable revenue - court fines		44,487		=		-		=	
Unavailable revenue - franchise taxes	_	5,171	_	-		=		-	
Total deferred inflows of resources		49,658	_			-			
FUND BALANCES									
Fund balances									
Non-spendable:									
Prepaids		372,687		-		-		-	
Permanent fund corpus		-		-		-		-	
Assets held for resale		2,197,032		-		-		-	
Restricted for:									
Capital projects		=		=		15,219,462		14,612,601	
Tourism		=		=		-		-	
Cemetery maintenance		-		-		-		-	
Assigned for:									
Purchases on order		679,237		-		-		-	
Capital projects		-		-		-		-	
Unassigned		1,212,272	_			-			
Total fund balances		4,461,228				15,219,462		14,612,601	
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and fund balances	rh.	6 422 242	¢	2 456 054	¢	15 010 400	ď	15 504 070	
or resources and fully parafices	\$	6,433,312	\$	3,456,051	\$	15,219,462	\$	15,584,076	

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Net Position are different because:

Capital assets and lease assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.

Other long-term assets are not available to pay for current period expenditures and, therefore, are deferred in the funds.

The net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows of resources are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds

Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.

Net position of governmental activities

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

wide Capital jects Fund	 TSPLOST Fund	Go	Other overnmental Funds	G	Total overnmental Funds
\$ 313,993	\$ 4,526,906	\$	7,094,004	\$	47,313,735
-	-		12,284		12,284
-	-		37,148 2,500		2,654,368 61,171
-	-		2,500		68,459
_	_		566		373,253
_	-		-		2,197,032
\$ 313,993	\$ 4,526,906	\$	7,146,502	\$	52,680,302
\$ 303,993	\$ -	\$	761,508	\$	2,845,769
10,000	-		110,042		488,949
-	-		-		151,946
-	-		-		971,143
 	 =				3,077,688
 313,993	 		871,550		7,535,495
_	<u>-</u>		_		44,487
-	-		-		5,171
-			-		49,658
-	-		566		373,253
=	=		5,000		5,000
-	-		-		2,197,032
-	4,526,906		5,071,629		39,430,598
-	-		1,098,311		1,098,311
-	-		6,950		6,950
-	-		_		679,237
-	-		353,351		353,351
	 		(260,855)		951,417
-	4,526,906		6,274,952		45,095,149

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(32,702,778) \$ 63,216,697

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Genera Fund	nl 		ARPA Fund		lic Facilities Authority		SPLOST V Fund
Revenues								
Taxes	\$ 6,998,		\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Licenses and permits	813,			-		-		-
Intergovernmental	6,822,			6,800,316		-		13,063,820
Fines and forfeitures	256,			-		-		-
Charges for services	280,	123		-		-		-
Impact fees		-		-		-		-
Contributions		560		-		-		-
Interest income		256		-		-		868
Other revenues	127,			- 0.000.010				- 40.004.000
Total revenues	15,331,	623		6,800,316	_	-		13,064,688
Expenditures								
Current:								
General government	5,878,			340,365		-		-
Judicial	357,			-		-		-
Public safety	4,435,			-		-		-
Public works and parks	5,019,			-		-		-
Housing and development	2,523,	549		-		-		-
Capital outlay:								
General government		-		-		-		240,613
Public safety		-		4,672,867		-		-
Public works		-		1,787,084		2,873,359		1,514,066
Culture and recreation		-		-		-		173,734
Debt service:	44	007				0.005.000		
Principal	11,	897		-		2,685,000		-
Interest Tetal expenditures	18,225,	728		6,800,316		517,609 6,075,968		1,928,413
Total expenditures	10,225,	910		0,000,310		0,075,906		1,920,413
Excess (deficiency) of								
revenues over (under)								
expenditures	(2,894,	287)		_		(6,075,968)		11,136,275
on periodical so	(2,00.,		-			(0,0.0,000)		,,
Other financing sources (uses)								
Transfers in	490,	046		-		3,014,566		-
Transfers out	(9,294	936)		-		-		-
Proceeds from leases	117,	,						
Total other financing								
sources (uses)	(8,687,	501)				3,014,566		
Net change in								
fund balances	(11,581,	788)		-		(3,061,402)		11,136,275
Fund balances,								
beginning of year	16,043,	016				18,280,864	_	3,476,326
Fund balances,								
end of year	\$ 4,461,	228	\$	-	\$	15,219,462	\$	14,612,601

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

City-wide Capital Projects Fund	TSPLOST Fund	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds	
\$ -	\$ -	\$ 484,363	\$ 7,483,294	
-	-	-	813,684	
-	4,527,330	593,288	31,806,828	
-	-	-	256,485	
=	_	-	280,123	
=	-	213,480	213,480	
-	-	-	31,560	
=	-	457	2,581	
-	-	-	127,510	
-	4,527,330	1,291,588	41,015,545	
-	424	-	6,218,975	
-	-	-	357,139	
-	-	-	4,435,360	
=	-	864,353	5,883,404	
-	-	467,197	2,990,746	
350,427	_	435,183	1,026,223	
244,321	_	-	4,917,188	
13,664	-	958,973	7,147,146	
128,862	-	51,841	354,437	
-	-	780,000	3,476,897	
		425,213	943,550	
737,274	424	3,982,760	37,751,065	
(737,274)	4,526,906	(2,691,172)	3,264,480	
4,041,627	-	1,215,989	8,762,228	
(3,842,262)	-	-	(13,137,198)	
-	-	-	117,389	
199,365		1,215,989	(4,257,581)	
(537,909)	4,526,906	(1,475,183)	(993,101)	
537,909		7,750,135	46,088,250	
\$ -	\$ 4,526,906	\$ 6,274,952	\$ 45,095,149	

RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because:	
Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ (993,101)
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which capital outlay exceeded depreciation expense in the current period.	8,111,904
The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, trade-ins, and donations) is to decrease net position.	(22,800,653)
Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.	2,320
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position.	3,457,332
Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.	 134,537
Changes in net position - governmental activities	\$ (12,087,661)

GENERAL FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Вι	ıdget			Va	riance With
	Original		Final	Actual	Fi	nal Budget
Revenues			-			
Property taxes	\$ 2,000,000	\$	2,000,000	\$ -	\$	(2,000,000)
Other taxes	6,552,108		6,552,108	6,998,931		446,823
Licenses and permits	949,746		949,746	813,684		(136,062)
Intergovernmental	5,669,181		5,669,181	6,822,074		1,152,893
Fines and forfeitures	828,158		828,158	256,485		(571,673)
Charges for services	130,759		130,759	280,123		149,364
Contributions	10,000		10,000	31,560		21,560
Interest income	1,723		1,723	1,256		(467)
Other revenues	225,311		225,311	127,510		(97,801)
Total revenues	16,366,986		16,366,986	 15,331,623		(1,035,363)
Expenditures	•			 		
Current:						
General government:						
Mayor and council	415,059		415,029	367,125		47,904
Executive	582,917		582,917	517,159		65,758
City manager	715,813		715,813	682,241		33,572
Financial administration	1,647,679		1,647,679	1,649,085		(1,406)
Business services	273,924		273,924	257,149		16,775
Data processing	649,582		649,582	661,906		(12,324)
Building and plant	979,734		979,734	1,077,488		(97,754)
Human resources	547,413		547,413	 666,033		(118,620)
Total general government	5,812,121		5,812,091	 5,878,186		(66,095)
Judicial: Municipal court	454,085		454,085	357,139		96,946
Public safety:			<u> </u>	 -		<u> </u>
Police administration	3,611,296		3,611,296	 4,435,360		(824,064)
Public works:			- 440 -04			201 -22
Public works	3,881,424		5,448,701	4,826,941		621,760
Parks	357,500		357,500	 192,110		165,390
Total public works	4,238,924		5,806,201	 5,019,051		787,150
Housing and development:						
Code enforcement	270,643		269,984	198,754		71,230
Main street	247,162		247,162	211,291		35,871
Planning and zoning	989,783		990,442	814,401		176,041
Permitting development	749,444		749,444	589,313		160,131
City events	280,000		280,000	709,790		(429,790)
Total housing and development	2,537,032		2,537,032	2,523,549		13,483
Debt service:			·			
Principal	_		_	11,897		(11,897)
Interest	_		_	728		(728)
Total debt service				 12,625		(12,625)
	16 652 450	-	10 220 705	 		, ,
Total expenditures	16,653,458		18,220,705	 18,225,910		(5,205)
Deficiency of revenues under expenditures	(286,472)		(1,853,719)	 (2,894,287)		(1,040,568)
Other financing sources (uses)						
Proceeds from sale of assets	10,000		10,000	_		(10,000)
Transfers in	121,260		121,260	490,046		368,786
Transfers out	(1,827,536)		(1,827,536)	(9,294,936)		(7,467,400)
Proceeds from leases	(1,021,000)		(1,021,000)	117,389		117,389
Total other financing (uses), net	(1,696,276)		(1,696,276)	 (8,687,501)		(6,991,225)
	, , , ,					` '
Net change in fund balances	(1,982,748)		(3,549,995)	(11,581,788)		(8,031,793)
	16 042 046		16,043,016	16,043,016		_
Fund balances, beginning of year	16,043,016		10,043,010	 10,043,010		

ARPA FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

_	Budget Original/Final	Actual	Variance With Final Budget	
Revenues Intergovernmental	\$ -	\$ 6,800,316	\$ 6,800,31	6
Total revenues	<u>Ψ -</u>	6,800,316	6,800,31	
Expenditures Current: General government: Financial administration	340,365	340,365		_
Capital outlay:				
Public works	8,565,458	1,787,084	6,778,37	4
Total expenditures	8,905,823	2,127,449	6,778,37	4
Net change in fund balances	(8,905,823)	4,672,867	13,578,69	0
Fund balances, beginning of year				_
Fund balances, end of year	\$ (8,905,823)	\$ 4,672,867	\$ 13,578,69	0

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Water and Sewer Fund	Solid Waste Fund	Amphitheater Fund	Other Enterprise Funds	Total
ASSETS					
CURRENT ASSETS	\$ 2,510,746	\$ 2,976,843	\$ 376,320	\$ 1,169,347	ф 7.022.2EG
Cash and cash equivalents Investments	58,000	φ 2,970,043 -	\$ 370,320 -	\$ 1,109,34 <i>1</i>	\$ 7,033,256 58,000
Accounts receivable, net of allowances	496,310	76,740	-	247,159	820,209
Due from other governments	11,057	1,682	-	2,029	14,768
Inventories Prepaid expenses	97,867 61,094	- 744	- 187	- 4,981	97,867 67,006
			376,507		·
Total current assets	3,235,074	3,056,009	370,507	1,423,516	8,091,106
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Capital assets:					
Capital assets, non-depreciable	8,512,450	-	-	230,416	8,742,866
Capital assets, depreciable, net	40 700 700	04.054	04 500 474	0.004.045	00 000 540
of accumulated depreciation	13,782,706	64,854	21,533,174	3,921,815	39,302,549
Total capital assets	22,295,156	64,854	21,533,174	4,152,231	48,045,415
Total non-current assets	22,295,156	64,854	21,533,174	4,152,231	48,045,415
Total assets	25,530,230	3,120,863	21,909,681	5,575,747	56,136,521
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Pension	216,092	14,501		264,436	495,029
Total deferred outflows of resources	216,092	14,501		264,436	495,029
LIABILITIES					
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Accounts payable	158,997	143,577	18,003	19,387	339,964
Retainage payable	50,000	- 040	-	- 0.500	50,000
Accrued liabilities Unearned revenue	15,989	846 1,699,607	-	8,532	25,367 1,699,607
Notes payable, current portion	97,777	1,099,007	- -	- -	97,777
Compensated absences due within one year	9,901	452	-	5,442	15,795
Customer deposits	116,395	-	-	19,650	136,045
Accrued interest	2,920				2,920
Total current liabilities	451,979	1,844,482	18,003	53,011	2,367,475
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Compensated absences due in more	22.225	4.000		04.707	00.400
than one year	39,605	1,808	-	21,767	63,180
Net pension liability Notes payable, long-term portion	179,476 926,068	12,044	-	219,628	411,148 926,068
Total non-current liabilities	1,145,149	13,852		241,395	1,400,396
Total liabilities	1,597,128	1,858,334	18,003	294,406	3,767,871
	1,001,120	1,000,004	10,000	204,400	3,707,071
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Pension	258,707	17,361	-	316,584	592,652
Total deferred inflows of resources	258,707	17,361		316,584	592,652
NET POSITION					
Net investment in capital assets	21,221,311	64,854	21,533,174	4,152,231	46,971,570
Unrestricted	2,669,176	1,194,815	358,504	1,076,962	5,299,457
Total net position	\$ 23,890,487	\$ 1,259,669	\$ 21,891,678	\$ 5,229,193	\$ 52,271,027

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		later and wer Fund	So	olid Waste Fund	Amphitheat Fund	ter	Other Enterprise Funds		Total
OPERATING REVENUES									
Charges for services: Water sales	\$	2,122,479	\$		\$		\$ -	\$	2 122 170
Sewer sales	Ф	1,805,138	Ф	-	Φ	-	Φ -	Ф	2,122,479 1,805,138
		1,000,130		-	445.0	-	-		
Ticket sales		-		-	445,0	000	4 027 207		445,080
Stormwater fees		-		-		-	1,037,207		1,037,207
Sanitation charges		-		1,698,287		-	-		1,698,287
Rentals		-		113,420		-	10,785		124,205
Rents and royalties		-		-	2,5	500	-		2,500
Other fees and charges		63,925							63,925
Total operating revenues		3,991,542		1,811,707	447,5	580	1,047,992		7,298,821
OPERATING EXPENSES									
Personnel services and									
employee benefits		1,478,307		92,295	33,7		850,918		2,455,235
Contracted services		641,410		1,764,411	2,471,6	671	100,940		4,978,432
Supplies		1,451,098		13,189		-	75,977		1,540,264
Repairs and maintenance Bad debt expense		30,827 10,147		-		-	3,581		34,408 10,147
Depreciation		815,034		14,972	576,2	- 218	213,687		1,619,911
Total operating expenses		4,426,823		1,884,867	3,081,6		1,245,103		10,638,397
Operating loss		(435,281)		(73,160)	(2,634,0	024)	(197,111)		(3,339,576)
NON-OPERATING (EXPENSE)									
Interest expense		(30,917)							(30,917)
Total non-operating							·		
expenses		(30,917)					-		(30,917)
Loss before capital									
contributions and transfers		(466,198)		(73,160)	(2,634,0	024)	(197,111)		(3,370,493)
CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS		1,752,918		-	20,509,7	745	2,292,372		24,555,035
TRANSFERS IN TRANSFERS OUT		(61,260)		- -	3,842,2	262 <u>-</u>	1,022,754 (428,786)		4,865,016 (490,046)
Change in net position		1,225,460		(73,160)	21,717,9	983	2,689,229		25,559,512
NET POSITION, beginning of year	:	22,665,027		1,332,829	173,6	895	2,539,964		26,711,515
		_		_					

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Water and sewer Fund	S	olid Waste Fund	A	mphitheater Fund	ı	Other Enterprise Funds	Totals
CASH FLOWS FROM								
OPERATING ACTIVITIES								
Receipts from customers	\$ 3,934,104	\$	1,816,184	\$	447,580	\$	1,982,260	\$ 8,180,128
Payments to suppliers and	(0.400.500)		(4 770 750)		(0.450.055)		(4.005.000)	(7.570.005)
service providers	(2,126,538)		(1,772,752)		(2,453,855)		(1,225,090)	(7,578,235)
Payments to employees	 (1,542,160)		(96,104)		(33,715)		(679,684)	(2,351,663)
Net cash provided by (used in)								
operating activities	 265,406		(52,672)		(2,039,990)		77,486	 (1,749,770)
CASH FLOWS FROM NON-CAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES								
Transfers to other funds	(61,260)		-		-		(60,000)	(121,260)
Transfers from other funds	 				3,842,262		653,968	4,496,230
Net cash provided by								
non-capital financing activities	 (61,260)		<u>-</u>		3,842,262		593,968	4,374,970
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES Purchase of property and								
equipment	(382,090)		-		(1,599,647)		(499,302)	(2,481,039)
Principal payments on notes payable	(96,324)		-		-		-	(96,324)
Interest paid	(30,917)							 (30,917)
Net cash used in capital and related financing								
activities	 (509,331)		_		(1,599,647)		(499,302)	 (2,608,280)
Increase (decrease) in cash								
and cash equivalents	(305,185)		(52,672)		202,625		172,152	16,920
Cash and cash equivalents:								
Beginning of year	2,815,931		3,029,515		173,695		997,195	 7,016,336
End of year	\$ 2,510,746	\$	2,976,843	\$	376,320	\$	1,169,347	\$ 7,033,256

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Water and Sewer Fund	s 	olid Waste Fund	Α	mphitheater Fund		Other Enterprise Funds	 Total
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING LOSS TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES								
Operating loss Adjustments to reconcile operating loss to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:	\$ (435,281)	\$	(73,160)	\$	(2,634,024)	\$	(197,111)	\$ (3,339,576)
Depreciation	815,034		14,972		576,218		213,687	1,619,911
Increase in accounts receivable	(58,040)		(10,757)		-		(37,113)	(105,910)
Decrease in inventories	5,476		-		-		-	5,476
Decrease in due from other governments Increase in deferred	602		9,814		-		4,912	15,328
outflows of resources - pension	(64,918)		(4,445)		_		(164,320)	(233,683)
Increase in customer deposits	-		-		-		19,650	19,650
Decrease (increase) in prepaid expenses	12,409		-		(187)		(3,763)	8,459
Increase in accrued liabilities	6,385		734		-		12,939	20,058
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	(10,941)		4,848		18,003		(13,894)	(1,984)
Increase in unearned revenue Increase (decrease) in deferred inflows	-		5,420		-		-	5,420
of resources - pension	(153,277)		(10,045)		-		43,745	(119,577)
Increase in net pension liability	147,957		9,947		_		198,754	 356,658
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	\$ 265,406	\$	(52,672)	\$	(2,039,990)	\$	77,486	\$ (1,749,770)
NON-CASH CAPITAL AND RELATED								
FINANCING ACTIVITIES						_		
Contributions of capital assets	\$ 1,752,918	\$	-	\$	20,509,745	\$	2,292,372	\$ 24,555,03



NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2022

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia (the "City") have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") as applied to governments. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The more significant of the City's accounting policies are described below.

A. Reporting Entity

The City was incorporated in 1920 and is located in the northern part of Henry County about 18 miles south of Atlanta. The City provides a full range of services to approximately 26,000 residents. These services are provided in whole by the City or through contractual agreements with Henry County. These services include police services, community development, highways and streets, water and sewer, sanitation, parks, public improvements, planning and zoning, and general administrative services.

In 2013, the City adopted the provisions of GASB Statement No. 61, *The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus – an amendment to GASB Nos. 14 and 34*, which defines the reporting entity for determining which potential component units should be included in the primary government's financial statements. Inclusion is based on financial accountability or the fact that exclusion would make the financial statements misleading or incomplete. The criteria for determining financial accountability includes appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body and: 1) the ability of the City to impose its will on that organization, or 2) the potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits or to impose specific financial burdens on the City. In addition to the above criteria, GASB Statement No. 61 added that if the primary government is expected to repay substantially all of the component unit's debt, then the component unit should be blended.

Blended Component Units - Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are, in substance, part of the government's operations.

The City of Stockbridge Urban Redevelopment Agency (the "URA") was created by the City's elected officials to provide for the issuance of bonds to finance the construction of the Town Center facilities including City Hall. The City Council appoints the majority of the URA board members, and the URA's debt is expected to be repaid almost entirely from the resources of the City. Although legally separate, the URA is blended as a governmental fund into the primary government. Separate financial statements for the URA are not issued.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements

The City of Stockbridge Public Facilities Authority (the "PFA") was created by the City's elected officials to provide for the issuance of bonds to finance the construction of the Amphitheater and Cultural Arts Center, to fund the Trails Project, and to fund purchase of police equipment. The City Council appoints the majority of the PFA board members, and the PFA's debt is expected to be repaid almost entirely from the resources of the City. Although legally separate, the PFA is blended as a governmental fund into the primary government. Separate financial statements for the PFA are not issued.

The City of Stockbridge Downtown Development Authority (the "DDA") exists to encourage growth and redevelopment of the Stockbridge, Georgia central business district. The City Council appoints the majority of the DDA board members, and the DDA's debt is expected to be repaid almost entirely from the resources of the City. Although legally separate, the DDA is blended as a nonmajor governmental fund into the primary government. Separate financial statements for the DDA are not issued.

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the government. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. *Governmental activities*, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from *business-type activities*, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The Statement of Activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. *Direct expenses* are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment. *Program revenues* include: 1) charges to those who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment, and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as *general revenues*.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement* focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period. For this purpose, the City considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. Capital asset acquisitions, including entering into contracts giving the City the right to use leased assets, are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Proceeds of general long-term liabilities and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources. Issuance of long-term debt and financing through leases are reported as other financing sources.

Intergovernmental grants and investment income associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the City.

Substantially all governmental fund revenues are accrued. In applying GASB Statement No. 33 to grant revenues, the provider recognizes liabilities and expenses and the recipient recognizes receivables and revenues when the applicable eligibility requirements, including time requirements, are met. Resources transmitted before the eligibility requirements are met, are reported as advances by the provider and unearned revenue by the recipient.

The format of the fund financial statements has been modified by GASB Statement No. 34. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. GASB Statement No. 34 also requires, as Required Supplementary Information ("RSI"), the Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") which includes an analytical overview of the City's financial activity.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

The **General Fund** is the City's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

The American Rescue Plan Act ("ARPA") Fund is used for accounting for the financial resources provided and subsequently expended from the ARPA grant received from the federal government.

The **Public Facilities Authority** ("**PFA**") accounts for capital expenditures. Funding is provided by bonds issued in fiscal year 2021.

The **Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("SPLOST") V Fund** accounts for capital expenditures. Funding is provided by special purpose sales taxes, which are collected by Henry County and remitted to the City through an intergovernmental agreement.

The **City-wide Capital Projects Fund** accounts for major capital projects that are paid out of the General Fund.

The **Transportation** *Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("TSPLOST") Fund* accounts for capital expenditures. Funding is provided by special purpose sales taxes, which are collected by Henry County and remitted to the City through an intergovernmental agreement.

The City reports the following major proprietary funds:

The **Water and Sewer Fund** accounts for the operation of the water and sewerage system including all revenues from sources applicable to these operations and all expenses of the operation.

The **Solid Waste Fund** accounts for revenues generated from the charges for sanitation and recycling services provided to the residential and commercial users of the City.

The **Amphitheater Fund** accounts for activities related to the Amphitheater.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

C. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Basis of Presentation (Continued)

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are charges between the City's water and sewer function and the other functions of the government. Elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs reported for the various functions concerned.

Proprietary funds distinguish *operating* revenues and expenses from *non-operating* items. Operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. The principal operating revenues of the enterprise funds are charges for goods and services provided. Operating expenses of the enterprise funds include the cost of these goods and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the City's policy to use restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources as they are needed.

D. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

E. Cash and Investments

Cash includes amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity date within three months of the date acquired by the City. For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, the enterprise funds consider all highly liquid investments (including restricted assets) with a maturity date of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

The City's investments consist of Certificates of Deposit with a maturity date greater than three months from the date of purchase. For reporting purposes, all investments are recorded at fair value.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

E. Cash and Investments (Continued)

State statutes authorize the City to invest in: obligations of the United States, the State of Georgia and other political subdivisions of the State of Georgia, and other states; prime bankers' acceptances; repurchase agreements; and the Georgia Fund 1.

The City's policy is to hold investments to maturity.

In applying GASB Statement No. 72, the City utilized the following methods and assumptions as of December 31, 2022:

- 1. Fair value is based on quoted market prices as of the valuation date; and
- 2. The investment portfolio did not hold investments in any of the following: a) items required to be reported at amortized costs; b) items subject to involuntary participation in an external pool; and c) items associated with a fund other than the fund to which the income is assigned.

F. Inventories

Inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first in/first out ("FIFO") method. The consumption method is used to account for inventories. Under the consumption method, inventory items are recognized as expenditures when used.

G. Prepaid Expenditures/Expenses

Prepaid items are accounted for using the consumption method. A prepaid item is recognized when a cash expenditure/expense is made for goods or services that were purchased for consumption, but not consumed as of December 31, 2022.

H. Restricted Assets

Certain proceeds from the Urban Redevelopment Authority ("URA") Fund's debt issues are classified as restricted assets on the balance sheet because they are maintained in separate bank accounts and their use is limited by applicable debt covenants.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

I. Deferred Outflows/Inflows

In addition to assets, the Statement of Net Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net assets that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The City has four items that qualify for reporting in this category. These four items relate to the City's defined benefit pension plan. The pension assumption changes, experience differences, investment differences, and the contributions made subsequent to the measurement date are deferred and recognized as pension expense in future years.

In addition to liabilities, the Statement of Net Position and/or the governmental funds balance sheet will sometimes report a separate section for *deferred inflows of resources*. This separate financial statement element represents an acquisition of net assets that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The City has three items that qualify for reporting in this category. The first item, unavailable revenue, arises only under the modified accrual basis of accounting, and is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. The governmental funds report unavailable revenue for court fines, rental income, and franchise taxes levied, and these amounts are deferred and will be recognized as an inflow of resources in the period in which the amounts become available. The other two items relate to the City's defined benefit pension plan and are reported in the government-wide Statement of Net Position. The pension experience differences and pension investment earnings difference represent future acquisitions of net position and, accordingly, are reported as deferred inflows of resources.

J. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the City of Stockbridge Retirement Plan (the "Plan") and additions to/deductions from the Plan's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the Plan. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

K. Capital Assets

General capital assets are capital assets which are associated with and generally arise from governmental activities. They generally result from expenditures in governmental funds. General capital assets are reported in the governmental activities' column of the government-wide Statement of Net Position but are not reported in the fund financial statements. Capital assets utilized by the proprietary funds are reported both in the business-type activities column of the government-wide Statement of Net Position and in respective funds.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

K. Capital Assets (Continued)

Capital assets purchased or acquired with an original cost of \$5,000 or more are reported at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Contributed assets are reported at acquisition value. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized value of assets constructed. Depreciation on capital assets and amortization on right to use leased assets is provided on the straight-line basis over the following estimated useful lives:

Asset	Years
Building and improvements	30 - 50
Improvements other than buildings	25 - 50
Furniture and fixtures	10 – 20
Vehicles	5 – 10
Machinery and equipment	5 – 10
Infrastructure	40 - 50

The City only reports infrastructure assets purchased subsequent to December 31, 2003.

L. Compensated Absences

In 2017, the City switched from using a Paid Time Off ("PTO") system to a compensated absences system. Under the compensated absences system, the City accrues accumulated unpaid vacation and sick benefits. Annual leave will be paid to employees upon separation from service when earned (or estimated to be earned) by the employee. The non-current portion (the amount estimated to be used in subsequent fiscal years) for governmental funds is maintained separately and represents a reconciling item between the fund and government-wide presentations. In accordance with the provisions of GASB Statement No. 16, *Accounting for Compensated Absences*, no liability is recorded for non-vesting accumulating rights to receive sick pay benefits.

M. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements. All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations payable from proprietary funds are reported on the proprietary fund financial statements.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

M. Accrued Liabilities and Long-Term Obligations (Continued)

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources and are reported as obligations of the funds. However, claims and judgments and compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as liabilities in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are due for payment during the current year. Long-term loans are recognized as a liability on the governmental fund financial statements when due.

N. Interfund Activity

Interfund activity is reported as either loans, services provided, reimbursements or transfers. Loans are reported as interfund receivables and payables as appropriate and are subject to elimination upon consolidation. Services provided, deemed to be market or near market rates, are treated as revenues and expenditures/expenses and are not eliminated in the process of consolidation. Reimbursements are when one fund incurs a cost, charges the appropriate benefiting fund and reduces its related cost as a reimbursement. All other interfund transactions are treated as transfers. Transfers between governmental funds are netted as part of the reconciliation to the government-wide financial statements. As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

O. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The City adopts project length budgets for the SPLOST Capital projects funds, the Public Facilities Authority Fund, the City-wide Capital Projects Fund, the T-SPLOST Fund, and the State and Federal Grants Fund. The City adopts an annual budget for the Hotel/Motel Fund, Grants Fund, Burke Cemetery Fund, the Downtown Development Fund, the Urban Redevelopment Fund, and the Impact Fee Fund. The City is required by state law to adopt annual budgets for the General Fund and its special revenue funds (Hotel/Motel Tax Fund and Grants Fund). Public hearings are conducted to obtain taxpayer comments. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them. The budget is legally enacted by the passage of an ordinance. Any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any department must be approved by City Council. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year.

Governmental fund type budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with GAAP at the legal level of budgetary control which is the department level. Expenditures may not exceed the appropriations within a fund. Budgets, as reported in the financial statements, are as amended in December 2022. All annual appropriations lapse at year-end.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

O. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting (Continued)

For the year ended December 31, 2022, the following General Fund departments had actual expenditures in excess of budgeted amounts: Financial administration (\$1,406), Data processing (\$12,324), Building and plant (\$97,754), Human resources (\$118,620), Police administration (\$824,064), and City events (\$429,790). The Hotel/Motel Tax Fund had actual expenditures in excess of budget amounts for housing and development in the amount of \$70,273. These over expenditures were covered by under expenditures in other departments. The Grants Fund had actual expenditures in excess of budget amounts for housing and development in the amount of \$854,143.

P. Fund Balance and Fund Net Position

Fund Balance – Generally, fund balance represents the difference between the assets and deferred outflows, and liabilities and deferred inflows under the current financial resources measurement focus of accounting. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report fund balance classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the City is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent. Fund balances are classified as follows:

- Nonspendable Fund balances are reported as nonspendable when amounts cannot be spent because they are either: a) not in spendable form (i.e., items that are not expected to be converted to cash), or b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.
- **Restricted** Fund balances are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the City or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments.
- Committed Fund balances are reported as committed when they can be used only for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the City Council. The action to commit funds must occur prior to fiscal year-end, to report such commitments in the balance sheet of the respective period, even though the amount may be determined subsequent to fiscal year-end. Only the City Council may modify or remove the commitment.
- Assigned Fund balances are reported as assigned when amounts are constrained by the
 City's intent to be used for specific purposes but are neither restricted nor committed. Through
 resolution, the City Council has authorized the Treasurer and his designee to assign fund
 balances. Assignments may occur subsequent to fiscal year-end.
- **Unassigned** Fund balances are reported as unassigned when the balances do not meet any of the above criterion. The City reports positive unassigned fund balances only in the General Fund. All funds may report negative unassigned fund balances.

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

P. Fund Balance and Fund Net Position (Continued)

Flow Assumptions – When both restricted and unrestricted amounts of fund balances are available for use for expenditures incurred, it is the City's policy to use restricted amounts first and then unrestricted amounts as they are needed. For unrestricted amounts of fund balances, it is the City's policy to use fund balances in the following order: 1) committed; 2) assigned; and 3) unassigned.

Net Position – Net position represents the difference between assets and deferred outflows, and liabilities and deferred inflows in reporting which utilizes the economic resources measurement focus. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used (i.e., the amount that the City has spent) for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments.

The City applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net position is available.

NOTE 2. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

A. Explanation of Certain Differences between the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Government-wide Statement of Net Position

The governmental fund balance sheet includes a reconciliation between *fund balances* – *total governmental funds* and *net position* – *governmental activities* as reported in the government-wide Statement of Net Position. One element of that reconciliation explains that "Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds." The details of this difference are as follows:

Accrued interest payable	\$ (370,887)
Compensated absences payable	(271,399)
Bonds payable	(31,955,000)
Leases	 (105,492)
Net adjustment to reduce fund balances - total governmental funds	
to arrive at net position - governmental activities	\$ (32,702,778)

NOTE 2. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

A. Explanation of Certain Differences between the Governmental Fund Balance Sheet and the Government-wide Statement of Net Position (Continued)

Another element of that reconciliation explains that "the net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows of resources are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the governmental funds." The details of this difference are as follows:

Deferred outflows of resources - pension	\$ 558,826
Deferred inflows of resources - pension	(669,032)
Net pension liability - pension	 (464, 136)
	 _
Net adjustment to reduce fund balances - total governmental funds	
to arrive at net position - governmental activities	\$ (574,342)

B. Explanation of Certain Differences between the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances and the Government-wide Statement of Activities

The governmental fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances includes a reconciliation between *net changes in fund balances – total governmental funds* and *changes in net position of governmental activities* as reported in the government-wide Statement of Activities. One element of that reconciliation explains that "Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their useful lives and reported as depreciation expense." The details of this difference are as follows:

Capital outlay	\$ 9,801,087
Depreciation expense	(1,689,183)
Net adjustment to increase net changes in fund balances - total	
governmental funds to arrive at changes in net position of	
governmental activities	\$ 8,111,904

NOTE 2. RECONCILIATION OF GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

B. Explanation of Certain Differences between the Governmental Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances and the Government-wide Statement of Activities (Continued)

Another element of that reconciliation states that "the net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, trade-ins, and donations) is to decrease net position." The details of this difference are as follows:

Loss on disposal of capital assets	\$ (71,724)
Transfer of capital assets to business-type activities	(22,728,929)
Net adjustment to decrease net changes in fund balances - total	
governmental funds to arrive at changes in net position of	
governmental activities	\$ (22,800,653)

Another element of that reconciliation states that "Some expenses reported in the Statement of Activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds." The details of this difference are as follows:

Compensated absences	\$	(124,662)
Pension expense		229,758
Accrued interest		29,441
Net adjustment to increase net changes in fund balances - total governmental funds to arrive at changes in net position of governmental activities	<u>\$</u>	134,537

NOTE 3. CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Credit Risk. State statutes authorize the City to invest in: obligations of the United States, the State of Georgia and other political subdivisions of the State of Georgia, and other states; prime bankers' acceptances; repurchase agreements; and Georgia Fund 1.

Interest Rate Risk. The City does not have a formal investment policy that limits investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value losses arising from increasing interest rates.

NOTE 3. CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits. Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that, in the event of the failure of a depository financial institution, a government will not be able to recover deposits or will not be able to recover collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. State statutes require all deposits and investments (other than federal or state government instruments) to be collateralized by depository insurance, obligations of the U.S. government, or bonds of public authorities, counties, or municipalities. As of December 31, 2022, all of the deposits for the City were fully collateralized in accordance with the state statutes.

Fair Value Measurements. The City categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by GAAP. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; and Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. Georgia Fund 1 is an investment pool which does not meet the criteria of GASB Statement No. 79 and is thus valued at fair value in accordance with GASB Statement No. 31. As a result, the City does not disclose the investment in Georgia Fund 1 within the fair value hierarchy. Additionally, the City's Certificates of Deposit are nonnegotiable and, therefore, are not subject to fair value hierarchy.

Investments. The City's financial policies authorize investment in any securities approved by the State of Georgia for local governments. Authorized investments include Certificates of Deposit, repurchase agreements, direct and agency obligations of the United States, obligations of the State of Georgia, pooled investment programs of the State of Georgia, and no-load mutual funds of direct obligations of the United States.

At December 31, 2022, the City had the following investments:

Investment	Maturities	Fa	ir Value
Certificate of Deposit	August 19, 2024	\$	12,284
Certificate of Deposit	December 29, 2023		58,000
		\$	70,284

NOTE 4. PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. The City, when applicable, obtains the services of Henry County to bill and collect the City's property taxes. Henry County remits taxes collected to the City on a bi-monthly basis. Property taxes are levied approximately October 1 of each year and are due 60 days after issuance. A local option sales tax is in force. Proceeds from the tax are remitted to the City monthly and are utilized to give property tax owners tax relief. No property taxes were levied for the year ended December 31, 2022. There were no property taxes receivable as of December 31, 2022.

NOTE 5. RECEIVABLES

Receivables at December 31, 2022 for the City's individual major funds and nonmajor funds in the aggregate, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts are as follows:

Governmental Funds

			SPLOST V	onmajor ernmental	
	General		Fund	Funds	Total
Receivables:					
Intergovernmental	\$ 68,459	\$	-	\$ -	\$ 68,459
Taxes	2,020,738		596,482	37,148	2,654,368
Accounts	106,288		-	2,500	108,788
Gross receivables	 2,195,485	•	596,482	39,648	 2,831,615
Less allowance for					
uncollectibles	(47,617)		-	-	(47,617)
Net total receivables	\$ 2,147,868	\$	596,482	\$ 39,648	\$ 2,783,998

Proprietary Funds

	W	Water and			Nonmajor				
		Sewer		Solid Waste	Ente	rprise Funds		Total	
Receivables:									
Intergovernmental	\$	11,057	\$	1,682	\$	2,029	\$	14,768	
Accounts		519,768		76,740		247,159		843,667	
Gross receivables		530,825		78,422		249,188		858,435	
Less allowance for									
uncollectibles		(23,458)		-		-		(23,458)	
Net total receivables	\$	507,367	\$	78,422	\$	249,188	\$	834,977	

NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022 is as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Transfers	Ending Balance
Governmental activities:					
Capital assets, not being depreciated:					
Land	\$ 11,761,958	\$ 7,500		\$ (28,641)	
Construction in progress	4,109,863	7,313,663	(58,287)	(887,873)	10,477,366
Total	15,871,821	7,321,163	(58,287)	(916,514)	22,218,183
Capital assets, being depreciated:					
Buildings and improvements	48,543,034	262,015	-	(24,281,455)	24,523,594
Improvements other than buildings	4,146,334	-	-	341,929	4,488,263
Infrastructure	8,317,631	-	-	885,373	9,203,004
Machinery and equipment	2,233,590	226,611	-	(466,225)	1,993,976
Office equipment	1,914,513	151,567	-	(491,912)	1,574,168
Vehicles	2,385,080	1,602,410	(48,618)	80,847	4,019,719
Furniture and fixtures	1,481,936	237,321	-	(380,483)	1,338,774
Total	69,022,118	2,479,924	(48,618)	(24,311,926)	47,141,498
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings and improvements	(9,287,992)	(698,504)	_	1,806,485	(8,180,011)
Improvements other than buildings	(1,588,787)	(301,470)	_	8,330	(1,881,927)
Infrastructure	(2,531,195)	(222,629)	_	· -	(2,753,824)
Machinery and equipment	(1,641,278)	(79,711)	_	251,979	(1,469,010)
Office equipment	(1,042,938)	(60,843)	_	2,037	(1,101,744)
Vehicles	(1,371,495)	(321,855)	35,181	23,097	(1,635,072)
Furniture and fixtures	(1,490,319)	(4,171)	-	407,583	(1,086,907)
Total	(18,954,004)	(1,689,183)	35,181	2,499,511	(18,108,495)
Total assets, being depreciated, net	50,068,114	790,741	(13,437)	(21,812,415)	29,033,003
Governmental activities capital					
assets, net excluding lease assets	\$ 65,939,935	\$ 8,111,904	\$ (71,724)	\$ (22,728,929)	51,251,186
Lease assets, net (Note 7)					97,824
Total capital assets, net as reported in the Statement of Net Position					\$ 51,349,010

NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Transfers	Ending Balance
Business-type activities:					
Capital assets, not being depreciated:					
Land	\$ 416,962		\$ -	\$ 28,641	\$ 445,603
Construction in progress	6,846,585	3,532,009		(2,081,331)	8,297,263
Total	7,263,547	3,532,009		(2,052,690)	8,742,866
Capital assets, being depreciated:					
Buildings and improvements	8,853,918	21,705	-	25,609,609	34,485,232
Improvements other than buildings	11,978,790	-	-	21,000	11,999,790
Infrastructure	711,111	60,820	-	803,178	1,575,109
Vehicles	2,304,574	62,209	-	-	2,366,783
Furniture and fixtures	8,390	213,493	-	414,045	635,928
Machinery and equipment	4,773,243	416,909	-	433,299	5,623,451
Total	28,630,026	775,136		27,281,131	56,686,293
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings and improvements	(5,286,174)	(870,551)	-	(1,806,487)	(7,963,212)
Improvements other than buildings	(4,415,917	(258,436)	-	(8,330)	(4,682,683)
Infrastructure	(155, 186	(49,478)	-	-	(204,664)
Vehicles	(1,573,795)	(156,457)	-	-	(1,730,252)
Furniture and fixtures	(8,390)	(24,216)	-	(407,583)	(440, 189)
Machinery and equipment	(1,824,859)	(260,773)		(277,112)	(2,362,744)
Total	(13,264,321)	(1,619,911)		(2,499,512)	(17,383,744)
Total assets, being depreciated, net	15,365,705	(844,775)		24,781,619	39,302,549
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$ 22,629,252	\$ 2,687,234	<u>\$</u>	\$ 22,728,929	\$ 48,045,415

NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs of the City as follows:

Governmental activities:

General government Judicial Public safety Public works	\$ 647,144 88,184 289,137 664,718
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$ 1,689,183
Business-type activities:	
Water and sewer	\$ 815,034
Solid waste	14,972
Stormwater	129,841
Conference center	83,846
Amphitheater	576,218
Total depreciation expense - business-type activities	\$ 1,619,911

Net investment in Capital Assets. Net investment in capital assets on the government-wide Statement of Net Position and the major proprietary funds Statement of Net Position as of December 31, 2022 are as follows:

Governmental Activities

Capital assets, non-depreciable	\$ 22,218,183
Capital assets, depreciable	47,141,498
Accumulated depreciation	(18,108,495)
Leased assets	117,389
Accumulated amortization	(19,565)
Lease liability	(105,492)
Bonds payable	(31,955,000)
Accounts payable - SPLOST IV Fund	(422,086)
Accounts payable - City-wide Capital Projects Fund	(303,993)
Retainage payable	(488,949)
Unspent proceeds - Public Facilities Authority	 15,219,462
Net investment in capital assets,	
Governmental Activities	\$ 33,292,952

NOTE 6. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Net investment in Capital Assets (Continued).

Business-type Activities

Capital assets, non-depreciable	\$	8,742,866
Capital assets, depreciable		56,686,293
Accumulated depreciation		(17,383,744)
Notes payable		(1,023,845)
Retainage payable		(50,000)
Net investment in capital assets,		
Business-type Activities	\$	46,971,570
Water and Sewer Fund		
Capital assets, non-depreciable	\$	8,512,450
Capital assets, depreciable		26,916,214
Accumulated depreciation		(13,133,508)
Notes payable		(1,023,845)
Retainage payable		(50,000)
Net investment in capital assets,		
Water and Sewer Fund	\$	21,221,311
Solid Waste Fund		
Capital assets, depreciable	\$	468,083
Accumulated depreciation		(403,229)
Net investment in capital assets,		
Solid Waste Fund	<u>\$</u>	64,854
Amphitheater Fund		
Capital assets, depreciable	\$	22,618,214
Accumulated depreciation		(1,085,040)
Net investment in capital assets,		
Amphitheater Fund	\$	21,533,174

NOTE 7. LEASED ASSETS

A summary of leased asset activity for the City for the year ended December 31, 2022 is as follows:

	Balance				Balance			
	December 31, 2021	_	Additions	Deletions	December 31, 2022			
Governmental activities:						_		
Lease assets:								
Office equipment	\$ -	\$	117,389	\$ -	\$	117,389		
Total			117,389			117,389		
Less accumulated amortization for:								
Office equipment	-		(19,565)	-		(19,565)		
Total assets depreciated			(19,565)			(19,565)		
Total lease assets, net	\$ -	\$	97,824	\$ -	\$	97,824		

NOTE 8. LONG-TERM DEBT

Changes in Long-term Debt. The following is a summary of changes in long-term liabilities reported in the government-wide financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2022:

		Beginning Balance		Additions	F	Reductions		Ending Balance		Oue Within One Year
Governmental activities:										
Urban Redevelopment	•	0.045.000	•		•	(700,000)	•	0.005.000	•	000 000
revenue bonds Public Facilities Authority	\$	9,615,000	\$	-	\$	(780,000)	\$	8,835,000	\$	820,000
revenue bonds		25,805,000		_		(2,685,000)		23,120,000		3,915,000
Accrued compensated		20,000,000				(2,000,000)		20, 120,000		0,010,000
absences		146,737		311,915		(187,253)		271,399		54,280
Net pension liability		86,699		1,061,780		(684,343)		464,136		-
Lease liability			_	117,389		(11,897)		105,492		27,688
Total governmental-type	_		_		_	/ · - · - · · - · ·	_		_	
activity long-term debt	\$	35,653,436	\$	1,491,084	\$	(4,348,493)	\$	32,796,027	\$	4,816,968
Business-type activities:										
GEFA notes payable	\$	1,120,169	\$	-	\$	(96,324)	\$	1,023,845	\$	97,777
Accrued compensated						/a./ a.a./				
absences		61,918		78,061		(61,004)		78,975		15,795
Net pension liability		54,490		940,558		(583,900)		411,148		
Total business-type										
activity long-term debt	\$	1,236,577	\$	1,018,619	\$	(741,228)	\$	1,513,968	\$	113,572

NOTE 8. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

The City's General Fund is typically used to liquidate all governmental activity long-term liabilities. However, proceeds from any asset sales relative to the Urban Redevelopment project or Public Facilities project will be used to liquidate the related revenue bond obligation.

The Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund is used to liquidate all of the business-type activity long-term liabilities.

Urban Redevelopment Revenue Bonds. The City entered into an agreement with a financial institution that provided for the issuance of revenue bonds for the purchase of land and construction of structures and improvements for the New Town Center. Various bond issues were used by the City during the purchase and construction phases. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the City repaid various bond issues in the amount of \$780,000. Amounts outstanding at year-end of \$8,835,000 reflect total drawdowns to date net of repayments, if any.

Urban Redevelopment Fund long-term liabilities outstanding at December 31, 2022 are as follows:

Series 2005 B Revenue bonds payable to Capital One Bank, in the total amount of \$7,330,000, interest at 4.45%, matures 2/1/31.	\$ 3,740,000
Series 2006 A Revenue bonds payable to Capital One Bank, in the total amount of \$4,795,000, current interest at 4.58%, matures 2/1/31.	2,475,000
Series 2006 C Revenue bonds payable to Capital One Bank, in the total amount of \$5,000,000, current interest at 4.865%, matures 2/1/31.	 2,620,000
Total	\$ 8,835,000

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the revenue bonds that have closed are as follows:

Fiscal Year	ı	Principal		Interest		Total
2023	\$	820,000	\$	388,356	\$	1,208,356
2024		855,000	•	353,765	•	1,208,765
2025		890,000		309,562		1,199,562
2026		930,000		267,625		1,197,625
2027		975,000		223,719		1,198,719
2028 – 2031		4,365,000		413,686		4,778,686
Total	\$	8,835,000	\$	1,956,713	\$	10,791,713

NOTE 8. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

Public Facilities Authority Revenue Bonds. The City entered into an agreement with a financial institution that provided for the issuance of revenue bonds for the purchase of land and equipment for the Amphitheater and Cultural Arts Center, the purchase of buildings for the Cultural Arts Center, and the improvement of trails. Various bond issues were used by the City during the purchase and construction phases. Amounts outstanding at year-end of \$25,805,000 reflect total drawdowns to date net of repayments, if any.

Public Facilities Authority Fund long-term liabilities outstanding at December 31, 2022 are as follows:

Series 2021 B Revenue bonds payable to Truist Bank, in the total amount of \$1,030,000, interest at 1.04%, matures 12/31/2025.	\$ 775,000
Series 2021 A Revenue bonds payable to Truist Bank, in the total amount of \$9,910,000, current interest at 1.32%, matures 12/31/2025.	7,480,000
Series 2021 C Revenue bonds payable to Truist Bank, in the total amount of \$14,865,000, current interest at 2.53%, matures 12/31/2036.	14,865,000
Total	\$ 23,120,000

Annual debt service requirements to maturity for the revenue bonds that have closed are as follows:

Fiscal Year	I	Principal		Interest		Total
2023	\$	3,915,000	\$	467,764	\$	4,382,764
2024		3,980,000		401,898		4,381,898
2025		4,050,000		334,764		4,384,764
2026		1,295,000		266,346		1,561,346
2027		1,325,000		233,203		1,558,203
2028 - 2032		4,775,000		757,292		5,532,292
2033 – 2036		3,780,000		194,178		3,974,178
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Total	<u>\$</u>	23,120,000	\$	2,655,445	\$	25,775,445

NOTE 8. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

Lease Liability. The City enters into lease agreements for periods of five years as lessee for the use of copiers. These leases have an imputed interest rate of 2%.

Principal and interest requirements to maturity for the lease liability as of December 31, 2022 are as follows:

Fiscal Year	P	rincipal	Ir	nterest	Total			
2023	\$	27,688	\$	2,109	\$	29,797		
2024		28,242		1,555		29,797		
2025		16,182		990		17,172		
2026		16,506		667		17,173		
2027		16,874		337		17,211		
	\$	105,492	\$	5,658	\$	111,150		

Water and Sewer Long-term Debt. The City issues revenue bonds and enters into construction note agreements with the Georgia Environmental Finance Authority ("GEFA") where in both types of debt the government pledges income derived from the acquired or constructed assets to pay debt service. Amounts outstanding at the end of the current fiscal year relate to a note issued in 2010 to finance construction projects to improve the City's water distribution facilities. The note was issued by GEFA in the total amount of \$1,911,900. During the year ended December 31, 2022, the City repaid \$96,324 of the note payable. Amounts outstanding at year-end of \$1,023,845 reflect total drawdowns to date net of repayments, if any.

The annual requirement to pay GEFA's note outstanding is as follows:

Fiscal Year	!	Principal	 nterest	 Total
2023	\$	97,777	\$ 29,463	\$ 127,240
2024		100,751	26,489	127,240
2025		103,816	23,424	127,240
2026		106,973	20,267	127,240
2027		110,227	17,013	127,240
2028 – 2032		504,301	 33,649	 537,950
Total	\$	1,023,845	\$ 150,305	\$ 1,174,150

NOTE 9. INTERFUND TRANSFERS

Interfund transfers are as follows:

				Tr	ansfers Out				
							City-wide		
General Fund		Water & Sewer Fund		Nonmajor Enterprise Funds		Capital Projects Fund		Total	
\$	-	\$	61,260	\$	428,786	\$	-	\$	490,046
	1,022,754				-				1,022,754
	1,215,989		-		-		-		1,215,989
	3,014,566				-				3,014,566
	4,041,627				-				4,041,627
	-		-		-		3,842,262		3,842,262
\$	9,294,936	\$	61,260	\$	428,786	\$	3,842,262	\$	13,627,244
	\$	Fund \$ - 1,022,754 1,215,989 3,014,566 4,041,627	Fund \$ - \$ 1,022,754 1,215,989 3,014,566 4,041,627 -	Fund Fund \$ - \$ 61,260 1,022,754 1,215,989 -3,014,566 4,041,627	General Fund Water & Sewer Fund Enter E	Fund Fund Enterprise Funds \$ - \$ 61,260 \$ 428,786 1,022,754 - - 1,215,989 - - 3,014,566 - - 4,041,627 - - - - -	General Fund Water & Sewer Fund Nonmajor Enterprise Funds Ca \$ - \$ 61,260 \$ 428,786 \$ 1,022,754	General Fund Water & Sewer Fund Nonmajor Enterprise Funds City-wide Capital Projects Funds \$ - \$ 61,260 \$ 428,786 \$ - 1,022,754 - - - 1,215,989 - - - - 3,014,566 - - - - 4,041,627 - - 3,842,262	General Fund Water & Sewer Fund Nonmajor Enterprise Funds City-wide Capital Projects Fund \$ - \$ 61,260 \$ 428,786 \$ - \$ 1,022,754

Transfers are used to: 1) move revenues from the fund that the statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that the statute or budget requires to expend them, and 2) use unrestricted revenues collected in the General Fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations. During the period ended December 31, 2022, transfers from the General Fund to the nonmajor enterprise funds and the City-wide Capital Projects Fund were to clear deficit pooled cash balances. Transfers from the General Fund to the nonmajor governmental funds and the Public Facilities Authority were to finance the Urban Redevelopment Fund and the Public Facilities Authority Fund's debt service. Transfers out of the City-wide Projects Fund to the Amphitheater fund were to fund Amphitheater operating expenses and capital assets. Transfers out of the nonmajor enterprise funds and the Water and Sewer Fund are mainly to reimburse the General Fund for expenses initially paid out of the General Fund.

NOTE 10. JOINT VENTURE

Under Georgia law, the City, in conjunction with other cities and counties in the ten-county Atlanta area, is a member of the Atlanta Regional Commission ("ARC") and is required to pay annual dues thereto. Membership in the ARC is required by the O.C.G.A. §50-8-34 which provides for the organizational structure of the ARC in Georgia. The ARC Board membership includes the chief elected official of each county and municipality of the area. O.C.G.A. §50-8-39.1 provides that the member governments are liable for any debts or obligations of a regional commission. Henry County makes contributions on behalf of the City to the ARC. Separate financial statements may be obtained from:

Atlanta Regional Commission 40 Courtland Street, NE Atlanta, Georgia 30303

NOTE 11. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN

A. Plan Description

The City's pension plan is administered through the Georgia Municipal Employee Benefit System ("GMEBS"), an agent multiple-employer pension plan administered by the Georgia Municipal Association. The Plan (the "Plan") provides retirement and disability benefits, annual cost of living adjustments, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. Benefits are provided by the Plan whereby retirees receive between 1% and 1.75% multiplied by the average of the five highest years of regular earnings multiplied by the total credited years of service. The City Council, in its role as the Plan sponsor, has the governing authority to establish and amend from time to time, the benefits provided and the contribution rates of the City and its employees. The Georgia Municipal Association issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and Required Supplementary Information for GMEBS. That report may be obtained at www.gmanet.com or by writing to Georgia Municipal Association, Risk Management and Employee Benefit Services, 201 Pryor Street, NW, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 or by calling (404) 688-0472.

B. Plan Membership

As of July 1, 2022, the date of the most recent actuarial valuation, there were 173 participants consisting of the following:

45
41
87
173

C. Contributions

The Plan is subject to minimum funding standards of the Georgia Public Retirement Systems Standards law. The Board of Trustees of GMEBS has adopted a recommended actuarial funding policy for the Plan which meets state minimum requirements and will accumulate sufficient funds to provide the benefits under the Plan. The funding policy for the Plan, as adopted by the City Council, is to contribute an amount equal to or greater than the actuarially recommended contribution rate. This rate is based on the estimated amount necessary to finance the costs of benefits earned by plan members during the year, with an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability. The City is required to contribute the difference between the actuarially determined rate and the contribution rate of plan members, as determined by the City Council. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the City's contribution rate was 12.4% of annual payroll. City contributions to the Plan were \$564,637 for the year ended December 31, 2022.

NOTE 11. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (CONTINUED)

D. Net Pension Liability of the City

The City's net pension liability was measured as of March 31, 2022. The total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2021 with updated procedures performed by the actuary to roll forward to the total pension liability measured as of March 31, 2022.

Actuarial Assumptions. The total pension liability in the July 1, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation 2.25%

Salary increases 2.25% – plus service based merit increases

Investment rate of return 7.375%

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table with gender-distinct rates, set forward two years for males and one year for females.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period January 1, 2015 – June 30, 2019.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates of return (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. Best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class included in the pension plan's target asset allocation as of March 31, 2022 are summarized in the following table:

	Long-term expected real
Target Allocation	rate of return*
45 %	6.55 %
20	7.3
20	0.4
10	3.65
5	0.5
100 %	
	45 % 20 20 10 5

^{*} Rates shown are net of the 2.25% assumed rate of inflation.

NOTE 11. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (CONTINUED)

E. Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.375%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that plan member contributions will be made at the current contribution rate and that City contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between actuarially determined contribution rates and the member rate. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all of the projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

F. Changes in the Net Pension Liability of the City

The changes in the components of the net pension liability of the City for the year ended December 31, 2022 were as follows:

Balances at December 31, 2021 \$ 11,732,856 \$ 11,591,667 \$ 141,189 Changes for the year: Service cost 395,098 - 395,098 Interest 874,286 - 874,286 Differences between expected and actual experience 713,153 - 713,153 Assumption changes			otal Pension Liability (a)	an Fiduciary et Position (b)	Net Pension Liability (a) - (b)		
Service cost 395,098 - 395,098 Interest 874,286 - 874,286 Differences between expected and actual experience 713,153 - 713,153 Assumption changes - - - - Contributions - employer - 562,067 (562,067) Contributions - employee - - - - Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Balances at December 31, 2021	\$	11,732,856	\$ 11,591,667	\$	141,189	
Interest 874,286 - 874,286 Differences between expected and actual experience 713,153 - 713,153 Assumption changes - - - Contributions - employer - 562,067 (562,067) Contributions - employee - - - - Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Changes for the year:			 _			
Differences between expected and actual experience 713,153 - 713,153 Assumption changes - - - Contributions - employer - 562,067 (562,067) Contributions - employee - - - Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Service cost		395,098	-		395,098	
actual experience 713,153 - 713,153 Assumption changes - - - Contributions - employer - 562,067 (562,067) Contributions - employee - - - Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Interest		874,286	-		874,286	
Assumption changes	Differences between expected and						
Contributions - employer - 562,067 (562,067) Contributions - employee - - - Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	actual experience		713,153	-		713,153	
Contributions - employee - - - - Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Assumption changes		-	-		-	
Net investment income - 706,176 (706,176) Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Contributions - employer		-	562,067		(562,067)	
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Contributions - employee		-	-		-	
of employee contributions (546,464) (546,464) - Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Net investment income		-	706,176		(706, 176)	
Administrative expense - (19,801) 19,801 Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Benefit payments, including refunds						
Other - - - Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	of employee contributions		(546,464)	(546,464)		-	
Net changes 1,436,073 701,978 734,095	Administrative expense		-	(19,801)		19,801	
	Other		-	 		-	
Balances at December 31, 2022 \$ 13,168,929 \$ 12,293,645 \$ 875,284	Net changes		1,436,073	701,978		734,095	
	Balances at December 31, 2022	\$	13,168,929	\$ 12,293,645	\$	875,284	

The required schedule of changes in the City's net pension liability and related ratios immediately following the notes to the financial statements presents multi-year trend information about whether the value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the total pension liability.

NOTE 11. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (CONTINUED)

G. Sensitivity of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the net pension liability of the City, calculated using the discount rate of 7.375%, as well as what the City's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.375%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.375%) than the current rate:

		Current							
	1% Decrease (6.375%)		_	count Rate (7.375%)	-	1% Increase (8.375%)			
City's net pension liability	\$	2,555,745	\$	875,284	\$	(529,082)			

Actuarial valuations involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of events far into the future, and actuarially determined amounts are subject to continual revision as results are compared to past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. Actuarial calculations reflect a long-term perspective. Calculations are based on the substantive plan in effect as of March 31, 2022, and the current sharing pattern of costs between employer and employee.

H. Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the year ended December 31, 2022, the City recognized pension expense of \$338,277. At December 31, 2022, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

O	outflows of	I	Deferred Inflows of Resources
\$	630,377	\$	99,034
	-		28,133
	-		1,134,517
	423,478		-
\$	1,053,855	\$	1,261,684
	\$	423,478	Outflows of Resources F \$ 630,377 \$ - 423,478

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 11. DEFINED BENEFIT PENSION PLAN (CONTINUED)

H. Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions (Continued)

City contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$423,478 are reported as deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ending December 31, 2023. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ending December 31,	
2023	\$ (89,326)
2024	(159,834)
2025	(411,858)
2026	29,711
Total	\$ (631,307)

NOTE 12. RISK MANAGEMENT

The City is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to and destruction of assets, errors and omissions, injuries to employees, and natural disasters. The City carries commercial insurance in amounts deemed prudent by City management. Commercial insurance is carried for coverage of property, errors and omissions, professional liability and injuries to employees.

There have been no significant reductions of insurance coverage from coverage in the prior year and settlement amounts have not exceeded insurance coverage for the current year or the three prior years.

NOTE 13. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Amounts received or receivable from grant agencies are subject to audit and adjustments by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amount of any expenditures that may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time, although the government expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

In 2014, the citizens of Henry County voted to approve a Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("SPLOST") to help finance the acquisition and construction of major capital equipment and facilities. In relation to this, the City entered into an intergovernmental agreement with Henry County and the other cities inside the County whereby Henry County would issue revenue bonds to finance some of the SPLOST projects in advance of the SPLOST collections. The City received \$6,000,000 from Henry County under this agreement in fiscal year 2015.

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NOTE 13. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (CONTINUED)

The revenue bonds are in the name of Henry County and are not a direct liability of the City. However, under the terms of the intergovernmental agreement, Henry County will retain all of the first SPLOST revenue collections for each year in amounts that will satisfy the annual debt service requirements. The agreement also requires the City to pay its share of debt service requirements should the SPLOST revenue collections not be sufficient to satisfy the debt service requirements under the bond issue. Management believes the SPLOST revenue collections will be sufficient to satisfy all debt service requirements under the bond ordinance.

NOTE 14. HOTEL/MOTEL TAX

The City levies an 8% hotel/motel tax in accordance with the provisions of O.C.G.A. §48-13-51. In order to comply with the expenditure requirements of this code section, the City remits 40% of the monies from the first 5% collected under this provision to the Henry County Chamber of Commerce. The Henry County Chamber of Commerce also receives 50% of the additional 3%. Total collections for the year ended December 31, 2022, were \$484,363. The amount remitted to the Henry County Chamber of Commerce totaled \$210,456.

NOTE 15. LEASE AGREEMENTS

The City leases its solid waste transfer station to Lamar County Regional Solid Waste Management Authority who subleases to Waste Management. The current lease extends until April 30, 2026. The monthly rental charged by the City is \$1.40 for each ton of waste received at the site through April 30, 2021, at which time the monthly rental will be adjusted by the Consumer Price Index ("CPI") annually through the termination of the agreement. For the year ended December 31, 2022, the City received \$113,420 in rental fees under the contract. The leased assets cost \$36,116 and are reported net of accumulated depreciation of \$33,408 for a net carrying value of \$2,708.

The City's lease agreements, other than the agreement described above, are relatively minor commitments whereby the City is leasing various pieces of office equipment.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE CITY'S NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

				0004		0000		0040
Total pension liability		2022		2021		2020		2019
Service cost	\$	395,098	\$	395,087	\$	333,901	\$	329,372
Interest on total pension liability	•	874,286	Ψ	828,056	Ψ	770,863	Ψ	750,914
Differences between expected		0,_00		020,000				7.00,01.
and actual experience		713,153		(60,831)		382,053		(312,679)
Changes of assumptions		· -		-		· -		-
Changes in benefit terms		-		-		-		-
Benefit payments, including								
refunds of employee contributions		(546,464)		(524,505)		(510,620)		(501,679)
Other		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u> _		(80,734)		-
Net change in total pension liability		1,436,073		637,807		895,463		265,928
Total pension liability - beginning		11,732,856		11,095,049		10,199,586		9,933,658
Total pension liability - ending (a)		13,168,929		11,732,856		11,095,049		10,199,586
Plan fiduciary net position								
Contributions - employer		562,067		479,659		454,251		411,823
Contributions - employee		-		-		(000 404)		-
Net investment income		706,176		3,628,109		(609,481)		306,333
Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions		(546,464)		(524,505)		(510,620)		(501,679)
Administrative expenses		(19,801)		(18,658)		(20,941)		(19,245)
Net change in Plan fiduciary net position		701,978		3,564,605		(686,791)		197,232
Plan fiduciary net position -								
beginning		11,591,667		8,027,062		8,713,853		8,516,621
Plan fiduciary net position -								
ending (b)		12,293,645		11,591,667		8,027,062		8,713,853
City's net pension liability (a) - (b)	\$	875,284	\$	141,189	\$	3,067,987	\$	1,485,733
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension								
liability		93.4%		98.8%		72.3%		85.4%
Covered payroll	\$	4,612,475	\$	3,993,352	\$	3,819,839	\$	2,956,753
City's net pension liability as a								
percentage of covered payroll		18.98%		3.54%		80.32%		50.25%

Notes to the Schedule:

The schedule will present 10 years of information once it is accumulated.

 2018	 2017	 2016	 2015
\$ 322,052	\$ 297,396	\$ 247,214	\$ 319,885
685,378	650,509	611,199	604,791
180,527	(11,712)	132,894	(372,914)
-	-	-	4,539
-	-	-	3,871
(487,128)	(485,418)	(482,759)	(472,198)
 145,682	 <u> </u>	 	 -
846,511	450,775	508,548	87,974
 9,087,147	 8,636,372	 8,127,824	 8,039,850
 9,933,658	 9,087,147	 8,636,372	 8,127,824
373,239	334,499	401,339	397,450
-	-	-	-
951,855	870,208	20,122	629,378
(487,128)	(485,418)	(482,759)	(472,198)
 (18,215)	 (18,512)	 (13,276)	 (11,731)
819,751	700,777	(74,574)	542,899
7,696,870	6,996,093	 7,070,667	6,527,768
 8,516,621	 7,696,870	 6,996,093	 7,070,667
\$ 1,417,037	\$ 1,390,277	\$ 1,640,279	\$ 1,057,157
85.7%	84.7%	81.0%	87.0%
\$ 2,982,269	\$ 2,839,086	\$ 2,777,571	\$ 2,297,038
47.52%	48.97%	59.05%	46.02%

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CITY CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31,

	 2022	2021		2020		2019	
Actuarially determined contribution	\$ 564,637	\$	561,211	\$	452,475	\$	454,363
Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	 564,637		561,211		452,475		454,363
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$		\$		\$	<u>-</u>
Covered payroll	\$ 8,047,255	\$	4,531,408	\$	3,544,664	\$	4,009,122
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll	7.0%		12.4%		12.8%		11.3%

Notes to the Schedule:

Valuation date

Cost method

Actuarial asset valuation method

Assumed rate of return on investments

Projected salary increases

Cost of living adjustments

Amortization method
Remaining amortization period

July 1, 2022

Projected Unit Credit

Sum of actuarial value at beginning of year and the cash flow during the year plus the assumed investment return, adjusted by 10% of the amounts that the value exceeds or is less than the market value at the end of the year. The actuarial value is adjusted, if necessary, to be within 20% of market value.

7.375%

2.25% plus service based merit increases

N/A

Closed level dollar for remaining unfunded liability Remaining amortization period varies for the bases, with a net effective amortization period of 12 years.

The schedule will present 10 years of information once it is accumulated.

2018	2017		2016 2015		2016		2014
\$ 397,643	\$ 365,104	\$	324,417	\$	427,020	\$ 387,593	
 397,643	365,104		324,417		427,020	387,593	
\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 	\$		\$		\$ <u>-</u>	
\$ 3,401,666	\$ 3,251,123	\$	3,141,666	\$	2,954,937	\$ 2,765,158	
11.7%	11.2%		10.3%		14.5%	14.0%	

COMBINING AND INDIVIDUAL FUND STATEMENTS AND SCHEDULES

NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

Hotel/Motel Tax Fund - This fund is used to account for hotel/motel taxes collected.

Grants Fund – This fund is used to account for various intergovernmental revenues received and expended.

PERMANENT FUND

Burke Cemetery Fund – This fund is used to account for revenues earned from a trust set up for cemetery improvements at Burke Cemetery.

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUNDS

State and Federal Grants Fund – This fund is used to account for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities which are financed with state and federal assistance.

Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("SPLOST") III Fund – This fund is used to account for capital expenditures. Funding is provided by special purpose sales taxes, which are collected by the County and remitted to the City through an intergovernmental agreement.

Downtown Development Fund – This fund is used to account for the activities of the City's blended component unit, the Downtown Development Authority.

Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax ("SPLOST") IV Fund – This fund is used to account for capital expenditures. Funding is provided by special purpose sales taxes, which are collected by Henry County and remitted to the City through an intergovernmental agreement.

Urban Redevelopment Fund – This fund is used to account for the proceeds from the issuance of bonds to finance the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities.

Impact Fee Fund – This fund is used to account for the proceeds from new development taxes used for capital projects.

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Special Rev		venue Fund		Perm	nanent Fund			ojects Funds	
		lotel/Motel		Grants	Burk	e Cemetery	State and Federal		SPLOST III	
		Tax Fund		Fund		Fund	Gr	ants Fund		Fund
ASSETS										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$		\$		\$	-	\$	353,351	\$	1,139,798
Investments		-		-		12,284		-		-
Taxes receivable		37,148		-		-		-		-
Accounts receivable		-		-		-		-		-
Prepaid expenditures		-				566				-
Total assets	\$	1,149,716	\$	26,708	\$	12,850	\$	353,351	\$	1,139,798
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES										
Liabilities										
Accounts payable	\$	51,405	\$	287,563	\$	334	\$	-	\$	-
Retainage payable				-						_
Total liabilities		51,405		287,563		334				-
Fund Balances										
Non-spendable:										
Permanent fund corpus		-		-		5,000		-		-
Prepaids		-		-		566		-		-
Restricted:										
Cemetery maintenance		-		-		6,950		-		
Capital projects		-		-		-				1,139,798
Tourism		1,098,311		-		-		-		-
Assigned for capital projects Unassigned		-		(260,855)		-		353,351		
Total fund balances		1,098,311		(260,855)		12,516		353,351		1,139,798
				· · · · ·						
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	1,149,716	\$	26,708	\$	12,850	\$	353,351	\$	1,139,798

			Capital Proje	cts Funds					Total Nonmajor
Do	wntown		SPLOST IV		Jrban	lr	npact Fee	(Governmental
Develo	pment Fund		Fund	Redeve	opment Fund		Fund		Funds
\$	17,394	\$	3,700,679	\$	2,256	\$	741,250	\$	7,094,004
Ψ	-	Ψ	-	Ψ	-	Ψ		Ψ	12,284
	_		-		_		_		37,148
	2,500		-		_		_		2,500
	<u> </u>								566
\$	19,894	\$	3,700,679	\$	2,256	\$	741,250	\$	7,146,502
\$	120	\$	422,086	\$	-	\$	-	\$	761,508
			110,042		<u> </u>		-		110,042
	120		532,128		-		<u>-</u>		871,550
	-		-		_		_		5,000
	-		-		-		-		566
	-		-		-		-		6,950
	19,774		3,168,551		2,256		741,250		5,071,629
	-		-		-		-		1,098,311
	-		-		-		-		353,351
							-		(260,855)
	19,774		3,168,551		2,256		741,250		6,274,952
\$	19,894	\$	3,700,679	\$	2,256	\$	741,250	\$	7,146,502

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Special Re	venue	Fund	Perm	anent Fund		Capital Pro	ojects Funds	
	Н	otel/Motel		Grants	Burk	e Cemetery	State a	nd Federal	8	PLOST III
	Tax Fund		Fund		Fund		Grants Fund		Fund	
Revenues										
Other taxes	\$	484.363	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_
Intergovernmental	•	-	•	593,288	•	_	·	_	·	_
Impact fees		_		-		_		_		_
Interest income		_		_		_		_		59
Total revenues		484,363		593,288		-				59
Expenditures										
Current:										
Public works		-		854,143		10,210		-		_
Housing and development		445,273		-		_		-		_
Capital outlay:										
General government		-		-		-		-		-
Public works		-		-		-		-		1,902
Culture and recreation		-		-		-		-		· -
Debt service:								-		
Principal		-		-		-		-		-
Interest		-		-		-		-		-
Total expenditures		445,273		854,143		10,210		-		1,902
Excess (deficiency) of revenues										
over (under) expenditures		39,090		(260,855)		(10,210)				(1,843)
Other financing sources										
Transfers in				-		10,776				
Total other financing sources						10,776		-		
Net change in fund balances		39,090		(260,855)		566		-		(1,843)
Fund balances, beginning of year		1,059,221				11,950		353,351		1,141,641
Fund balances, end of year	\$	1,098,311	\$	(260,855)	\$	12,516	\$	353,351	\$	1,139,798

			Capital Projec	cts Funds					Total Nonmajor
Down	ntown	S	SPLOST IV				npact Fee	G	Sovernmental
Development Fund		-	Fund	Redev	elopment Fund		Fund		Funds
\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	484,363
•	_	•	-	•	_	*	-	*	593,288
	-		-		-		213,480		213,480
	-		398		-		-		457
			398				213,480		1,291,588
	_		-		-		_		864,353
	21,924		-		-		-		467,197
	-		435,183		-		-		435,183
	-		957,071		-		-		958,973
	-		51,841		-		-		51,841
	-		-				-		
	-		-		780,000		-		780,000
	21,924		1,444,095		425,213				425,213
	21,924		1,444,093		1,205,213		<u>-</u> _	-	3,982,760
	(21,924)		(1,443,697)		(1,205,213)		213,480		(2,691,172)
	_		_		1,205,213		_		1,215,989
	-		-		1,205,213		-		1,215,989
	(21,924)		(1,443,697)		-		213,480		(1,475,183)
	41,698		4,612,248		2,256		527,770		7,750,135
\$	19,774	\$	3,168,551	\$	2,256	\$	741,250	\$	6,274,952

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND - HOTEL/MOTEL TAX FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

			Hotel/I	Motel Tax Fund	I	
				Var	iance With	
		Budget		Actual	Fin	al Budget
Revenues	·					
Taxes	\$	375,000	\$	484,363	\$	109,363
Total revenues		375,000		484,363		109,363
Expenditures						
Current:						
Housing and development		375,000		445,273		(70,273)
Total expenditures		375,000		445,273		(70,273)
Net change in fund balances		-		39,090		39,090
Fund balances, beginning of year		1,059,221		1,059,221		-
Fund balances, end of year	\$	1,059,221	\$	1,098,311	\$	39,090

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND - GRANTS FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

			Gr	ants Fund		
	Fir	nal			Var	iance With
	Bud	lget		Actual	Fir	nal Budget
Revenues		_				
Intergovernmental	\$	-	\$	593,288	\$	593,288
Total revenues		_		593,288		593,288
Expenditures						
Current:						
Public works		-		854,143		(854,143)
Total expenditures				854,143		(854,143)
Net change in fund balances		-		(260,855)		(260,855)
Fund balances, beginning of year						
Fund balances, end of year	\$	_	\$	(260,855)	\$	(260,855)

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL PERMANENT FUND - BURKE CEMETERY FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Burke Cemetery Fund										
		Final Budget		Actual	Variance With Final Budget						
Revenues:											
Interest income	\$	20,000	\$	-	\$	(20,000)					
Total revenues		20,000				(20,000)					
Expenditures:											
Current:											
General government:											
Financial administration		8,000		-		8,000					
Public works		12,000		10,210		1,790					
Total expenditures		20,000		10,210		9,790					
Deficiencyof expenditures under											
revenues				(10,210)		(10,210)					
Other financing sources:											
Transfers in		_		10,776		10,776					
Total other financing sources		-		10,776		10,776					
Net change in fund balances		-		566		566					
Fund balances, beginning of year		11,950		11,950							
Fund balances, end of year	\$	11,950	\$	12,516	\$	566					

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND - DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Do	wntown I	Development F	und		
		Final			Vari	iance With	
	E	Budget		Actual	Final Budget		
Revenues:		_		_		_	
Other revenues	\$	45,000	\$		\$	(45,000)	
Total revenues		45,000		-		(45,000)	
Expenditures:							
Current:							
Housing and development		45,000		21,924		23,076	
Total expenditures		45,000		21,924		23,076	
Net change in fund balances		-		(21,924)		(21,924)	
Fund balances, beginning of year		41,698		41,698			
Fund balances, end of year	\$	41,698	\$	19,774	\$	(21,924)	

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND - URBAN REDEVELOPMENT FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Uı	ban Redevelopment F	und				
	Final	•	Variance With				
	Budget	Actual	Final Budget				
Revenues:							
Other revenues	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -				
Total revenues	-						
Expenditures:							
Debt service:							
Principal	780,000	780,000	-				
Interest	443,178	425,213	17,965				
Total expenditures	1,223,178	1,205,213	17,965				
Deficiency of expenditures under							
revenues	(1,223,178)	(1,205,213)	17,965				
Other financing sources:							
Transfers in	-	1,205,213	1,205,213				
Total other financing sources	-	1,205,213	1,205,213				
Net change in fund balances	(1,223,178)	-	1,223,178				
Fund balances, beginning of year	2,256	2,256	<u>-</u>				
Fund balances, end of year	\$ (1,220,922)	\$ 2,256	\$ 1,223,178				

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET AND ACTUAL CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND - IMPACT FEE FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Impact Fee Fund										
	F	inal			Var	iance With						
	Bu	dget		Actual	Final Budget							
Revenues:												
Impact fees	\$	-	\$	213,480	\$	213,480						
Total revenues				213,480		213,480						
Expenditures:												
Current:												
Public works		-										
Total expenditures												
Net change in fund balances		-		213,480		213,480						
Fund balances, beginning of year		527,770		527,770								
Fund balances, end of year	\$	527,770	\$	741,250	\$	213,480						

NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS

The Stormwater Fund – This fund is used to account for revenues generated from the charges for stormwater services provided to the citizens of the City.

Conference Center Fund – This fund is used to account for activities related to the Merle Manders Conference Center.

COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Stormwater Fund	Conference Center Fund	Total
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,169,34	7 \$ -	\$ 1,169,347
Accounts receivable	247,15		247,159
Due from other governments	2,02		2,029
Prepaid expenses	1,16		4,981
Total current assets	1,419,69	6 3,820	1,423,516
NON-CURRENT ASSETS Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	1,855,94	6 2,296,285	4,152,231
·			· ·
Total non-current assets	1,855,94	6 2,296,285	4,152,231
Total assets	3,275,64	2,300,105	5,575,747
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pensions	230,41	5 34,021	264,436
Total deferred outflows of resources	230,41	5 34,021	264,436
LIABILITIES CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Accounts payable	11,38	6 8,001	19,387
Accrued liabilities	2,81	5 5,717	8,532
Customer deposits		- 19,650	19,650
Compensated absences due within one year	2,76	4 2,678	5,442
Total current liabilities	16,96	36,046	53,011
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES Compensated absences due in more			
than one year	11,05	5 10,712	21,767
Net pension liability	191,37	•	219,628
Total non-current liabilities	202,42	38,968	241,395
Total liabilities	219,39	2 75,014	294,406
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pensions	275,85	40,730	316,584
Total deferred inflows of resources	275,85	40,730	316,584
NET POSITION			
Investment in capital assets	1,855,94		4,152,231
Unrestricted	1,154,86	(77,903)	1,076,962
Total net position	\$ 3,010,81	1 \$ 2,218,382	\$ 5,229,193

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Stormwater Fund	Conference Center Fund	Total
OPERATING REVENUES		·	
Charges for services:			
Rentals	\$ -	\$ 10,785	\$ 10,785
Stormwater fees	1,037,207		1,037,207
Total operating revenues	1,037,207	10,785	1,047,992
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Personnel services	349,325	501,593	850,918
Contracted services	63,534	37,406	100,940
Supplies	33,267	42,710	75,977
Repairs and maintenance	3,581	-	3,581
Depreciation	129,841	83,846	213,687
Total operating expenses	579,548	665,555	1,245,103
Operating income (loss)	457,659	(654,770)	(197,111)
CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS	73,188	2,219,184	2,292,372
TRANSFERS IN	-	1,022,754	1,022,754
TRANSFERS OUT	(60,000)	(368,786)	(428,786)
Change in net position	470,847	2,218,382	2,689,229
NET POSITION, beginning of year	2,539,964		2,539,964
NET POSITION, end of year	\$ 3,010,811	\$ 2,218,382	\$ 5,229,193

COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS NONMAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Stormwater Fund	 Conference Center Fund	Total
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Receipts from customers	\$	1,005,006	\$ 977,254	\$ 1,982,260
Payments to suppliers and service providers		(122,220)	(1,102,870)	(1,225,090)
Payments to employees		(312,279)	 (367,405)	 (679,684)
Net cash provided by (used in)				
operating activities		570,507	(493,021)	 77,486
CASH FLOWS FROM NON-CAPITAL				
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Transfers to other funds		(60,000)	-	(60,000)
Transfers from other funds			 653,968	 653,968
Net cash provided by (used in) non-capital				
financing activities		(60,000)	653,968	 593,968
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Purchase of property and equipment		(338,355)	(160,947)	(499,302)
Net cash used in capital and related				
financing activities		(338,355)	(160,947)	(499,302)
ncrease in cash and cash equivalents		172,152	-	172,152
Cash and cash equivalents:				
Beginning of year		997,195	 	 997,195
End of year	\$	1,169,347	\$ 	\$ 1,169,347
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:				
Operating income (loss)	\$	457,659	\$ (654,770)	\$ (197,111)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:				
Depreciation		129,841	83,846	213,687
Increase in accounts receivable		(37,113)	-	(37,113)
Decrease in due from other governments		4,912	-	4,912
Increase in deferred outflows				
of resources - pension		(130,299)	(34,021)	(164,320)
Increase in customer deposits		-	19,650	19,650
Decrease (increase) in prepaid expenses Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities		57 (6,168)	(3,820) 19,107	(3,763) 12,939
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(21,895)	8,001	(13,894)
Increase in deferred inflows		(21,000)	0,001	(10,004)
of resources - pension		3,015	40,730	43,745
Increase in net pension liability		170,498	 28,256	 198,754
Net cash provided by (used in)				
operating activities	\$	570,507	\$ (493,021)	\$ 77,486
NON-CASH CAPITAL AND RELATED				
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Contributions of capital assets				
from other funds	<u>\$</u>	73,188	\$ 2,219,184	\$ 2,292,372

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROCEEDS - SPLOST III FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Original		Current			E	cpenditures			Estimated	
Project		Estimated Cost		Estimated Cost		Beginning of Year		Current Year		To Date	Percent Complete	
Roads, bridges, sidewalks and transportation facilities	\$	3,060,000	\$	1,742,941	\$	1,742,941	\$	-	\$	1,742,941	100.00%	
Public safety facilities and equipment		2,000,000		2,551,386		2,551,386		-		2,551,386	100.00%	
Public works facilities and equipment		17,097,500		7,754,028		6,539,959		1,902		6,541,861	84.37%	
Construction and renovation of municipal buildings		10,700,000		6,358,696		6,358,696		<u> </u>		6,358,696	100.00%	
Total	\$	32,857,500	\$	18,407,051	\$	17,192,982	\$	1,902	\$	17,194,884	93.41%	

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROCEEDS - SPLOST IV FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

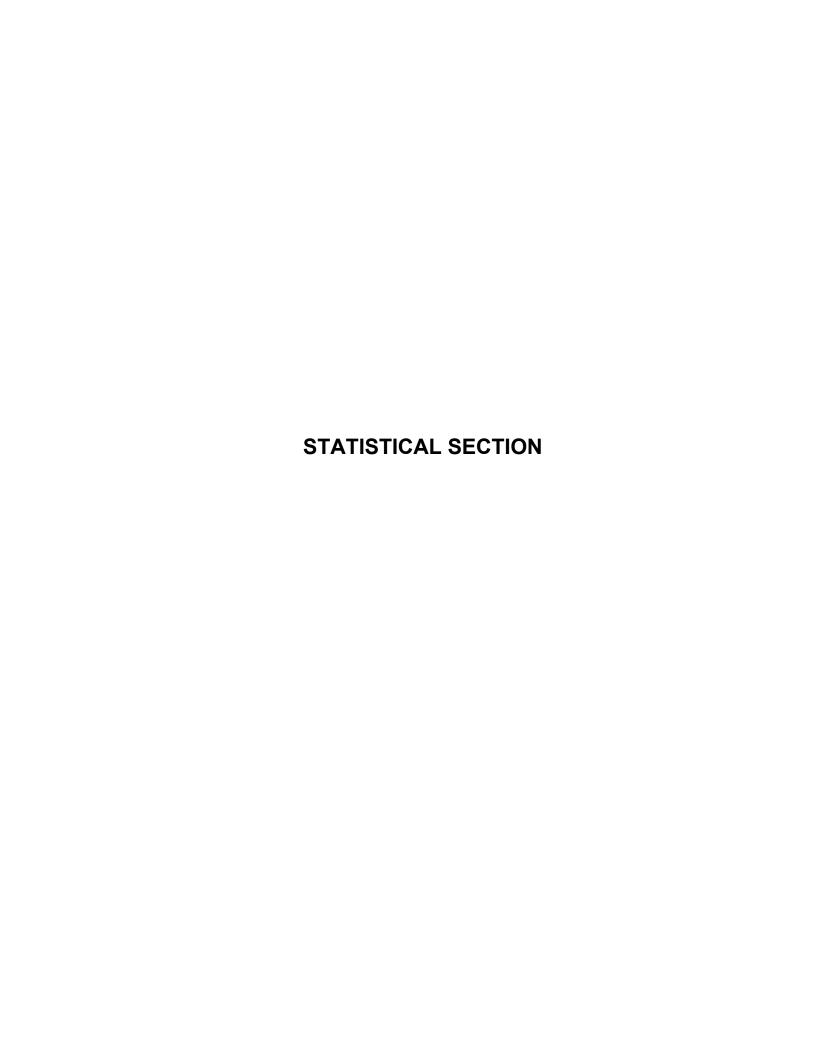
Project		Original Estimated Cost		Current Estimated Cost		Beginning of Year		Expenditures Current Year		To Date	Estimated Percent Complete	
Roads, bridges, sidewalks and transportation facilities	\$	1,500,000	\$	5,210,000	\$	2,835,260	\$	957,071	\$	3,792,331	72.79%	
Public safety facilities and equipment		4,180,000		131,817		131,817		-		131,817	100.00%	
Public works facilities and equipment		19,000,000		8,923,222		7,604,417		487,024		8,091,441	90.68%	
Parks and recreation		2,000,000		9,006,275		8,387,991			_	8,387,991	93.13%	
Total	\$	26,680,000	\$	23,271,314	\$	18,959,485	\$	1,444,095	\$	20,403,580	87.68%	

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROCEEDS - SPLOST V FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Original		Current			Estimated				
-	Estimated		Estimated	В	eginning of		Current		То	Percent
Project Project	 Cost	_	Cost		Year	_	Year		Date	Complete
Roads, bridges, sidewalks and transportation facilities	\$ 4,720,959	\$	4,720,959	\$	-	\$	1,485,643	\$	1,485,643	31.47%
Civic projects	9,852,437		9,852,437		-		240,613		240,613	2.44%
Parks and recreation	1,231,554		1,231,554		-		173,734		173,734	14.11%
Sewer/Water/Stormwater infrastructure	 4,720,959		4,720,959	. <u></u>			28,423	_	28,423	0.60%
Total	\$ 20,525,909	\$	20,525,909	\$		\$	1,928,413	\$	1,928,413	9.40%

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF TRANSPORTATION SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROCEEDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

		Original		Current		Estimated						
Project	_	Estimated Cost		Estimated Cost	Beginning of Year		Current Year		To Date		Percent Complete	
Roads, bridges, sidewalks and transportation facilities	\$	12,200,000	\$	12,200,000	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	0.00%	
Parks and recreation		10,105,000		10,105,000		-		-		-	0.00%	
Total	\$	22,305,000	\$	22,305,000	\$	_	\$		\$	_	0.00%	



STATISTICAL SECTION

This part of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia's (the "City") Annual Comprehensive Financial Report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and Required Supplementary Information says about the City's overall financial health.

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Sources: Unless otherwise noted, the information in these schedules is derived from the annual financial reports for the relevant year.

NET POSITION BY COMPONENT LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

Governmental Activities	017
	
Net investment in capital assets \$ 32,551,895 \$ 30,884,452 \$ 29,316,744 \$ 24,706,392 \$ 25	
	,476,622
Restricted 4,090,481 6,707,544 14,922,842 16,757,135 15	,313,394
Unrestricted 6,138,430 7,423,318 7,770,791 14,920,345 17	,534,743
Total governmental activities net position \$\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	,324,759
Business-Type Activities	
Net investment in capital assets \$ 14,173,806 \$ 15,869,585 \$ 16,460,917 \$ 16,337,920 \$ 18	,655,646
Unrestricted 4,716,724 5,891,310 6,533,628 7,495,232 7	,231,099
Total business-type activities net position \$\\\\\$18,890,530\$ \$\\\\\$21,760,895\$ \$\\\\\$22,994,545 \$\\\\$23,833,152\$ \$\\\\\$25	,886,745
Primary Government	
Net investment in capital assets \$ 46,725,701 \$ 46,754,037 \$ 45,777,661 \$ 41,044,312 \$ 44	,132,268
Restricted 4,090,481 6,707,544 14,922,842 16,757,135 15	,313,394
Unrestricted 10,855,154 13,314,628 14,304,419 22,415,577 24	,765,842
Total primary government net position \$ 61,671,336 \$ 66,776,209 \$ 75,004,922 \$ 80,217,024 \$ 84	,211,504

Fiscal Year												
2018		2019		2020		2021		2022				
\$ 26,862,664	\$	28,435,249	\$	43,717,019	\$	48,261,529	\$	33,292,952				
16,603,867		16,772,774		9,284,117		11,599,061		25,321,397				
17,496,942		18,313,148		13,597,025		15,443,768		4,602,348				
\$ 60,963,473	\$	63,521,171	\$	66,598,161	\$	75,304,358	\$	63,216,697				
\$ 18,698,180	\$	22,251,421	\$	23,368,409	\$	21,459,083	\$	46,971,570				
7,462,589		6,117,244		5,522,733		5,252,432		5,299,457				
\$ 26,160,769	\$	28,368,665	\$	28,891,142	\$	26,711,515	\$	52,271,027				
\$ 45,560,844	\$	50,686,670	\$	67,085,428	\$	69,720,612	\$	80,264,522				
16,603,867		16,772,774		9,284,117		11,599,061		25,321,397				
24,959,531		24,430,392		19,119,758		20,696,200		9,901,805				
\$ 87,124,242	\$	91,889,836	\$	95,489,303	\$	102,015,873	\$	115,487,724				

CHANGES IN NET POSITION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

	-	2013		2014		scal Year 2015	2016		2017
Expenses		2013		2014		2013	2010		2017
Governmental activities:									
General government	\$	5,936,424	\$	3,561,543	\$	3,366,285 \$	3,496,445	\$	3,397,192
Judicial ⁽¹⁾	•	847,430	•	787,946	•	665,664	447,338	*	172,218
Public safety		811,804		744,104		848,136	177,125		436,880
Public works		360,679		2,844,049		2,829,741	2,058,092		2,608,574
Health and welfare		500,079		2,044,043		2,023,741	2,030,032		2,000,574
Culture and recreation		66,573		_		10,577	_		
Housing and development		191,209		203.265		1,267,243	739.159		1,037,910
Interest on long-term debt		681,001		656,137		629,911	602,535		573,861
Total governmental activities expenses		8,895,120		8,797,044		9,617,557	7,520,694		8,226,635
rotal governmental activities expenses		0,093,120		6,797,044		9,017,557	7,520,694		0,220,033
Business-type activities:									
Water and sewer		3,560,527		2,884,646		3,158,357	3,090,427		3,429,805
Stormwater		434,772		349,691		212,729	389,999		599,575
Solid waste		874,678		728,744		719,355	1,024,671		1,270,720
Conference center		347,392		331,099		290,062	393,485		492,130
Community center		95,972		28,849		49,768	51,876		56,177
Amphitheater		-		-		-	-		-
Total business-type activities		5,313,341		4,323,029		4,430,271	4,950,458		5,848,407
Total primary government	\$	14,208,461	\$	13,120,073	\$	14,047,828 \$	12,471,152	\$	14,075,042
Program Revenues									
Governmental activities:									
Charges for services:									
General government	\$	345,093	\$	450,308	\$	347,970 \$	430,767	\$	440,347
Judicial	Ψ	1,184,636	Ψ	1,179,667	Ψ	1,018,700	419,041	Ψ	43,678
Capital grants and contributions		3,171,384		3,886,677		8.732.683	2,863,565		2,811,531
Total governmental activities	-	3,171,304		3,000,011		0,732,003	2,000,000		2,011,001
program revenues		4,701,113		5,516,652		10,099,353	3,713,373		3,295,556
B									
Business-type activities: Charges for services:									
Water and sewer		2.835.775		2.938.884		3.067.407	3.356.353		3,580,309
Stormwater		495,025		493,402		495,077	509,886		510,920
Solid waste		1,145,486		1,167,463		1,170,475	1,212,246		1,237,250
Amphitheater		1,170,700		1,107,700		1,170,770	1,212,240		1,201,200
Conference center		170,707		194,518		163,297	168,874		198,496
Community center		43,438		34,661		46,788	48,538		46,417
Capital grants and contributions		40,400		34,001		40,700	40,550		40,417
Total business-type activities						<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>		
**		4,690,431		4,828,928		4 043 044	5,295,897		5 572 202
program revenues		4,090,431		4,020,928		4,943,044	5,295,697		5,573,392
Total primary government program revenues	\$	9,391,544	\$	10,345,580	\$	15,042,397 \$	9,009,270	¢	8,868,948
program revenues	φ	3,J31,J44	φ	10,343,300	φ	13,042,331 Þ	შ,00შ,∠70	φ	0,000,940

2018		2019	 iscal Year 2020	2021	2022			
	2018	 2019	 2020	 2021		2022		
\$	4,192,501	\$ 3,901,360	\$ 4,448,902	\$ 3,760,382	\$	14,215,859		
	· · · · -	187,427	276,608	155,059		1,625,210		
	198,810	266,742	292,705	345,410		8,317,170		
	4,768,839	5,915,846	4,191,206	3,149,973		20,668,385		
	-	-	1,509,531	42,502		-		
	-	-	-	376,263		-		
	1,480,341	1,878,636	1,639,480	1,972,305		2,989,823		
	544,013	 512,812	 480,220	 1,381,846		914,109		
	11,184,504	 12,662,823	 12,838,652	 11,183,740		48,730,556		
	3,515,666	3,784,323	4,359,746	4,370,327		4,457,740		
	620,265	478,698	573,183	628,728		579,548		
	1,417,032	1,464,732	1,577,462	1,658,235		1,884,867		
	502,506	572,740	639,116	2,315,364		665,555		
	60,532	49,948	44,115	567,622		-		
	-	-	 -	 <u>-</u>		3,081,604		
	6,116,001	6,350,441	7,193,622	9,540,276		10,669,314		
\$	17,300,505	\$ 19,013,264	\$ 20,032,274	\$ 20,724,016	\$	59,399,870		
\$	963,720 28,600 3,387,128	\$ 1,098,764 263,253 3,580,528	\$ 1,019,736 22,212 8,950,956	\$ 1,382,633 56,495 11,203,137	\$	1,252,877 256,485 32,021,633		
	4,379,448	 4,942,545	 9,992,904	 12,642,265		33,530,995		
	3,972,963 521,509	4,169,272 527,501	4,388,102 1,024,877	3,949,637 1,042,072		3,991,542 1,037,207		
	1,248,109	1,219,300	1,231,457	1,785,974		1,811,707		
	400.450	404.005	-	173,695		447,580		
	186,452	121,965	26,508	-		10,785		
	47,086 -	 50,239 2,139,259	1,428 427,618	563,657		24,555,035		
	5,976,119	 8,227,536	 7,099,990	 7,515,035		31,853,856		
\$	10,355,567	\$ 13,170,081	\$ 17,092,894	\$ 20,157,300	\$	65,384,851		

(Continued)

CHANGES IN NET POSITION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

					Fis	scal Year			
Description (October 1)		2013		2014		2015	2016		2017
Program Revenues (Continued)									
Net (expense)/revenue Governmental activities	\$	(4.104.007)	ď	(2.200.202)	¢	494 706 ¢	(2 907 221)	ď	(4.024.070
	Ф	(4,194,007)	\$	(3,280,392)	\$	481,796 \$	(3,807,321)	\$	(4,931,079
Business-type activities		(622,910)	\$	505,899		512,773 994,569 \$	345,439	\$	(275,015
Total primary government net expense	\$	(4,816,917)	Ф	(2,774,493)	_	994,569 \$	(3,461,882)	Ф	(5,206,094
General Revenues and									
Other Changes in Net Position									
Governmental activities:									
Taxes:									
Property taxes	\$	231,993	\$	271,113	\$	226,911 \$	124,284	\$	126,814
Sales taxes		3,260,524		3,403,706		3,597,732	3,785,414		3,887,722
Franchise taxes		1,355,500		1,452,601		1,546,828	1,480,642		1,419,291
Alcoholic beverage taxes		621,381		663,251		704,298	711,402		726,445
Business and occupation taxes		617,617		472,466		564,290	601,511		661,371
Insurance premium taxes		1,322,407		1,419,779		1,516,512	1,642,740		1,751,247
Hotel/Motel taxes		87,052		92,580		130,588	222,993		445,240
Other taxes		74,168		84,437		120,925	103,613		180,437
Unrestricted investment earnings		49,919		17,715		4,322	1,381		2,007
Transfers		838,157		(2,362,748)		(1,123,522)	(493,164)		(2,328,608
Total governmental activities		8,458,718		5,514,900		7,288,884	8,180,816		6,871,966
Business-type activities:									
Unrestricted investment earnings		1,888		1,718		334	4		-
Gain on sale of capital assets		890		-		42,791	-		-
Transfers		(838,157)		2,362,748		1,123,522	493,164		2,328,608
Total business-type activities		(835,379)		2,364,466		1,166,647	493,168		2,328,608
Total primary government	\$	7,623,339	\$	7,879,366	\$	8,455,531 \$	8,673,984	\$	9,200,574
Change in Net Position									
Governmental activities	\$	4,264,711	\$	2,234,508	\$	7,770,680 \$	4,373,495	\$	1,940,887
Business-type activities		(1,458,289)		2,870,365		1,679,420	838,607		2,053,593
Total primary government	\$	2,806,422	\$	5,104,873	\$	9,450,100 \$	5,212,102	\$	3,994,480

Note:

⁽¹⁾ The Community Center and the Conference Center activity was moved from a separate fund to a department within the General Fund in 2021.

				F	iscal Year							
	2018		2019		2020		2021		2022			
\$	(6,805,056)	\$	(7,720,278)	\$	(2,845,748)	\$	1,458,525	\$	(15,199,561)			
	(139,882)		1,877,095		(93,632)		(2,025,241)		21,184,542			
\$	(6,944,938)	\$	(5,843,183)	\$	(2,939,380)	\$	(566,716)	\$	5,984,981			
\$	221,334	\$	352,331	\$	544,338	\$	806,485	\$	770,169			
	4,161,389		4,474,981		-		-		-			
	1,497,519		1,559,754		1,599,506		1,494,487		1,614,172			
	747,612		760,087		842,612		841,605		851,324			
	815,350		827,926		959,288		1,083,528		1,210,279			
	1,888,635		2,012,698		2,122,713		2,187,071		2,389,696			
	454,239		472,110		349,863		546,818		484,363			
	68,837		136,456		93,190		131,398		165,611			
	2,761		12,434		27,337		1,894		1,256			
	(413,906)		(330,801)		(616,109)		154,386		(4,374,970)			
	9,443,770		10,277,976		5,922,738	-	7,247,672		3,111,900			
	_		_		-		_		_			
	_		_		_		_		_			
	413,906		330,801		616,109		(154,386)		4,374,970			
	413,906		330,801		616,109		(154,386)		4,374,970			
\$	9,857,676	\$	10,608,777	\$	6,538,847	\$	7,093,286	\$	7,486,870			
¢.	2 620 744	¢	2 557 600	¢.	2.076.000	¢	9 706 107	¢	(12.007.664)			
\$	2,638,714	\$	2,557,698	\$	3,076,990	\$	8,706,197	\$	(12,087,661)			
\$	274,024	\$	2,207,896	\$	522,477 3 500 467	\$	(2,179,627)	\$	25,559,512			
\$	2,912,738	\$	4,765,594	\$	3,599,467	\$	6,526,570	\$	13,471,85			

GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES TAX REVENUES BY SOURCE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

Fiscal Year	Property Tax		Sales Tax	 Franchise Tax	Alcoholic Beverage Tax	 usiness and Occupation Tax	Insurance Premium Tax
2013	\$	231,993	\$ 3,260,524	\$ 1,355,500	\$ 621,381	\$ 617,617	\$ 1,322,407
2014		271,113	3,403,706	1,452,601	663,251	472,466	1,419,779
2015		226,911	3,597,732	1,546,828	704,298	564,290	1,516,512
2016		124,284	3,785,414	1,480,642	711,402	601,511	1,642,740
2017		126,814	3,887,722	1,419,291	726,445	661,371	1,751,247
2018		221,334	4,161,389	1,497,519	747,612	815,350	1,888,635
2019		352,331	4,474,981	1,559,754	760,087	827,926	2,012,698
2020		544,338	-	1,599,506	842,612	959,288	2,122,713
2021		806,485	-	1,494,487	841,605	1,083,528	2,187,071
2022		770,169	-	1,614,172	851,324	1,210,279	2,389,696

Note: Sales and Use Tax revenues along with most other tax revenue sources have increased due to the significant growth in both population and commercial businesses.

 Other Taxes	 Total
\$ 161,220	\$ 7,570,642
177,017	7,859,933
251,513	8,408,084
326,606	8,672,599
625,677	9,198,567
523,076	9,854,915
608,566	10,596,343
443,053	6,511,510
678,216	7,091,392
649,974	7,485,614

FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

			Fis	scal Year		
	 2013	2014		2015	2016	2017
General Fund:	 	 			 	
Nonspendable	\$ 6,138,534	\$ 6,116,722	\$	6,078,840	\$ 4,605,760	\$ 2,289,521
Restricted	62,475	-		166,864	-	-
Assigned	142,654	113,588		138,184	58,937	2,874
Unassigned	4,486,260	6,166,220		8,232,433	11,326,184	16,328,566
Total General Fund	\$ 10,829,923	\$ 12,396,530	\$	14,616,321	\$ 15,990,881	\$ 18,620,961
All Other Governmental Funds:						
Nonspendable	\$ 280,684	\$ 592,900	\$	5,684	\$ 5,597	\$ 5,000
Restricted, reported in:						
Special revenue funds	40,220	68,238		129,398	187,190	337,145
Capital project funds	3,975,827	6,627,115		14,614,296	16,557,661	14,963,965
Permanent fund	6,959	7,191		7,284	7,284	7,284
Assigned, reported in:						
Capital project funds	(4,879,042)	(5,513,757)		(5,765,237)	-	-
Unassigned	-	-		-	_	-
Total all other governmental funds	\$ (575,352)	\$ 1,781,687	\$	8,991,425	\$ 16,757,732	\$ 15,313,394

Note: Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 54 was adopted in 2011.

		F	iscal Year			
 2018	2019	2020		 2021	 2022	
\$ 2,274,304	\$ 2,276,346	\$	2,293,686	\$ 2,298,715	\$ 2,569,719	
829,299	315,625		1,104,366	7,975,208	679,237	
15,634,005	16,648,682		13,603,614	5,769,093	1,212,272	
\$ 18,737,608	\$ 19,240,653	\$	17,001,666	\$ 16,043,016	\$ 4,461,228	
\$ 5,000	\$ 5,824	\$	5,000	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,566	
506,466	691,087		839,531	1,059,221	1,098,311	
16,085,451	16,069,737		8,432,636	28,620,712	39,430,598	
6,950	6,950		6,950	6,950	6,950	
(162,940)	(61,322)		(3,030,430)	353,351	353,351	
 -	 -		-	 -	(260,855)	
\$ 16,440,927	\$ 16,712,276	\$	6,253,687	\$ 30,045,234	\$ 40,894,776	

CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

					Fi	scal Year			
_		2013		2014		2015	2016		2017
Revenues	Φ.	7 505 544	Φ.	7 000 040	Φ.	0.000.040	0.005.047	Φ.	0.000.000
Taxes	\$	7,565,511	\$	7,860,843	\$	8,399,813 \$	8,625,047	\$	9,266,993
Licenses and permits		246,441		174,297		211,001	258,637		291,989
Intergovernmental		2,899,752		3,861,031		8,721,298	2,839,897		2,758,823
Fines and forfeitures		1,131,672		1,210,910		1,059,330	539,215		68,652
Charges for services		4,391		1,187		3,078	5,590		7,858
Impact fees		405.000		=		-	-		-
Contributions		125,000		-		-	-		-
Rental income		-		21,226		700	05.040		600
Investment earnings		57,298		22,135		15,707	25,049		54,715
Miscellaneous		94,261		274,824		133,191	161,623		139,752
Total revenues		12,124,326		13,426,453		18,544,118	12,455,058		12,589,382
Expenditures									
General government		3,190,031		2,929,787		2,673,703	2,701,378		2,990,473
Judicial		805,170		767,735		615,842	437,762		180,971
Public safety		745,644		671,715		790,475	136,373		161,280
Public works and parks		2,985,676		2,051,248		1,978,791	1,699,509		2,122,376
Health and welfare		-		-		-	-		-
Culture and recreation		-		-		-	-		-
Housing and development		190,100		512,598		1,233,236	739,159		1,042,949
Urban redevelopment		· -		· -		-	-		-
Tourism and promotion		-		-		-	-		_
Capital outlay		9,732,121		1,214,890		562,889	869,169		4,121,584
Debt service:						-			
Principal		520,000		545,000		570,000	595,000		625,000
Interest		690,980		666,595		640,851	613,951		585,859
Bond issuance costs		, -		, <u>-</u>		· -	, <u>-</u>		· -
Total expenditures		18,859,722		9,359,568		9,065,787	7,792,301		11,830,492
Excess of revenues over (under) expenditures		(6,735,396)		4,066,885		9,478,331	4,662,757		758,890
Other financing sources (uses)									
Proceeds from debt issues		_		_		_	_		_
Recognition of extinguishment of debt		_		_		_	4,532,836		_
Transfers		(150,464)		(143,239)		(48,802)	(54,726)		(120,785)
Proceeds from sale of assets		2,040		(140,200)		(40,002)	(04,720)		547,637
Total other financing sources (uses)		(148,424)	_	(143,239)	-	(48,802)	4,478,110	-	426,852
Net change in fund balances	\$	(6,883,820)	\$	3,923,646	\$	9,429,529 \$	9,140,867	\$	1,185,742
Debt convice on a persentage of									
Debt service as a percentage of		14.6%		15.1%		13.7%			14.7%

Note: There was a significant increase in intergovernmental revenue in 2015 due to \$6,000,000 bond issuance for SPLOST projects.

					Fiscal Year				
	2018		2019		2020		2021	_	2022
\$	9,854,915	\$	10,596,343	\$	6,522,700	\$	7,074,412	\$	7,483,294
·	714,550	•	697,648	·	819,533	·	667,913	·	813,684
	3,278,162		3,437,264		8,780,119		10,967,695		31,806,828
	39,297		77,523		26,498		56,495		256,485
	74,112		159,781		85,649		168,441		280,123
	-		-		292,941		234,829		213,480
					-		-		
	30,969		36,531		278		0.507		31,560
	111,727		155,698		66,383		2,507 546,279		2,581
	144,089 14,247,821		204,804 15,365,592		114,115 16,708,216		19,718,571	_	127,510 41,015,545
	14,247,021		10,300,092	_	10,700,210		19,7 10,37 1	_	41,010,040
	4,665,663		4,558,705		4,075,046		4,462,556		6,218,975
	122,342		220,695		214,208		212,568		357,139
	148,680		199,803		232,493		1,126,188		4,435,360
	2,361,610		2,571,822		2,964,115		3,530,060		5,883,404
	_,		_,,		1,509,531		42,502		-
	-		-		, , -		365,855		-
	1,479,499		1,881,539		1,637,282		1,974,293		2,990,746
	-		-		-		-		-
	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>				<u>-</u>		-
	2,886,748		3,621,973		16,959,540		9,340,130		13,444,994
	650,000		680,000		710,000		745,000		3,476,897
	556,491		525,860		493,848		644,376		943,550
	_		_	_			536,098		-
	12,871,033		14,260,397		28,796,063		22,979,626		37,751,065
	1,376,788		1,105,195		(12,087,847)		(3,261,055)		3,264,480
	_		_		<u>-</u>		25,805,000		_
	-		-		-		-		-
	(162,065)		(330,801)		(616,109)		154,386		(4,374,970)
_	19,457	_		_	6,380	_	134,566		
	(142,608)		(330,801)		(609,729)	_	26,093,952	_	(4,374,970)
\$	1,234,180	\$	774,394	\$	(12,697,576)	\$	22,832,897	\$	(1,110,490)
	11.4%		9.9%		10.0%		14.7%		15.8%

GENERAL GOVERNMENT TAX REVENUES BY SOURCE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (MODIFIED ACCRUAL BASIS OF ACCOUNTING)

Fiscal Year	 Property Tax	Franchise Tax		Alcoholic Beverage Tax		Insurance Premium Tax		Business and Occupation Tax		Other Taxes		Total
2013	\$ 231,993	\$ 1,350,369	\$	621,381	\$	1,322,407	\$	617,617	\$	161,220	\$	4,304,987
2014	271,113	1,453,511		663,251		1,419,779		444,366		205,117		4,457,137
2015	226,911	1,538,557		704,298		1,516,512		558,840		256,963		4,802,081
2016	124,284	1,433,090		711,402		1,642,740		546,502		381,615		4,839,633
2017	126,814	1,487,717		726,445		1,751,247		661,371		625,677		5,379,271
2018	221,334	1,497,519		747,612		1,888,635		815,350		523,076		5,693,526
2019	352,331	1,559,754		760,087		2,012,698		827,926		608,566		6,121,362
2020	555,528	1,599,506		842,612		2,122,713		959,288		443,053		6,522,700
2021	806,485	1,494,487		841,605		2,187,071		1,083,528		678,216		7,091,392
2022	770,169	1,614,172		851,324		2,389,696		1,210,279		649,974		7,485,614

Note: Sales and Use Tax revenues along with most other tax revenue sources have increased due to the significant growth in both population and commercial businesses.

ASSESSED VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

		Assessed	l Value		Total					
Tax Year	Real and Personal Property	Motor Vehicle	Mobile Home	Other	Less: Tax-Exempt Property	Taxable Assessed Value	Total Direct Tax Rate			
2013	\$ 653,081,289	\$ 25,863,520	\$ 1,604,083	\$ 165,000	\$ (41,029,339)	\$ 639,684,553	0.000			
2014	676,829,226	20,949,450	1,595,881	762,897	(6,332,991)	693,804,463	0.000			
2015	734,070,209	15,891,630	1,542,715	10,099	(7,374,892)	744,139,761	0.000			
2016	806,767,219	11,699,210	1,475,725	20,499	(8,617,909)	811,344,744	0.000			
2017	851,439,452	8,526,740	1,540,136	-	(13,588,601)	847,917,727	0.000			
2018	903,388,035	5,912,810	1,534,666	57,530	(15,504,457)	895,388,584	0.000			
2019	962,641,023	4,770,560	1,755,941	112,255	(12,896,367)	956,383,412	0.000			
2020	1,016,246,217	3,822,220	1,767,905	42,036	(16,847,322)	1,005,031,056	0.000			
2021	1,071,979,964	3,081,600	1,774,787	39,322	(19,642,092)	1,057,233,581	0.000			
2022	1,308,782,765	2,928,210	1,862,463	18,410	(27,440,912)	1,286,150,936	0.000			

SOURCE:

Henry County Tax Commissioner

Note: Assessed value is calculated at 40% of estimated actual fair market value.

PROPERTY TAX RATES DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTS (PER \$1,000 OF ASSESSED VALUE) LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Tax/Fiscal Year	City	County	County School District M&O	County School District Bond	Water	Hospital	State	Total
2013	0.00	14.50	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.15	40.28
2014	0.00	14.30	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.10	40.03
2015	0.00	13.87	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.05	39.55
2016	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36
2017	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36
2018	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36
2019	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36
2020	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36
2021	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36
2022	0.00	12.73	20.00	3.63	2.00	0.00	0.00	38.36

SOURCE:

Henry County Tax Commissioner

Note: All tax rates are per \$1,000 assessed valuation, less exemptions.

PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO

		Fis	cal Year 2	.022		Fise	scal Year 2013		
Taxpayer		Taxable Assessed Value		Percentage of Total Taxable Assessed Value	Taxable Assessed Value		Rank	Percentage of Total Taxable Assessed Value	
Eastwood Village Gardens LP	\$	20,413	1	1.59%	\$	-		-	
AR-Eagles Landing LLC, JFB-Eagles Landing LLC		17,828	2	1.39%		-		-	
CSP Community Owner LLP		17,240	3	1.34%		7,794	5	1.22%	
Vulcan Lands and Materials LLC		16,199	4	1.26%		-		=	
Waterford Landing Apartments LLC		15,712	5	1.22%		6,007	7	0.94%	
St. Ives Apartments LLC		14,160	6	1.10%		7,900	4	1.23%	
Crossings@Eagles Landing		13,769	7	1.07%		6,058		0.95%	
WWC XXXIX LP		12,586	8	0.98%		-		=	
North Park Property Owner LLC		11,348	9	0.88%		10,109		1.58%	
Georgia Power Company		9,483	10	0.74%		-		-	
Walmart Real Estate Business Trust		-		-		13,283	1	2.08%	
West Henry Land Corp & Etal		-		-		8,940	2	1.40%	
Concert PSP Atlanta - Eastwood		-		-		8,447	3	1.32%	
JES@Eagles Landing LLC		-		-		6,910	6	1.08%	
CS Stockbridge LKE LLC		-		=		5,783	8	0.90%	
WR of Stockbridge II LLC		-		=		5,424	9	0.85%	
Sagebrush Stonegate						5,016	10	0.78%	
Total	\$	148,738		11.57%	\$	91,671		14.33%	

SOURCE:

Henry County Tax Commissioner

Note: Amounts expressed in thousands.

PRINCIPAL FRANCHISE TAXPAYERS CURRENT YEAR AND SIX YEARS AGO

	Fis	cal Year 2	022	Fiscal Year 2016			
Franchise Taxpayer	Revenue	Rank	Percentage of Total Revenue	Revenue	Rank	Percentage of Total Revenue	
Georgia Power Company	\$ 1,224,383	1	73.42%	\$ 1,089,242	1	76.31%	
Atlanta Gas Light	140,838	2	8.45%	92,727	4	6.50%	
Charter	140,156	3	8.40%	138,345	2	9.69%	
Comcast	73,508	4	4.41%	-		-	
Snapping Shoals	36,204	5	2.17%	437	9	0.03%	
Directv	26,812	6	1.61%	-		-	
Bellsouth	17,639	7	1.06%	93,570	3	6.56%	
College Park	5,728	8	0.34%	7,414	5	0.52%	
Diatro LLC	1,980	9	0.12%	258	10	0.02%	
Fusion Cloud (Birch)	413	10	0.02%	1,531	7	0.11%	
Fusion (Cbeyond Communications)	-		-	3,224	6	0.23%	
Electric Lightwave	-		-	498	8	0.03%	
Verizon							
Total	\$ 1,667,661		100.00%	\$ 1,427,246		100.00%	

SOURCE:

Stockbridge Finance Department

Note: 2013 information not available, 2016 information provided.

RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

		Go	overnmenta	l Activiti	es			В	usine	ss-type Activit	ies	
Fiscal Year	Redevelopment Agency Bonds		Public Facilities Authority Bonds			Total		Revenue Bonds		Notes Payable		Total
2013	\$	14,735,000	\$	_	\$	14,735,000	\$	-	\$	1,749,444	\$	1,749,444
2014		14,190,000		-		14,190,000		-		1,673,651		1,673,651
2015		13,620,000		-		13,620,000		-		1,595,552		1,595,552
2016		13,025,000		-		13,025,000		-		1,515,078		1,515,078
2017		12,400,000		-		12,400,000		-		1,432,156		1,432,156
2018		11,750,000		-		11,750,000		-		1,346,713		1,346,713
2019		11,070,000		-		11,070,000		_		1,258,670		1,258,670
2020		10,360,000		-		10,360,000		-		1,213,649		1,213,649
2021		9,615,000	25,8	305,000		35,420,000		_		1,120,169		1,120,169
2022		8,835,000	23,1	20,000		31,955,000		-		1,023,845		1,023,845

SOURCE:

Population data from Quick Facts Census Data

Note: Details regarding the City's outstanding debt can be found in Note 7 of the current financial statements.

_ 0	Total Primary Sovernment	Population	Percentage of Personal Income	Per apita
\$	16,484,444	26,905	2.68 %	\$ 613
	15,863,651	27,205	2.54	583
	15,215,552	27,619	2.29	551
	14,540,078	28,202	2.25	516
	13,832,156	29,114	2.07	475
	13,096,713	29,638	1.81	442
	12,328,670	29,904	1.59	412
	11,573,649	24,794	1.49	467
	36,540,169	29,163	4.71	1,253
	32,978,845	29,064	3.89	1,135

DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Category of Debt	Amour	t of Outstanding Debt	Percentage Applicable To Government	ount Applicable to ty of Stockbridge
Direct					
	City of Stockbridge General Obligation Bonds Capital Leases	\$	-		\$ -
	Total Direct Debt	\$	-		\$ -
Overlappir	ng				
	General Obligation Debt:				
	Henry County Capital Lease	\$	10,064,888	13.36%	\$ 1,344,669
	Henry County Revenue Bonds		3,211,537	13.36%	429,061
	Henry County General Obligation		24,925,000	13.36%	3,329,980
		\$	38,201,425		\$ 5,103,710
	Henry County Schools Bonds Payable	\$	395,355,000	13.36%	\$ 52,819,428
	Total Direct and Overlapping Debt	\$	433,556,425		\$ 57,923,138

SOURCE:

Henry County Unaudited Financial Statements and Henry County Board of Education Audited Financial Statements

LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

			Fiscal Year		
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Debt limit	\$ 63,968,455	\$ 69,380,446	\$ 74,413,976	\$ 81,134,474	\$ 84,791,773
Total net debt applicable to limit					
Legal debt margin	\$ 63,968,455	\$ 69,380,446	\$ 74,413,976	\$ 81,134,474	\$ 84,791,773
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

Note: Under Georgia law, the City's outstanding general obligation debt should not exceed 10% of total assessed property value. The City has no general obligation debt that is subject to the debt limitation.

		Fiscal Year		
2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
\$ 89,538,858	\$ 95,638,341	\$ 100,503,106	\$ 105,723,358	\$ 128,615,094
		<u> </u>		-
\$ 89,538,858	\$ 95,638,341	\$ 100,503,106	\$ 105,723,358	\$ 128,615,094
0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%

PLEDGED REVENUE COVERAGE LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

						Water & S	Sewer De	ebt		
Fiscal Year	F	iter & Sewer und Gross Revenues	Less: Operating Expenses		Net Available Revenue		Principal		 nterest	Coverage
2013	\$	2,836,218	\$	2,143,837	\$	692,381	\$	73,556	\$ 53,500	5.45
2014		2,939,225		2,321,279		617,946		75,793	51,257	4.86
2015		3,190,340		2,490,903		699,437		78,099	48,946	5.51
2016		3,784,703		2,400,268		1,384,435		80,474	46,565	10.90
2017		5,788,132		2,715,737		3,072,395		82,922	44,111	24.19
2018		4,224,804		2,778,790		1,446,014		85,443	41,583	11.38
2019		6,308,531		2,955,003		3,353,528		88,043	38,977	26.40
2020		4,721,445		3,545,305		1,176,140		45,021	18,373	18.55
2021		4,404,851		3,528,253		876,598		93,480	33,760	6.89
2022		5,744,460		3,611,789		2,132,671		96,324	30,917	16.76

Notes:

⁽¹⁾ Details regarding the City's outstanding debt can be found in the notes to the financial statements.

⁽²⁾ Operating expenses do not include interest, depreciation, or amortization expense.

⁽³⁾ Gross revenues include capital contributions.

⁽⁴⁾ Water and Sewer Debt beginning in fiscal year 2011 consists solely of loans through the Georgia Environmental Finance Authority

	Gross/	Urba	n Redevelopm	ent Rev	venue Bonds	
ı	Pledged Revenues	F	rincipal		Interest	Coverage
\$	1,210,980	\$	520,000	\$	690,980	1.00
	1,211,595		545,000		666,595	1.00
	1,210,851		570,000		640,851	1.00
	1,208,951		595,000		613,951	1.00
	1,210,859		625,000		585,859	1.00
	1,206,491		650,000		556,491	1.00
	1,205,860		680,000		525,860	1.00
	1,203,848		710,000		493,848	1.00
	1,205,337		745,000		460,337	1.00
	1,205,213		780,000		425,213	1.00

DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year	Population		<u>(</u> t	Personal Income housands) ⁽²⁾		Per Capita Personal Income ⁽²⁾	Median Age ⁽²⁾⁽⁵⁾	School Enrollment ⁽³⁾	Stockbridge Unemployment Rate ⁽⁴⁾
2013	26,905	(5)	\$	615,344,255	\$	22,871	34.8	1,742	9.6% %
2014	27,205	(5)		624,218,725		22,945	35.8	1,667	8.0%
2015	27,619	(5)		664,457,902		24,058	34.9	1,691	6.7%
2016	28,202	(5)		647,094,890		22,945	35.8	1,604	6.6%
2017	29,114	(5)		667,234,652		22,918	35.3	1,617	4.9%
2018	29,638	(5)		724,826,928		24,456	35.8	1,612	4.3%
2019	29,904	(5)		775,470,528		25,932	34.6	1,522	4.7%
2020	24,794	(5)		775,470,528		25,932	34.6	1,522	4.7%
2021	29,163	(5)		848,409,996		29,092	36.7	1,436	3.8%
2022	29,064	(5)		720,612,816	5)	24,794 ⁽²⁾	36.7	1,414	2.9% (6)

SOURCES:

⁽¹⁾ Atlanta Regional Commision (2) Sperling's Best Places (3) Henry County Board of Education

⁽⁴⁾ Homefacts.com

⁽⁵⁾ U.S. Census Bureau Estimates

⁽⁶⁾ Georgia Labor Market Explorer

PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS CURRENT YEAR AND NINE YEARS AGO

	Fis	cal Year 20)22	Fise	cal Year 2	013
Employer	Employees	Rank	Employer's percentage of total employment	Employees	Rank	Employer's percentage of total employment
Piedmont Hospital	1,704	1	12.27%	N/A		-
Walmart Supercenter	792	2	5.70%	1,196	1	49.26%
Publix Super Market	408	3	2.94%	327	2	13.47%
City of Stockbridge	147	4	1.06%	61	9	2.51%
Ingles	141	5	1.02%	178	3	7.33%
Eagles Landing Christian Academy	135	6	0.97%	N/A		=
Brandsmart USA	107	7	0.77%	114	5	4.70%
Utility Trailer of Georgia	101	8	0.73%	89	8	3.67%
Kohl's Department Store	89	9	0.64%	89	8	3.67%
Vulcan Materials	87	10	0.63%	111	6	4.57%
At Home (Garden Ridge in 2007)	45		0.32%	35		1.44%
Henry Country Schools within the City	N/A		=	135	4	5.56%
Eagles Landing Country Club	N/A		=	93	7	3.83%
All Other Employers	10,127		72.95%	N/A		-
Total	13,883			2,428		

SOURCE:

City of Stockbridge, Georgia records

N/A - information not available

FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT CITY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

					Fisca	l Year				
Function	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
Executive	1	2	5	5	4	5	5	7	6	5
Administration	9	10	10	10	12	12	6	8	10	13
City Clerk	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	5	5	6
Facilities maintenance	-	-	-	4	2	2	2	2	2	2
Municipal court	-	3	3	3	1	1	2	2	2	2
Public works and parks	19	20	20	17	13	19	17	18	18	21
City events	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
Code enforcement	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	2
Police	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	62
Permitting development	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2
Planning and zoning	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	5
Economic development	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	0
Main street	-	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
GIS	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Water/Sewer	15	15	15	16	15	18	18	18	22	14
Stormwater	3	3	2	7	7	6	5	5	5	3
Sanitation	9	7	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Conference Center	4	1	1	2	3	3	4	4	5	3
Total	61	64	66	71	64	73	76	81	93	147

SOURCE:

City of Stockbridge, Georgia records

Notes:

- (1) Employee counts for years 2011 2013 are estimates based on available information.
- (2) Elected officials and appointed court personnel are not included.
- (3) The City uses personnel services lawn maintenance, not included above.

OPERATING INDICATORS BY FUNCTION LAST TEN CALENDAR YEARS

			Fis	scal Year		
Function	 2013	 2014		2015	 2016	2017
Municipal Court						
Fines and forfeitures	\$ 1,131,672	\$ 1,210,910	\$	1,059,330	\$ 539,215	\$ 57,196
Number of cases	5,852	5,967		5,185	1,702	281
Conference Center						
Annual rents	\$ 186,189	\$ 190,813	\$	179,319	\$ 168,874	\$ 191,568
Occupation Tax						
Annual renewals	1,339	1,281		1,121	1,539	1,681
New business licenses	231	182		231	279	228
Public Works						
Miles resurfaced	N/A	3.5		3.1	2.4	5.0
Stormwater						
Potential ponds identified	181	188		188	188	188
Total number of pipes	3,102	3,102		3,102	3,102	3,102
Total number of feet of pipes	434,491	434,491		434,491	434,491	434,491
Complaints	126	94		89	119	88

SOURCE:

City of Stockbridge, Georgia records

Note: Revenues from fines decreased significantly in 2016 as Henry County diverted citations to the Henry County State Court and due to the change in probation tolling laws. Revenues decreased significantly in 2020 due to facilities being closed due to COVID-19. Additionally, there was a change in the State probation tolling laws.

		Fis	scal Year		
2018	 2019		2020	 2021	 2022
\$ 27,845 300	\$ 55,425 574	\$	25,287 131	\$ 37,728 381	\$ 58,522 1,819
\$ 160,280	\$ 155,582	\$	17,038	\$ 9,660	\$ 10,170
1,880 202	2,056 128		2,354 250	2,432 263	2,487 485
5.1	4.7		5.7	4.7	5.1
186 3,102 432,960	193 3,433 101,385		193 359 48,959	37 311 187,672	52 216 85,743
111	101		52	68	69

CAPITAL ASSET STATISTICS BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

			Fiscal Year		
Function/Program	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Public Works					
City limits (square miles)	14.1	14.1	14.1	14.1	14
Paved roads (miles)	95.62	95.62	95.62	97.08	97
Sanitation					
Transfer stations	1	1	1	1	1
Collection trucks	5	5	5	5	1
Small collection vehicles	14	13	13	9	5
Recreation and culture					
Parks	4	4	4	4	4
Community centers	2	2	2	2	2
Library	1	1	1	1	1
Cemeteries	3	3	3	3	3
Water					
Water mains (miles)	44.5	44.5	44.5	44.5	44.5
Fire hydrants	457	457	457	457	458.00
Service connections	2,391	2,391	2,749	2,764	2,726
Daily avg consumption (gallons)	923,000	923,000	752,180	679,564	684,970
Storage capacity (gallons)	1,900,000	1,900,000	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000
Sewer					
Sanitary sewers (miles)	39.5	39.5	39.5	39.5	40.0
Service connections	2,254	2,254	N/A	4,858	2,431
Treatment plants	1	1	1	1	1
Daily avg treatment (gallons)	.686 MGD	.686 MGD	.823 MGD	.754 MGD	.761 MGD
Treatment capacity	1.5 MGD	1.5 MGD	1.5 MGD	1.5 MGD	1.5 MGD

SOURCE:

City of Stockbridge, Georgia records

		Fiscal Year		
2022	2021	2020	2019	2018
14.	14.1	14.1	14.1	14
97.0	97.08	97.08	97.08	97
	1	1	1	1
	1	1	1	1
	5	5	5	5
	4	4	4	4
	2	2	2	2
	1	1	1	1
	3	3	3	3
4	45	45	45	44.5
460.0	460.00	460.00	460.00	459.00
2,95	2,958	2,958	2,866	2,833
500,00	500,000	500,000	515,828	627,728
1,800,00	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000	1,800,000
40.	40.0	40.0	40.0	40.0
2,46	2,467	2,568	2,568	2,516
	1	1	1	1
.714MG	.761MGD	.761 MGD	.761 MGD	761 MGD
1.5MG	1.5MGD	1.5 MGD	1.5 MGD	1.5 MGD





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

Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council City of Stockbridge, Georgia Stockbridge, Georgia

We have audited, 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 ("*Government Auditing Standards*"), the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the **City of Stockbridge, Georgia** (the "City") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 13, 2023.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the City'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 City's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. However, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs, we identified certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses and a significant deficiency.

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 a 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. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs as items 2022-002 and 2002-003 to be material weaknesses.

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. We consider the deficiency described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs as item 2022-001 to be a significant deficiency.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

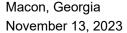
As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect 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*.

The City of Stockbridge's Response to Findings

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the City's response to the findings identified in our audit and described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs. The City's responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements, and accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

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 City'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 City's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.





Mauldin & Jenkins, LLC



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

Honorable Mayor and Members of City Council City of Stockbridge Stockbridge, Georgia

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the City of Stockbridge, Georgia's (the "City") compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the OMB *Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on each of the City's major federal programs for the year ended December 31, 2022. The City's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

In our opinion, the City of Stockbridge, Georgia complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal program for the year ended December 31, 2022.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAS"); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States ("Government Auditing Standards"); 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). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the City and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of City's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules, and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to City's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the City's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about City's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards*, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform
 audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence
 regarding the City's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such
 other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the City's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design
 audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances 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 the City's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.



Report on 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 a 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 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 Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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.

Macon, Georgia November 13, 2023



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SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

Grant Program	Federal Assistance Listing Number	Grant I.D.	Expenditures	
U.S. Department of Treasury Direct Award: COVID-19 Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund Total U.S. Department of Treasury	21.027	N/A	\$	6,800,316 6,800,316
U.S. Department of Housing and Urbab Development Pass-through from Henry County, Georgia Community Development Block Grant program	14.228	B-13-UC-13-0007		305,725 305,725
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$	7,106,041

NOTES TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

NOTE 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of the City of Stockbridge, Georgia (the "City") and is presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

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"). Therefore, some amounts presented in this schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the financial statements.

NOTE 2. DE MINIMIS COST RATE

The City elected not to use the 10% de minimis cost rate for the year ended December 31, 2022.

NOTE 3. SUBRECIPIENTS

The City did not pass through any funds to subrecipients for the year ended December 31, 2022.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

SECTION I SUMMARY OF AUDITOR'S RESULTS

Financial Statements

Type of report the auditor issued on whether the financial statements audited were prepared in accordance with		
GAAP:	Unmodified	
Internal control over financial reporting: Material weaknesses identified?	XYesNo	
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	X Yes None Reported	
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	YesXNo	
<u>Federal Awards</u>		
Internal Control over major programs:		
Material weaknesses identified?	YesXNo	
Significant deficiencies identified?	YesX_ None Reported	
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs	Unmodified	
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 200.516(a)?	YesXNo	
Identification of major program:		
Assistance Listing Number 21.027	Name of Federal Program or Cluster COVID-19 – Coronavirus State and Loca Fiscal Recovery Fund	
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	\$750,000	
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	Yes <u>X</u> No	

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

SECTION II FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

2022 - 001. Management of Receivable Accounts

Criteria: Generally accepted accounting principles require revenues to be recognized in the accounting period in which they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. As a part of these processes, the City should review all revenue transactions to determine reporting in the proper period.

Condition: The City did not properly adjust receivables and related balances in the General Fund and the Water and Sewer Fund as of December 31, 2022.

Effect: The following adjustments were made to adjust receivables and related balances as of December 31, 2022:

- General Fund An adjustment to increase franchise fees revenues by \$95,072, to increase accounts receivables by \$42,876, and to decrease unavailable revenues by \$52,196.
- Water and Sewer Fund An adjustment to decrease the allowance for uncollectible accounts and bad debt expense by \$34,615.

Cause: Management oversight.

Recommendation: We recommend that the City strengthen its control over its receivables and related balances to ensure balances are properly stated at year-end.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action: We concur. We will implement procedures to strengthen controls over the City's receivables and related balances at year-end to ensure balances are properly stated.

2022 - 002. Capitalization of Capital Assets

Criteria: Generally accepted accounting principles require capital assets purchased or acquired be reported at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized.

Condition: The City excluded capital items from its governmental capital assets detail and its business-type detail for the year ended December 31, 2022.

Effect: For the year ended December 31, 2022, capital assets in the amount of \$954,947 were improperly excluded from the governmental capital asset detail. In addition, Amphitheater construction costs, in the amount of \$1,328,153, Amphitheater machinery and equipment, in the amount of \$67,173, and Amphitheater furniture and fixtures, in the amount of \$204,321 were improperly excluded from the business-type capital asset detail.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

SECTION II FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS (CONTINUED)

2022 - 002. Capitalization of Capital Assets (Continued)

Cause: Internal controls over capital assets were not in place to ensure the proper capitalization of all capital assets.

Recommendation: We recommend that the City strengthen internal controls over the capitalization and reporting of capital assets.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action: We concur. We will strengthen procedures to ensure capital assets are properly recorded.

2022 - 003. Interfund Activity

Criteria: Generally accepted accounting principles require the reporting of interfund receivables and payables when transactions occur between individual funds for goods provided or services rendered.

Condition: Interfund receivables and payables were not properly stated for the period ended December 31, 2022.

Effect: The following adjustments were made to properly state the interfund receivables and payables:

- Public Facilities Authority An adjustment to decrease interfund payable and to increase transfers in by \$3,014,466.
- General Fund An adjustment to decrease interfund receivable and to increase transfers out by \$3,014,566.

Cause: Management oversight.

Recommendation: We recommend that the City strengthen internal controls over interfund activity to ensure interfund receivables and payables are properly stated at year-end.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action: We concur. Additional controls will be implemented to ensure interfund receivables and payables are properly recorded.

SECTION III FEDERAL AWARDS FINDINGS

Not applicable.

SCHEDULE OF PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

2021 - 001. Management of Receivable Accounts

Criteria: Generally accepted accounting principles require revenues to be recognized in the accounting period in which they become both measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current period. As a part of these processes, the City should review all revenue transactions to determine reporting in the proper period.

Condition: The City did not properly adjust receivables and related balances in various funds as of December 31, 2021.

Auditee Response/Status: Unresolved – See Finding 2022 – 001.

2021 - 002. Capitalization of Capital Assets

Criteria: Generally accepted accounting principles require capital assets purchased or acquired be reported at historical cost or estimated historical cost. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized.

Condition: The City recorded a construction in progress invoice as an expense for the year ended December 31, 2021.

Auditee Response/Status: Unresolved – See Finding 2022 – 002.



MANAGEMENT'S CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

2022 - 001. Management of Receivable Accounts

Name of Contact Person Responsible for Corrective Action Plan: Lakeisha Gaines, Interim Treasurer

Corrective Action Plan: Finance officials will put procedures in place to review receivable balances at year end.

Anticipated Completion Date: December 31, 2023

2022 - 002. Capitalization of Capital Assets

Name of Contact Person Responsible for Corrective Action Plan: Lakeisha Gaines, Interim Treasurer

Corrective Action Plan: Finance officials will put procedures in place to review all capital assets and ensure they are properly recorded.

are properly recorded.

Anticipated Completion Date: December 31, 2023

2022 - 003. Interfund Activity

Name of Contact Person Responsible for Corrective Action Plan: Lakeisha Gaines, Interim Treasurer

Corrective Action Plan: Finance officials will put procedures in place to review all interfund activity and ensure they

are properly recorded.

Anticipated Completion Date: December 31, 2023