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WOOD COUNTY COMMISSION

Regular Audit For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017 RFP #17-194 Wood County

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WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA COUNTY OFFICIALS For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

OFFICE	NAME	TERM
	Elective	
County Commission:	Stephen Gainer	01-01-11 / 12-31-16
	David Blair Couch	01-01-13 / 12-31-18
	Robert K. Tebay	01-01-15 / 12-31-20
	James E. Colombo	01-01-17 / 12-31-22
Clerk of the County Commission:	Mark Rhodes	01-01-17 / 12-31-22
Clerk of the		
Circuit Court:	Carole Jones	01-01-17 / 12-31-22
Sheriff:	K.D. Merritt	01-01-13 / 12-31-16
	Steve Stephens	01-01-17 / 12-31-20
Prosecuting Attorney:	Jason Wharton	01-01-13 / 12-31-16
	Patrick Lefebure	01-01-17 / 12-31-20
Assessor:	Rich Shaffer	01-01-13 / 12-31-16
	David C. Nohe	01-01-17 / 12-31-20

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA SCHEDULE OF FUNDS INCLUDED IN REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES

MAJOR FUNDS

General Coal Severance Tax Building Commission Debt Service Fire Service Fee

NONMAJOR FUNDS

Special Revenue Funds Dog and Kennel General School Magistrate Court Worthless Check **Emergency Communication 911** Home Confinement Small Cities Block Grant Local Law Enforcement Grant Assessor's Valuation Concealed Weapons **Community Criminal Justice** State Special Law Enforcement DOJ Federal Drug Forfeiture Teen Drug Court Drug Court

> Capital Project Funds Special Building Capital Reserve

FIDUCIARY FUND TYPE

Agency Funds State School Municipal Other Agency

DISCRETELY PRESENTED COMPONENT UNITS

Wood County Development Authority Wood County Parks and Recreation Commission

BLENDED COMPONENT UNITS

Wood County Building Commission

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINA

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

July 6, 2018

Wood County Commission 1 Court Square / PO Box 1474 Parkersburg, WV 26102

To the Commissioners:

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of **Wood County**, West Virginia (the County), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for preparing and fairly presenting these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes designing, implementing, and maintaining internal control relevant to preparing and fairly presenting financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to opine on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the financial statements of the Wood County Parks and Recreation Commission and the Wood County Development Authority, which represent 100 percent of the assets, net position, and revenues of the discretely presented component units. Those statements were audited by other auditors whose report has been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Wood County Parks and Recreation Commission and the Wood County Development Authority, is based solely on the report of other auditors. We audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the financial audit standards in the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*. Those standards require us to plan and perform the audit to reasonably assure the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit requires obtaining evidence about financial statement amounts and disclosures. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including assessing the risks of material financial statement misstatement, whether due to fraud or error. In assessing those risks, we consider internal control relevant to the County's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not to the extent needed to opine on the effectiveness of the County's internal control.

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Auditor's Responsibility (continued)

Accordingly, we express no opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of management's accounting policies and the reasonableness of their significant accounting estimates, as well as our evaluation of the overall financial statement presentation.

We believe the audit evidence we obtained is sufficient and appropriate to support our audit opinions.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Wood County, West Virginia, as of June 30, 2017, and the respective changes in financial position thereof and the respective budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and Coal Severance Tax 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

Management has omitted the management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) 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. Our opinion on the basic financial statements is not affected by this missing information.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require this presentation to include schedules of net pension liabilities and pension contributions listed in the table of contents, to supplement the basic financial statements. Although this information is not part of the basic financial statements, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board considers it essential for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, consisting of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, to the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not opine or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to opine or provide any other assurance.

Other Matters

Supplementary and Other Information

Our audit was conducted to opine on the County's basic financial statements taken as a whole.

The budgetary comparison for the Assessor's Valuation Fund and the introductory section are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not required parts of the basic financial statements.

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The budgetary comparison for the Assessor's Valuation Fund 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 schedules are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

The introductory section listed in the table of contents has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements, and accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on it.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 6, 2018, on our consideration of the County's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulation, 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 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 County's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Perry and Associates Certified Public Accountants, A.C. *Marietta, Ohio*

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION June 30, 2017

		Primary Government	Component Units				
		Governmental <u>Activities</u>		Development <u>Authority</u>		Parks and Recreation	
ASSETS							
Current assets:							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,300,546	\$	154,709	\$	257,540	
Receivables:							
Taxes		624,518					
Accounts						31,971	
Due from:						220 120	
Treatment Plant		4.025.064		154 700	-	<u>326,130</u> 615,641	
Total current assets	_	4,925,064		154,709	-	015,041	
Restricted assets:							
Restricted cash		179,518		226,929			
Capital assets:							
Nondepreciable:							
Land		2,047,511		325,374		606,089	
Depreciable:		0.000.004					
Buildings		6,889,291 9,263,490					
Structures and improvements Cold Water Creek property		9,203,490		26,491,522			
Cold Water Creek expansion				19,500,000			
Machinery and equipment		7,999,993		1,680,000		529,157	
Capitalized facilities						11,246,529	
Vehicles						101,113	
Less: accumulated depreciation		(12,855,457)		(16,881,330)		(10,550,533)	
Total noncurrent assets		13,524,346		31,342,495	-	1,932,355	
Total assets		18,449,410		31,497,204	-	2,547,996	
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS							
Pension contributions by employer						14,889	
Changes in proportion and differences between							
employer contributions and proportionate share							
contributions		22,001					
Employer contributions subsequent to		0.47.04.4					
measurement period		947,214					
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan		1,597,092					
Differences between expected and actual		1,007,002					
experience		415,983					
Total deferred outflows of resources		2,982,290				14,889	
Total deletted outliows Of Tesources	_	2,302,230			-	14,000	
LIABILITIES							
Current liabilities payable from current assets:						07.076	
Accounts payable		246,363		419,380		27,273	
Payroll payable		 170 E00		 2,843,329		10,116	
Accrued interest payable OPEB payable		172,509 19,383,284		2,043,329			
Or LD payable		19,000,204					

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION June 30, 2017

	Primary Government	Componer	nt Units
	Governmental <u>Activities</u>	Development Authority	Parks and Recreation
Due to:			
Mountwood Park		~ -	326,130
Current liabilities payable from restricted assets:		4 4 4 0 0 0 7	00 700
Notes payable Customer deposits		4,440,327	92,729 500
Unearned revenues:			500
Income			29,640
Noncurrent liabilities:			
Bonds payable - due within one year	285,000		
Bonds payable - due in more than one year	4,681,103		~ ~
Notes payable - due in more than one year		1,927,383	92,729
Compensated absences payable	361,774		11,322
Net pension liability	5,272,778		11,322
Total liabilities	30,402,811	9,630,419	590,439
DEFERRED INFLOWS Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension investments			20,195
Difference in assumptions	203,527		20,100
Changes in proportion and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share	203,527		
of contributions	154,835		
Total deferred inflows of resources	358,362		20,195
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	8,378,725	7,427,856	1,782,384
Restricted for:			
Debt service	179,518		
Community development projects		(3,035,780)	205 254
Unrestricted	(17,887,716)	154,709	205,354
Total net position	\$\$	4,546,785 \$	1,987,738

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

		For tr	te Fiscal Year Ende	d June 30, 2017			
		D	rogram Revenues			Expense) Revenues and langes in Net Position	
					5 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 10 - 1	-	
	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Primary Government Governmental Activities	Componer Development <u>Authority</u>	Parks and Recreation
Functions / Programs Primary government: Governmental activities: General government Public safety Health and sanitation Culture and recreation Social services	\$ 9,523,192 \$ 11,323,610 173,899 1,565,741 36,451	696,741 \$ 3,864,209 75,745 	24,381 \$ 672,001 	126,755 \$ 16,578 	<pre>\$ (8,675,315) (6,770,822) (173,899) (1,489,996) (36,451)</pre>		
Capital projects Debt service Interest on long-term debt	512,023 6,585 353,096	210,922		 	(301,101) (6,585) (353,096)		
Total primary government	\$\$	4,847,617 \$	696,382 \$	143,333	(17,807,265)		
Component units: Development Authority Parks and Recreation	2,571,607 722,952	197,663 504,467	70,000		\$	5 (2,303,944) \$ 	 (76,164)
Total component units	\$3,294,559_\$	702,130 \$	212,321 \$			(2,303,944)	(76,164)
	General revenues: Ad valorem propert Alcoholic beverage Hotel occupancy ta Gas and oil several Other taxes Coal severance tax Licenses and perm Unrestricted investm Refunds Reimbursement Liquidation proceed Miscellaneous Total general revent	s tax x nce tax ts nent earnings			14,094,699 12,000 542,262 59,326 1,464,173 93,348 139,663 16,035 401,332 - 419,938 17,242,776	 137 175,909 	
	Change in net posi	tion			(564,489)	(2,127,898)	(50,043)
	- ·					6,674,683	2,037,781
	Net position - beginnin	g			(8,764,984)	0,074,003	2,001,101

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS June 30, 2017

	General	Coal Severance <u>Tax</u>	Building Commission Debt Service	Fire Service <u>Fee</u>	Other Nonmajor Governmental <u>Funds</u>	Total Governmental <u>Funds</u>
ASSETS AND DEFERRED OUTFLOWS						
Assets: Current:						
	\$ 1,861,082	\$ 124,133 \$; \$	527,161	1,788,170	\$ 4,300,546
Receivables:	φ 1,001,002	φ 121,100 φ	, ,	027,101 4	1,700,170	• .,••••,• .•
Taxes	624,518					624,518
Restricted cash			179,518			179,518
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$2,485,600	\$ 124,133 \$	5 <u>179,518</u> \$	527,161	<u> </u>	\$5,104,582
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS AND FUND E	BALANCES					
Accounts payable	246,363					246,363
Other accrued expenses			172,509			172,509
OPEB payable	19,383,284					19,383,284
Total liabilities	19,629,647		172,509			19,802,156
Deferred Inflows:						
Unavailable revenue - taxes	557,393					557,393
Total deferred inflows of resources	557,393					557,393
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	20,187,040		172,509			20,359,549
Fund balances:						
Restricted			7,009	527,161	1,788,170	2,322,340
Committed	982,543					982,543
Assigned		124,133				124,133
Unassigned	(18,683,983)					(18,683,983)
Total fund balances	(17,701,440)	124,133	7,009	527,161	1,788,170	(15,254,967)
Total liabilities, deferred inflows and fund balances	\$	\$ 124,133 \$	179,518 \$	527,161 \$	1,788,170	\$5,104,582

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION June 30, 2017

Total fund balances on the governmental fund's balance sheet	\$ (15,254,967)
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:	
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and are therefore not reported in the funds. (Note III.C.)	13,344,828
Certain revenues are not available to fund current year expenditures and therefore are deferred in the funds. (Note III.B.)	557,393
Deferred inflows and outflows related to pension activity are not required to be reported in the funds but are required to be reported at the government-wide level (Note V):	
Deferred outflow (inflow) - Changes in employer portion and differences between contributions and proportionate share of pension expense.	(132,834)
Deferred outflow - Employer contributions to pension plan after measurement date.	947,214
Deferred outflow (inflow) - Differences between projected and actual investment earnings.	1,597,092
Deferred outflow (inflow) - Differences between expected and actual experience.	415,983
Deferred outflow (inflow) - Differences in assumptions.	(203,527)
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported in the funds. (Note III.F.)	<u>(10,600,655)</u>
Net position of governmental activities	\$ <u>(9,329,473)</u>

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES -GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

REVENUES Taxes: Ad valorem property taxes \$ 14,085,104 \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ Ad valorem property taxes \$ 14,085,104 \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ Alcoholic beverages tax 12,000 \$ Hotel occupancy tax 542,262 Gas and oil severance tax 59,326 Other taxes 448,008 816,106	\$ 14,085,104 12,000 542,262 59,326 1,264,114 93,348 139,663 301,056 510,541 28,118
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	93,348 139,663 301,056 510,541
Coal severance tax 93,348	139,663 301,056 510,541
Licenses and permits 61,743 77,920	301,056 510,541
Intergovernmental:	510,541
Federal 284,478 16,578	510,541
State 510,541	
Local 28,118	28,118
Charges for services 608,237 853,583 3,023,989	4,485,809
Fines and forfeits 147,112 214,696	361,808
Interest and investment earnings 9,405 277 15 6,338	16,035
Refunds 224,036 177,296	401,332
Payments in lieu of taxes 200,059	200,059
Miscellaneous 386,776 33,162	419,938
Total revenues 17,607,205 93,625 15 853,583 4,366,085	22,920,513
EXPENDITURES	
Current:	
General government 9,278,481 167,096	9,445,577
Public safety 10,113,065 326,422 794,413	11,233,900
Health and sanitation 173,899	173,899
Culture and recreation 1,534,859	1,534,859
Social services 36,451	36,451
Capital outlay 9,141 106,088 5,790	121,019
Debt service:	
Principal 275,000	275,000
Interest 353,096	353,096
Total expenditures 21,145,896 106,088 628,096 326,422 967,299	23,173,801
Excess (deficiency) of revenues	(050.000)
over expenditures (3,538,691) (12,463) (628,081) 527,161 3,398,786	(253,288)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)	
Transfers in 3,076,842 635,086 49,500 175,117	3,936,545
Transfers (out) (224,523) (49,500) (3,662,522)	(3,936,545)
Total other financing	
Total other financing	
sources (uses) 2,852,319 635,086 (3,487,405)	
Net change in fund balances (686,372) (12,463) 7,005 527,161 (88,619)	(253,288)
Fund balances - beginning (17,015,068) 136,596 4 1,876,789	(15,001,679)
Fund balances - ending \$ (17,701,440) \$ 124,133 \$ 7,009 \$ 527,161 \$ 1,788,170	\$ (15,254,967)

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because: Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds \$ (253, 288)Capital outlays are reported as an expenditure in the governmental funds but are considered an asset at the government-wide level. This is the amount of capital assets that were purchased during the fiscal year. (Note III.C.) 347,087 Capital outlays are reported as an expenditure in the governmental funds. In the statement of activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. This is the amount of depreciation expense charged during the year. (Note III.C.). (1, 120, 121)Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds. This is the difference between prior and current year unavailable/unearned revenues. 9,595 Prior year unavailable/unearned revenues: \$547,798 Current year unavailable/unearned revenues: \$557,393 The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds, leases) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the statement of activities. This amount is the net effect of these differences in the treatment of long-term debt and related items. (Note III.F.) 268,415 Certain pension expenses in the statement of activities are recognized on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with GASB 68. (Note V) Amount of pension expenditures at fund level PERS 947,211 PERS: \$754.836 DSRS: \$192.375 Amount of pension expenses recognized at government-wide level PERS (790, 525)PERS: (\$676,164) DSRS: (\$114,361) Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. 27,137 (Note III.F.) Change in net position of governmental activities (564.489)

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

		Budgete	ed A	Amounts		Actual Modified		Adjustments Budget	,	Actual Amounts Budget	Fina	ance with al Budget ositive
		Original		Final		Accrual Basis				Basis		egative)
REVENUES		ongina		<u></u>				2			<u> </u>	
Taxes:												
Ad valorem property taxes	\$	13,422,061	\$	13,422,061	\$	14,085,104	\$	47,372	\$	14,132,476	;	710,415
Alcoholic beverages tax		12,000		12,000		12,000				12,000		
Hotel occupancy tax		581,342		581,342		542,262				542,262		(39,080)
Gas and oil severance tax		70,000		70,000		59,326				59,326		(10,674)
Other taxes		400,000		400,000		448,008				448,008		48,008
Licenses and permits		63,700		63,700		61,743				61,743		(1,957)
Intergovernmental:												
Federal		500,000		500,000		284,478		121,850		406,328		(93,672)
State		500,000		500,000		510,541		47,030		557,571		57,571
Local						28,118				28,118		28,118
Charges for services		677,299		677,299		608,237				608,237		(69,062)
Fines and forfeits		13,000		13,000		147,112				147,112		134,112
Interest and investment earnings		176,000		176,000		9,405		(4,652)		4,753	((171,247)
Refunds		150,000		150,000		224,036		37,861		261,897		111,897
Payments in lieu of taxes		200,000		200,000		200,059				200,059		59
Miscellaneous		300,000		300,000		386,776				386,776		86,776
			-				-					
Total revenues		17,065,402		17,065,402		17,607,205	-	249,461		17,856,666		791,264
EXPENDITURES												
Current:												
General government		9,820,606		10,673,289		9,278,481		1,250,023		10,528,504		144,785
Public safety		9,438,760		9,444,362		10,113,065		(141,469)		9,971,596		(527,234)
Health and sanitation		178,250		178,250		173,899		(141,400)		173,899		4,351
Culture and recreation		1,528,633		1,555,207		1,534,859				1,534,859		20,348
Social services		37,500		37,500		36,451				36,451		1,049
Capital outlay		100,000		100,000		9,141				9,141		90,859
ouplui outuy		100,000	-	100,000		0,111	-					00,000
Total expenditures		21,103,749	-	21,988,608		21,145,896	-	1,108,554		22,254,450		(265,842)
Excess (deficiency) of revenues												
over expenditures		(4,038,347)		(4,923,206)		(3,538,691)		(859,093)		(4,397,784)		525,422
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OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USE	S)											
Transfers in	,	3,228,347		3,978,347		3,076,842		1,212,139		4,288,981		310,634
Transfers (out)						(224,523)		175,023		(49,500)		(49,500)
Proceeds from the sale of assets		10,000		10,000		(22 1,020)				(.0,000)		(10,000)
		10,000			• •		-			··· ··		(, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Total other financing												
sources (uses)		3,238,347		3,988,347		2,852,319		1,387,162		4,239,481		251,134
			-		• •		-					
Net change in fund balance		(800,000)		(934,859)		(686,372)		528,069		(158,303)		776,556
Fund balance - beginning		800,000		934,859		(17,015,068)		17,949,928		934,860		1
r and balance - beginning		000,000	-	504,005	• •	(17,010,000)	-	11,010,020	-			
Fund balance - ending	\$		\$		\$	(17,701,440)	\$	18,477,997	\$_	776,557 \$		776,557

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL - COAL SEVERANCE TAX FUND For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

	_	Budgete	ed A	mounts	Actual Amounts			Variance with Final Budget
REVENUES		Original		Final		Budget <u>Basis</u>		Positive (Negative)
Taxes:								
Coal severance tax	\$	75,000	\$	75,000	\$,	\$	18,348
Interest and investment earnings	-	50		50		277	-	227
Total revenues	-	75,050		75,050		93,625	-	18,575
EXPENDITURES Current:								
Capital outlay	_	222,050		211,646		106,088		105,558
Total expenditures	_	222,050		211,646		106,088	-	105,558
Net change in fund balance		(147,000)		(136,596)		(12,463)		124,133
Fund balance - beginning	-	147,000		136,596		136,596	-	
Fund balance - ending	\$_		\$		\$	124,133	\$	124,133

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION FIDUCIARY FUNDS June 30, 2017

		Agency <u>Funds</u>
ASSETS		
Non-pooled cash	\$	1,568,133
Receivables:		
Taxes	-	2,418,954
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$_	3,987,087
LIABILITIES		
Due to: other governments	-	3,987,087
Total liabilities and deferred inflows of resources	\$_	3,987,087

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of Wood County, West Virginia (the government), conform to generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies:

A. Reporting Entity

Wood County is one of fifty-five counties established under the Constitution and the Laws of the State of West Virginia. There are six offices elected county-wide, which are: County Commission, County Clerk, Circuit Clerk, Assessor, Sheriff, and Prosecuting Attorney.

The County Commission is the legislative body for the government, and as such budgets and provides all the funding used by the separate Constitutional Offices except for the offices of the Assessor and the Sheriff, which also have additional revenue sources. The County Clerk's office maintains the accounting system for the County's operations. The operations of the County as a whole, however, including all the Constitutional offices have been combined in these financial statements.

The services provided by the government and accounted for within these financial statements include law enforcement for unincorporated areas of the County, health and social services, cultural and recreational programs, and other governmental services.

The accompanying financial statements present the government and its component units as required by generally accepted accounting principles. In determining whether to include a governmental department, agency, commission or organization as a component unit, the government must evaluate each entity as to whether they are legally separate and financially accountable based on the criteria set forth by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Legal separateness is evaluated on the basis of: (1) its corporate name, (2) the right to sue and be sued, and (3) the right to buy, sell or lease and mortgage property. Financial accountability is based on: (1) the appointment of the governing authority and (2) the ability to impose will or (3) the providing of specific financial benefit or imposition of specific financial burden. Another factor to consider in this evaluation is whether an entity is fiscally dependent on the County.

Blended Component Unit

The entity below is legally separate from the County and meets GASB criteria for component units. This entity is blended with the primary government because it provides services entirely or almost entirely to the County.

The Wood County Building Commission serves Wood County, West Virginia, and is governed by a board comprised of 3 members appointed by the County Commission for a term of 5 years each. The Building Commission acquires property and debt on behalf of the County.

Discretely Presented Component Units

Discretely presented component units are entities which are legally separate from the County, but are financially accountable to the County, or whose relationship with the County is such that exclusion would cause the County's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. Because of the nature of services they provide and the County's ability to impose its will on them or a financial benefit/burden relationship exists, the following component units are discretely presented in accordance with GASB Statement No. 14 (as amended by GASB Statement 39 and GASB Statement 61). The discretely presented component units are presented on the government-wide statements.

The Wood County Development Authority serves Wood County, West Virginia, and is governed by a board comprised of not more than 31 nor less than 22 members appointed by the County Commission for a term of 3 years each. The Wood County Development Authority was created to promote, develop and advance the business prosperity and economic welfare of the county.

The Wood County Board of Parks and Recreation Commission serves all citizens of Wood County by providing recreation services and is governed by an eleven-member board appointed by the County Commission. The County provides financial support to the Board on an annual basis.

Complete financial statements for each of the individual component units can be obtained at the entity's administrative offices.

Jointly Governed Organizations

The County, in conjunction with Wirt County, Roane County, Ritchie County, Calhoun County, and Pleasants County, has created the Mid-Ohio Valley Board of Health. The board is composed of 12 members with 2 members appointed by the Wood County Commission and 10 members from the other counties. The County appropriated \$80,000 for an operating grant for the Mid-Ohio Valley Board of Health for the fiscal year.

The County, in conjunction with Washington County, Ohio, and Roane County, West Virginia, has created the Mid-Ohio Valley Regional Airport Authority. The authority is composed of 8 members with 4 members appointed by the Wood County Commission and 4 members from the other counties. The County appropriated \$50,000 for an operating grant for the Mid-Ohio Valley Regional Airport Authority for the fiscal year.

Related Organizations

The County's officials are also responsible for appointing the members of boards of other organizations, but the County's accountability for these organizations does not extend beyond making the appointments. The County Commission appoints board members to the following organizations:

Name of Organization

Mid-Ohio Valley Workforce Investment Authority Mid-Ohio Valley Regional Council Wood County Community Corrections WVU Extension Service Committee Wood County Commission on Crime, Delinquency, & Correction Fort Boreman Historical Park Commission Parkersburg/Wood County Public Library Northeastern Area Agency on Aging Parkersburg/Wood County Convention & Visitors' Bureau Wood-Washington-Wirt Interstate Planning Commission

Name of Organization West Virginia Little Kanawha River Parkway Wood County Community Resources Veterans Park Advisory Board Downtown Task Force E-911 Communications Advisory Board Mid-Ohio Valley Regional Airport Committee Wood County Recreation Commission Wood County Solid Waste Authority Wood County Planning Commission

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of changes in net position) report information on all of the nonfiduciary activities of the primary government and its component units. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from these statements. Governmental activities, which normally are supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support. Likewise, the primary government is reported separately from certain legally separate component units for which the primary government is financially accountable.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. 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, and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues. Interest on general long-term debt liabilities is considered an indirect expense and is reported in the Statement of Activities as a separate line.

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. Major individual governmental funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. Combining financial statements for the nonmajor governmental funds are included as supplementary information.

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

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues 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 and collectible. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered 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 collectible within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

Property taxes, franchise taxes, interest and special assessments are susceptible to accrual. Other receipts and taxes become measurable and available when cash is received by the government and are recognized as revenue at that time.

Entitlements and shared revenues are recorded at the time of receipt or earlier if the susceptible to accrual criteria are met. Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other grant requirements have been met.

The government reports the following major governmental funds:

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

The *Coal Severance Tax fund*, a special revenue fund, accounts for revenues and expenditures from a severance tax placed on coal that is distributed to West Virginia counties. The State Auditor's Office requires an annual budget be submitted for approval for this fund.

The *Building Commission Debt Service fund*, a debt service fund, accounts for the activity associated with the issuance of bonds for the Wood County Justice Center.

The *Fire Service Fee fund*, a special revenue fund, accounts for the revenues and expenditures associated with the fire fee enacted by the Wood County Commission.

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

The agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not present results of operations or have a measurement focus. Agency funds are accounted for using the full accrual basis of accounting. These funds are used to account for assets that Wood County, West Virginia holds for others in an agency capacity.

As a general rule the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Amounts reported as program revenues include: 1) charges to customers or applicants for goods, services, or privileges provided, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all taxes.

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

D. Assets, Deferred Outflows, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows, and Net Position

1. Deposits and Investments

Wood County, West Virginia's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of less than three months from the date of acquisition.

2. Receivables and Payables

Property Tax Receivable

The property tax receivable allowance is equal to 20 percent of the property taxes outstanding at June 30, 2017.

All current taxes assessed on real and personal property may be paid in two installments; the first installment is payable on September first of the year for which the assessment is made, and becomes delinquent on October first; the second installment is payable on the first day the following March and becomes delinquent on April first. Taxes paid on or before the date when they are payable, including both first and second installments, are subject to a discount of two and one-half percent. If the taxes are not paid on or before the date in which they become delinquent, including both first and second installments, interest at the rate of nine percent per annum is added from the date they become delinquent until the date they are paid. Taxes paid on or before the due date are allowed a two and one half percent discount. A tax lien is issued for all unpaid real estate taxes as of the date of the sheriff's sale and these liens are sold between October 14th and November 23rd of each year. Sixty days of estimated property tax collections are recorded in revenues at the end of each fiscal year.

All counties within the state are authorized to levy taxes not in excess of the following maximum levies per \$100 of assessed valuation: On Class I property, fourteen and three-tenths cents (14.30 cents); On Class II property, twenty-eight and six-tenths cents (28.60 cents); On Class III property, fifty-seven and two-tenths cents (57.20 cents); On Class IV property, fifty-seven and two-tenths cents (57.20 cents). In addition, counties may provide for an election to lay an excess levy; the rates not to exceed statutory limitations, provided at least sixty percent of the voters cast ballots in favor of the excess levy.

The rates levied by the County per \$100 of assessed valuation for each class of property for the fiscal year ended June 30 were as follows:

	Assessed		
Class of	Valuation For	Current	
Property	Tax Purposes	Expense	Excess Levy
Class I	\$	13.14 cents	.54 cents
Class II	1,801,023,416	26.28 cents	1.08 cents
Class III	822,747,307	52.56 cents	2.16 cents
Class IV	800,541,759	52.56 cents	2.16 cents

Wood County, West Virginia held a special election on November 6, 2012. The County was authorized to lay an excess levy to provide approximately \$454,700 annually during the five fiscal years ended June 30, 2014 through June 30, 2018, for the purpose or purposes for which additional funds are needed for the Parkersburg & Wood County Public Library to: build and operate a larger South Parkersburg Library to replace the 1,200 square foot building that has been in use since 1972; move the entrance of the Emerson Library from Emerson Avenue to the side parking lot for increased accessibility for seniors, children, and the disabled; add weekend hours at Williamstown and South Parkersburg Libraries; reinstate cut hours for Waverly and Bookmobile; increase sharing of materials with Vienna library and Wood County Schools; increase staff dedicated to children's services; and contribute to the general operation of the Library.

3. Inventories and Prepaid Items

There are no material inventories maintained; therefore they do not appear on the financial statements.

4. Restricted Assets

Certain assets of the Building Commission Debt Service Fund are classified as restricted assets because their use is restricted by a bond agreement.

5. Capital Assets and Depreciation

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets, are reported in the applicable governmental activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of \$5,000 or more and estimated to have a useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the assets or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized.

The government depreciates the capital assets using the straight-line method. Capital assets depreciation and capitalization policies are defined by the government as follows:

	Straight-line	Inventory	Capitalize/
Asset	Years	Purposes	<u>Depreciate</u>
Land	not applicable	\$ 1	\$ Capitalize only
Land improvement	20 to 30 years	1	25,000.00
Building	40 years	1	50,000.00
Building improveme	nts 20 to 25 years	1	50,000.00
Construction in			
progress	not applicable	1	Capitalize only
Equipment	5 to 10 years	1,000	5,000.00
Vehicles	5 to 10 years	1,000	5,000.00
Infrastructure	40 to 50 years	50,000	250,000.00

6. Compensated Absences

It is the government's policy to permit employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation and sick pay benefits. All vacation pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide financial statements in accordance with GASB Statement No. 16, Accounting for Compensated Absences.

7. Long-term Obligations

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

In the fund financial statements, governmental fund types recognize bond premiums and discounts, as well as bond issuance costs, during the current period. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Premiums received on debt issuances are reported as other financing sources while discounts on debt issuances are reported as other financing uses. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as expenditures.

8. 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.

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.

9. Fund Balances

In the governmental fund financial statements, fund balance is reported in five classifications.

Nonspendable fund balance Inventories and prepaid amounts represent fund balance amounts that are not in spendable form.

- Restricted The restricted category is the portion of fund balance that is externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors or laws or regulations. It also is imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.
- Committed The committed category is the portion of fund balance whose use is constrained by limitations have been approved by an order (the highest level of formal action) of the County Commission, and that remain binding unless removed in the same manner. The approval does not automatically lapse at the end of the fiscal year.
- Assigned The assigned category is the portion of fund balance that has been approved by formal action of the County Commission for any amounts that are constrained by the government's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.
- Unassigned The unassigned category is the portion of fund balance that has not been reported in any other classification. Only the general fund can report a positive amount of unassigned fund balance. However, any governmental fund in a deficit position could report a negative amount of unassigned fund balance.

The County Commission is the government's highest level of decision-making authority. The Commission would take formal action to establish, and modify or rescind, a fund balance commitment or to assign fund balance amounts to a specific purpose. The government has adopted a revenue spending policy that provides guidance for programs with multiple revenue sources. For purposes of fund balance classification, expenditures are to be spent from restricted fund balance first, followed in order by committed fund balance, assigned fund balance and lastly unassigned fund balance. The government has the authority to deviate from this policy if it is in the best interest of the County.

10. Stabilization Arrangements

The government has created a stabilization arrangement in accordance with West Virginia Code § 7-21-3. The government may appropriate a sum to the arrangement from any surplus in the general fund at the end of each fiscal year or from other money available. The amount of money committed to the arrangement may not exceed thirty percent of the government's most recent general fund budget. The money may be used for whatever the Commission chooses. The stabilization balance at fiscal year-end was \$976,992.

11. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability and deferred outflows/inflows of the resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of Wood County's Public Employee Retirement System (PERS) and Deputy Sheriffs' Retirement System (DSRS) and additions to/deductions from the Plans' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the PERS and DSRS. 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.

II. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. Budgetary Information

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for the General Fund and the Coal Severance Tax Special Revenue Fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

Wood County, West Virginia prepares its budget on the cash less payables basis of accounting except that the budget for the General County fund includes General County cash but not money reserved for the Financial Stabilization fund. Therefore, a reconciliation has been performed on the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance - Budget and Actual for the General Fund.

Prior to March 2nd of each year, the various elected officials submit to the County Commission proposed requests for their respective offices for the fiscal year commencing July 1. Upon review and approval of these requests, the County Commission prepares proposed budgets on forms prescribed by the State Auditor and submits them to the State Auditor by March 28 for approval. The County Commission then reconvenes on the third Tuesday in April to hear objections from the public and to formally lay the levy.

The appropriated budget is prepared by fund, function and department. Transfers of appropriations between departments and revenue related revisions to the budget require approval from the governing council and then submission to the State Auditor for approval. Revisions become effective when approved by the State Auditor and budgeted amounts in the financial statements reflect only such approved amounts. The governing body made the following material supplementary budgetary appropriations throughout the year.

	General Fund	a C	Coal Severance	
Description	<u>Amount</u>		<u>Amount</u>	
General government expenditure increase	\$ 852,683	\$		
Public safety expenditure increase	5,602		~ =	
Culture and recreation expenditure increase	26,574			
Capital projects expenditure increase			(10,404)	

B. Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations

For the year ended June 30, 2017, expenditures exceeded appropriations in the General Fund by \$265,842. This over expenditure was funded by available fund balance.

C. Deficit Fund Equity

The General Fund had a deficit fund balance of (\$17,701,440) as of June 30, 2017. The deficit was caused by the OPEB liability.

III. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

A. Deposits and Investments

At year-end, the government had no investments.

Custodial Credit Risk

For deposits, the government could be exposed to risk in the event of a bank failure where the government's deposits may not be returned. The government's policy for custodial credit risk is to comply with statutory provisions for depository bond coverage, which provides that no public money should be deposited until the banking institution designated executes a bond with good and sufficient sureties which may not be less than the maximum sum that is deposited in the depository at any one time.

At year end, the government's bank balances were \$6,048,197. The bank balance was collateralized by federal depository insurance or with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the government's name.

A reconciliation of cash and investments as shown on the Statement of Net Position of the primary government and Statement of Net Position of the Fiduciary Funds is as follows:

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,300,546
Cash and cash equivalents-restricted	 1,747,651
Total	\$ 6,048,197

B. Receivables

Receivables at year end for the government's individual major and aggregate nonmajor funds, and aggregate fiduciary funds, including applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

	_	General	Fiduciary
Receivables: Taxes	\$	780,648 \$	3,023,693
Less: Allowance for Uncollectible	_	(156,130)	(604,739)
Net Total Receivables	\$ =	624,518 \$	2,418,954

Governmental funds report unavailable/unearned revenue in connection with receivables for revenue that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities of the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received, but not yet earned. At the end of the current fiscal year, the various components of unavailable revenue and unearned revenue reported in the governmental funds were as follows:

	-	Deferred Inflows - Unavailable
Delinquent property taxes receivable (General Fund)	\$_	557,393
Total unavailable/unearned revenue for governmental funds	\$	557,393

C. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017 was as follows:

	Primary Government				
	Beginning	-		Ending	
	Balance	Increases	Decreases	Balance	
Governmental activities:					
Capital assets, not being depreciated:					
Land \$	2,047,511 \$	\$	\$	2,047,511	
Construction in progress					
Total capital assets not being depreciated	2,047,511			2,047,511	
Capital assets being depreciated:					
Buildings and improvements	6,823,318	65,973		6,889,291	
Structures and improvements	9,193,995	69,495		9,263,490	
Machinery and equipment	7,788,374	211,619		7,999,993	
Less: Total accumulated depreciation	(11,735,336)	(1,120,121)		(12,855,457)	
Total capital assets being depreciated, net	12,070,351	(773,034)		11,297,317	
Governmental activities capital assets, ne \$	\$	(773,034) \$	\$	13,344,828	

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

Governmental activities:	
General government	\$ 209,019
Public safety	246,986
Culture and recreation	31,556
Capital outlay	632,560
Total depreciation expense-governmental activities	\$1,120,121

D. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances as of the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017 is as follows:

Interfund Transfers:

Transferred from:	Transferred to:	Purpose		<u>Amount</u>
General County	Assessor's Valuation	supply reimbursement	\$	23
General County	Special Building	bond payments		175,000
General County	Fire Service Fee	loan		49,500
General School	General County	correct deposit		270,839
Magistrate Court	General County	rent		56,434
E-911	General County	payroll reimbursement		1,857,529
Home Confinement	General County	payroll reimbursement		79,119
Small City Block Grant	General County	close fund		535
Local Law Enforcement	General County	close fund		12,608
Fire Service Fee	General County	repay loan		49,500
Assessor's Valuation	General County	payroll reimbursement		734,647
Concealed Weapons	General County	payroll reimbursement		15,631
Home Confinement	Community Criminal Justice	correct deposit		94
Special Building	Building Commission Debt Service	bond payments	_	635,086
Total			\$	3,936,545

E. Fund Balance Detail

At year-end, the detail of the government's fund balances is as follows:

	General Fund	Coal Severance Fund	Building Commission Debt Service	Fire Service Fee
Restricted:				
Public safety	\$ \$	\$	\$	527,161
Debt service			7,009	
Committed:				
Culture and recreation	5,551			
Financial stabilization	976,992			
Assigned:				
Budget carryover		124,133		
Unassigned	(18,683,983)			
Total fund balances	\$ (17,701,440) \$	124,133 \$	7,009 \$	527,161

	Non-major	
	Funds	Total
Restricted:		
General government	\$ 220,135	\$ 220,135
Public safety	927,096	1,454,257
Capital projects	640,939	640,939
Debt service		7,009
Committed:		
Culture and recreation		5,551
Financial stabilization		976,992
Assigned:		
Budget carryover		124,133
Unassigned		(18,683,983)
Total fund balances	\$ 1,788,170	\$ (15,254,967)

F. Long-term Debt

Revenue Bonds

The county issues bonds where the government pledges income derived from acquired or constructed assets to pay debt service. Revenue bonds currently outstanding are as follows:

Governmental Activities							
Purpose	Maturity Date	Interest Rate	s	Issued		Retired	Balance June 30, 2017
Justice Center 2010 A	1/1/2021	5.875%		2,635,000		1,435,000	1,200,000
	1/1/2026	6.750%		1,745,000			1,745,000
	1/1/2029	7.375%		1,215,000			1,215,000
	1/1/2031	7.500%	\$	895,000	\$_		\$ 895,000
Total			\$	6,490,000	\$_	1,435,000	\$ 5,055,000

Wood County Building Commission Taxable Lease Revenue Bonds, Series 2010 A (Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds)

On December 22, 2010, the Wood County Building Commission, a blended component unit of Wood County, West Virginia, issued \$6,490,000 of Wood County Building Commission Taxable Lease Revenue Bonds, Series 2010 A (Recovery Zone Economic Development Bonds), bearing interest at 5.875% to be adjusted on January 1 in the years 2021, 2026, 2029, and 2031. The proceeds of these bonds provided financing for a Justice Center in Wood County and appurtenant facilities to house various public officials and county offices for the County Commission of Wood County, West Virginia. The bonds are secured by the Justice Center and an irrevocable pledge of lease payments which are required to be in sufficient amount to pay principal and interest on the bonds when due. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bond is \$7,961,770.

Lease revenue bond debt service requirements to maturity are as follows:

		Governmental Activities		
Year Ending June 30,		Principal	Interest	
2018	\$	285,000 \$	345,019	
2019	φ	295,000 \$	328,275	
2020		305,000	310,944	
2021		315,000	293,025	
2022		325,000	274,519	
2023 - 2027		1,810,000	1,027,669	
2028 - 2032		1,720,000	327,319	
Total	\$	5,055,000 \$	2,906,770	

Pledged Revenues - Lease Revenue Bonds

The Wood County Building Commission, a blended component unit of Wood County, West Virginia, has pledged future lease rentals to be paid by the Wood County Commission to repay \$6,490,000 in lease revenue bonds issued in 2010. Proceeds from the bonds provided financing for a Justice Center and appurtenant facilities to house various public officials and county offices for the County Commission of Wood County, West Virginia, . The bonds are payable solely from lease revenues paid by the County Commission through 2031. Annual principal and interest payments on the bonds are expected to require 100 percent of net revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds outstanding is \$7,961,770. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$636,175 and \$635,086, respectively.

Changes in Long-term Liabilities

		Governmental Activities							
	-	Beginning Balance		Additions		Reductions	Ending Balance	_	Due Within One Year
Lease revenue bonds payable	\$	5,330,000	\$		\$	(275,000) \$	5,055,000	\$	285,000
Less: unamortized bond discount	-	(95,482)				6,585	(88,897)	_	
Total bonds payable		5,234,518				(268,415)	4,966,103		285,000
Net pension obligation Compensated absences	-	3,256,715 388,911		2,016,063		(27,137)	5,272,778 361,774	_	
Governmental activities Long-term liabilities	\$	8,880,144	\$	2,016,063	\$	(295,552) \$	<u>10,600,655</u>	\$ _	285,000

G. Restricted Assets

The balances of the restricted asset accounts for the primary government are as follows:

	Governmental Activities
Revenue bond debt service accounts	\$ 179,518
Total restricted assets	\$ 179,518

V. OTHER INFORMATION

A. Risk Management

The government is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters for which the government carries insurance with West Virginia Counties Risk Pool for umbrella (general liability) insurance for these various risks.

Workers' Compensation Fund (WCF): Private insurance companies could begin to offer workers compensation coverage to government employers beginning July 1, 2010. The WCF risk pool retains the risk related to the compensation of injured employees under the program. Wood County's workers' compensation coverage is currently being provided by WV Corp.

Liabilities are reported when it is probable a loss has occurred and the amount of the loss can be reasonably estimated.

B. Related Party Transaction

The Mid-Ohio Valley Day Report Center (Day Report Center), an operation of the Wood County Commission, is actively doing business with the West Virginia Drug Testing Laboratories, Inc. (Drug Lab), a nonprofit corporation. The Drug Lab performs drug testing for various departments of the Wood County Commission, and the County provides labor and other services to the Drug Lab. One of the County Commissioners serves on the board and is an officer for the Drug Lab.

C. Contingent Liabilities

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, principally the federal government. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds.

The amount, if any, of expenditures which may be disallowed by the grantor cannot be determined at this time although the government expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

The government is a defendant in various lawsuits. Although the outcome of these lawsuits is not presently determinable, it is the opinion of the government's counsel that resolution of these matters will not have a material effect on the financial condition of the government.

D. Deferred Compensation Plan

The government offers its employees a deferred compensation plan created in accordance with Internal Revenue Code Section 457. The plan, available to all full-time government employees at their option, permits participants to defer a portion of their salary until future years. The deferred compensation is not available to participants until termination, retirement, death or unforeseeable emergency.

All amounts of compensation deferred under the plan, all property and rights purchased with those amounts, and all income attributable to those amounts, property or rights are held for the exclusive benefit of the participants and their beneficiaries.

V. EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS AND PLANS

General Information about the Pension Plans

Wood County, West Virginia participates in state-wide, cost-sharing, multiple-employer defined benefit plans on behalf of county employees. The system is administered by agencies of the State of West Virginia and funded by contributions from participants, employers, and state appropriations, as necessary.

All of the County's cost-sharing multiple-employer plans are administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board (CPRB), which acts as a common investment and administrative agent for all of the participating employers. CPRB issues publicly available reports that include a full description of the pension plans regarding benefit provisions, assumptions and membership information that can be found on the CPRB website at www.wvretirement.com. The following is a summary of eligibility factors, contribution methods, and benefit provisions:

Public Employees Retirement System

Eligibility to participate	All county full-time employees, except those covered by other pension plans
Authority establishing contribution obligations and benefit provisions	West Virginia State Code §5-10d discusses the Consolidated Public Retirement Board, which administers all public retirement plans in the state of West Virginia.
Plan member's contribution rate hired before 7/1/2015	4.50%
County's contribution rate hired before 7/1/2015	12.00%
Plan member's contribution rate hired after 7/1/2015	6.00%
County's contribution rate hired after 7/1/2015	12.00%
Period required to vest	Five Years for Tier 1 Members and ten years for Tier 2 Members

Benefits and eligibility for distribution	A member who has attained age 60 and has earned 5 years or more of contributing service or age 55 if the sum of his/her age plus years of credited service is equal to or greater than 80. The final average salary (three highest consecutive years in the last 15) times the years of service times 2% equals the annual retirement benefit.
Deferred retirement portion	Νο
Provisions for: Cost of living Death benefits	No Yes
<u>West Virginia De</u>	puty Sheriff Retirement System (WVDRS)
Eligibility to participate	West Virginia deputy sheriffs first employed after the effective date and any deputy sheriffs hired prior to the effective date who elect to become members.
Authority establishing contribution obligations and benefit provisions	West Virginia State Code §5-10d discusses the Consolidated Public Retirement Board, which administers all public retirement plans in the state of West Virginia. The WVDRS is also discussed in West Virginia State Code §7-14d.
Funding policy and contributions	Certain fees for reports generated by sheriff's offices are paid to this plan in accordance with West Virginia State Code. WVDRS members are required to contribute 8.5% of their annual covered salary and the county is required to contribute 12.0%. The contribution requirements of WVDRS members are established and may be amended only by the State of West Virginia Legislature.
Period required to vest	Five years
Benefits and eligibility for distribution	A member who has attained age 60 and has earned 5 or more years of contributing service or age 50 and if the sum of his/her age plus years of credited service is equal to or greater than 70. The final average salary (three highest consecutive years in the last ten years) times the years of service times 2.25% equals the annual retirement benefit.
Deferred retirement option	No deferred retirement option is available.
Provisions for cost of living adjustments or death benefits	This plan has no provisions for cost of living adjustments. There are provisions for death benefits.

Trend Information

	Public Employees Retirement System (PERS)		West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement <u>System (WVDRS)</u>			
Fiscal Year	Aı _	nnual Pension Cost	Percentage Contributed	An —	nual Pension Cost	Percentage Contributed
2017	\$	1,048,839	100%	\$	329,443	100%
2016	\$	1,130,763	100%	\$	344,444	100%
2015	\$	1,147,507	100%	\$	342,234	100%

PERS and WVDRS issue a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. That information may be obtained by writing to the Public Employees' Retirement System, 4101 MacCorkle Avenue, SE, Charleston, WV 25304.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

At fiscal year-end, the government reported the following liabilities for its proportionate share of the net pension liabilities. The net pension liabilities were measured as of June 30, 2016, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liabilities was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The government's proportion of the net pension liabilities was based on a projection of the government's long-term share of contributions to the pension plans relative to the projected contributions of all participating governments, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2016, the government's reported the following proportions and increase/decreases from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2015:

	PERS	WVDRS
Amount for proportionate share of net pension liability	\$4,177,623	\$ 499,049
Percentage for proportionate share of net pension liability	0.454525%	3.407408%
Increase/decrease % from prior proportion measured	-0.00276%	-0.01637%

For the year, the government recognized the following pension expenses.

	PERS	WVDRS		
Pension expense	\$ 676,164	\$ 114,361		

The government reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

Public Employees Retirement System		
	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Changes in proportion and differences between government contributions and proportionate share of contributions Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan	\$ 22,001	\$ (38,047)
investments	1,312,764	
Difference between expected and actual	348,380	
Deferred difference in assumptions		(203,527)
Government contributions subsequent to the		
measurement date	754,839	
	2,437,984	(241,574)

The amount reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from government contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2018. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30:

2018	\$ 214,012
2019	228,248
2020	594,879
2021	404,432
2022	
Thereafter	
Total	\$

West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement System

	of Resources	of Resources	
Changes in proportion and differences between government contributions and proportionate share of contributions	\$	\$ (116,789)	
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	204.220		
Difference between expected and actual	284,328		
experience Government contributions subsequent to the	67,827		
measurement date	192,375		
	544,530	(116,789)	

Deferred Outflows

Deferred Inflows

The amount reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from government contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2018. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended June 30:

2018	\$ 19,294
2019	19,397
2020	115,301
2021	75,258
2022	(511)
Thereafter	 6,627
Total	\$ 235,366

Summary of Deferred Outflow/Inflow Balances

	Total	PERS	DSRS
Difference between expected and actual experience	\$415,983	\$348,380	\$67,603
Changes of assumptions Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments	(\$203,527)	(203,527)	
Changes in proportion and differences between government contributions and proportionate share of contributions	\$1,597,092	1,312,764	284,328
Government contributions subsequent to the measurement date	(\$132,834)	(16,046)	(116,788)
measurement date	\$947,214	754,839	192,375

Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2015 for all plans, using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement.

Public Employees Retirement System

Actuarial assumptions	
Inflation rate	3.00%
Salary increases	4.25% - 6.0%
Investment Rate of Retur 7.50%	

Mortality Healthy males - 1983 GAM Healthy females - 1971 GAM Disabled males - 1971 GAM Disabled females - Revenue ruling 96-7

The actuarial assumptions used in the valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2009 to June 30, 2014.
WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement System

Actuarial assumptions	
Inflation rate	3.00%
Salary increases	5.0% for first 2 years of service
	4.5% for next 3 years of service
	4.0% for the next 5 years of service, and
	3.5% thereafter
Investment Rate of	
Return	7.50%

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2000 Non-annuitant mortality table, scale BB; Retired and disabled RP2000 healthy annuitant mortality table, scale BB.

The actuarial assumptions used in the July 1, 2014 DSRS valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2007 to June 30, 2011.

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

Lo	ng-term Expected	PERS	DSRS
	Real Rate	Target Asset	Target Asset
Investment	of Return	Allocation	Allocation
US Equity	7.0%	27.5%	27.5%
International Equity	7.7%	27.5%	27.5%
Core Fixed Income	2.7%	7.5%	15.0%
High Yield Fixed Income	5.5%	7.5%	0.0%
Real Estate	5.6%	10.0%	10.0%
Private Equity	9.4%	10.0%	10.0%
Hedge Funds	4.7%	10.0%	10.0%
Cash	1.5%	0.0%	0.0%
		100.0%	100.0%

Discount rate. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.5 percent for all defined benefit plans. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rates assumed that employer contributions will continue to follow the current funding policies. Based on those assumptions, the fiduciary net position for each defined benefit pension plan was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments were applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liabilities of each plan.

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

The following chart presents the sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate, calculated using the discount rates as used in the actuarial evaluation, and what the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage point higher than the current rate:

		1% Decrease 6.50%	Current Discount Rate 7.50%	9	1% Increase <u>8.5</u> 0%
Government's proportionate share of PERS's net pension liability	\$	7.562.164 \$	4.177.623	\$	1,303,264
Government's proportionate share of WVDSRS's net	Ţ	, , · - · · · · · ·	.,	•	, ,
pension liability	\$	2,038,652 \$	449,049	\$	296,581

Pension plans' fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the pension plans' fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued financial report available at the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's website at www.wvretirement.com. That information can also be obtained by writing to the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board, 4101 MacCorkle Avenue SE, Charleston, WV 25304.

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA SCHEDULES OF THE GOVERNMENT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

Public Employees Retirement System Last 4 Fiscal Years*

	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Government's proportion of the net pension liability (asset) (percentage)	0.454525	0.457289 #	0.451495	0.460639
Government's proportionate share of the net pension liability				
(asset) \$	4,177,623 \$	2,553,520 \$	1,666,311 \$	4,199,324
Government's covered-employee payroll \$	6,263,319 \$	6,201,479 \$	6,046,000 \$	6,165,336
Government's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	66.70%	41.18%	27.56%	68.11%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	86.11%	91.29%	93.98%	84.58%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, governments should present information for those years for which information is available.

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA SCHEDULES OF THE GOVERNMENT'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement System Last 4 Fiscal Years*

	<u>2016</u>	2015	2014	2013
Government's proportion of the net pension liability (asset) (percentage)	3.407408	3.423774	3.628861	3.997116
Government's proportionate share of the net pension liability				
(asset)	\$ 1,084,782 \$	702,285 \$	618,757 \$	1,339,194
Government's covered-employee payroll	\$ 1,680,217 \$	1,631,656 \$	1,681,037 \$	1,751,167
Government's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	64.56%	43.04%	36.81%	76.47%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	84.48%	89.31%	90.52%	80.20%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, governments should present information for those years for which information is available.

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA SCHEDULE OF GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTIONS For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

Public Employees Retirement System Last 10 Fiscal Years

	<u>2017</u>	2016	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	2013	2012	2011	<u>2010</u>	2009	2008
Contractually required contribution	\$ 754,839	\$ 845,548 \$	868,207 \$	876,670 \$	863,147 \$	891,301 \$	752,174 \$	647,777 \$	594,859 \$	572,380
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(754,839)	(845,548)	(868,207)	(876,670)	(863,147)	(891,301)	(752,174)	(647,777)	(594,859)	(572,380)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$	\$\$	\$	<u> </u>	\$	<u> </u>	\$	\$_	\$	
Government's covered-employee payroll	\$ 6,290,325	\$ 6,263,319 \$	6,201,479 \$	6,046,000 \$	6,165,336 \$	6,146,905 \$	6,017,388 \$	5,888,884 \$	5,665,327 \$	5,451,233
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	12.00%	13.50%	14.00%	14.50%	14.00%	14.50%	12.50%	11.00%	10.50%	10.50%

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA SCHEDULE OF GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTIONS For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement System Last 10 Fiscal Years

		<u>2017</u>	2016	2015	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>	2009	2008
Contractually required contribution	\$	192,375 \$	201,626 \$	203,957 \$	218,535 \$	227,652 \$	229,840 \$	188,051 \$	182,009 \$	177,617 \$	173,834
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	_	(192,375)	(201,626)	(203,957)	(218,535)	(227,652)	(229,840)	(188,051)	(182,009)	(177,617)	(173,834)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$	\$	<u> </u>	\$_	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	\$	\$	\$	<u></u> \$	
Government's covered-employee payroll	\$	1,603,125 \$	1,680,217 \$	1,631,656 \$	1,681,037 \$	1,751,167 \$	1,768,000 \$	1,790,958 \$	1,733,416 \$	1,691,595 \$	1,655,558
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		12.00%	12.00%	12.50%	13.00%	13.00%	13.00%	10.50%	10.50%	10.50%	10.50%

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE -ASSESSOR'S VALUATION FUND For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2017

		Budgeted A	Amounts	Actual Amounts Budget	Variance with Final Budget
		Original	Final	Basis	Positive (Negative)
REVENUES:					
Other taxes	\$	717,776 \$	784,451	\$ 784,451	\$
Map sales Interest		3,600 300	3,600 300	1,819 663	(1,781) 363
interest					
Total revenues		721,676	788,351	786,933	(1,418)
EXPENDITURES: Current:					
General government		872,860	868,860	141,347	727,513
Capital outlay		128,000	47,351		47,351
Total expenditures		1,000,860	916,211_	141,347	774,864
Excess (deficiency) of revenues					
over expenditures		(279,184)	(127,860)	645,586	773,446
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES	(US	ES)			
Transfers in				23	23
Transfers (out)				(734,647)	(734,647)
Total other financing					
sources (uses)				(734,624)	(734,624)
Net change in fund balance		(279,184)	(127,860)	(89,038)	38,822
Fund balance at					
beginning of year		279,184	127,860	127,860	
Fund balance at end of year	\$	<u></u> \$		\$ <u> </u>	\$ 38,822

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS REQUIRED BY GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

July 6, 2018

Wood County Commission 1 Court Square / PO Box 1474 Parkersburg, WV 26102

To the Commissioners:

We have audited, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States and the Comptroller General of the United States' *Government Auditing Standards*, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of **Wood County**, West Virginia (the County) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements and have issued our report dated July 6, 2018. Our report refers to other auditors who audited the financial statements of the Wood County Parks and Recreation Commission and the Wood County Development Authority. This report does not include the results of the other auditors' testing of internal control over financial reporting or compliance and other matters that those auditors separately reported.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

As part of our financial statement audit, we considered the County's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures appropriate in the circumstances to the extent necessary to support our opinions on the financial statements, but not to the extent necessary to opine on the effectiveness of the County's internal control. Accordingly, we have not opined on it.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, when performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and timely correct misstatements. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or combination of internal control deficiencies resulting in a reasonable possibility that internal control will not prevent or detect and timely correct a material misstatement of the County's financial statements. 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.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all internal control deficiencies that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider material weaknesses. However, unidentified material weaknesses may exist.

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Wood County Commission Independent Auditor's Report On Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and On Compliance And Other Matters Required by *Governmental Auditing Standards* Page 2

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the County's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the 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 and instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which are described in the accompanying Schedule of Audit Findings as items 2017-001.

County's Response to Finding

The County's response to the finding identified in our audit is described in the accompanying Schedule of Audit Findings. The County's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

We also noted certain matters not requiring inclusion on this report that we have reported to management of Wood County Commission in a separate letter dated July 6, 2018.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the result of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

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Perry and Associates Certified Public Accountants, A.C. *Marietta, Ohio*

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

SCHEDULE OF AUDIT FINDINGS JUNE 30, 2017

Drug Lab – Comingling Funds 2017-001

CONDITION:

We noted during our audit that the Wood County Commission is comingling the funds and operations of the Mid-Ohio Valley Day Report Center with the funds and operations of the West Virginia Drug Testing Laboratories, Inc. (Drug Lab), a separate legal nonprofit corporation. Specifically, we have noted the following situations:

- This County is paying the salaries and benefits for the two employees of the Wood County branch of the Drug Lab. The Drug Lab reimburses the County
- Some County employees receive additional compensation for the duties they are performing for the operations of the Drug Lab.
- The Drug Lab employees participate in the Public Employees Retirement System (PERS) under the County's FEIN.

While some reimbursements are being made from the Drug Lab to the County for these expenses, accurate accounting records are not being maintained to ensure that all expenses incurred by the County in relation to the Drug Lab are being fully reimbursed.

CRITERIA:

West Virginia Code 62-11C-8(a) states, in part, that:

"The treasurer of the county designated as the fiscal agent for the board . . . shall establish a separate fund designated the community criminal justice fund . . . Funds in the community criminal justice account are to be expended by order of the designated county's commission upon recommendation of the community criminal justice board in furtherance of the operation of an approved community corrections program."

Proper internal control procedures require that accounting records be prepared accurately and contain all necessary information to properly separate the activities of the Day Report Center and the Drug Lab operations.

CAUSE:

The County Commission does not have the proper controls and procedures in place to differentiate the operations and activities of the Day Report Center and the Drug Lab.

EFFECT:

Under the current accounting system being utilized, we are unable to adequately separate the operations of these two entities. We cannot determine what expenses have been incurred by the County for the operations of the Drug Lab and cannot verify that all of these expenses have been fully reimbursed. Additionally, we are unable to determine if the employees of the Drug Lab are eligible for retirement benefits under the County's umbrella.

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA

SCHEDULE OF AUDIT FINDINGS JUNE 30, 2017

Drug Lab – Comingling Funds (Continued) 2017-001

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the County Commission establish policies and procedures to ensure that the operations of the County are kept separate from the operations of the Drug Lab. The accounting system should be designed to clearly separate the revenues and expenses of each of these entities. Invoices should be prepared by the County and issued to the West Virginia Drug Testing Laboratories, Inc. for all services performed and expenditures incurred by the County in operating the Drug Lab. The Drug Lab should issue checks accordingly to these invoices, and the County should be receipting these payments as reimbursements.

In addition, contracts and agreements need to be developed between the County Commission and the Drug Lab to define which entity is the employer of the Drug Lab employees. The County Commission should contact the Public Employees Retirement Board for assistance in determining if these employees are eligible to participate in the retirement system under the County's umbrella.

AUDITED AGENCY'S RESPONSE:

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Management is in the process of implementing corrective action.

WOOD COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2017

	inding umber	Finding Summary	Status	Additional Information
20	016-001	Drug Lab – Comingling of Funds	Partially corrected	Repeated as 2017-001

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