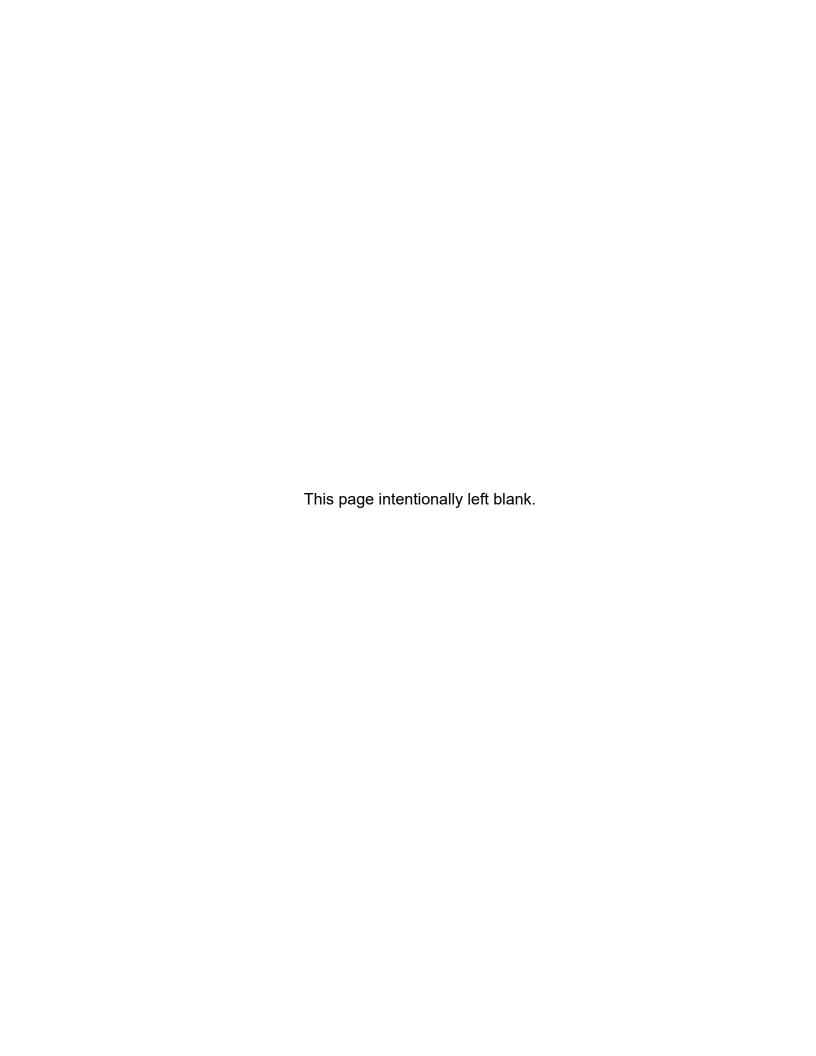
CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA

Annual Financial Report

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017



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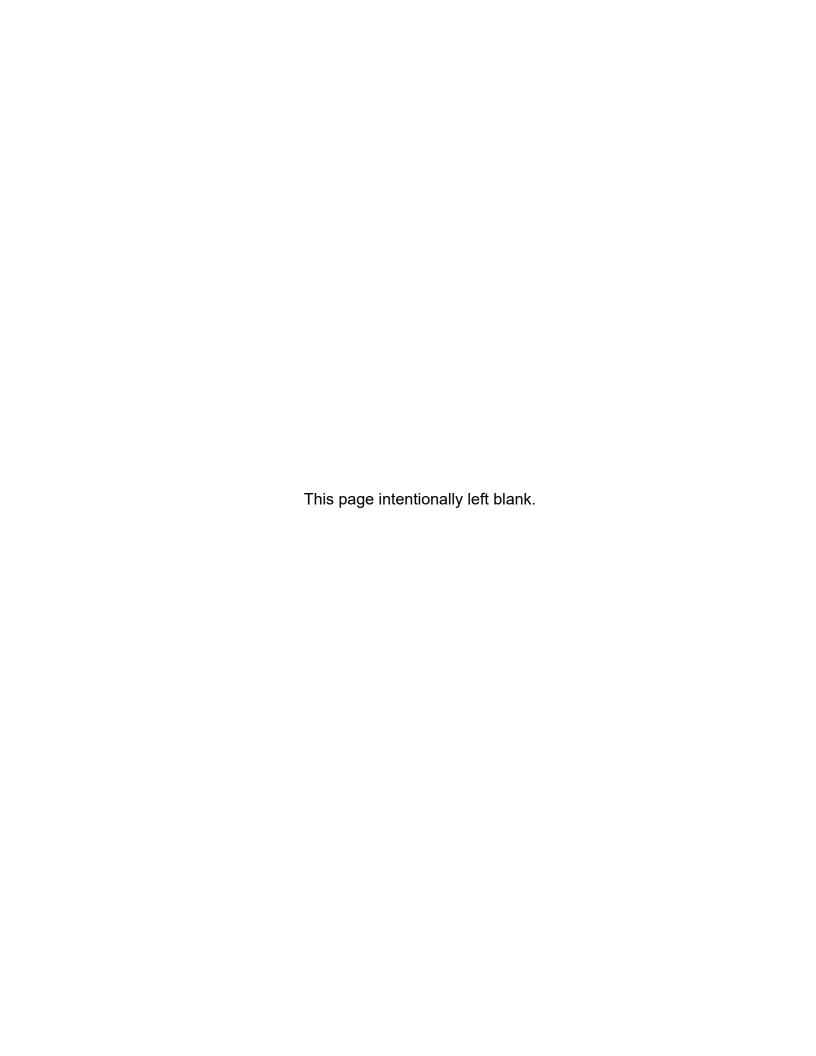
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Independent Auditor's Report

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

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia, as of and for the year ended August 31, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Opinions

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, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia, as of August 31, 2017, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof, and the budgetary comparison of the General Fund and the Urban Development Action Grant Special Revenue Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis and the required supplementary information on pages 4 through 11 and 63 through 66 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge 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.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's basic financial statements. The combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules and the schedule of projects financed with special purpose local option sales tax are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements.

The combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules and the schedule of projects financed with special purpose local option sales tax are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. Such 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 auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules and the schedule of projects financed with special purpose local option sales tax are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

We also have previously audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States, the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's basic financial statements for the year ended August 31, 2016, which are not presented with the accompanying financial statements. In our report dated February 1, 2017, we expressed unmodified opinions on the respective financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information. That audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City of Tallapoosa's basic financial statements as a whole.

The combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules related to the 2016 financial statements are the responsibility of management and were derived from and related directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the 2016 basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of those 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 auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the 2016 combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements from which they have been derived.

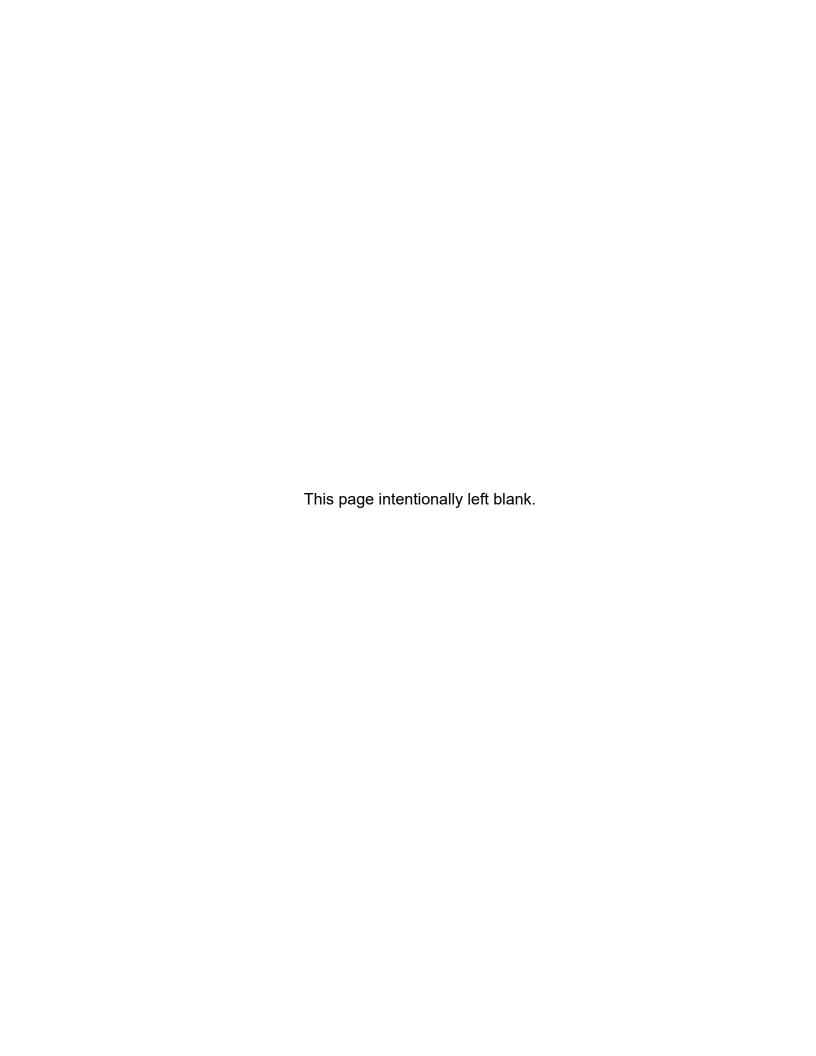
Other Reporting Required by Governmental Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 22, 2018 on our consideration of the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting and our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Certified Public Accountants

Rushton & Company, LLC

Gainesville, Georgia February 22, 2018



Our discussion and analysis of the City of Tallapoosa's financial performance provides an overview of the City's financial activities for the year ended August 31, 2017. Please read it in conjunction with the City's financial statements, which begin on page 12.

Overview of the Financial Statements

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the City's basic financial statements. The basic financial statements include: (1) government-wide financial statements, (2) fund financial statements, and (3) notes to the financial statements. The City also includes in this report additional information to supplement the basic financial statements.

Government-wide Financial Statements

The City's annual report includes two government-wide financial statements. These statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the City's overall status. Financial reporting at this level uses a perspective similar to that found in the private sector with its basis in accrual accounting and elimination or reclassification of internal activities.

The first of these government-wide statements is the *Statement of Net Position*. This is the City-wide statement of position presenting information that includes all of the City's assets and liabilities with the difference 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 as a whole is improving or deteriorating. Evaluation of the overall health of the City would extend to other nonfinancial factors such as diversification of the taxpayer base or the condition of City infrastructure in addition to the financial information provided in this report.

The second government-wide statement is the *Statement of Activities* which reports how the City's net position changed during the current fiscal year. All current year revenues and expenses are included regardless of when cash is received or paid. An important purpose of the design of the statement of activities is to show the financial reliance of the City's distinct activities or functions on revenues provided by the City's taxpayers.

Both government-wide financial statements distinguish governmental activities of the City that are principally supported by taxes and user charges from business-type activities that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges. Governmental activities include general government, public safety, public works, health and welfare, culture and recreation and housing and development. Business-type activities include the water and sewer system, gas system, sanitation services and operation of the municipal golf course.

The City's financial reporting includes the funds of the City (primary government) and, additionally, organizations for which the City is accountable (component units). These component units operate independently or provide services directly to the citizens, though the City remains accountable for their activities. These component units are governed by a board of directors that the City Council has appointed. These organizations are reported separately from the primary government though included in the City's overall reporting entity.

The government-wide financial statements are presented on pages 12 to 14 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is an accountable unit used to maintain control over resources segregated for specific activities or objectives. The City uses funds to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related laws and regulations. Within the basic financial statements, fund financial statements focus on the City's most significant funds rather than the City as a whole. Major funds are separately reported while all others are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for non-major funds is provided in the form of combining statements in a later section of this report.

The City has two kinds of funds:

Governmental funds are reported in the fund financial statements and encompass essentially the same functions reported as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, the focus is very different with fund statements providing a distinctive view of the City's governmental funds. These statements report short-term fiscal accountability focusing on the use of spendable resources and balances of spendable resources available at the end of the year. They are useful in evaluating annual financing requirements of governmental programs and the commitment of spendable resources for the near-term.

Since the government-wide focus includes the long-term view, comparisons between these two perspectives may provide insight into the long-term impact of short-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 assist in understanding the differences between these two perspectives.

The basic governmental fund financial statements are presented on pages 15 to 20 of this report.

Proprietary funds are reported in the fund financial statements the same way the business-type activities are reported in the Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities. The basic proprietary fund financial statements are presented on pages 21 to 25 of this report.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The accompanying notes to the basic financial statements provide information essential to a full understanding of the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements are on pages 28 to 62 of this report.

Other Information

Major funds and component units are reported in the basic financial statements as discussed. Combining and individual statements and schedules for non-major funds are presented in a subsequent section of this report.

Financial Analysis of the City as a Whole

The City's net position at year-end is \$15,952,696. This is a \$630,497 increase from last year's net position of \$15,322,199.

The following table provides a summary of the City's net position.

Summary of Net Position

		Governmental Activities			Business-Type Activities					Total		
	_	2017		2016	_	2017	_	2016		2017	_	2016
Current assets Noncurrent assets	\$_	2,914,375 2,715,231	\$_	2,603,451 2,660,638	\$_	2,874,960 14,224,384	\$	2,785,253 13,796,275	\$	5,789,335 16,939,615	\$	5,388,704 16,456,913
Total assets	_	5,629,606	_	5,264,089	_	17,099,344	-	16,581,528		22,728,950	_	21,845,617
Total deferred outflows	_	172,066	_	207,118	_	120,001	-	143,089		292,067	_	350,207
Current liabilites Noncurrent liabilities	<u>-</u>	196,156 316,891	_	153,045 559,413	_	717,764 5,466,302	_	671,268 5,340,765		913,920 5,783,193	_	824,313 5,900,178
Total liabilities	_	513,047	_	712,458	_	6,184,066	_	6,012,033		6,697,113	_	6,724,491
Total deferred inflows	_	223,574	_	89,686	_	147,634	-	59,448	-	371,208	_	149,134
Net position: Net investment in capital assets Restricted for:		2,690,233		2,660,638		8,594,561		8,538,645		11,284,794		11,199,283
Law enforcement Urban development		61 677,192		61 676,677		0		0		61 677,192		61 676,677
Capital outlay Debt service		409,275		339,257		0 1,122,287		0 1,119,920		409,275 1,122,287		339,257 1,119,920
Unrestricted	_	1,288,290	_	992,430	-	1,170,797	-	994,571		2,459,087	_	1,987,001
Total net position	\$_	5,065,051	\$_	4,669,063	\$_	10,887,645	\$_	10,653,136	\$	15,952,696	\$_	15,322,199

The following table provides a summary of changes in net position.

Summary of Changes in Net Position

		Governm		Business	• •	T			
		Activiti 2017	es	Activiti 2017	2016	Total 2017	2016		
	_	2017	2010	2017	2010	2017	2010		
Revenues:									
Program revenues:									
Charges for service	\$	190,695 \$	170,339 \$	3,396,089 \$	3,415,806 \$	3,586,784 \$	3,586,145		
Operating grants and									
contributions		0	137,339	0	0	0	137,339		
Capital grants and									
contributions		403,170	361,006	158,270	460,021	561,440	821,027		
General revenues:									
Sales tax		525,061	511,519	0	0	525,061	511,519		
Property taxes		826,834	835,374	0	0	826,834	835,374		
Insurance premium		198,040	182,830	0	0	198,040	182,830		
Other taxes		497,497	525,493	0	0	497,497	525,493		
Miscellaneous & interest	_	52,286	48,707	38,137	70,898	90,423	119,605		
Total revenues	_	2,693,583	2,772,607	3,592,496	3,946,725	6,286,079	6,719,332		
Expenses:									
General government		395,051	384,201			395,051	384,201		
Public safety		1,115,033	1,091,848			1,115,033	1,091,848		
Public works		401,486	326,124			401,486	326,124		
Health and welfare		50,456	52,638			50,456	52,638		
Recreation and culture		460,746	433,268			460.746	433,268		
Housing & development		9,495	9,570			9,495	9,570		
Total	_	2,432,267	2,297,649			-,	.,		
Water and sewer				1,452,140	2,144,257	1,452,140	2,144,257		
Gas				1,097,779	1,021,058	1,097,779	1,021,058		
Sanitation				268,674	256,066	268,674	256,066		
Golf				404,722	439,121	404,722	439,121		
Total			_	3,223,315	3,860,502				
Total expenses						5,655,582	6,158,151		
Change in net position									
before transfers		261,316	474,958	369,181	86,223	630,497	561,181		
Transfers	_	134,672	62,914	(134,672)	(62,914)	0	0		
Change in net position	_	395,988	537,872	234,509	23,309	630,497	561,181		
Beginning net position		4,669,063	4,131,191	10,653,136	10,629,827	15,322,199	14,761,018		
Ending net position	\$	5,065,051 \$	4,669,063 \$	10,887,645 \$	10,653,136 \$	15,952,696 \$	15,322,199		

Financial Analysis of the City's Funds

Governmental funds

As discussed, governmental funds are reported in the fund statements with a short-term inflow and outflow of spendable resources focus. This information is useful in assessing resources available at the end of the year in comparison with upcoming financing requirements. Governmental funds reported ending fund balances of \$2,741,448. The total ending fund balances of governmental funds show an increase of \$284,149 over the prior year balance of \$2,457,299.

Major Governmental Funds

The General Fund is the City's primary operating fund. The fund balance of the General Fund increased from \$1,414,542 to \$1,649,510. Key factors contributing to the increase included an increase in revenues (predominantly in taxes and fines and forfeitures) and a small increase in expenditures. The fund balance of the Urban Development Action Grant Fund increased from \$676,677 to \$677,192. The fund balance of the 2010 SPLOST Fund remained the same from fiscal year 2016 to 2017 at \$117,635. The fund balance of the 2015 SPLOST Fund increased from \$221,622 to \$291,640 due to SPLOST revenues exceeding current year expenditures and transfers out.

Proprietary funds

The proprietary fund statements share the same focus as the government-wide statements, reporting both short-term and long-term information about financial status.

Major Proprietary Funds

The water and gas systems provide services to both residential and commercial customers. The City also operates a golf course for public use.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The budget was approved by the Council with expenditures totaling \$2,208,761. Amendments were made to the budget during the year to increase total budgeted expenditures to \$2,495,684.

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Capital Asset and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

At the end of fiscal year 2017, the City had \$16,939,615 invested in a broad range of capital assets including buildings, police and fire equipment, recreation facilities, and water, sewer and gas infrastructure. Please refer to our analysis below for a breakdown of the City's capital assets and to Note 8 in the notes to the financial statements for more information.

The following table provides a summary of Capital Assets.

	Governmenta	al Activities	Business-Typ	oe Activities	Totals			
	2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016		
Land \$	456,132 \$	456,132 \$	142,816 \$	142,816 \$	598,948 \$	598,948		
Buildings and improvements	1,139,370	1,174,230	2,959	3,452	1,142,329	1,177,682		
Equipment and Vehicles	155,077	175,716	154,489	168,437	309,566	344,153		
Water/Sew er Distribution	0	0	11,926,262	9,120,648	11,926,262	9,120,648		
Gas Distribution	0	0	1,357,208	1,360,814	1,357,208	1,360,814		
Infrastructure	964,652	854,560	0	0	964,652	854,560		
Construction in progress	0	0	640,650	3,000,108	640,650	3,000,108		
Totals \$	2,715,231 \$	2,660,638 \$	14,224,384 \$	13,796,275 \$	16,939,615 \$	16,456,913		

Debt

The total long-term debt of the City outstanding at August 31, 2017 was \$5,451,638. Notes payable balances reported in the business-type activities relate to improvements to the City's water and sewer systems. Please refer to our analysis below for the breakdown of the City's outstanding debt and to Note 10 to the basic financial statements.

The following table provides a summary of Outstanding Debt at Year End

		Governmental A	Activities	Business-Type	e Activities	Totals			
		2017	2016	2017	2016	2017	2016		
Capital leases	\$	0 \$	0 \$	93,251 \$	119,646 \$	93,251 \$	119,646		
Notes payable	s payable 0 0		0	5,358,387 5,000,018		5,358,387 5,000,0			
Totals	\$_	0 \$	0 \$	5,451,638 \$	5,119,664 \$	5,451,638 \$	5,119,664		

Next Year's Budget

The General Fund budget for the year ending August 31, 2018 reflects expenditures of \$2,280,979. This is an approximate 8.60% decrease over the final budget for the year ended August 31, 2017.

Contacting the City's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the City's finances, comply with finance-related laws and regulations, and demonstrate the City's commitment to public accountability. If you have questions about this report or would like to request additional information, contact the City's Finance Department at 25 E. Alabama Street, Tallapoosa, Georgia 30176.



CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017

	F	nt		
	Governmental	Business-type		Component
	Activities	Activities	Total	Units
ASSETS				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,286,671	\$ 46,308	\$ 2,332,979	\$ 1,055,764
Certificates of deposit	799,880	258,590	1,058,470	660,642
Restricted assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	0	82,949	82,949	0
Certificates of deposit	0	1,169,553	1,169,553	0
Receivables (net)				
Accounts	5,382	341,038	346,420	0
Intergovernmental	82,543	509,782	592,325	17,805
Taxes	92,556	0	92,556	0
Inventory	0	33,462	33,462	0
Prepaid items	53,855	26,766	80,621	0
Internal balances	(406,512)	406,512	0	0
Total current assets	2,914,375	2,874,960	5,789,335	1,734,211
Noncurrent assets				
Capital assets				
Non-depreciable	456,132	783,466	1,239,598	1,789,198
Depreciable (net)	2,259,099	13,440,918	15,700,017	0
Total noncurrent assets	2,715,231	14,224,384	16,939,615	1,789,198
Total assets	5,629,606	17,099,344	22,728,950	3,523,409
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Pension contributions subsequent				
to measurement date	82,058	54,713	136,771	0
Pension experience differences	8,530	6,187	14,717	0
Pension investment return differences	81,478	59,101	140,579	0
Total deferred outflows of resources	172,066	120,001	292,067	0
LIABILITIES				
Current liabilities				
Payables				
Accounts	123,717	326,510	450,227	0
Intergovernmental	17,805	0	17,805	318,898
Retainage	0	29,785	29,785	0
Interest	0	270	270	0
Accrued liabilities	15,812	13,138	28,950	0
Compensated absences	38,822	23,552	62,374	0
Capital lease payable	0	31,383	31,383	0
Liabilites payable from restricted assets				
Customer deposits payable	0	107,530	107,530	0
Accrued interest	0	9,986	9,986	0
Notes payable	0	175,610	175,610	0
Total current liabilities	196,156	717,764	913,920	318,898

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017

			Prima	ary Governme	nt			
	Go	overnmental	Business-type				C	omponent
		Activities		Activities		Total		Units
Noncurrent liabilities								
Net pension liability	\$	316,891	\$	221,657	\$	538,548	\$	0
Capital lease payable		0		61,868		61,868		0
Notes payable		0		5,182,777		5,182,777		0
Total noncurrent liabilities		316,891		5,466,302		5,783,193		0
Total liabilities		513,047	_	6,184,066	_	6,697,113		318,898
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES								
Pension experience differences		131,535		86,702		218,237		0
Pension investment return differences		86,200		57,065		143,265		0
Pension assumption changes		5,839		3,867		9,706		0
Total deferred inflows of resources		223,574	_	147,634		371,208		0
NET POSITION								
Net investment in capital assets		2,690,233		8,594,561		11,284,794		1,789,198
Restricted for:								
Law enforcement		61		0		61		0
Urban development		677,192		0		677,192		0
Capital outlay		409,275		0		409,275		0
Debt service		0		1,122,287		1,122,287		0
Unrestricted		1,288,290		1,170,797		2,459,087		1,415,313
Total net position	\$	5,065,051	\$	10,887,645	\$	15,952,696	\$	3,204,511

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

	F	Expenses		Program Revenues Operating Charges for Grants and Expenses Services Contributions				Operating	Capital Grants and Contributions			Net (Expense) Revenue	
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS		хрепосо		OCI VICES		ontinbutions .	001	ittibutions		Revenue			
Primary government													
Governmental activities													
General Government	\$	395,051	\$	11,118	\$	0	\$	49,258	\$	(334,675)			
Public Safety		1,115,033		88,320		0		23,456		(1,003,257)			
Public Works		401,486		6,294		0		278,914		(116,278)			
Health and Welfare		50,456		13,341		0		3,127		(33,988)			
Culture and Recreation		460,746		71,622		0		37,938		(351,186)			
Housing and Development		9,495		0		0		10,477		982			
Total governmental activities		2,432,267		190,695		0		403,170		(1,838,402)			
Business-type activities													
Water and Sewer		1,452,140		1,371,332		0		158,270		77,462			
Gas		1,097,779		1,406,333		0		0		308,554			
Sanitation		268,674		313,351		0		0		44,677			
Golf		404,722		305,073		0		0		(99,649)			
Total business-type activities		3,223,315		3,396,089		0		158,270		331,044			
Total primary government		5,655,582		3,586,784		0		561,440		(1,507,358)			
Component Units													
Tallapoosa Development Authority	,	36,692		0		0		0		(36,692)			
Tallapoosa Recreation Authority		00,002		0		0		0		0			
Downtown Development Authority		8,508		0		7,654		0		(854)			
Total component units		45,200		0		7,654		0		(37,546)			
				ary Governme	nt								
		ernmental		siness-Type			Co	omponent					
	A	ctivities		Activities		Total		Units					
Change in net position													
Net (expense) revenue	\$	(1,838,402)	\$	331,044	\$	(1,507,358)	\$	(37,546)					
General revenues Taxes													
Property		826,834		0		826,834		0					
Sales		525,061		0		525,061		0					
Hotel/Motel		23,832		0		23,832		0					

	Activities			Activities	Total			Units
Change in net position								
Net (expense) revenue	\$	(1,838,402)	\$	331,044	\$	(1,507,358)	\$	(37,546)
General revenues								
Taxes								
Property		826,834		0		826,834		0
Sales		525,061		0		525,061		0
Hotel/Motel		23,832		0		23,832		0
Insurance premium		198,040		0		198,040		0
Franchise		333,397		0		333,397		0
Other		140,268		0		140,268		0
Interest and investment earnings		1,364		2,942		4,306		1,272
Miscellaneous		50,922		35,195		86,117		0
Transfers		134,672		(134,672)		0	_	0
Total general revenues and transfer	rs	2,234,390		(96,535)		2,137,855	_	1,272
Change in net position		395,988		234,509		630,497		(36,274)
Net position - beginning		4,669,063		10,653,136		15,322,199		3,240,785
Net position - ending	\$	5,065,051	\$	10,887,645	\$	15,952,696	\$	3,204,511

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS August 31, 2017

	General	Urban Development Action Grant		2010 SPLOST		2015 SPLOST	Gov	onmajor ernmental Funds		Totals
ASSETS										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,394,028	\$ 105,068	\$	118,835	\$	663,269	\$	5,471	\$	2,286,671
Certificates of deposit	134,951	664,929		0		0		0		799,880
Receivables (net)										
Accounts	5,382	0		0		0		0		5,382
Intergovernmental	0 474	0		0		82,543		0		82,543
Taxes	90,474	0		0		0		2,082		92,556
Due from other funds	4,849	0		0		0		0		4,849
Advances to other funds	92,805	0		0		0		0		92,805
Prepaid items	53,855	0		0		0		0		53,855
Total assets	\$ 1,776,344	\$ 769,997	\$	118,835	\$	745,812	\$	7,553	\$	3,418,541
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALA	NCES									
Liabilities										
Accounts payable	\$ 77,624	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	45,260	\$	833	\$	123.717
Intergovernmental payables	17,805	0	,	0	·	0	•	0	·	17,805
Accrued liabilities	15,812	0		0		0		0		15,812
Due to other funds	0	0		1,200		408,912		1,249		411,361
Advances from other funds	0	92,805		0		0		0		92,805
Total liabilities	111,241	92,805		1,200		454,172		2,082		661,500
Deferred inflows of resources										
Unavailable revenue -										
property taxes	15,593	0		0	_	0		0		15,593
Fund balances										
Nonspendable:										
Advances to other funds	92,805	0		0		0		0		92,805
Prepaid items	53,855	0		0		0		0		53,855
Restricted for:										
Law enforcement	0	0		0		0		61		61
Urban development	0	677,192		0		0		0		677,192
Capital outlay	0	0		117,635		291,640		0		409,275
Committed for:										
Museum operations	0	0		0		0		3,974		3,974
Community planning	0	0		0		0		1,436		1,436
Unassigned	1,502,850	0		0		0		0		1,502,850
Total fund balances	1,649,510	677,192		117,635	_	291,640		5,471		2,741,448
Total liabilities, deferred inf and fund balances	lows, \$ 1,776,344	\$ 769,997	\$	118,835	\$	745,812	\$	7,553	\$	3,418,541

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017

Total fund balance - total governmental funds		\$ 2,741,448
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net po	osition are different because:	
Some assets are not financial resources and, therefore, are not repo	orted in the funds.	
These are:		
Capital assets	\$ 6,144,828	
Accumulated depreciation	(3,429,597)	2,715,231
Long-term assets (receivables) are not available to pay current period	od expenditures and, therefore,	
are reported as unavailable revenue in the funds. These are unav	vailable property taxes.	15,593
Deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions are a	applicable to future periods	
and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.		
These are:		
Deferred outflows of resources:		
Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date	\$ 82,058	
Pension experience differences	8,530	
Pension investment return differences	81,478	
Deferred inflows of resources:		
Pension experience differences	(131,535)	
Pension investment return differences	(86,200)	
Pension assumption changes	(5,839)	(51,508)
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period ar	nd are not reported in the funds.	
These are:		
Compensated absences	\$ (38,822)	
Net pension liability	(316,891)	(355,713)
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Net position of the governmental activities		\$ 5,065,051

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

	General	Urban Development Action Grant	2010 SPLOST	2015 SPLOST	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Totals
REVENUES						
Taxes	\$ 2,039,408	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 23,832	\$ 2,063,240
Licenses and permits	13,344	0	0	0	0	13,344
Fines, fees and forfeitures	75,857	0	0	0	0	75,857
Charges for services	79,980	0	0	0	17,459	97,439
Intergovernmental	88,689	0	0	318,278	0	406,967
Interest	848	515	0	257	1	1,621
Other	50,922	0	0	0	0	50,922
Total revenues	2,349,048	515	0	318,535	41,292	2,709,390
EXPENDITURES						
Current						
General Government	356,292	0	0	0	0	356,292
Public Safety	1,134,219	0	0	0	0	1,134,219
Public Works	508,553	0	0	0	0	508,553
Health and Welfare	50,456	0	0	0	0	50,456
Culture and Recreation	437,093	0	0	0	38,812	475,905
Housing and Development	0	0	0	0	9,490	9,490
Capital Outlay	0	0	0	24,998	0	24,998
Total expenditures	2,486,613	0	0	24,998	48,302	2,559,913
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	(137,565)	515	0	293,537	(7,010)	149,477
Other financing sources (uses)						
Transfers in	560,338	0	0	0	0	560,338
Transfers out	(187,805)	0	0	(223,519)	(14,342)	(425,666)
Transiers out	(107,000)			(220,010)	(14,042)	(420,000)
Total other financing						
sources (uses)	372,533	0	0	(223,519)	(14,342)	134,672
Net change in fund balances	234,968	515	0	70,018	(21,352)	284,149
Fund balances, September 1	1,414,542	676,677	117,635	221,622	26,823	2,457,299
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 1,649,510	\$ 677,192	\$ 117,635	\$ 291,640	\$ 5,471	\$ 2,741,448

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds			\$ 284,149
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities	s are diffe	rent because:	
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful live expense.		•	
Capital outlays	\$	224,259	
Depreciation		(169,666)	54,593
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current final revenues in the funds. These include recognition of unavailable recognition of unavailable recognitions as expenditures. He cost of pension benefits earned net of employee contributions is	venues. owever, in	the statement of activities,	(15,810)
Pension contributions	\$	89,956	
Cost of benefits earned net of employee contributions		(16,373)	73,583
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require t and are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds. The compensated absences.			 (527)
Change in net position of governmental activities			\$ 395,988

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

	Bud	dget		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual	Final Budget
REVENUES				
Taxes	\$ 1,970,653	\$ 2,018,331	\$ 2,039,408	\$ 21,077
Licenses and permits	17,053	13,444	13,344	(100)
Fines, fees and forfeitures	32,851	79,991	75,857	(4,134)
Charges for services	86,301	79,980	79,980	0
Intergovernmental	65,438	88,689	88,689	0
Interest	11	43	848	805
Other	46,063	50,922	50,922	0
Total revenues	2,218,370	2,331,400	2,349,048	17,648
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
General Government				
Administration	261,108	265,369	268,963	(3,594)
Mayor and Council	59,245	64,875	63,577	1,298
Other General Government	22,109	25,052	23,752	1,300
Public Safety				
Police Department	893,550	893,629	895,474	(1,845)
Fire Department	305,450	240,068	238,745	1,323
Public Works				
Highways and Streets	234,750	514,197	493,778	20,419
Cemetery	11,800	12,781	14,775	(1,994)
Health and Welfare				
Senior Center	54,662	48,463	50,456	(1,993)
Culture and Recreation				
Recreation	206,800	255,824	257,682	(1,858)
Museum	48,155	57,675	59,668	(1,993)
Library	111,132	117,751	119,743	(1,992)
Total expenditures	2,208,761	2,495,684	2,486,613	9,071
Excess (deficiency) of revenues				
over (under) expenditures	9,609	(164,284)	(137,565)	26,719
Other financing sources (uses)				
Transfers in	14,210	13,553	560,338	546,785
Transfers out	0	0	(187,805)	(187,805)
Total other financing sources (uses)	14,210	13,553	372,533	358,980
Net change in fund balance	23,819	(150,731)	234,968	385,699
Fund balances, September 1	(23,819)	150,731	1,414,542	1,263,811
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 1,649,510	\$ 1,649,510

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACTION GRANT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

	Budget						Variance with		
	Ori	ginal	F	inal		Actual	Fina	I Budget	
REVENUES									
Interest	\$	436	\$	53	\$	515	\$	462	
Total revenues		436		53		515		462	
EXPENDITURES									
Current									
Housing and Development	-	0		5		0		5	
Total expenditures		0		5		0		5	
Net change in fund balance		436		48		515		467	
Fund balances, September 1		(436)	-	(48)		676,677		676,725	
Fund balances, August 31	\$	0	\$	0	\$	677,192	\$	677,192	

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS August 31, 2017

		В	usiness-Type Activ	/ities	
	Water and		(Non-major)		_
	Sewer	Gas	Sanitation	Golf	Totals
ASSETS					
Current assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 24,692	\$ 21,416	\$ 0	\$ 200	\$ 46,308
Certificates of deposit	0	258,590	0	0	258,590
Restricted assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	76,387	6,562	0	0	82,949
Certificates of deposit	1,129,575	39,978	0	0	1,169,553
Accounts receivable (net)	183,666	124,579	25,275	7,518	341,038
Intergovernmental receivables	190,884	0	0	318,898	509,782
Due from other funds	406,512	0	0	0	406,512
Inventory	5,000	28,462	0	0	33,462
Prepaid items	15,933	3,859	3,115	3,859	26,766
Total current assets	2,032,649	483,446	28,390	330,475	2,874,960
Noncurrent assets					
Capital assets					
Non-depreciable	640,650	0	0	142,816	783,466
Depreciable (net)	11,956,304	1,360,169	0	124,445	13,440,918
Total noncurrent assets	12,596,954	1,360,169	0	267,261	14,224,384
Total assets	14,629,603	1,843,615	28,390	597,736	17,099,344
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOL Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date	URCES 15,038	29,628	0	10,047	54,713
Pension experience differences	2,074	2,805	0	1,308	6,187
Pension investment return difference	es 19,810	26,793	0	12,498	59,101
Total deferred outflows					
of resources	36,922	59,226	0	23,853	120,001
LIABILITIES	,	·		,	· ·
Current liabilities					
Payables					
Accounts	237,951	51,844	22,560	14,155	326,510
Retainage	29,785	0.,011	0	0	29,785
Interest	0	0	0	270	270
Accrued liabilities	1,246	8,315	0	3,577	13,138
Compensated absences	1,739	19,179	· ·	2,634	23,552
Capital lease payable	0	0	0	31,383	31,383
Liabilities payable from restricted as		O	O	01,000	01,000
Customer deposits payable	60,990	46,540	0	0	107,530
Accrued interest	9,986	40,540	0	0	9,986
Notes payable	175,610	0	0	0	175,610
Total current liabilities	517,307	125,878	22,560	52,019	717,764

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION **PROPRIETARY FUNDS** August 31, 2017

Business-Type Activities

	$\overline{}$	Nater and			(N	on-major)		
		Sewer		Gas	Sanitation		Golf	Totals
Noncurrent liabilities								
Net pension liability	\$	55,496	\$	120,132	\$	0	\$ 46,029	\$ 221,657
Capital lease payable		0		0		0	61,868	61,868
Notes payable		5,182,777		0		0	 0	 5,182,777
Total noncurrent liabilities		5,238,273		120,132		0	 107,897	 5,466,302
Total liabilities		5,755,580		246,010		22,560	 159,916	 6,184,066
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOUR	CES							
Pension experience differences		30,314		41,776		0	14,612	86,702
Pension investment return difference	es	18,908		28,290		0	9,867	57,065
Pension assumption changes		612		2,496		0	759	3,867
Total deferred inflows								
of resources		49,834	_	72,562		0	 25,238	 147,634
NET POSITION								
Net investment in capital assets		7,060,382		1,360,169		0	174,010	8,594,561
Restricted for debt service		1,122,287		0		0	0	1,122,287
Unrestricted	_	678,442		224,100		5,830	262,425	 1,170,797
Total net position	\$	8,861,111	\$	1,584,269	\$	5,830	\$ 436,435	\$ 10,887,645

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

_	Business-Type Activities											
	Water and		(Non-major)									
_	Sewer	Gas	Sanitation	Golf	Totals							
OPERATING REVENUES												
Charges for sales and services	\$ 1,371,332	\$ 1,406,333	\$ 313,351	\$ 305,073	\$ 3,396,089							
Other _	5,110	17,185	0	12,900	35,195							
Total operating revenues	1,376,442	1,423,518	313,351	317,973	3,431,284							
OPERATING EXPENSES												
Costs of sales and services	846,413	700,910	262,759	200,743	2,010,825							
Personal services	277,772	358,542	5,915	166,948	809,177							
Depreciation _	218,690	38,327	0	33,243	290,260							
Total operating expenses	1,342,875	1,097,779	268,674	400,934	3,110,262							
Operating income (loss)	33,567	325,739	44,677	(82,961)	321,022							
Non-operating revenues (expenses)												
Intergovernmental revenue	158,270	0	0	0	158,270							
Interest revenue	2,595	347	0	0	2,942							
Interest expense	(109,265)	0	0	(3,788)	(113,053)							
Total non-operating												
revenues (expenses)	51,600	347	0	(3,788)	48,159							
Net income (loss) before transfers	85,167	326,086	44,677	(86,749)	369,181							
Transfers in (out)												
Transfers in	223,519	0	0	187,805	411,324							
Transfers out	(220,467)	(281,635)	(43,894)	0	(545,996)							
Total transfers in (out)	3,052	(281,635)	(43,894)	187,805	(134,672)							
Change in net position	88,219	44,451	783	101,056	234,509							
Net position, September 1	8,772,892	1,539,818	5,047	335,379	10,653,136							

10,887,645

Net position, August 31

5,830

436,435

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

				Busi	ness	s-Type Activ	ities	i		
		Water and				lon-major)				
		Sewer		Gas		Sanitation		Golf		Totals
Cash flows from operating activities:				-				•		
Receipts from customers	\$	1,401,579	\$	1,402,745	\$	311,819	\$	209,278	\$	3,325,421
Payments to suppliers		(932,661)		(698,416)		(262,010)		(194,988)		(2,088,075)
Payments to employees		(299,898)		(379,089)		(5,915)		(175,082)		(859,984)
Other receipts		5,110		17,185		0		12,900		35,195
Net cash provided (used) by				-				-		
operating activities		174,130		342,425	_	43,894		(147,892)		412,557
Cash flows from non-capital financing activ	/ities	»:								
Receipts from other funds		0		0		0		187,805		187,805
Payments to other funds		(220,467)		(281,635)		(43,894)		0		(545,996)
Net cash provided (used) by non-capital						<u> </u>		-		
financing activities		(220,467)	_	(281,635)	_	(43,894)		187,805		(358,191)
Cash flows from capital and related financia	ng a	ctivities:								
Receipts from other funds		223,519		0		0		0		223,519
Payments to other funds		(322,091)		0		0		0		(322,091)
Receipts from other governments		175,230		0		0		0		175,230
Payments for acquisitions of capital assets		(557,651)		(34,229)		0		(10,000)		(601,880)
Payment of capital related accounts payable	le	(49,670)		(26,561)		0		0		(76,231)
Proceeds from promissory notes		493,902		0		0		0		493,902
Principal payments - capital lease payable		0		0		0		(26,395)		(26,395)
Principal payments - promissory notes		(129,844)		0		0		0		(129,844)
Interest paid		(109,114)		0		0		(3,518)		(112,632)
Net cash provided (used) by capital										
and related financing activities		(275,719)	_	(60,790)	_	0		(39,913)		(376,422)
Cash flows from investing activities:										
Purchases of certificates of deposit		(2,517)		(334)		0		0		(2,851)
Interest received		2,595		347		0		0		2,942
Net cash provided (used) by										
investing activities		78		13	_	0	_	0		91
Net increase (decrease) in cash										
and cash equivalents		(321,978)		13		0		0		(321,965)
Cash and cash equivalents, September 1		423,057		27,965		0		200	_	451,222
Cash and cash equivalents, August 31	\$	101,079	\$	27,978	\$	0	\$	200	\$	129,257

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

	Business-Type Activities									
	W	ater and			(Non-major)					-
		Sewer		Gas	Sa	nitation		Golf		Totals
Reconciliation of operating										
income (loss) to net cash provided										
(used) by operating activities:										
Operating income (loss)	\$	33,567	\$	325,739	\$	44,677	\$	(82,961)	\$	321,022
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss	s) to									
net cash provided (used) by operating activities	es:									
Depreciation expense		218,690		38,327		0		33,243		290,260
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		25,567		(5,958)		(1,532)		(586)		17,491
(Increase) decrease in intergovernmental										
receivables		0		0		0		(95,209)		(95,209)
(Increase) decrease in inventory		0		(19,118)		0		0		(19,118)
(Increase) decrease in prepaid items		(8,629)		(1,308)		(1,298)		(1,308)		(12,543)
(Increase) decrease in pension contributions	S	, ,		, ,		, ,		, ,		,
subsequent to measurement date		963		1,152		0		415		2,530
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(76,782)		19,018		2,047		6,717		(49,000)
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities		(837)		3,902		0		346		3,411
Increase (decrease) in customer		()		-,						-,
deposits payable		4,680		2,370		0		0		7,050
Increase (decrease) in compensated		.,		_,-,-						,,,,,,
absences		(3,673)		1,514		0		(183)		(2,342)
Increase (decrease) in net pension liability		(60,819)		(72,714)		0		(26,206)		(159,739)
Increase (decrease) in pension investment		(00,010)		(-,)		·		(20,200)		(100,100)
return differences		18,341		21,929		0		7,903		48,173
Increase (decrease) in pension assumption		10,011		21,020		Ū		7,000		10,170
changes		(1,468)		(1,755)		0		(632)		(3,855)
Increase (decrease) in pension experience		(1,400)		(1,700)		Ū		(002)		(0,000)
differences		24,530		29,327		0		10,569		64,426
umerences		24,330		29,321			_	10,509		04,420
Total adjustments		140,563		16,686		(783)	_	(64,931)		91,535
Net cash provided (used) by										
operating activities	\$	174,130	\$	342,425	\$	43,894	\$	(147,892)	\$	412,557
Cash and cash equivalents reconciliation:										
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Cash and cash equivalents	\$	24,692	\$	21,416	\$	0	\$	200	\$	46,308
Restricted assets										
Cash and cash equivalents		76,387		6,562		0	_	0		82,949
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$	101,079	\$	27,978	\$	0	\$	200	\$	129,257

Noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:

Acquisition of capital assets through accounts payable totaled \$116,489.

Increase in notes payable through intergovernmental receivable totaled \$90,719.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION COMPONENT UNITS August 31, 2017

ASSETS	Tallapoosa Development Authority	Tallapoosa Recreation Authority	Downtown Development Authority	Totals
Current assets	¢ 047.700	ф 400 400	¢ 44.000	ф 4.055.7C4
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 617,733	\$ 423,403	\$ 14,628	\$ 1,055,764
Certificates of deposit	660,642	0	0	660,642
Intergovernmental receivables	17,805	0	0	17,805
Total current assets	1,296,180	423,403	14,628	1,734,211
Noncurrent assets				
Capital assets				
Non-depreciable	44,848	1,733,846	10,504	1,789,198
Total assets	1,341,028	2,157,249	25,132	3,523,409
LIABILITIES				
Current liabilities				
Intergovernmental payables	0	318,898	0	318,898
NET POSITION				
Investment in capital assets	44,848	1,733,846	10,504	1,789,198
Unrestricted	1,296,180	104,505	14,628	1,415,313
Total net position	\$ 1,341,028	\$ 1,838,351	\$ 25,132	\$ 3,204,511

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA COMBINING STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES COMPONENT UNITS

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

	Tallapoosa Development Authority	Tallapoosa Recreational Authority	Downtown Development Authority	Totals
Expenses				
Housing and Development	\$ 36,692	\$ 0	\$ 8,508	\$ 45,200
Total expenses	36,692	0	8,508	45,200
Program revenues				
Operating grants and contributions	0	0	7,654	7,654
Net (expense) revenue	(36,692)	0	(854)	(37,546)
General revenues				
Interest and investment earnings	1,188	84	0	1,272
Change in net position	(35,504)	84	(854)	(36,274)
Net position, September 1	1,376,532	1,838,267	25,986	3,240,785
Net position, August 31	\$ 1,341,028	\$ 1,838,351	\$ 25,132	\$ 3,204,511

1. Description of Government Unit

The City of Tallapoosa, Georgia (the City) is located in Haralson County about 50 miles west of Atlanta. The City provides a full range of governmental services, including public safety, highways and streets, recreational and cultural programs, and general administrative services, as well as water and sewer, natural gas, and sanitation services provided through enterprise funds. The City is governed by an elected Mayor-Council form of government.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

A. Description of Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. All fiduciary activities are reported only in the fund financial statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and other nonexchange transactions, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges to external customers for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

B. Reporting Entity

As required by generally accepted accounting principles, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia (the primary government) and material component units. The component units discussed below are included in the City's reporting entity because of the significance of their operational and financial relationship with the City. In conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, as set forth in Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 14, *The Financial Reporting Entity*, as amended by Statement No. 61, the financial statements of the following component units have been included as either blended or discretely presented component units.

<u>Discretely Presented Component Units</u> – Discretely presented component units are reported in a separate column in the combined financial statements to emphasize it is legally separate from the government.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

B. Reporting Entity, continued

Tallapoosa Development Authority

The Tallapoosa Development Authority was established as a legally separate entity, which operates pursuant to the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. The City Council appoints all board members. The Development Authority was created to promote and expand industry, welfare and trade for the public good and welfare of the City of Tallapoosa.

The Tallapoosa Development Authority is reported in a separate column to emphasize that it is legally separate from the City. The Tallapoosa Development Authority has a August 31st year-end. Individual financial statements may be obtained by contacting the Tallapoosa Development Authority, 25 E. Alabama Street, Tallapoosa, GA 30176.

Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority

The Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority was established as a legally separate entity, which operates pursuant to the Official Code of Georgia Annotated. The City Council appoints all board members. The Downtown Development Authority was created to promote and expand industry, welfare and trade for the public good and welfare of the City of Tallapoosa.

The Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority is reported in a separate column to emphasize that it is legally separate from the City. The Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority has a August 31st year-end. Individual financial statements may be obtained by contacting the Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority, 25 E. Alabama Street, Tallapoosa, GA 30176.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

B. Reporting Entity, continued

Tallapoosa Recreational Authority

The Tallapoosa Recreational Authority was established as a legally separate entity. The City Council appoints all board members. The Recreational Authority was created to assist the City in providing quality recreation programs for the citizens.

The Tallapoosa Recreational Authority is reported in a separate column to emphasize that it is legally separate from the City. The Tallapoosa Recreational Authority has a August 31th year-end. Individual financial statements may be obtained by contacting the Tallapoosa Recreational Authority, 25 E. Alabama Street, Tallapoosa, GA 30176.

C. Basis of Presentation – Government-wide Financial Statements

While separate government-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. The governmental activities column incorporates data from governmental funds, while business-type activities incorporate data from the government's enterprise funds. Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements.

As discussed earlier, the government has three discretely presented component units, which are combined in one column in the government-wide financial statements.

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 Water and Sewer, Gas and Sanitation Enterprise Funds and the other functions of the government. Elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs of program revenues reported for the various functions concerned.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Basis of Presentation – Fund Financial Statements

The fund financial statements provide information about the government's funds, including its fiduciary funds and blended component units. Separate statements for each fund category—governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary—are presented. The emphasis of fund financial statements is on major governmental and enterprise funds, each displayed in a separate column. All remaining governmental and enterprise funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor funds. Major individual governmental and enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

General Fund - The general operating fund of the City is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for and reported in another fund.

Urban Development Action Grant Fund (UDAG) – Accounts for revenues and expenditures of promoting urban economic development.

2010 SPLOST Fund – Accounts for long-term projects financed by the passage of the Haralson County, Georgia 2010 special purpose local option sales tax.

2015 SPLOST Fund – Accounts for long-term projects financed by the passage of the Haralson County, Georgia 2015 special purpose local option sales tax.

The City reports the following major proprietary funds:

Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund - Accounts for activities in providing water and sewer services to the public.

Gas Enterprise Fund - Accounts for activities in providing gas utilities to the public.

Golf Enterprise Fund - Accounts for activities in operating the Municipal Golf Course.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Basis of Presentation – Fund Financial Statements, continued

Additionally, the City reports the following fund types:

Governmental Fund Types

Special Revenue Funds - These funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally or donor restricted to expenditures for specific purposes.

Capital Projects Funds - These funds are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of capital facilities (other than those financed by the proprietary funds).

Proprietary Fund Types

Enterprise Funds - These funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises. The funds are self-supporting in nature where the costs, including depreciation, of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis are financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

Interfund Activity

During the course of operations the government has activity between funds for various purposes. Any residual balances outstanding at year end are reported as due to/from other funds and advances to/from other funds. While these balances are reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Balances between the funds included in governmental activities (i.e., the governmental funds) are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as internal balances in the governmental activities column. Similarly, balances between the funds included in business-type activities (i.e., the enterprise funds) are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as internal balances in the business-type activities column.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Basis of Presentation – Fund Financial Statements, continued

Further, certain activity occurs during the year involving transfers of resources between funds. In fund financial statements these amounts are reported at gross amounts as transfers in/out. While reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Transfers between the funds included in governmental activities are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as transfers in the governmental activities column. Similarly, balances between the funds included in business-type activities are eliminated so that only the net amount is included as transfers in the business-type activities column.

E. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The accounting and financial reporting treatment is determined by the applicable measurement focus and basis of accounting. Measurement focus indicates the type of resources being measured such as current financial resources or economic resources. The basis of accounting indicates the timing of transactions or events for recognition in the financial statements.

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of 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.

The 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 or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

E. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting, continued

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. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, sales taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, and interest 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. Entitlements are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year-end).

Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year-end). All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

The proprietary funds are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

F. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

Program revenues include: 1) charges to customers or applicants 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. All taxes, including those dedicated for specific purposes, and other internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

Certain indirect costs have been included as part of program expenses reported for the various functional activities.

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 Water and Sewer, Gas, Sanitation and Golf Funds are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for enterprise funds and internal services funds include the cost of sales 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.

G. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The City Council adopts an operating budget for all governmental fund types, except for the Capital Projects Funds, for the upcoming fiscal year, prior to September 1. Capital budgets are adopted for Capital Projects Funds. The budgets are prepared based on requests made by various department heads. The adopted budgets include proposed expenditures and the means of financing them. Prior to budgets being legally enacted through passage of an ordinance, public hearings are held to obtain taxpayer comments. The budgets are prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting. The City does not use an encumbrance system which records commitments related to unperformed contracts for goods and services.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

H. Cash and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents, as reported in the statement of cash flows, includes amounts in demand deposits, amounts with fiscal agents and investments with an original maturity at three months or less. Investments are reported at fair value with accrued interest shown under a separate caption on the balance sheet. Reinvested interest on certain debt service and capital project investments is included in the investment accounts.

I. Intergovernmental Receivables

Receivables for state and federal grants are recorded as revenue for the period of the allocation or as earned based on expenditures made for which reimbursement is due.

J. Inventories

Inventories of the Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund and Gas Enterprise Fund are valued at cost on the first-in, first-out method.

K. Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond August 31, 2017, are recorded as prepaid items. Prepaid items in the governmental funds are accounted for using the consumption method.

L. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (i.e., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

L. Capital Assets, continued

GASB Statement No. 34 required the City to report and depreciate new infrastructure assets effective with the fiscal year ended August 31, 2004. Infrastructure assets include roads, bridges, underground pipe (other than related to utilities), traffic signals, etc. These infrastructure assets are likely to be the largest asset class of the City. Neither their historical costs nor related depreciation has historically been reported in the financial statements. The City is a Phase 3 entity and is not required to record infrastructure from years prior to implementation to the reporting model.

Capital assets are defined by the City as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000. All capital assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual historical cost is not available. Donated capital assets are reported at acquisition value.

Land and construction-in-progress are not depreciated. The other property, plant equipment and infrastructure of the primary government are depreciated using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets ranging as follows:

	Useful Life
	in Years
Water and sewer distribution system	50 to 75
Gas distribution system	50 to 75
Buildings and improvements	25 to 40
Vehicles, machinery,	
and equipment	3 to 10
Infrastructure	15 to 50

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add value or materially extend the life of the asset are charged to operations as incurred. Costs of major additions and improvements are capitalized. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets of enterprise funds is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

M. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/ expenditure) until then. The City reports deferred outflows of resources related to their defined benefit pension plans.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The government has one type of item that arises only under a modified accrual basis of accounting that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, unavailable revenue, is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. The governmental funds report unavailable revenues from property taxes. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available. The City also reports deferred inflows of resources related to their defined benefit pension plans.

N. Net Position Flow Assumption

Sometimes the government will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted (e.g., restricted bond or grant proceeds) and unrestricted resources. In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted net position and unrestricted net position in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the government's policy to consider restricted net position to have been depleted before unrestricted net position is applied.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

O. Fund Balance Flow Assumption

Sometimes the government will fund outlays for a particular purpose from both restricted and unrestricted resources (the total of committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance). In order to calculate the amounts to report as restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned fund balance in the governmental fund financial statements, a flow assumption must be made about the order in which the resources are considered to be applied. It is the government's policy to consider restricted fund balance to have been depleted before using any of the components of unrestricted fund balance. Further, when the components of unrestricted fund balance can be used for the same purpose, committed fund balance is depleted first, followed by assigned fund balance. Unassigned fund balance is applied last.

P. Restricted Assets and Restricted Net Position

Restricted assets consist of cash included in the City's Water and Sewerage System which reflect restrictions for future construction of facilities, retainages, revenue bond and note payable retirement.

Restricted net position is equal to the excess of the restricted assets funded from operations over the liabilities to be paid with restricted assets which are due in one year or less. Restricted assets exclude bond proceeds for calculation of restricted net position.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Q. Fund Balances – Governmental Funds, continued

The City of Tallapoosa implemented GASB No. 54, *Fund Balance Reporting and Governmental Fund Type Definitions*, in fiscal year 2011. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report the following classifications of fund balance:

Nonspendable – includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either not spendable in form or are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. All amounts reported as nonspendable by the City are nonspendable in form. The City has not reported any amounts that are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted – includes amounts restricted by external sources (creditors, laws of other governments, etc.) or by constitutional provision or enabling legislation.

Committed – includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes. Committed fund balance is reported pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the City Council through the adoption of a resolution or motion. The City Council also may modify or rescind the commitment.

Assigned – includes amounts that the City intends to use for a specific purpose, but do not meet the definition of restricted or committed fund balance. Through resolution or motion, the City Council has authorized the City's finance committee to assign fund balances.

Unassigned – includes amounts that do not fall into one of the above four categories. This classification represents fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the General Fund. The General Fund is the only fund that should report positive amounts this category of fund balance.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

R. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the straight-line method. Issuance costs are expensed as incurred. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount.

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types, bond premiums and discounts are recognized during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as an other financing source. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, even if withheld from the actual net proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

S. Compensated Absences

It is the City's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation benefits which will be paid to the employees upon separation from City service. Accumulated unpaid vacation pay amounts are accrued when incurred by the City in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. The liability of the proprietary funds is recorded as an expense and a liability of those funds as the benefits accrue to the employees. In governmental fund types, a liability is recorded only if the benefit has matured and is expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources.

T. Capital Contributions

Federal, state and local government assistance in the form of grants that are permanent in nature and restricted for the construction or acquisition of specific property and equipment is recorded as an asset and as non-operating revenue.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

U. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability and deferred outflows/inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Georgia Municipal Employees Benefit System (GMEBS) plan (Plan) and additions to/deductions from the Plan's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by GMEBS. 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.

3. Deposit and Investment Risk

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a financial institution failure, the City's deposits may not be returned. The City investment policies require that all deposits be federally insured or fully collateralized.

Investment policies - Credit, concentration of credit, and interest rate risk

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. The City has no investment policy that would further limit its investment choices. The City places no limits on the amount the City may invest in any one issuer of equity or debt securities. Investments are reported at fair market value.

Foreign currency risk

The City has no investments denominated in a foreign currency.

4. Accounts Receivable

Net accounts receivable at August 31, 2017 consist of the following:

Major Funds		
General Fund	\$	5,382
Enterprise funds		
Water and Sewer Fund \$ 190	0,131	
Less: Allowance for Uncollectibles (6	6,465)	
•	3,728	
Less: Allowance for Uncollectibles (4	1,149)	
,	7,518	315,763
		,
Nonmajor Enterprise Funds		
Sanitation Fund 26	6,605	
Less: Allowance for Uncollectibles (1	1,330)	25,275
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Total primary government	\$	346,420

5. Intergovernmental Receivables

Intergovernmental receivables at August 31, 2017 consist of the following:

Primary Government: Major Funds 2015 SPLOST Capital Projects Fund Haralson County, Georgia		\$	82,543
Enterprise Funds			
Water and Sewer Fund			
Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority	\$ 190,884		
Golf Fund			
Tallapoosa Recreational Authority	 318,898		509,782
Total primary government		\$	592,325
rotal primary government		<u> </u>	002,020
Component Units:			
Tallapoosa Development Authority			
City of Tallapoosa, Georgia		\$	17,805

6. Property Taxes

Property tax rates are set by the City Council each year and are limited by statutory or constitutional provision. Property values are assessed as of January 1st each year. Property taxes for digest year 2016, based upon the assessments of January 1, 2016, were levied on October 3, 2016, billed on October 19, 2016, and due on December 31, 2016.

7. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

A summary of interfund receivables and payables as of August 31, 2017 is as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	 Amount			
General	2010 SPLOST	\$ 1,200			
	2015 SPLOST	2,400			
	UDAG	92,805			
	Nonmajor Governmental	1,249			
Water and Sewer	2015 SPLOST	 406,512			
		\$ 504,166			

Interfund balances at August 31, 2017, consisted of the following amounts and represent charges for services or reimbursable expenses. These remaining balances resulted from the time lag between the dates that (1) interfund goods or services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur, (2) transactions are recorded in the accounting period, and (3) payments between funds are made. Included above is an amount of \$92,805 due from UDAG to the General Fund that is not expected to be repaid within one year. Other interfund balances are expected to be repaid within one year.

Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances".

7. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers (continued)

A summary of interfund transfers is as follows:

Transfer Out Fund	Transfer In Fund	Amount
General	Golf	\$ 187,805
2015 SPLOST	Water and Sewer	223,519
Nonmajor Governmental	General	14,342
Water and Sewer	General	220,467
Gas	General	281,635
Nonmajor Enterprise	General	43,894
		\$ 971,662

Interfund transfers were used to transfer unrestricted revenues from payor funds to subsidize operations in payee funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations, to transfer City matching funds in accordance with grant agreements, to transfer funds to Capital Projects Funds for capital projects in accordance with budgetary authorizations, and to move capital assets between governmental activities and business-type activities. The transfers from the Water and Sewer, Gas and Sanitation Funds to the General Fund are in accordance with City policy, and are common practice for government-owned utility systems. Transfers are eliminated in the government-wide financial statements if the interfund transfer is within the governmental fund group or business-type fund group.

8. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the primary government for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 was as follows:

as follows.		Beginning Balance		Increases		Decreases		Ending Balance
Governmental activities	_		-		_			
Non-depreciable assets								
Land	\$	456,132	\$	0	\$	0	\$	456,132
Total non-depreciable assets		456,132		0		0		456,132
Depreciable assets								
Buildings and improvements		2,535,902		37,491		0		2,573,393
Machinery and equipment		967,184		0		0		967,184
Vehicles		644,757		24,998		0		669,755
Infrastructure		1,316,594		161,770		0		1,478,364
Total depreciable assets		5,464,437		224,259		0		5,688,696
Accumulated depreciation								
Buildings and improvements		(1,361,672)		(72,351)		0		(1,434,023)
Machinery and equipment		(853,003)		(14,799)		0		(867,802)
Vehicles		(583,222)		(30,838)		0		(614,060)
Infrastructure		(462,034)		(51,678)		0		(513,712)
Total accumulated depreciation		(3,259,931)		(169,666)		0		(3,429,597)
Total depreciable assets, net		2,204,506		54,593		0		2,259,099
Governmental activities								
capital assets, net	\$	2,660,638	\$	54,593	\$	0	\$	2,715,231
Business-type activities Non-depreciable assets	ď	140 016	ď	0	c	0	ď	140 016
Land	\$	142,816	\$		\$	(2.012.226)	\$	142,816
Construction in progress	_	3,000,108	_	653,878	_	(3,013,336)		640,650
Total non-depreciable assets	_	3,142,924		653,878	_	(3,013,336)		783,466
Depreciable assets Land improvements		15,656		0		0		15,656
Water and sewer distribution system		12,414,102		3,013,336		0		15,427,438
Gas distribution system		1,877,680		34,228		0		1,911,908
Buildings		205,008		0		0		205,008
Vehicles, machinery and equipment		775,751		30,263		0		806,014
Total depreciable assets	_	15,288,197	_	3,077,827	_	0		18,366,024
Accumulated depreciation		13,200,191	_	3,011,021	_			10,300,024
Land improvements		(15,656)		0		0		(15,656)
Water and sewer distribution system		(3,293,454)		(207,722)		0		(3,501,176)
Gas distribution system		(516,866)		(37,834)		0		(5,501,170)
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Buildings Vehicles machinery and equipment		(201,556)		(493)		0		(202,049) (651,535)
Vehicles, machinery and equipment		(607,314)	_	(44,211)		0		(651,525)
Total accumulated depreciation		(4,634,846)		(290,260)	_	0		(4,925,106)
Total depreciable assets, net		10,653,351		2,787,567		0		13,440,918
Business-type activities capital assets, net	\$	13,796,275	\$	3,441,445	\$	(3,013,336)	\$	14,224,384

8. Capital Assets (continued)

Capital asset activity for the component units for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 was as follows:

		eginning Balance	Increases		Decreases			Ending Balance		
Tallapoosa Development Authority										
Nondepreciable assets	Φ	44.040	Φ	0	Φ	0	Φ	44.040		
Land	<u> </u>	44,848	\$	0	\$	0	\$	44,848		
Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority										
Nondepreciable assets		,								
Land	\$	10,504	\$	0	\$	0	\$	10,504		
Depreciable assets										
Buildings and improvements		61,391		0		(61,391)		0		
Less accumulated depreciation										
Buildings and improvements		(2,455)		(118)		2,573		0		
Total depreciable assets, net		58,936		(118)		(58,818)		0		
Tallapoosa Downtown Development										
Authority capital assets, net	\$	69,440	\$	(118)	\$	(58,818)	\$	10,504		
Tallapoosa Recreational Authority Nondepreciable assets				_						
Land	\$	1,733,846	\$	0	\$	0	\$	1,733,846		

8. Capital Assets (continued)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions/programs as follows:

Primary Government

Governmental activities		
General Government	\$	50,766
Public Safety		31,988
Public Works		56,508
Culture and Recreation		30,404
Total depreciation expense for governmental activities	\$	169,666
Business-type activities		
Water and Sewer	\$	218,690
Gas	•	38,327
Golf		33,243
Total depreciation expense for business-type activities	\$	290,260
Tallapoosa Downtown Development Authority Component Unit	\$	118

9. Capital Lease Agreements

The City has entered into an agreement for the lease of certain equipment. The terms of the agreement meet the criteria of a capital lease as defined by Statement of Financial Accounting Standards No. 13, which defines a capital lease generally as one which transfers benefits and risk of ownership to the lessee. The balance of the lease at August 31, 2017 is \$93,251 for the business-type activities.

Total assets leased under the capital lease totaled \$141,239 for the business-type activities. Total accumulated depreciation on assets leased under the capital lease is \$31,779 for business-type activities. The assets are included in machinery and equipment.

Amortization of leased equipment under capital leases is included with depreciation expense and totaled \$28,248 for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017.

9. Capital Lease Agreements (continued)

The following is a schedule of the future minimum lease payments together with the present value of the net minimum lease payments as of August 31, 2017:

Year Ending	Business-type					
August 31,	Α	ctivities				
2018	\$	34,185				
2019		34,185				
2020		29,911				
Total minimum lease payments Less amounts representing interest		98,281 (5,030)				
Present value of minimum lease payments	\$	93,251				

The City's lease agreements, other than such agreements described above, are relatively minor commitments (generally for office machines) and are in compliance with state law.

10. Long-Term Debt

Notes Payable

Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority Note Payable - Water and Sewer Fund – DW10-029: The original amount of the loan is \$287,250 with a 3% interest rate.

Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority Notes Payable – Water and Sewer Fund – 2000-L58-WJ: The original amount of the loan was \$581,790 with a 3.4% interest rate.

Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority Notes Payable – Water and Sewer Fund – 2005-L30-WJ: The original amount of the loan was \$1,740,632 with a 4.2% interest rate.

Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority Notes Payable – Water and Sewer Fund – 2005-L30-WJA: The original amount of the loan was \$204,642 with a 4.2% interest rate.

10. Long-Term Debt (continued)

Notes Payable, continued

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Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority Note Payable – Water and Sewer Fund – CWSRF-13-011: The original amount of the loan is \$3,100,000 of which \$2,807,788 has been drawn down to date. The construction rate and permanent rate is 1.4%. Repayment is expected to begin April 1, 2018 and the maturity schedule below includes this note.

Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority Notes Payable – Water and Sewer Fund – DW14-009: The original amount of the loan is \$1,267,000 of which \$773,771 has been drawn down to date. The construction rate and permanent rate is 1.32%. There will be no payments until construction is complete. The maturity schedule below does not include this note.

Annual debt service requirements for notes payable are as follows:

	rear Ending						
	August 31,	Princi	pal	Interest		Total	
,	2018	\$ 175	,610	81,32	6 \$	256,936	_
	2019	263	,381	100,91	7	364,298	
	2020	270	,606	93,69	1	364,297	
	2021	268	,156	86,06	2	354,218	
	2022	244	,888,	79,19	8	324,086	
	2023-2027	1,328	,563	291,86	7	1,620,430	
	2028-2032	1,136	,245	116,87	5	1,253,120	
	2033-2037	790	,369	35,54	8	825,917	
	2038	106	,798	56	3	107,361	
	Totals	\$ 4,584	,616	886,04	7 \$	5,470,663	

10. Long-Term Debt (continued)

Changes in Long-Term Debt

The following is a summary of changes in long-term debt of the City for fiscal year ended August 31, 2017:

	E	Beginning Balance	Α	dditions	ons Deductions		Ending Deductions Balance			ue Within Ine Year
Governmental Activities Compensated absences	\$	38,295	\$	38,822	\$	38,295	\$	38,822	Ф	20 022
Compensated absences	Φ	30,293	Φ	30,022	φ	30,293	Φ	30,022	\$	38,822
Business-type Activities										
Notes payable	\$	5,000,018		488,213		129,844		5,358,387		175,610
Capital lease obligations		119,646		0		26,395		93,251		31,383
Compensated absences		25,894		23,552		25,894		23,552		23,552
Total Business-type Activities	\$	5,145,558	\$	511,765	\$	182,133	\$	5,475,190	\$	230,545
Downtown Development Authority Component Unit										
Notes payable	\$	45,236	\$	0	\$	45,236	\$	0	\$	0

Revenue bond discounts/premiums are amortized over the life of the related debt using the straight-line method. Compensated absences are liquidated by those funds that have salary and wage expenditures. In prior years, long-term liabilities, such as compensated absences, of the governmental activities were liquidated in the General Fund.

Total interest incurred and expensed in the business-type activities for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 was \$113,053. Total interest capitalized to construction projects for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 was \$7,396.

11. Conduit Debt

Tallapoosa Development Authority

In November 2014, the Tallapoosa Development Authority adopted a bond resolution authorizing the issuance of \$245,000,000 of taxable revenue bonds, Series 2014. The project is referred to as Honda Precision Parts of Georgia, LLC Project and is to finance the acquisition, construction, equipping and installation of a manufacturing facility which is to be leased to the Company. The Company's rental payments under the lease shall be an amount sufficient to permit the payment of principal and interest on the bonds. At the end of the lease period the Company will have the obligation to purchase the leased property for a nominal amount. The bonds will constitute only limited obligations of the Authority and will be payable solely from the revenues assigned and pledged to the payment thereof and will not constitute a debt or general obligation; therefore, debts are not reflected on the Authority's financial statements.

12. Restricted, Committed, and Assigned Fund Balances

The following is a summary of restricted, committed, and assigned fund balances of the governmental funds for fiscal year ended August 31, 2017:

	Urban Development Action Grant		2010 2015 SPLOST SPLOST		Nonmajor Governmental <u>Funds</u>		Total Governmental Funds			
Restricted for:	_	_	_		_	_	_		_	
Law enforcement	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	61	\$	61
Urban development		677,192		0		0		0		677,192
Capital outlay		0	11	7,635	2	91,640		0		409,275
	\$	677,192	\$ 11	7,635	\$ 2	91,640	\$	61	\$	1,086,528
Committed for:										
Museum operations	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	3,974	\$	3,974
Community planning		0		0		0		1,436		1,436
	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	5,410	\$	5,410

13. Net Investment in Capital Assets

The net investment in capital assets reported on the government-wide statement of net position is calculated as follows for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017:

	Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities
Cost of capital assets	\$ 6,144,828	\$ 19,149,490
Accumulated depreciation	(3,429,597)	(4,925,106)
Book value	2,715,231	14,224,384
Capital-related accounts payable	(24,998)	(161,099)
Retainage payable	0	(29,785)
Notes payable	0	(5,358,387)
Capital lease payable	0	(93,251)
Unspent note proceeds	0	12,699
Net investment in capital assets	\$ 2,690,233	\$ 8,594,561

14. Pension Plan

Plan Description. The City is a participating member of the Georgia Municipal Employees Benefit System (GMEBS), a state-wide agent, multiple-employer retirement system, administered by the Georgia Municipal Association. This is a defined benefit pension plan, which provides retirement, disability and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. The Commission has established provisions, which assign the authority to the City council members to establish and amend the benefit provisions of the plan.

Control over the operation and administration of the plan is vested with GMEBS along with custody of the plan assets. The plan provides that the City has no liability with respect to payments or benefits or otherwise under the plan except to pay over to GMEBS such actuarially determined contributions as are required to meet minimum funding standards of the Public Retirement Systems Standards Law and provide benefits thereunder. If terminated, the plan provides that if there are funds remaining after the satisfaction of all liabilities, such funds shall not revert to the City but shall be allocated to employees. All employees are eligible for immediate participation. Officials are not covered under the plan.

14. Pension Plan (continued)

There are no loans to any of the City officials or other "party-in-interest," and there are no prohibited transactions. The plan assets do not include any securities or investments in the City of Tallapoosa. The funds are managed by independent money managers.

The annual report and more detailed information regarding the plan can be obtained from the Plan Administrator, the Georgia Municipal Employees Benefit System.

At January 1, 2017, the date of the most recent actuarial valuation, there were 68 participants consisting of the following:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	24
Terminated vested participants entitled to	
but not yet receiving benefits	12
Active participants	32
Total number of participants	68

Benefits Provided. The plan provides retirement, disability and death benefits. Benefits are based on years of credited service, equal to one year of full-time employment. Members with five years of total service are eligible to retire at age 65. Members are eligible for early retirement at age 55 after 10 years of service. The benefit formula is 1.25% - 2.00% with a ten year vesting schedule.

Contributions. Employees make no contributions to the plan. The City is required to contribute the remaining amounts necessary to fund the plan in compliance with the minimum funding standards of the Public Retirement Systems Standards Law. This funding policy, as specified by ordinance, has been the same since the inception of the plan. The City's actuarially determined contribution rate for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 was \$149,206, or 11.26% of covered payroll.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources, and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions. At August 31, 2017, the City reported a net pension liability of \$538,548. The net pension liability was measured as of September 30, 2016, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2017. For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017, the City recognized pension expense of \$27,157. For governmental activities, the net pension liability is liquidated by the General Fund.

14. Pension Plan (continued)

At August 31, 2017, the City reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the plan from the following sources:

	Oi	Deferred utflows of esources_	Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	14,717	\$	(218,237)	
Changes of assumptions		0		(9,706)	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings					
on pension plan investments		140,579		(143, 265)	
City contributions subsequent to the measurement date		136,771		O O	
Totals	\$	292,067	\$	(371,208)	

The \$136,771 of deferred outflows of resources resulting from the City's contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net position liability in the fiscal year ending August 31, 2018. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending August 31	
2018	\$ (98,275)
2019	(58,115)
2020	(35,176)
2021	 (24,346)
Totals	\$ (215,912)

Inflation

Actuarial Assumptions. The total pension liability in the January 1, 2017 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

milation	3.25%
Projected salary increases	3.25% plus service based merit increases
Cost of living adjustments	2.50%
Net investment rate of return	7.75%

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14. Pension Plan (continued)

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

The mortality and economic actuarial assumptions used in the January 1, 2017 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period of January 1, 2010 through June 30, 2014.

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 weighing 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 September 30, 2016 are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Domestic equity	45%	6.75%
International equity	20%	7.45%
Global fixed income	5%	3.30%
Domestic fixed income	20%	1.75%
Real estate	10%	4.55%
Cash	0%	
Total	100%	

Discount Rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from employer will be made at contractually required rates, actuarially determined. Based on those assumptions, the Plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

14. Pension Plan (continued)

Changes in Net Pension Liability (Asset)

	Total Pension Liability (Asset)			n Fiduciary et Position	Net Pension Liability (Asset)		
	(a)			(b)		(a) - (b)	
Balances at September 30, 2015	\$	4,516,687	\$	3,575,878	\$	940,809	
Changes for the year:							
Service cost		49,861		0		49,861	
Interest		342,267		0		342,267	
Differences between expected							
and actual experience		(250,378)		0		(250,378)	
Contributions—employer		0		155,578		(155,578)	
Net investment income		0		396,794		(396,794)	
Benefit payments, including refunds							
of employee contributions		(200,672)		(200,672)		0	
Administrative expense		0		(8,361)		8,361	
Net changes		(58,922)		343,339		(402,261)	
Balances at September 30, 2016	\$	4,457,765	\$	3,919,217	\$	538,548	
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the to Covered payroll Net pension liability as a percentage of covered pa	·	ension liability	\$	87.92% 1,314,431 40.97%			

Sensitivity of the Net Pension Asset/Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate. The following presents what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage-point lower (6.75 percent) or one percentage-point higher (8.75 percent) than the current rate:

	Discount	Net Pension
	Rate	Liabilty (Asset)
1% decrease	6.75%	\$ 1,047,553
Current discount rate	7.75%	538,548
1% increase	8.75%	108,678

Plan Fiduciary Net Position. Detailed information about the Plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued Georgia Municipal Employees Benefit System financial report.

Other Plans. In addition to the plan above, various City employees are also covered under the Peace Officers' Annuity and Benefit Fund of Georgia and the Georgia Firefighters' Pension Fund. Further information regarding these plans can be obtained from the plans' annual reports. These plans are immaterial to the financial statements.

15. Hotel/Motel Lodging Tax

The City has levied a 5% lodging tax, in accordance with Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 48-13-51(3.7). A summary of the transactions for the year ending August 31, 2017, follows:

Lodging tax receipts \$ 23,832

Disbursements and transfers \$ 9,490 40% of tax receipts

16. Tax Abatements

The City of Tallapoosa is subject to tax incentives granted by various authorities in the City. These incentives are negotiated on an individual basis as a reduction of property taxes based on the percentage negotiated and have the stated purpose of increasing business activity and employment in the City by allowing localities to abate property taxes for a variety of economic development purposes, including business relocation, retention, and expansion. The incentives may be granted to any business located within or promising to relocate to a local government's geographic area and have various requirements regarding job creation and capital investments. Each of the incentive agreements contains a recapture provision that requires repayment of a portion of the abatement for that year if the business fails to meet its jobs and/or investment goals. The City has not made any commitments as part of the agreements other than to reduce taxes.

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017, the City of Tallapoosa property taxes were abated totaling \$398,907 under this program through the Tallapoosa Development Authority.

17. Joint Ventures

Under Georgia law, the City, in conjunction with other cities and counties in the area, is a member of the Northwest Georgia Regional Commission and is required to pay annual dues thereto. During fiscal year 2017, the city paid \$3,187 in such dues. Membership in an RC is required by the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 50-8-34, which provides for the organizational structure of the RC in Georgia. The RC Board membership includes the chief elected official in each county and municipality of the area. OCGA 50-8-39.1 provides that the member governments are liable for any debts or obligations of an RC.

17. Joint Ventures (continued)

A copy of the NWGRC financial statements can be obtained from the Northwest Georgia Regional Commission, 1 Jackson Hill Drive, Rome, Georgia 30162.

18. Related Organizations

The City of Tallapoosa Housing Authority is considered a related organization to the City of Tallapoosa. The City appoints members to the Authority, but does not have the ability to impose its will or create a financial benefit or burden for the Authority. The Authority provides low-income housing for the individuals in the City of Tallapoosa. The City collects revenue in lieu of taxes for City services provided to Housing Authority residents. The City received \$14,054 for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017.

19. Risk Management

The City is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts, thefts of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters for which the City carries commercial insurance. The City joined the Georgia Interlocal Risk Management Agency on December 31,1988. This membership allows the City to share liability, crime, motor vehicle and property damage risks.

Chapter 85 of Title 36 of the Offical Code of Georgia Annotated authorizes Georgia municipalities to form interlocal risk management agencies. The Georgia Interlocal Risk Management Agency (GIRMA) is a municipal interlocal risk management agency to function as an unincorporated nonprofit instrumentality of its member municipalities – GIRMA establishes and administers one or more group self insurance funds and a risk management service to prevent or lessen the incidence and severity of casualty and property losses occurring in the operation of municipal government. GIRMA is to defend and protect in accordance with the member government contract and related coverage descriptions any member of GIRMA against liability or loss.

The City of Tallapoosa participates at all times in at least one fund which is established by GIRMA. Other responsibilities of the City are as follows:

To pay all contributions, assessments, or other sums due to GIRMA at such times and in such amounts as shall be established by GIRMA.

19. Risk Management (continued)

To select a person to serve as a Member representative.

To allow GIRMA and its agents reasonable access to all facilities of the City and all records, including but not limited to financial records, which relate to the purposes of GIRMA.

To allow attorneys appointed by GIRMA to represent the City in investigation, settlement discussions and all levels of litigation arising out of any claim made against the City within the scope of loss protection furnished by the Fund or Funds established by GIRMA.

To assist and cooperate in the defense and settlement of claims against the City.

To furnish full cooperation to GIRMA's attorneys, claims adjusters, Service Company, and any agent, employee, officer or independent contractor of GIRMA relating to the purposes of GIRMA.

To follow all loss reduction and prevention procedures established by GIRMA.

To furnish to GIRMA such budget, operating and underwriting information as may be requested.

To report as promptly as possible, an in accordance with any Coverage Descriptions issued, all incidents which could result in GIRMA or any Fund established by GIRMA being required to pay claim for loss or injuries to munical property or injuries to persons or property when such loss or injury is within the scope of the protection of a Fund or Funds in which the City participates.

The City of Tallapoosa retains the first \$1,000 of each risk of loss in the form of deductible. The City files all claims with GIRMA. GIRMA bills the City for any risk of loss up to the \$1,000 deductible.

The City has joined together with other municipalities in the state as part of the Georgia Municipal Association Group Self-Insurance Workers Compensation Fund, a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for member local governments. The pool is administered by the Georgia Municipal Association (GMA).

19. Risk Management (continued)

As part of this risk pool, the City is obligated to pay all contributions and assessments as prescribed by the pool, to cooperate with the pool's agents and attorneys, to follow loss reduction procedures established by the funds, and to report as promptly as possible, and in accordance with any coverage descriptions issued, all incidents which could result in the funds being required to pay any claim of loss. The City is also to allow the pool's agents and attorneys to represent the City in investigation, settlement discussions and all levels of litigation arising out of any claim made against the City within the scope of loss protection furnished by the funds.

The funds are to defend and protect the members of the funds against liability or loss as prescribed in the member government contract and in accordance with the worker's compensation law of Georgia. The funds are to pay all cost taxed against members in any legal proceeding defended by the members, all interest accruing after entry of judgment, and all expenses incurred for investigation, negotiation or defense.

Settled claims in the last three years have not exceeded insurance coverage.

20. Commitments and Contingencies

Commitments

The City has active construction projects as of August 31, 2017. At fiscal year end, the City's commitments with contractors are as follows:

Amount

	Amount					
	Expended			Remaining		
Project		to Date	C	ommitment		
Gas Line Replacement Project	\$	0	\$	116,160		
Water System Improvements - New Water Lines		548,511		47,190		
Total	\$	548,511	\$	163,350		

20. Commitments and Contingencies (continued)

Contingencies

There are no pending claims or litigation against the City of Tallapoosa of which city officials are aware.

The City of Tallapoosa participates in a number of Revenue Sharing Grants. Expenditures financed by Revenue Sharing Grants are subject to a compliance audit by the grantor or its representative. If expenditures are disallowed due to noncompliance with program regulations, the City may be required to reimburse the grantor government. The City believes that disallowed expenditures, if any, based on subsequent audits will not have a material effect on any of the individual funds or the overall financial position of the City.

21. Material Budget Violations

During the fiscal year, the City incurred material expenditures in the General Fund which were in excess of the amounts appropriated:

Department	 Budget	 Actual	V	Variance		
Cemetery	\$ 12,781	\$ 14,775	\$	(1,994)		
Senior Center	48,463	50,456		(1,993)		
Museum	57,675	59,668		(1,993)		

In the future, actual expenditures will be compared to budgeted expenditures and budget amendments will be made when appropriate.



CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE NET PENSION LIABILITY (ASSET) AND RELATED RATIOS LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

August 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

		Fis	cal Year End	
	2017		2016	2015
Total pension liability Service cost Interest Differences between expected and actual experience Changes of assumptions Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions	\$ 49,861 342,267 (250,378) 0 (200,672)	\$	49,101 326,813 24,528 0 (201,388)	\$ 55,570 324,513 (121,811) (38,829) (178,144)
Net change in total pension liability	(58,922)		199,054	41,299
Total pension liability - beginning	 4,516,687		4,317,633	4,276,334
Total pension liability - ending (a)	\$ 4,457,765	\$	4,516,687	\$ 4,317,633
Plan fiduciary net position Contributions - employer Net investment income Benefit payments, including refunds of employee contributions Administrative expense	\$ 155,578 396,794 (200,672) (8,361)	\$	200,375 40,135 (201,388) (9,684)	\$ 257,851 358,931 (178,144) (7,513)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	343,339		29,438	431,125
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning	 3,575,878		3,546,440	3,115,315
Plan fiduciary net position - ending (b)	\$ 3,919,217	\$	3,575,878	\$ 3,546,440
Net pension liability (asset) - ending : (a) - (b)	\$ 538,548	\$	940,809	\$ 771,193
Plan's fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	87.92%		79.17%	82.14%
Covered payroll	\$ 1,314,431	\$	1,362,102	\$ 1,254,372
Net pension liability as a percentage of covered payroll	40.97%		69.07%	61.48%

Note: Fiscal year 2015 was the first year of implementation. Therefore, only three years are reported.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA **SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS** LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

August 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

	Fiscal Year End							
		2017		2016		2015		
Actuarially determined contribution Contributions in relation to the actuarially determined contribution	\$	149,206 (149,206)	\$	156,157 (156,157)	\$	204,395 (204,395)		
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0		
Covered payroll	\$	1,325,373	\$	1,342,761	\$	1,349,856		
Contributions as a percentage of covered payroll		11.26%		11.63%		15.14%		

Note: Fiscal year 2015 was the first year of implementation. Therefore, only three years are reported.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA

NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

August 31, 2017

1. Valuation Date

The actuarially determined contribution rate was determined as of January 1, 2017, with an interest adjustment to the fiscal year. Contributions in relation to this actuarially determined

contribution rate will be reported for the fiscal year ending August 31, 2018.

2. Methods and Assumptions Used to Determine Contribution Rates

Actuarial cost method = Projected unit credit

Amortization method = Closed level dollar for remaining unfunded liability

Remaining amortization period = Remaining amortization period varies for the bases, with a net effective amortization period of 10 years

Asset valuation method = 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 amount that the value exceeds or is less than the market value at end of year. The actuarial value is adjusted, if necessary, to be within 20% of market value.

Net investment rate of return = 7.75%

Projected salary increases = 3.25% plus service-based merit increases

Cost of living adjustments = 2.50%

Retirement age for inactive vested participants = 65

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

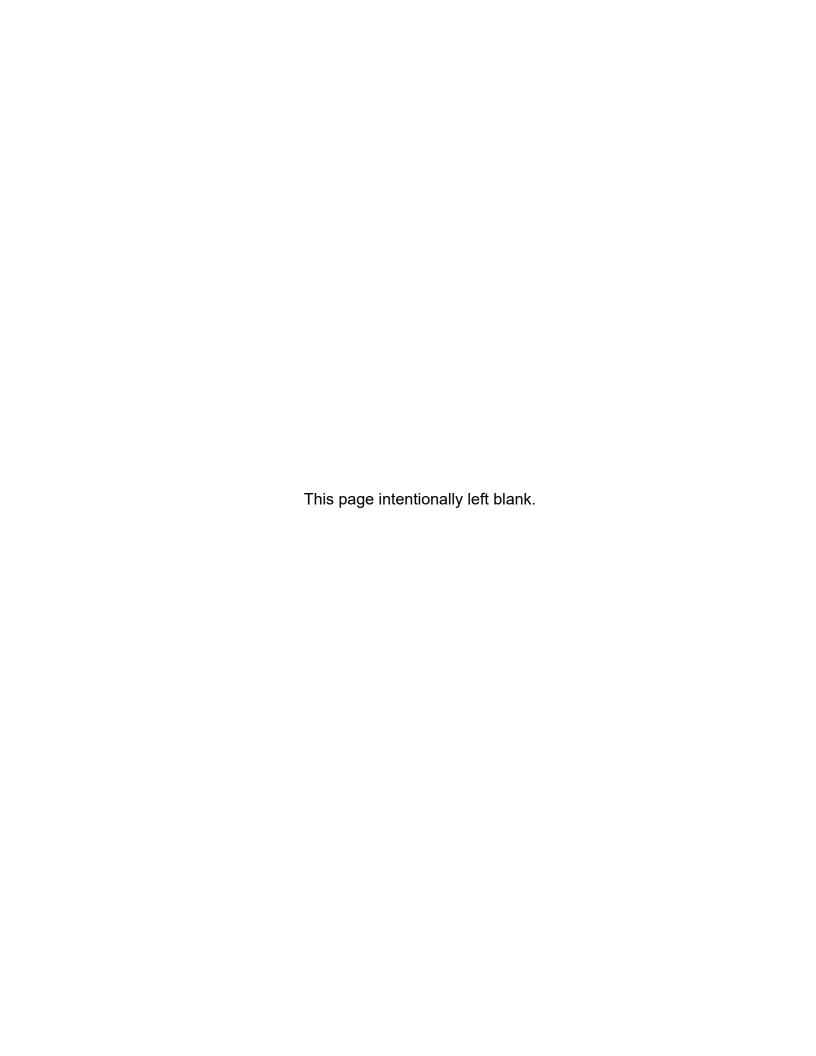
3. Changes in Benefits

There were no changes in benefit provisions in the last two fiscal years.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA NOTES TO THE REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION August 31, 2017

4. Changes of Assumptions

There were no changes in methods or assumptions since the last valuation.



COMBINING STATEMENTS
Nonmajor Governmental Funds

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS August 31, 2017

Special Revenue										
			Cor	lapoosa nmunity					No	Total nmajor
			Planning Drug		•	Ho	tel/Motel		ernmental	
ASSETS	M	useum	Co	mmittee	For	feiture		Тах		unds
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	3,974	\$	1,436	\$	61	\$	0	\$	5,471
Taxes receivable		0		0		0		2,082		2,082
Total assets	\$	3,974	\$	1,436	\$	61	\$	2,082	\$	7,553
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES										
Liabilities										
Accounts payable	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	833	\$	833
Due to other funds		0		0		0		1,249		1,249
Total liabilities		0		0		0		2,082		2,082
Fund balances										
Restricted for law enforcement		0		0		61		0		61
Committed for:										
Museum operations		3,974		0		0		0		3,974
Community planning		0		1,436		0		0		1,436
Total fund balances		3,974		1,436		61		0		5,471
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	3,974	\$	1,436	\$	61	\$	2,082	\$	7,553

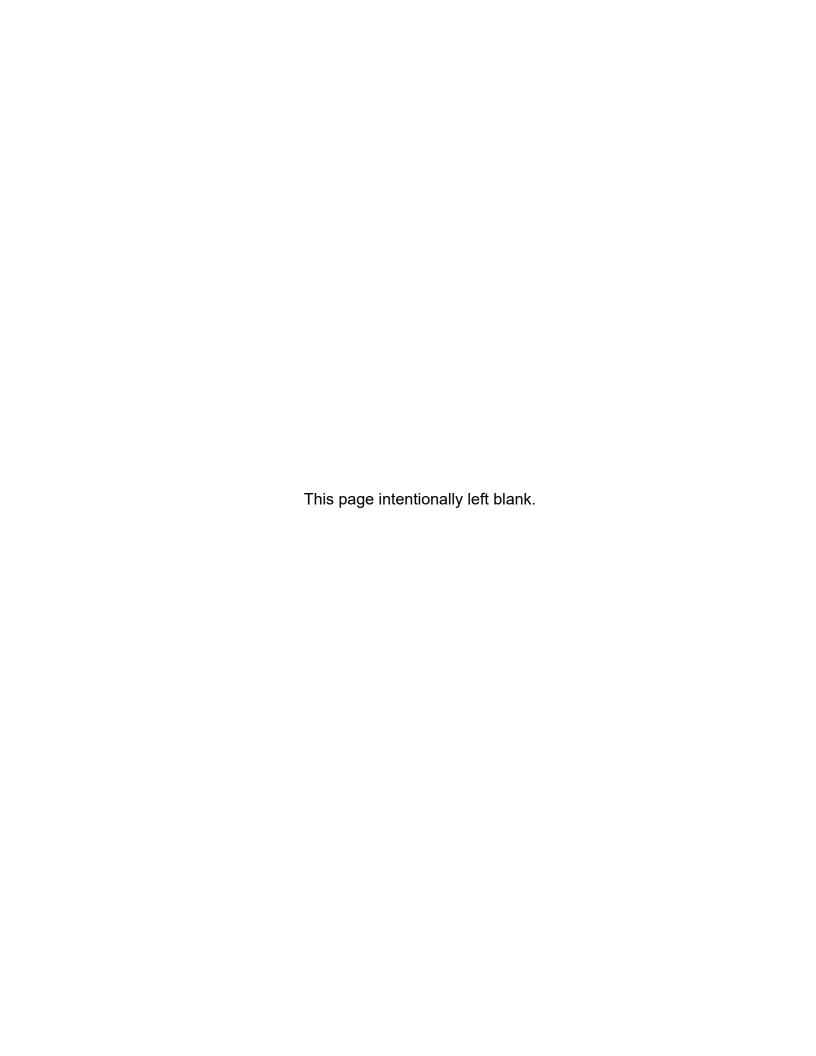
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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

		Tallapoosa			Total
		Community	_		Nonmajor
	Museum	Planning Committee	Drug Forfeiture	Hotel/Motel Tax	Governmental Funds
REVENUES	wuseum	Committee	Forteiture	Tax	runas
REVENUES					
Taxes	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 23,832	\$ 23,832
Charges for services	17,459	0	0	0	17,459
Interest	0	1	0	0	1
Total revenues	17,459	1	0	23,832	41,292
EXPENDITURES					
Current					
Culture and Recreation	38,812	0	0	0	38,812
Housing and Development	0	0	0	9,490	9,490
Total expenditures	38,812	0	0	9,490	48,302
Excess (deficiency) of revenues					
over (under) expenditures	(21,353)	1	0	14,342	(7,010)
Other financing sources (uses)					
Transfers out	0	0	0	(14,342)	(14,342)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other					
financing sources over (under) expenditures					
and other financing uses	(21,353)	1	0	0	(21,352)
Fund balances, September 1	25,327	1,435	61	0	26,823
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 3,974	\$ 1,436	\$ 61	\$ 0	\$ 5,471

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Exhibit C-2



GENERAL FUND The general operating fund of the City is used to account for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GENERAL FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

		2017		2016	
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,394,028	\$	1,164,369	
Certificates of deposit		134,951		134,147	
Receivables (net)					
Accounts		5,382		4,719	
Intergovernmental		0		8,403	
Taxes		90,474		111,179	
Due from other funds		4,849		4,893	
Advances to other funds		92,805		92,805	
Prepaid items		53,855		39,316	
Total assets	\$	1,776,344	\$	1,559,831	
LIABILITIES					
Payables					
Accounts	\$	77,624	\$	67,873	
Intergovernmental	•	17,805	•	17,805	
Accrued liabilities		15,812		14,155	
Unearned revenue		0		14,054	
Total liabilities		111,241		113,887	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		15,593		31,402	
FUND BALANCES					
Nonspendable:					
Advances to other funds		92,805		92,805	
Prepaid items		53,855		39,316	
Unassigned		1,502,850		1,282,421	
Total fund balances		1,649,510		1,414,542	
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of					
resources and fund balances	\$	1,776,344	\$	1,559,831	

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Exhibit D-1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
REVENUES		
Taxes	\$ 2,039,408	\$ 2,029,408
Licenses and permits	13,344	17,053
Fines, fees and forfeitures	75,857	40,807
Charges for services	79,980	88,270
Intergovernmental	88,689	202,777
Interest	848	815
Other	 50,922	 47,372
Total revenues	 2,349,048	 2,426,502
EXPENDITURES		
Current		
General Government	356,292	333,935
Public Safety	1,134,219	1,080,870
Public Works	508,553	337,347
Health and Welfare	50,456	52,638
Culture and Recreation	 437,093	 402,854
Total expenditures	 2,486,613	 2,207,644
Excess of revenues over expenditures	 (137,565)	 218,858
Other financing sources (uses)		
Transfers in (out)		
Hotel/Motel Tax Fund	14,342	14,543
Water and Sewer Fund	220,467	102,697
Gas Fund	281,635	344,591
Sanitation Fund	43,894	39,173
Golf Fund	 (187,805)	 (220,271)
Total other financing sources (uses)	 372,533	 280,733
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources		
over (under) expenditures and other financing uses	234,968	499,591
Fund balances, September 1	 1,414,542	 914,951
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 1,649,510	\$ 1,414,542

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Exhibit D-2

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 (With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2016		
	Final Budget	Actual	Variance	Actual
REVENUES				
Taxes				
General property taxes		A 700 450	A 00.070	A 700.000
Real and personal tax Motor vehicle tax	\$ 698,483	\$ 722,456 112,256	\$ 23,973	\$ 703,886 118,988
Mobile home tax	112,539 403	403	(283) 0	418
Cost, penalties and interest	7,527	7,527	0	10,387
Total general property taxes	818,952	842,642	23,690	833,679
Local option sales tax	520,540	525,061	4,521	511,519
Franchise tax	333,557	333,397	(160)	342,973
Insurance premium tax	198,040	198,040	0	182,830
Intangibles tax	10,546	10,546	0	15,210
Beer and wine tax	72,797	65,823	(6,974)	91,551
Occupational tax	44,739	44,739	0	40,195
Energy excise tax	19,160	19,160	0	11,451
Total taxes	2,018,331	2,039,408	21,077	2,029,408
Licenses and permits				
Alcohol licenses	9,750	9,750	0	9,100
Building permits	2,694	2,694	0	7,553
Other permits	1,000	900	(100)	400
Total licenses and permits	13,444	13,344	(100)	17,053
Fines, fees and forfeitures	79,991	75,857	(4,134)	40,807
Charges for Services				
Cemetery charges	3,600	3,600	0	9,600
Senior center charges	13,341	13,341	0	14,115
Recreation fees	62,571 468	62,571 468	0 0	64,339
Other charges for services Total charges for services	79,980	79,980	0	<u>216</u> 88,270
Intergovernmental	88,689	88,689	0	202,777
Interest	43	848	805	815
Other Rental Income	27,569	27,569	0	28,197
Miscellaneous	23,353	23,353	0	19,175
Total other	50,922	50,922	0	47,372
Total revenues	\$ 2,331,400	\$ 2,349,048	\$ 17,648	\$ 2,426,502

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Exhibit D-3

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 (With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2016		
	Final Budget	Actual	Variance	Actual
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
General Government Administration				
Personal services	\$ 194,924	\$ 193,625	\$ 1,299	\$ 181,425
Contract services	45,163	49,840	(4,677)	47,881
Materials and supplies	24,382	24,598	(216)	24,364
Capital outlay	900	900	` o´	512
Total Administration	265,369	268,963	(3,594)	254,182
Mayor and Council				
Personal services	34,719	33,421	1,298	31,001
Contract services	30,156	30,156	0	26,202
Total Mayor and Council	64,875	63,577	1,298	57,203
Other General Government				
Personal services	25,052	23,752	1,300	22,399
Contract services	0	0	0	151
Total Other General Governmen	t 25,052	23,752	1,300	22,550
Total General Government	355,296	356,292	(996)	333,935
Public Safety				
Police Department				
Personal services	775,646	774,200	1,446	786,757
Contract services	57,683	60,974	(3,291)	66,811
Materials and supplies	59,060	59,060	0	51,319
Capital outlay	1,240	1,240	0	2,183
Total Police Department	893,629	895,474	(1,845)	907,070
Fire Department	440.040	4.47.005	4 000	444.404
Personal services	148,618	147,295	1,323	141,131
Contract services	75,763 11,670	75,763 11,670	0 0	11,866 18,951
Materials and supplies Capital outlay	4,017	4,017	0	1,852
Total Fire Department	240,068	238,745	1,323	173,800
Total Public Safety	1,133,697	1,134,219	(522)	1,080,870
Public Works				
Highways and Streets				
Personal services	59,100	57,768	1,332	60,544
Contract services	138,327	119,240	19,087	81,304
Materials and supplies	117,705	117,705	0	120,017
Capital outlay	199,065	199,065	0	65,642
Total Highways and Streets	514,197	493,778	20,419	327,507

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 (With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2016		
	Final			
Dublic Montre continued	Budget	Actual	Variance	Actual
Public Works, continued Cemetery				
Personal services	\$ 9,070	\$ 7,772	\$ 1,298	\$ 6,357
Contract services	2,182	5,474	(3,292)	2,587
Materials and supplies	780	780	0	896
Capital outlay	749	749	0	0
Total Cemetery	12,781	14,775	(1,994)	9,840
Total Public Works	526,978	508,553	18,425	337,347
Health and Welfare Senior Center				
Personal services	29,886	28,587	1,299	30,445
Contract services	5,154	8,446	(3,292)	6,631
Materials and supplies	12,754	12,754	0	14,882
Capital outlay	669	669	0	680
Total Senior Center	48,463	50,456	(1,993)	52,638
Total Health and Welfare	48,463	50,456	(1,993)	52,638
Culture and Recreation Recreation				
Personal services	110,234	108,871	1,363	101,183
Contract services	65,395	68,616	(3,221)	62,123
Materials and supplies	69,717	69,717	0	71,965
Capital outlay	10,478	10,478	0	8,137
Total Recreation	255,824	257,682	(1,858)	243,408
Museum				
Personal services	24,084	22,785	1,299	21,594
Contract services	9,750	13,042	(3,292)	8,365
Materials and supplies	18,460	18,460	0	18,710
Capital outlay	5,381	5,381	(1.000)	0
Total Museum	57,675	59,668	(1,993)	48,669
Library				
Personal services	88,783	87,483	1,300	83,823
Contract services	8,932	12,224	(3,292)	7,664
Materials and supplies Capital outlay	20,021 15	20,021 15	0 0	19,127 163
•				
Total Culture and Recreation	117,751	119,743	(1,992)	110,777
Total Culture and Recreation	431,250	437,093	(5,843)	402,854
Total Expenditures	\$ 2,495,684	\$ 2,486,613	\$ 9,071	\$ 2,207,644

SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

Special revenue funds are used to account for specific revenues that are legally or donor restricted or committed to expenditure for particular purposes.

<u>Museum</u> - Used to account for specific revenue sources committed for the museum.

<u>Tallapoosa Community Planning Committee</u> - Used to account for activities of the Planning Committee.

<u>Drug Forfeiture</u> - Used to account for revenues and expenditures from drug seizure activity.

<u>Hotel/Motel Tax</u> - Used to account for revenues and expenditures of hotel/motel tax restricted by local ordinance for the promotion of tourism and downtown development.

<u>Urban Development Action Grant</u> (UDAG) - Used to account for revenues and expenditures of promoting urban economic development.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA MUSEUM SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$	3,974	\$	25,327
Total assets	\$	3,974	\$	25,327
LIABILITIES				
FUND BALANCES Committed for museum operations	\$	3,974	\$	25,327
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	3,974	\$	25,327

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA MUSEUM

SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

(With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

	2017					2016						
	Final Budget		Actual		Actual		I Variance		Variance			Actual
REVENUES												
Charges for services	\$	17,459	\$	17,459	\$	0	\$	10,154				
Total revenues		17,459		17,459		0		10,154				
EXPENDITURES Current Culture and Recreation												
Contract services		19,407		22,899		(3,492)		945				
Materials and supplies		19,405		15,913		3,492		1,611				
Total expenditures		38,812		38,812		0		2,556				
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures		(21,353)		(21,353)		0		7,598				
Fund balances, September 1		21,353		25,327		3,974		17,729				
Fund balances, August 31	\$	0	\$	3,974	\$	3,974	\$	25,327				

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA TALLAPOOSA COMMUNITY PLANNING COMMITTEE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017		2016	
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,436	\$	1,435
Total assets	\$	1,436	\$	1,435
LIABILITIES				
FUND BALANCES Committed for community planning	\$	1,436	\$	1,435
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	1,436	\$	1,435

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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA TALLAPOOSA COMMUNITY PLANNING COMMITTEE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

(With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2017			2	2016
	nal dget	 Actual	Va	riance		Actual
REVENUES Interest	\$ 0	\$ 1	\$	1	\$	0
Total revenues	0	 1_		1_		0
EXPENDITURES	0	 0		0		0
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	0	1		1		0
Fund balances, September 1	0	 1,435		1,435		1,435
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 0	\$ 1,436	\$	1,436	\$	1,435

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA DRUG FORFEITURE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

	20	17	20	016
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents	\$	61	\$	61
Total assets	\$	61	\$	61
LIABILITIES				
FUND BALANCES Restricted for law enforcement	<u>\$</u>	61_	\$	61
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	61	\$	61

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA DRUG FORFEITURE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 (With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2	017			20	16
	nal dget	A	ctual	Var	iance	Ac	tual
REVENUES	\$ 0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0
EXPENDITURES	0		0		0		0
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	0		0		0		0
Fund balances, September 1	0		61		61		61
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 0	\$	61	\$	61	\$	61

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA HOTEL/MOTEL TAX SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2	2016		
ASSETS Taxes receivable	\$	2,082	\$	2,156
Total assets	\$	2,082	\$	2,156
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable Due to other funds	\$	833 1,249	\$	863 1,293
Total liabilities		2,082		2,156
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	2,082	\$	2,156

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA HOTEL/MOTEL TAX SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

(With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2017			2016
	Final Budget	Actual	v	ariance	Actual
REVENUES Taxes	\$ 23,752	\$ 23,832	\$	80_	\$ 24,113
Total revenues	23,752	23,832		80	24,113
EXPENDITURES Current Housing and Development Payments to others	9,501	9,490		11	9,570
Total expenditures	9,501	9,490		11	9,570
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	14,251	14,342		91	14,543
Other financing sources (uses) Transfers in (out) General Fund	 0_	(14,342)		(14,342)	(14,543)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures and				.	
other financing uses	14,251	0		(14,251)	0
Fund balances, September 1	(14,251)	 0		14,251	0
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$	0	\$ 0

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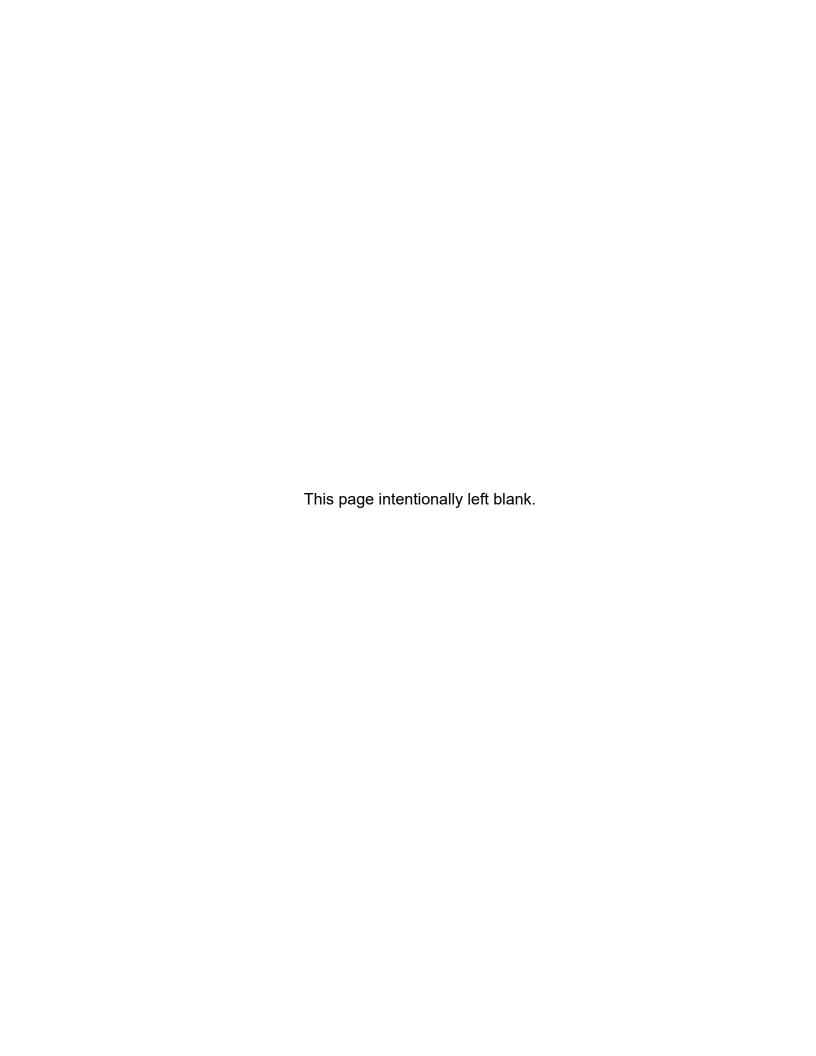
CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACTION GRANT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016		
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Certificates of deposit	\$	105,068 664,929	\$	105,019 664,463		
Total assets	\$	769,997	\$	769,482		
LIABILITIES Advances from other funds	\$	92,805	\$	92,805		
FUND BALANCES Restricted for urban development		677,192		676,677		
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	769,997	\$	769,482		

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA URBAN DEVELOPMENT ACTION GRANT SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017 (With comparative actual amounts for the fiscal year ended August 31, 2016)

		2017			2016
	inal udget	Actual	_ \	/ariance	Actual
REVENUES Interest	\$ 53	\$ 515	\$	462	\$ 520
Total revenues	 53	515		462	 520
EXPENDITURES	 5	 0		5	0
Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources over (under) expenditures and					
other financing uses	48	515		467	520
Fund balances, September 1	(48)	 676,677		676,725	 676,157
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 0	\$ 677,192	\$	677,192	\$ 676,677



CAPITAL PROJECTS FUNDS

Capital Project Funds are used to account for financial resources to be used for the acquisition or construction of specifically planned projects (other than those financed by proprietary funds).

<u>2010 SPLOST</u> - Used to account for long-term projects financed by the passage of the Haralson County, Georgia 2010 special purpose local option sales tax.

<u>2015 SPLOST</u> - Used to account for long-term projects financed by the passage of the Haralson County, Georgia 2015 special purpose local option sales tax.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA 2010 SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

		2016		
ASSETS	•	440.00=	•	•
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	118,835	\$	0
Due from other funds		0		118,835
Total assets	\$	118,835	\$	118,835
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LIABILITIES				
Due to other funds	\$	1,200	\$	1,200
FUND BALANCES				
Restricted for capital outlay		117,635		117,635
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	118,835	\$	118,835

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA 2010 SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	 2016
REVENUES	\$ 0	\$ 0
EXPENDITURES Capital outlay Public Safety	 0	 51,444
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	0	(51,444)
Fund balances, September 1	 117,635	 169,079
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 117,635	\$ 117,635

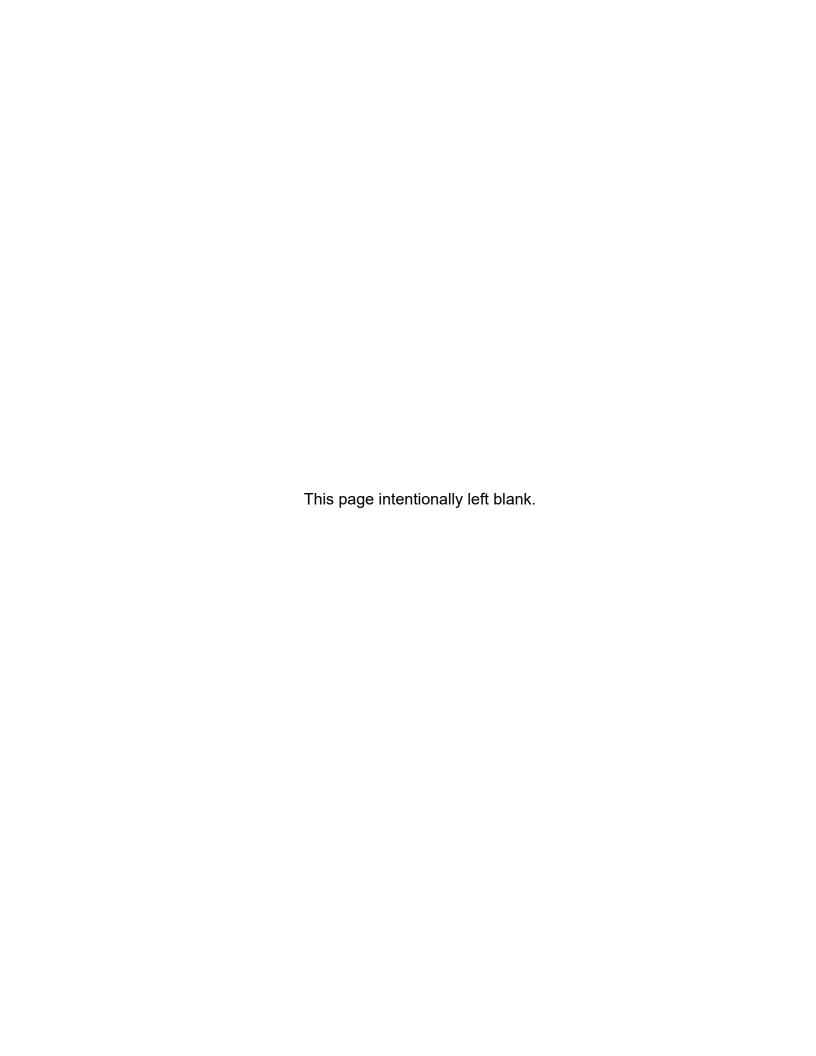
CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA 2015 SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016		
ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Intergovernmental receivables	\$	663,269 82,543	\$	351,446 75,832		
Total assets	\$	745,812	\$	427,278		
LIABILITIES Accounts payable Due to other funds	\$	45,260 408,912	\$	0 205,656		
Total liabilities		454,172		205,656		
FUND BALANCES Restricted for capital outlay		291,640		221,622		
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	745,812	\$	427,278		

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA 2015 SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017		2016
REVENUES		,	_
Intergovernmental	\$ 318,278	\$	309,623
Interest	257		0
Total revenues	318,535		309,623
EXPENDITURES			
Capital outlay			
Public Safety	24,998		0
Culture and Recreation	 0		1,200
Total expenditures	 24,998		1,200
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenditures	293,537		308,423
Other financing sources (uses)			
Transfers in (out) Water and Sewer Fund	(223,519)		(203,276)
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Excess (deficiency) of revenues and other financing sources			
over (under) expenditures and other financing uses	70,018		105,147
Fund balances, September 1	221,622		116,475
Fund balances, August 31	\$ 291,640	\$	221,622



ENTERPRISE FUNDS

Enterprise funds are used to account for operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to private business enterprises. The funds are self-supporting in nature where the costs, including depreciation, of providing goods or services to the general public on a continuing basis are financed or recovered primarily through user charges.

<u>Water and Sewer</u> - Used to account for activities connected with the development, operation and maintenance of water and sewer services in the City of Tallapoosa.

<u>Sanitation</u> - Used to account for activities connected with the collection and disposal of residential, commercial, industrial and institutional solid waste in the City of Tallapoosa.

<u>Gas</u> - Used to account for activities connected with the development, operation and maintenance of natural gas services in the City of Tallapoosa.

Golf - Used to account for the activities connected with operating the Municipal Golf Course in the City of Tallapoosa.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 24,692	\$ 351,390
Accounts receivable (net)	183,666	209,233
Intergovernmental receivable	190,884	213,533
Due from other funds	406,512	203,256
Inventory	5,000	5,000
Prepaid items	15,933	7,304
Total current assets	826,687	989,716
Restricted assets		
Customer deposits		
Cash and cash equivalents	60,990	56,310
Debt redemption		
Cash and cash equivalents	2,698	2,697
Certificates of deposit	1,129,575	1,127,058
Construction fund		
Cash and cash equivalents	12,699	12,660
Total restricted assets	1,205,962	1,198,725
Capital assets		
Nondepreciable	640,650	3,000,108
Depreciable (net)	11,956,304	9,141,396
Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation)	12,596,954	12,141,504
Total assets	14,629,603	14,329,945
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES		
Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date	15,038	16,001
Pension experience differences	2,074	2,816
Pension investment return differences	19,810	26,895
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Total deferred outflows of resources	36,922	45,712
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable	237,951	213,614
Retainage payable	29,785	64,085
Accrued liabilities	1,246	2,083
Due to other funds	0	118,835
Compensated absences	1,739	5,412
Total current liabilities	270,721	404,029
Current liabilities payable from restricted assets		
Customer deposits payable	60,990	56,310
Accrued interest	9,986	9,835
Notes payable	175,610	129,898
Total current liabilities payable from restricted assets	246,586	196,043
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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016	
Noncurrent liabilities			
Net pension liability	\$ 55,496	\$ 116,315	
Notes payable	 5,182,777	 4,870,120	
Total noncurrent liabilities	 5,238,273	 4,986,435	
Total liabilities	 5,755,580	 5,586,507	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension experience differences	30,314	6,526	
Pension investment return differences	18,908	7,652	
Pension assumption changes	 612	 2,080	
Total deferred inflows of resources	 49,834	 16,258	
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	7,060,382	7,030,081	
Restricted for debt service	1,122,287	1,119,920	
Unrestricted	 678,442	 622,891	
Total net position	\$ 8,861,111	\$ 8,772,892	

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	 2017		2016	
OPERATING REVENUES	 			
Charges for sales and services				
Water charges	\$ 755,666	\$	769,372	
Sewer charges	610,416		615,936	
Tap fees	5,250		4,300	
Other	 5,110		35,350	
Total operating revenues	 1,376,442		1,424,958	
OPERATING EXPENSES				
Costs of sales and services	846,413		1,596,882	
Personal services	277,772		293,908	
Depreciation	218,690		174,460	
Total operating expenses	 1,342,875		2,065,250	
Operating income (loss)	 33,567		(640,292)	
Non-operating revenues (expenses)				
Intergovernmental revenue	158,270		406,021	
Interest revenue	2,595		2,771	
Interest expense	 (109,265)		(79,007)	
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)	51,600		329,785	
Net income (loss) before transfers	85,167		(310,507)	
Transfers in (out)				
General Fund	(220,467)		(102,697)	
2015 SPLOST Fund	 223,519		203,276	
Total transfers in (out)	 3,052		100,579	
Change in net position	88,219		(209,928)	
Net position, September 1	 8,772,892		8,982,820	
Net position, August 31	\$ 8,861,111	\$	8,772,892	

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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016		
Cash flows from operating activities:						
Receipts from customers	\$	1,401,579	\$	1,391,901		
Payments to suppliers		(932,661)		(1,536,495)		
Payments to employees		(299,898)		(301,132)		
Other receipts		5,110		35,350		
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		174,130		(410,376)		
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities:						
Payments to other funds		(220,467)		(102,697)		
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities:						
Receipts from other funds		223,519		0		
Payments to other funds		(322,091)		(84,603)		
Receipts from other governments		175,230		373,081		
Payments for acquisitions of capital assets		(557,651)		(172,331)		
Payment of capital related accounts payable		(49,670)		(266,509)		
Proceeds from promissory notes		493,902		553,366		
Principal payments - promissory notes		(129,844)		(124,902)		
Interest paid		(109,114)		(78,896)		
Net cash provided (used) by capital and						
related financing activities		(275,719)		199,206		
Cash flows from investing activities:						
Purchases of certificates of deposit		(2,517)		(2,543)		
Interest received		2,595		2,771		
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		78		228		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		(321,978)		(313,639)		
Cash and cash equivalents, September 1		423,057		736,696		
Cash and cash equivalents, August 31	\$	101,079	\$	423,057		

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017		2016	
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash				
provided (used) by operating activities: Operating income (loss)	\$	33,567	\$	(640,292)
Operating income (loss)	Ψ	33,307	Ψ	(040,292)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash				
provided (used) by operating activities:				
Depreciation expense		218,690		174,460
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		25,567		(1,887)
(Increase) decrease in prepaid items		(8,629)		(2,193)
(Increase) decrease in pension contributions				
subsequent to measurement date		963		6,345
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(76,782)		61,365
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities		(837)		1,215
Increase (decrease) in customer deposits payable		4,680		4,180
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences		(3,673)		858
Increase (decrease) in net pension liability		(60,819)		24,338
Increase (decrease) in pension investment return differences		18,341 [°]		(30,186)
Increase (decrease) in pension assumption changes		(1,468)		(1,393)
Increase (decrease) in pension experience differences		24,530		(7,186)
Total adjustments		140,563		229,916
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	174,130	\$	(410,376)
Cash and cash equivalents reconciliation:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	24,692	\$	351,390
Restricted for:	·	•	•	,
Customer deposits				
Cash and cash equivalents		60,990		56,310
Debt redemption		00,000		00,010
Cash and cash equivalents		2,698		2,697
Construction fund		2,090		2,031
Cash and cash equivalents		12,699		12,660
Cash and cash equivalents	-	12,099	-	12,000
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$	101,079	\$	423,057

Noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:

Acquisition of capital assets through accounts payable totaled \$116,489 and \$59,980 for the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

Increase in notes payable through intergovernmental receivable totaled \$90,719 and \$167,641 for the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GAS ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016	
ASSETS Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents Certificates of deposit	\$ 21,416 258,590	\$ 23,535 258,494	
Accounts receivable (net)	124,579	118,621	
Inventory	28,462	9,344	
Prepaid items	3,859	2,551	
Total current assets	436,906	412,545	
Restricted assets Customer deposits Cash and cash equivalents	6,562	4,430	
Certificates of deposit	39,978	39,740	
Total restricted assets	46,540	44,170	
Capital assets Depreciable (net)	1,360,169	1,364,267	
Total assets	1,843,615	1,820,982	
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date	29,628	30,780	
Pension experience differences	2,805	3,692	
Pension investment return differences	26,793	35,264	
Total deferred outflows of resources	59,226	69,736	
LIABILITIES Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	51,844	59,387	
Accrued liabilities	8,315	4,413	
Compensated absences	19,179	17,665	
Total current liabilities	79,338	81,465	
Current liabilities payable from restricted assets Customer deposits payable	46,540	44,170	
Noncurrent liabilities Net pension liability	120,132	192,846	
Total liabilities	246,010	318,481	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension experience differences	41,776	13,336	
Pension investment return differences	28,290	14,832	
Pension assumption changes	2,496	4,251	
Total deferred inflows of resources	72,562	32,419	
NET POSITION Net investment in capital assets Unrestricted	1,360,169	1,337,706	
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Total net position	\$ 1,584,269	\$ 1,539,818	

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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GAS ENTERPRISE FUND

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016		
OPERATING REVENUES				
Charges for sales and services				
Gas charges	\$ 1,406,083	\$	1,441,323	
Tap fees	250		2,550	
Other	 17,185		21,440	
Total operating revenues	 1,423,518		1,465,313	
OPERATING EXPENSES				
Costs of sales and services	700,910		629,450	
Personal services	358,542		353,737	
Depreciation	 38,327		37,871	
Total operating expenses	 1,097,779		1,021,058	
Operating income (loss)	325,739		444,255	
Non-operating revenues (expenses)				
Interest revenue	 347		402	
Net income (loss) before capital contributions and transfers	326,086		444,657	
Capital contributions	0		54,000	
Net income (loss) before transfers	326,086		498,657	
Transfers in (out)				
General Fund	(281,635)		(344,591)	
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Change in net position	44,451		154,066	
Net position, September 1	1,539,818		1,385,752	
Net position, August 31	\$ 1,584,269	\$	1,539,818	

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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GAS ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016	
Cash flows from operating activities: Receipts from customers Payments to suppliers Payments to employees	\$ 1,402,745 (698,416) (379,089)	\$ 1,435,518 (649,229) (363,474)	
Other receipts	17,185	21,440	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	342,425	444,255	
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities:			
Payments to other funds	(281,635)	(344,591)	
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities: Payments for acquisitions of capital assets Payment of capital related accounts payable	(34,229) (26,561)	(99,663) 0	
Net cash provided (used) by capital and related financing activities	(60,790)	(99,663)	
Cash flows from investing activities: Purchases of certificates of deposit Interest received	(334) 347	(399) 402	
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities	13	3	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	13	4	
Cash and cash equivalents, September 1	27,965	27,961	
Cash and cash equivalents, August 31	\$ 27,978	\$ 27,965	

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GAS ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016	
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash					
provided (used) by operating activities:					
Operating income (loss)	\$	325,739	\$	444,255	
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash					
provided (used) by operating activities:					
Depreciation expense		38,327		37,871	
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		(5,958)		(10,655)	
(Increase) decrease in inventory		(19,118)		769	
(Increase) decrease in prepaid items		(1,308)		(354)	
(Increase) decrease in pension contributions		(, ,		()	
subsequent to measurement date		1,152		8,319	
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		19,018		(21,499)	
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities		3,902		1,305	
Increase (decrease) in customer deposits payable		2,370		2,300	
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences		1,514		860	
Increase (decrease) in net pension liability		(72,714)		31,911	
Increase (decrease) in pension investment return differences		21,929		(39,580)	
Increase (decrease) in pension assumption changes		(1,755)		(1,826)	
Increase (decrease) in pension experience differences		29,327		(9,421)	
Total adjustments		16,686		0	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	342,425	\$	444,255	
Cash and cash equivalents reconciliation:	_		_		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	21,416	\$	23,535	
Restricted for customer deposits					
Cash and cash equivalents		6,562		4,430	
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$	27,978	\$	27,965	

Noncash investing, capital, and financing activities:

Acquisition of capital assets through accounts payable totaled \$0 and \$26,561 for the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

Contributions of capital assets from individuals totaled \$0 and \$54,000 for the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016, respectively.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA SANITATION ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016
ASSETS	 	
Current assets		
Accounts receivable (net)	\$ 25,275	\$ 23,743
Prepaid items	 3,115	 1,817
Total assets	 28,390	 25,560
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable	22,560	 20,513
Total liabilities	 22,560	20,513
NET POSITION		
Unrestricted	 5,830	 5,047
Total net position	\$ 5,830	\$ 5,047

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA SANITATION ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017		 2016	
OPERATING REVENUES Charges for sales and services Sanitation charges	\$	313,351	\$ 296,162	
Total operating revenues		313,351	 296,162	
OPERATING EXPENSES Costs of sales and services Personal services Total operating expenses		262,759 5,915 268,674	 249,809 6,257 256,066	
Operating income (loss)		44,677	40,096	
Transfers in (out) General Fund Change in net position		(43,894) 783	 (39,173) 923	
Net position, September 1		5,047	4,124	
Net position, August 31	\$	5,830	\$ 5,047	

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA SANITATION ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016	
Cash flows from operating activities: Receipts from customers Payments to suppliers Payments to employees	\$	311,819 (262,010) (5,915)	\$	293,632 (248,202) (6,257)	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		43,894		39,173	
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities: Payments to other funds		(43,894)		(39,173)	
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		0		0	
Cash and cash equivalents, September 1		0		0	
Cash and cash equivalents, August 31	\$	0	\$	0	
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided (used) by operating activities: Operating income (loss)	\$	44,677	\$	40,096	
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided (used) by operating activities: (Increase) decrease in accounts receivable (Increase) decrease in prepaid items Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(1,532) (1,298) 2,047 (783)		(2,530) 141 1,466 (923)	
Total adjustments		7	_	, ,	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	43,894	\$	39,173	

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GOLF ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF NET POSITION August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017	2016		
ASSETS				
Current assets	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 200	\$ 200		
Accounts receivable (net)	7,518	6,932		
Intergovernmental receivables Prepaid items	318,898 3,859	223,689 2,551		
Frepaid items		2,001		
Total current assets	330,475	233,372		
Capital assets				
Nondepreciable	142,816	142,816		
Depreciable (net)	124,445	147,688		
Total capital assets (net of accumulated depreciation)	267,261	290,504		
Total assets	597,736	523,876		
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Pension contributions subsequent to measurement date	10,047	10,462		
Pension experience differences	1,308	1,628		
Pension investment return differences	12,498	15,551		
Total deferred outflows of resources	23,853	27,641		
LIABILITIES				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	14,155	7,438		
Accrued interest	270	0		
Accrued liabilities	3,577	3,231		
Compensated absences	2,634	2,817		
Capital lease payable	31,383	30,397		
Total current liabilities	52,019	43,883		
Noncurrent liabilities				
Net pension liability	46,029	72,235		
Capital lease payable	61,868	89,249		
Total noncurrent liabilities	107,897	161,484		
Total liabilities	159,916	205,367		
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Pension experience differences	14,612	4,363		
Pension investment return differences	9,867	5,017		
Pension assumption changes	759	1,391		
Total deferred inflows of resources	25,238	10,771		
NET POSITION				
Net investment in capital assets	174,010	170,858		
Unrestricted	262,425	164,521		
Total net position	\$ 436,435	\$ 335,379		

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GOLF ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

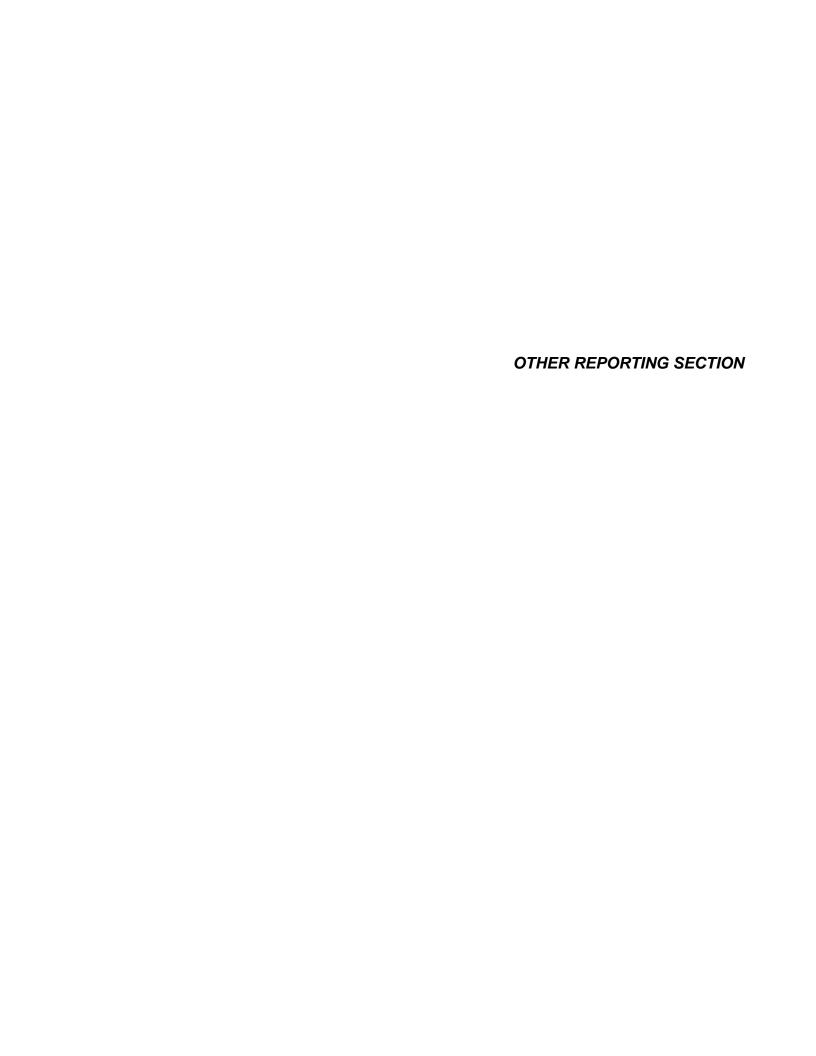
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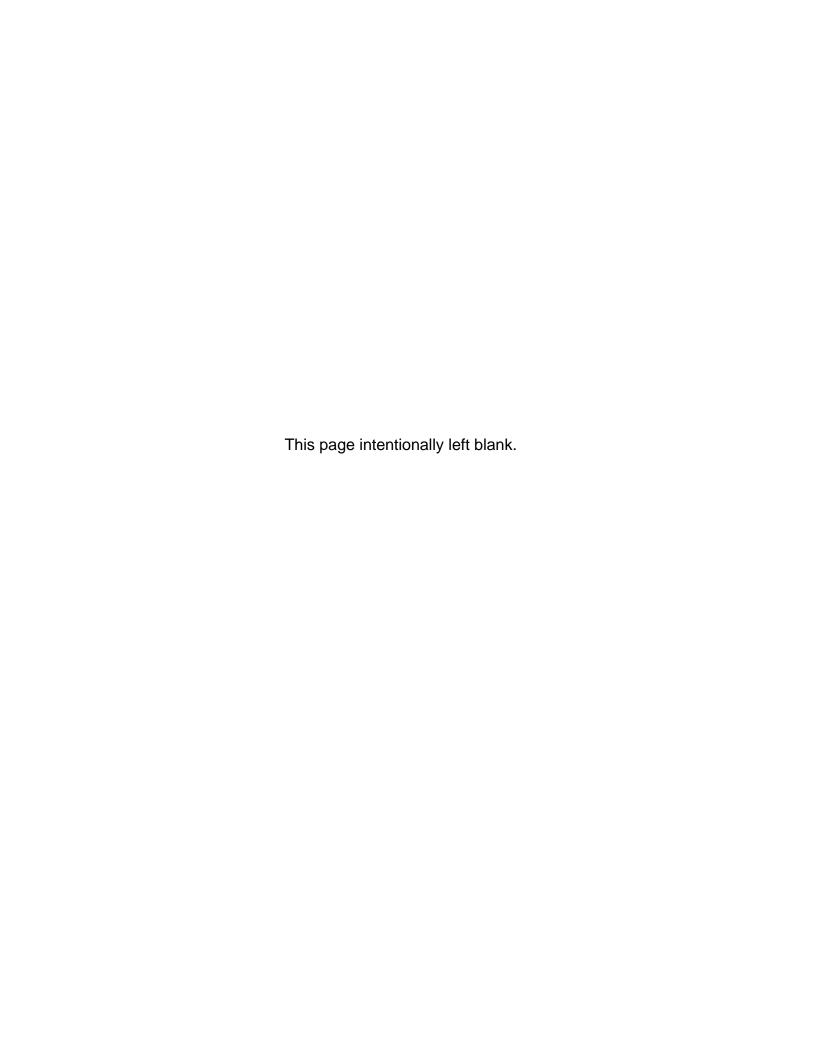
	2017			2016			
OPERATING REVENUES							
Charges for sales and services	Φ.	205.072	Φ	000 400			
Golf charges Other	\$	305,073 12,900	\$	286,163 10,935			
Ottlei		12,900		10,935			
Total operating revenues		317,973		297,098			
OPERATING EXPENSES							
Costs of sales and services		200,743		195,516			
Personal services		166,948		207,019			
Depreciation		33,243		35,613			
Total operating expenses		400,934		438,148			
Operating income (loss)		(82,961)		(141,050)			
Non-operating revenues (expenses)							
Interest expense		(3,788)		(973)			
Net income (loss) before transfers		(86,749)		(142,023)			
Transfers in (out)							
General Fund		187,805		220,271			
Change in net position		101,056		78,248			
Net position, September 1		335,379		257,131			
Net position, August 31	\$	436,435	\$	335,379			

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA GOLF ENTERPRISE FUND

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS For the fiscal years ended August 31, 2017 and 2016

	2017			2016		
Cash flows from operating activities:	•	000 070	•	000 040		
Receipts from customers	\$	209,278	\$	228,812		
Payments to suppliers		(194,988) (175,082)		(200,092)		
Payments to employees Other receipts		12,900		(211,838) 10,935		
Other receipts		12,900		10,933		
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		(147,892)		(172,183)		
Cash flows from non-capital financing activities:						
Receipts from other funds		187,805		220,271		
Cook flows from conital and related financing activities.						
Cash flows from capital and related financing activities: Payments for acquisitions of capital assets		(10,000)		(137,601)		
Proceeds from capital leases		(10,000)		127,626		
Principal payments - capital lease payable		(26,395)		(37,140)		
Interest paid		(3,518)		(973)		
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Net cash provided (used) by capital						
and related financing activities		(39,913)		(48,088)		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents		0		0		
Cash and cash equivalents, September 1		200		200		
Cash and cash equivalents, August 31	\$	200	\$	200		
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash						
provided (used) by operating activities:						
Operating income (loss)	\$	(82,961)	\$	(141,050)		
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Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash						
provided (used) by operating activities:		00.040		0=010		
Depreciation expense		33,243		35,613		
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		(586)		(343)		
(Increase) decrease in intergovernmental receivables		(95,209) (1,308)		(57,008)		
(Increase) decrease in prepaid items (Increase) decrease in pension contributions		(1,306)		(354)		
subsequent to measurement date		415		3,669		
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		6,717		(4,897)		
Increase (decrease) in accrued liabilities		346		675		
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences		(183)		(146)		
Increase (decrease) in net pension liability		(26,206)		14,072		
Increase (decrease) in pension investment return differences		7,903		(17,454)		
Increase (decrease) in pension assumption changes		(632)		(805)		
Increase (decrease) in pension experience differences		10,569		(4,155)		
Total adjustments		(64,931)		(31,133)		
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	(147,892)	\$	(172,183)		
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Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed In Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council City of Tallapoosa, 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, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia, as of and for the year ended August 31, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated February 22, 2018.

Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the 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 of Tallapoosa, Georgia's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia'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 over financial reporting that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies, and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were identified. However, as described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs, we identified deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses and significant deficiencies.

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

2017-001

Condition: The City does not currently have the means to prepare the City's financial statements and related notes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Though it is not unusual for governments of this size to rely on the auditor to assist with the preparation of the financial statements, the inability of the staff to prepare the complete financial statements, including the required note disclosures, without the auditor's assistance, indicates a material weakness over the year-end reporting process.

2017-001, continued

Criteria: Internal controls should be in place to ensure the City can perform timely and accurate yearend close procedures to enable reporting in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.

Effect: Failure to properly design and implement internal controls over year-end close may lead to financial statements that are materially misstated and may result in delays in the City's reporting process.

Recommendation: We recommend that the City continue its efforts to provide the specialized training and experience necessary for the Finance Director to perform these duties and also continue to implement and/or strengthen controls over the year-end closeout procedures.

Management Response: Management concurs with this finding. The City has not yet had time to provide the specialized training and experience necessary for the Finance Director to perform these duties. The City will continue its efforts to provide this training and continue to implement and/or strengthen controls over the year-end closeout procedures. This action was implemented immediately upon receipt of the comment from our auditors.

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 following deficiency in the City's internal control to be a significant deficiency:

2017-002

Condition: The size of the City's accounting and administrative staff precludes certain internal controls that would be preferred if the office staff were large enough to provide optimum segregation of duties. As a result, there is not appropriate segregation of duties between recording, distribution, and reconciliation of cash accounts and other operational functions in certain departments and component units of the City.

Criteria: Segregation of duties is a key internal control whereby the authorization, custody, record keeping, and reconciling duties are separated among several persons.

Effect: Failure to properly segregate the duties exposes the City to a greater risk of loss due to fraud.

Recommendation: Segregation of duties should be implemented to the extent practical and accounting records should be reviewed by responsible officials on a regular basis.

Management Response: Management concurs with this finding. The size of the City's accounting and administrative staff precludes certain internal controls that would be preferred if the staff were large enough to provide optimum segregation of duties. City management will work to continually improve and implement as many procedures as possible to improve internal controls in this area. This action was taken immediately upon receipt of the comment from our auditors.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed an instance of noncompliance or other matters that is required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which is described below.

2017-003

Condition: The City experienced a material excess of expenditures over appropriations in the General Fund.

Criteria: OCGA Code Section 36-81-3 requires local governments to operate under an approved annual budget for the General Fund, special revenue funds, and debt service funds.

Effect: Failure to maintain expenditures within the balanced budget for the General Fund as required by OCGA Code Section 36-81-3 places the City in violation of state law.

Recommendation: City management should review the budget to actual comparisons and recommend any necessary budget revisions to the Mayor and City Council.

Management Response: Management concurs with this finding. City management will review the budget to actual comparisons and recommend any necessary budget revisions to the Mayor and City Council. This action was implemented immediately upon receipt of the comment from our auditors.

City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's Responses to Findings

The City of Tallapoosa, Georgia's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described above. The City of Tallapoosa, Georgia'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.

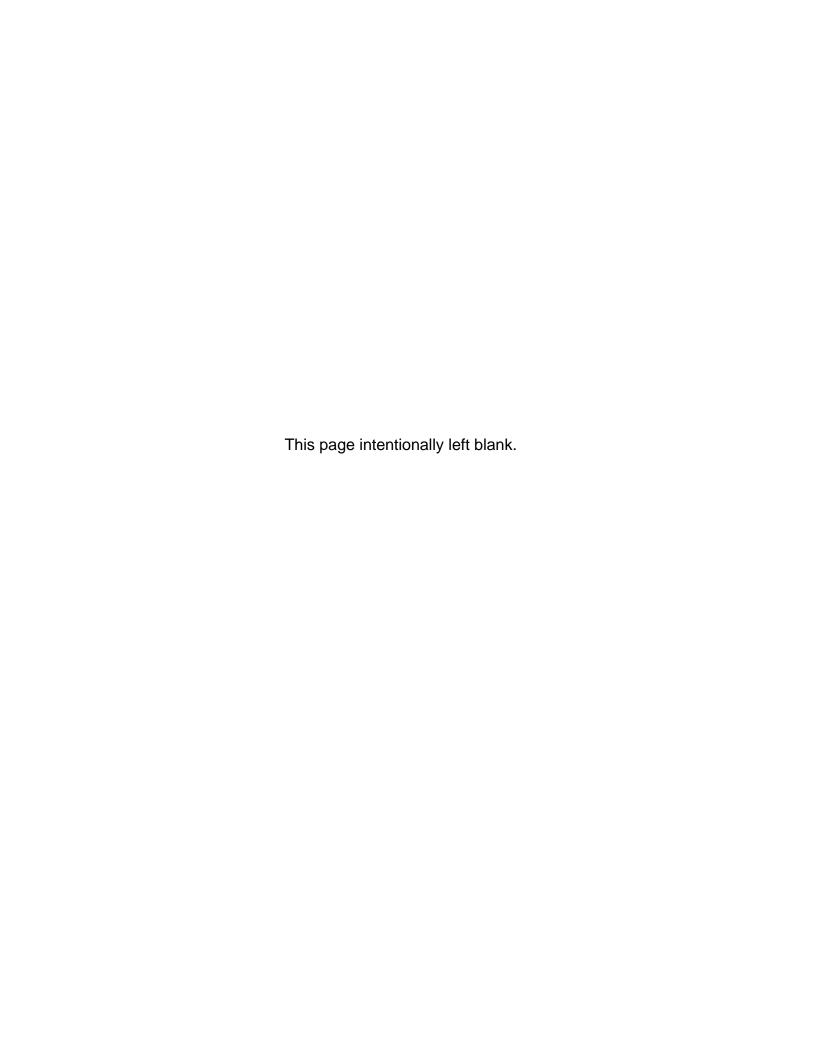
Purpose of this Report

This report is intended 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 of Tallapoosa, Georgia's internal control over 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.

Certified Public Accountants

Rushton & Company, LLC

Gainesville, Georgia February 22, 2018



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CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA SCHEDULE OF PROJECTS FINANCED WITH SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

							Exp	enditures		
	Estimated Cost *			Prior		Current				
Project	Original		Current		Years			Year	Total	
2010 Referendum										
Old high school - Art Center	\$	250,000	\$	250,000	\$	193,332	\$	0	\$	193,332
Street paving, storm drainage,										
signs and sidewalks		100,000		100,000		19,004		0		19,004
Cemetery - paving, clean-up										
and new lay-out		40,000		40,000		0		0		0
Fire department		200,000		200,000		0		0		0
Recreation complex		250,000		250,000		316,702		0		316,702
Library - match (grant to expand)		65,000		65,000		0		0		0
Senior property - bank										
renovation and paving		40,000		40,000		0		0		0
Police department		260,000		260,000		142,284		0		142,284
Water and sewer debt		780,000		780,000		1,183,899		0		1,183,899
Administrative buildings - Police/										
City Hall area		425,000		425,000		12,330		0		12,330
Recreation equipment		100,000		100,000		4,203		0		4,203
Data processing		80,000		80,000		9,699		0		9,699
Public works - vehicles		100,000		100,000		70,016		0		70,016
Equipment purchase PW (backhoe)		75,000		75,000		4,977		0		4,977
Utility expenses - water, gas										
and sewer		150,000		150,000		63,573		0		63,573
Grant match - TEA, ARC, CDBG		150,000		150,000		44,861		0		44,861
Municipal building repairs		40,000		40,000		31,252		0		31,252
Helton-Howland Park and										
drain pipes for lake		20,000		20,000		0		0		0
Economic projects		100,000		100,000		0		0		0
Capital outlay projects		100,000		100,000		2,972		0		2,972
Acquisition of property		100,000		100,000		0		0		0
Scientific and planning studies		50,000		50,000		19,410		0		19,410
Total	\$	3,475,000	\$	3,475,000	\$	2,118,514	\$	0	\$	2,118,514

^{*} Estimated cost represents the portion of these projects to be financed with Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax. Actual costs that are in excess of these amounts have been financed through alternative funds.

CITY OF TALLAPOOSA, GEORGIA SCHEDULE OF PROJECTS FINANCED WITH SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX

For the fiscal year ended August 31, 2017

					Expenditures						
	Estimated Cost *				Prior		Current				
Project	Project Original Current		Current	Years		Year		Total			
2015 Referendum											
Water and sewer debt	\$	850,000	\$	850,000	\$	226,916	\$	203,256	\$	430,172	
Police vehicles		150,000		150,000		0		24,998		24,998	
Public works - vehicles		165,000		165,000		0		20,263		20,263	
Old high school renovation		150,000		150,000		0		0		0	
Public street improvements		110,000		110,000		0		0		0	
Recreation complex		75,000		75,000		2,400		0		2,400	
Museum and Senior property		40,000		40,000		0		0		0	
Grant match - TEA, ARC, CDBG		75,000		75,000		0		0		0	
Municipal building repairs											
and expansion		135,000		135,000		0		0		0	
Recreation equipment								0		0	
and repairs		25,000		25,000		0		0		0	
Utility expansion		115,000		115,000		0					
Data processing		30,000		30,000		0		0		0	
Economic projects		67,000		67,000		0		0		0	
New cemetary		40,000		40,000		0		0		0	
Lake		10,000		10,000		0		0		0	
Total	\$	2,037,000	\$ 2	2,037,000	\$	229,316	\$	248,517	\$	477,833	

^{*} Estimated cost represents the portion of these projects to be financed with Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax. Actual costs that are in excess of these amounts have been financed through alternative funds.

