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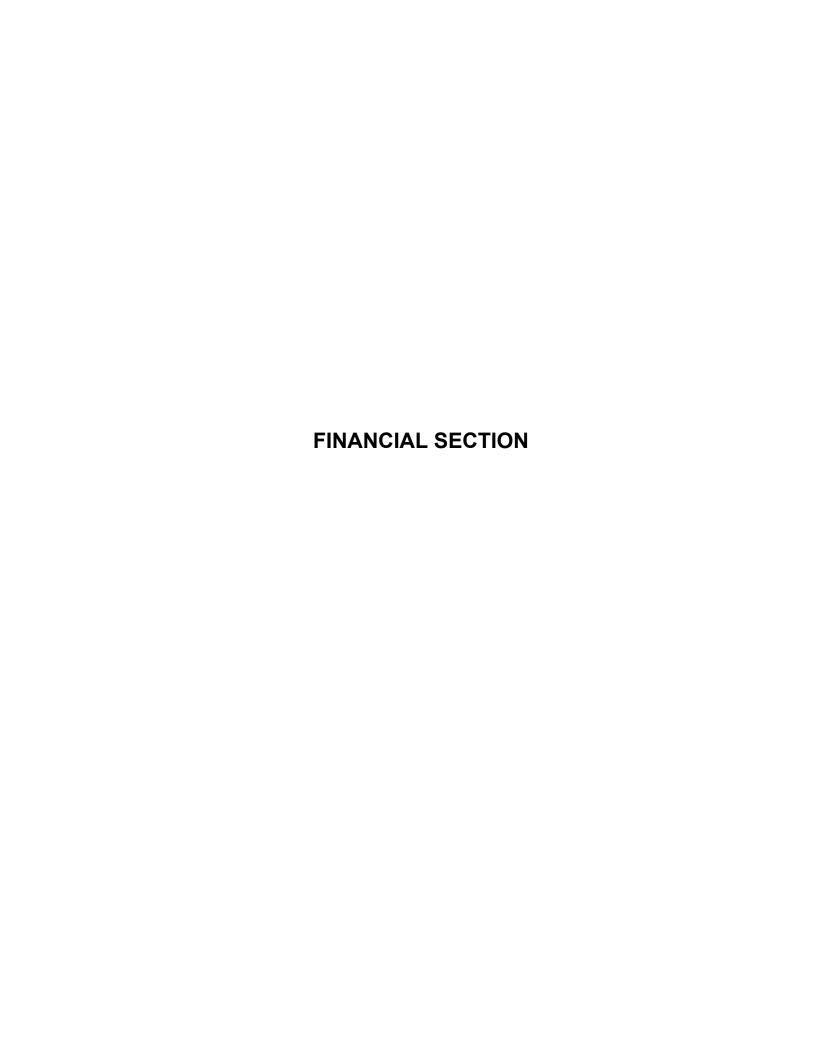
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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council Orangeburg, South Carolina

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the **City of Orangeburg, South Carolina** (the "City"), as of and for the year ended September 30, 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, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, as of September 30, 2017, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof 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 (on pages 4 through 13), the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance – Budget and Actual – General Fund (on page 65), the Schedule of Funding Progress – Other Postemployment Benefits (on page XX), the Schedule of City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (on page 67), and the Schedule of City Contributions (on page 68) 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 Orangeburg, South Carolina's basic financial statements. The Schedules of Revenues and Expenditures – General Fund – Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual (on pages 69 through 74), the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Net Position – Budget and Actual – Public Utilities Fund, and the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules (on page 75) are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The Summary Schedule of Court Fines, Assessments and Surcharges (on page 86) is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the State of South Carolina, and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (the Uniform Guidance), and is also not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The Schedules of Revenues and Expenditures – General Fund – Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual, the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Net Position – Budget and Actual – Public Utilities Fund, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, the Schedule of Court Fines, Assessments and Surcharges, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic 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 Schedules of Revenues and Expenditures – General Fund – Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual, the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Net Position – Budget and Actual – Public Utilities Fund, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, the Summary Schedule of Court Fines, Assessments and Surcharges, and the schedule of expenditures of federal awards are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required By Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated June 25, 2018, on our consideration of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is 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 City of Orangeburg, South Carolina's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Mauldin & Jerkins, LLC

Columbia, South Carolina June 25, 2018

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The Management's Discussion and Analysis of the Annual Financial Statements of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina (the "City") provides an overall narrative and analysis of the City's financial statements for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017. This discussion and analysis is designed to look at the City's financial performance as a whole. Readers should also review the financial statements with notes, which follow this narrative, to enhance their understanding of the City's financial performance.

The City is comprised of many departments that are included in the City's general fund: Executive (City Council), Finance, Administration, Public Works, Public Safety, Parks & Recreation, Non-Operating and Service. The City has enterprise funds including the Department of Public Utilities, Airport, Pro Shop, and the Municipal Golf Course as well as other Boards and Commissions. The Boards and Commissions include Election, Hillcrest Golf Course, Board of Zoning Appeals, Construction Board of Adjustments and Appeals, Aviation, Planning, Grievance, and Accommodations Tax Advisory.

Financial Highlights

Key financial highlights for the year ended September 30, 2017, are as follows:

- The Government's combined net position totaled \$280.1 million.
- The Government's total net position increased by \$6.2 million, primarily due to continued positive operating trends as it related to the Department of Public Utilities.
- The City added major capital items including a new fire truck and a new garbage truck.
- The required contribution rates for the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS) and South Carolina Police
 Officers Retirement System (PORS) increased effective July 1, 2017.
- The City implemented a \$1.00 increase in monthly residential sanitation fees.
- A 2% cost of living increase was given to all applicable full-time employees effective October 1, 2017
- There were two new positions budgeted in the Parks & Recreation and Gardens divisions. Additionally, there
 were also funds allocated for seasonal help in both the Gardens Division and the Service Department.
- State mandated body cameras and new radios added over \$45,000 to the maintenance costs of the Department of Public Safety as an annual, recurring cost.
- CJIS compliance with SLED continues to average over \$70,000 per year to the Department of Public Safety's annual budget.
- The City pledged \$1 million to South Carolina State University for its road infrastructure.

Basic Financial Statements

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

The next statements are the **Fund Financial Statements**. These statements focus on the activities of the individual parts of the City. These statements provide more detail than the government-wide statements. There are four parts to the Fund Financial Statements: 1) the governmental funds statements; 2) the budgetary comparison statements; 3) the proprietary fund statements; and 4) the fiduciary fund statement.

The next section of the basic financial statements is the **notes**. The notes to the financial statements explain in detail some of the data contained in those statements. After the notes, **supplementary information** is provided to show details about the City's, pension and OPEB plans, additional budgetary comparison schedules, non-major governmental funds and proprietary funds (all of which are added together in one column on the appropriate basic financial statements), and information required by South Carolina State law.

Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements provide a broad view of the City's operations in a manner similar to a private-sector business. The statements provide both short-term and long-term information about the City's financial position, which assists in assessing the economic condition at the end of the fiscal year. These statements are prepared using the flow of economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. This means the statements take into account all revenues and expenses connected with the fiscal year even if cash involved has not been received or paid. The government-wide financial statements include the following two statements:

The **Statement of Net Position** presents information on all of the City's assets and deferred outflows of resources and liabilities and deferred inflows of resources, 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 is improving or deteriorating.

The **Statement of Activities** presents information showing how the City's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will not result in cash flows until future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave). This statement also presents a comparison between direct expense and program revenues for each function of the City.

The government-wide statements are divided into two categories: 1) governmental activities and 2) business-type activities. The governmental activities include most of the City's basic services such as general administration, judicial services, public safety, public works, culture and recreation, housing and development, tourism, and non-departmental. Property taxes, charges for services, and state and federal grant funds finance most of these activities. The business-type activities are those services that the City charges a fee to customers in order to provide. These include Public Utilities (water, sewer, electricity, and natural gas), Municipal Airport, Pro Shop, and Hillcrest Golf Course.

Fund Financial Statements

A Fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The City, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

The fund financial statements focus on individual parts of the City reporting the City's operations in more detail than the government-wide statements. All of the funds of the City can be divided into three categories: 1) governmental funds, 2) proprietary funds and 3) fiduciary funds. These fund categories use different accounting approaches and should be interpreted differently.

Governmental Funds

Most of the basic services provided by the City are financed through governmental funds. Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as government activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide statements, these funds focus on how assets can readily be converted into cash and the amount of funds left at year-end that will be available for spending in the next year. Governmental funds are reported using an accounting method called *modified accrual accounting*, which focuses on current financial resources. Such information may be useful in evaluating the City's short-term financing requirements. These statements provide a detailed short-term view of the City's finances that assists in determining whether there will be adequate financial resources available to meet the Government's current needs. The relationship between governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements and the governmental funds financial statements is described in a reconciliation that is a part of the fund financial statements.

The Government has three governmental fund types: 1) the General Fund, 2) Special Revenue Funds, and 3) the Capital Projects Funds. The Government reported one major governmental fund: the General Fund.

Proprietary Funds

The City has two types of proprietary funds used to account for activities that operate similar to commercial enterprises found in the private sector. Funds that charge fees for services provided to outside customers including other local governments are known as Enterprise Funds. These funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. Proprietary funds use the accrual basis of accounting, thus there is no reconciliation needed between the government-wide financial statements for business-type activities and the proprietary fund financial statements.

The City has four enterprise funds: Department of Public Utilities, Municipal Airport, Pro Shop, and Hillcrest Golf Course. The Department of Public Utilities Fund is the only fund being considered a major fund for presentation purposes.

Fiduciary Funds

The Fiduciary Fund is used to account for assets held by the City as an agent for individuals, private organizations, other governments and other departments. The City is responsible for ensuring that the assets reported in this fund is used only for their intended purposes and only by those to whom the assets belong. This fund is not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources are not available to support the City's operations or programs.

Notes to the Financial Statements

The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found immediately after the City's basic financial statements.

Government-Wide Financial Analysis

		Governmental Activities 2017		Business-type Activities 2017		oe Total		overnmental Activities	В	usiness-type Activities	Total
						2017		2016		2016	2016
Current and other							-				
assets	\$	18,637,116	\$	75,816,467	\$	94,453,583	\$	21,906,670	\$	73,352,998	\$ 95,259,668
Capital assets		24,741,378	2	252,855,980		277,597,358		24,261,559		245,990,341	270,251,900
Total assets		43,378,494	3	328,672,447		372,050,941		46,168,229		319,343,339	365,511,568
Deferred outflows											
of resources		2,316,959		2,637,119		4,954,078		2,778,640		3,638,191	6,416,831
Long-term liabilities		20,023,799		52,798,687		72,822,486		20,154,966		51,817,818	71,972,784
Other liabilities		2,779,468		20,647,286		23,426,754		2,066,102		22,124,717	24,190,819
Total liabilities		22,803,267		73,445,973		96,249,240	_	22,221,068		73,942,535	96,163,603
Deferred inflows											
of resources		376,367		256,374		632,741	_	675,271	_	1,119,067	1,794,338
Net position:											
Net investment											
in capital assets		22,605,862	2	225,756,662		248,362,524		21,954,039		214,865,657	236,819,696
Restricted		8,106,539		2,058,479		10,165,018		7,985,030		2,038,553	10,023,583
Unrestricted		(8,196,582)		29,792,078		21,595,496	_	(3,888,539)	_	31,015,718	 27,127,179
Total net position	\$	22,515,819	\$ 2	257,607,219	\$	280,123,038	\$	26,050,530	\$	247,919,928	\$ 273,970,458

Net Position

Net position may serve over time as one useful indicator of a City's financial condition. The assets and deferred outflows of resources of the City exceeded liabilities and deferred inflows of resources by \$280,123,038 as of September 30, 2017.

The largest portion of the City's net position, \$248.4 million or 88.7%, reflects its net investment in capital assets such as land, buildings, equipment and infrastructure (road, bridges, sidewalks, water lines and sewer lines) less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding. This portion of net position includes both the City's governmental activities and its business-type activities (including the Department of Public Utilities).

The City uses these capital assets to provide services to its citizens; therefore, these assets are not available for future spending. Although the City's investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

An additional portion of the City's net position, \$10.2 million or 3.6% represents resources that are subject to external restrictions on how they may be used. The remaining balance of unrestricted net position, \$21.6 million or 7.7% may be used to meet the City's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.

Changes in Net Position

Governmental activities. Governmental activities decreased the City's net position by \$3.5 million. Key elements of this increase are as follows:

Governmental Revenues Charges for services (30%), property tax (27%) and other taxes (27%) continue as the main source of revenue of the City amounting to 83.5% in 2017, compared to 91.5% in 2016.

Governmental Functional Expenses: As reflected in the summary of Changes in Net Position, the Government expended 47.5% of the appropriations for judicial and public safety expenditures. The Government continues to commit substantial financial resources for the safety of its citizens. Other expenditures accounted for the remaining 52.5%.

Business-type activities: Business-type activities increased the Government's net position by approximately \$9.7 million. A significant portion (approximately \$7.9 million) of the increase was the result of the revenues received in the Department of Public Utilities Fund, which rose in 2017 to approximately \$98.6 million from \$96.4 million in 2016.

The City's Changes in Net Position

	Governmental	Business-type		Governmental	Business-type	
	Activities	Activities	Total	Activities	Activities	Total
	2017	2017	2017	2016	2016	2016
Revenues:						
Program revenues:						
Charges for services	\$ 3,841,871	\$ 97,986,268	\$ 101,828,139	\$ 5,796,052	\$ 96,268,882	\$ 102,064,934
Operating grants and						
contributions	699,989	-	699,989	736,973	-	736,973
Capital grants and						
contributions	1,307,594	1,040,025	2,347,619	234,226	1,077,364	1,311,590
General revenues:						
Property taxes	3,466,982	-	3,466,982	3,589,850	-	3,589,850
Other taxes	3,537,639	-	3,537,639	2,808,869	-	2,808,869
Unrestricted investment						
earnings	131,959	135,389	267,348	93,308	246,566	339,874
Miscellaneous	-	400,388	400,388	72,182	16,502	88,684
Total revenues	12,986,034	99,562,070	112,548,104	13,331,460	97,609,314	110,940,774
Expenses:						
General government	2,323,690	_	2,323,690	3,796,363	_	3,796,363
Judicial	305,636	-	305,636	-	_	· · · · -
Public safety	8,817,815	-	8,817,815	8,537,897	_	8,537,897
Public w orks	2,981,233	-	2,981,233	3,014,608	-	3,014,608
Culture and recreation	3,039,459	-	3,039,459	2,553,526	-	2,553,526
Housing and development	38,775	-	38,775	-	-	-
Tourism	21,635	-	21,635	-	_	_
Non-departmental	1,614,611	-	1,614,611	-	-	-
Interest on long-term debt	70,014	-	70,014	72,683	_	72,683
Public utilities	-	85,338,901	85,338,901	· -	81,388,145	81,388,145
Municipal airport	-	1,187,574	1,187,574	-	1,115,944	1,115,944
Pro shop	-	89,682	89,682	-	86,394	86,394
Golf course	-	566,499	566,499	-	630,882	630,882
Total expenses	19,212,868	87,182,656	106,395,524	17,975,077	83,221,365	101,196,442
Increase (decrease) in net						
position before transfers	(6,226,834)	12,379,414	6,152,580	(4,643,617)	14,387,949	9,744,332
Transfers	2,692,123	(2,692,123)	-	5,108,610	(5,108,610)	-
Change in net position	(3,534,711)	9,687,291	6,152,580	464,993	9,279,339	9,744,332
Net position, beginning	26,050,530	247,919,928	273,970,458	25,585,537	238,640,589	264,226,126
Net position, ending	\$ 22,515,819	\$ 257,607,219	\$ 280,123,038	\$ 26,050,530	\$ 247,919,928	\$ 273,970,458

Financial Analysis of the City's Individual Funds

The City uses fund accounting to demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental Funds

The focus of the City's governmental funds is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows and balances of usable resources. Such information is useful in assessing the City's financial requirements. In particular, the unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of a City's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year. The combined fund balance of all the governmental funds is \$17.4 million, of which \$9.0 million, or 52%, is unassigned.

General Fund

The General Fund is the primary operating fund of the City. At the end of the current fiscal year, total fund balance of the General Fund was \$9.5 million, of which \$9.0 million or 94.4% was unassigned. As a measure of the General Fund's liquidity, it may be useful to compare both unassigned fund balance to total fund expenditures. As of September 30, 2017, total unassigned fund balance, represents 49.2% of total general fund expenditures.

The fund balance of the General Fund decreased by \$3.8 million, or 28.6%. Key factors to this result include transfers out to the Municipal Airport fund and the Hillcrest Golf Course fund of \$1,184,471 and \$1,492,316, respectively, to offset prior years' operating deficits. Additionally, increases in expenditures from 2016 to 2017 relative to debt service of approximately \$237,000, non-departmental of approximately \$444,000, and public safety of \$468,895 attributed to the decrease in the fund balance of the General Fund during fiscal year 2017.

During the year, the City revised the budget on several occasions. Generally, budget amendments fall into one of four categories: 1) amendments made to adjust the estimates that are used to prepare the original budget resolution once exact information is available; 2) amendments made to recognize new funding amounts from external sources, such as Federal and state grants; 3) increases in appropriations that become necessary to maintain services; and 4) amendments to transfer appropriations between departments. The fifth category has no effect on the final budget and, therefore, is not addressed in this narrative.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

The actual operating revenues for the General Fund were lower than the budgeted amount by approximately \$1,209,000 or (10.5%). The individual sources within the revenues fluctuated both positively and negatively.

The actual operating expenditures for the General Fund were lower than the budgeted amount by approximately \$341,000 or 1.8%. The individual departments within the General Fund show both positive and negative fluctuations, with the positive fluctuations outweighing the negative. Net other financing sources for the General Fund were lower that the budgeted amounts by approximately \$2,954,000 which are the result of (1) fewer than anticipated transfers in to the General Fund from the City's other funds of approximately \$1.1 million and (2) more than anticipated transfers out to the City's other funds of approximately \$1.7 million.

Proprietary Funds

The activities of the City that render services to the general public on a user charge basis, or that require periodic determination of revenues for public policy are accounted for as Enterprise Funds. The City's proprietary funds provide the same type of information found in the government-wide statements but in more detail. Unrestricted net position at the end of the year were as follows: Department of Public Utilities Fund, \$31 million. Nonmajor Enterprise funds, (\$566,000) deficit as follows: Municipal Airport, (\$170,000) deficit; Pro Shop Fund \$50,000; and Hillcrest Golf Course Fund (\$715,875) deficit. The total growth in net position for previously mentioned funds were \$8.0 million and \$1.8 million for total nonmajor enterprise funds enumerated as follows: \$460,000, \$0, and \$1,325,000, respectively. Other factors concerning the finances of these funds have already been addressed in the discussion of the Government's business-type activities.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

The City's investment in capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities as of September 30, 2017, amounts to \$278 million (net of accumulated depreciation). This investment in capital assets includes land, buildings, improvements, equipment, infrastructure and construction in progress. Infrastructure assets are items that are normally immovable and of value only to the City, such as roads, bridges, streets and sidewalks, drainage systems, utility systems and other similar items.

Major capital asset transactions during the year included construction of infrastructure, buildings, acquisition of public safety vehicles, recreation facilities, and construction of utility systems.

The City's Capital Assets (net of depreciation)

	Go	vernmental Activities	В	usiness-type Activities	Total			
Land	\$ 2,131,614		\$	3,792,707	\$ 5,924,321	_		
Land and site improvements		1,266,063		3,356,340	4,622,403	,		
Buildings		8,968,855		6,124,436	15,093,291			
Building improvements		1,822,419		-	1,822,419			
Utility systems		-		212,503,744	212,503,744			
Infrastructure		5,660,045		-	5,660,045	,		
Vehicles, machinery and equipment		3,161,195		7,109,974	10,271,169			
Construction in progress		1,731,187		19,968,779	21,699,966			
	\$	24,741,378	\$	252,855,980	\$ 277,597,358	_		

Additional information on the City's capital assets can be found in Note 5 of the notes to the financial statements of this report.

Long-Term Debt

As of September 30, 2017, the City had a total of \$76.6 million in outstanding long-term debt including the City's portion of the SCRS and PORS net pension liabilities as well as the City's net OPEB obligation. Of this amount, \$27.1 million consists of notes payable backed by the revenues of the Department of Public Utilities, \$47.4 million represents the City's liabilities for pensions and OPEB benefits, and \$2.1 million consists of capital lease financing outstanding for the acquisition of capital assets. A table of the City's outstanding debt can be found below.

The City's Outstanding Debt

	Goveri Acti	nmeı vities		Businesss-type Activities					Total			
	2017		2016		2017		2016		2017		2016	
Notes payable Capital leases Other long-term	\$ - 2,135,516	\$	- 2,307,520	\$	27,099,318	\$	27,274,320	\$	27,099,318 2,135,516	\$	27,274,320 2,307,520	
obligations	19,518,324		19,101,755		27,853,520		26,797,251		47,371,844		45,899,006	
Total debt	\$ 21,653,840	\$	21,409,275	\$	54,952,838	\$	54,071,571	\$	76,606,678	\$	75,480,846	

Of the total debt outstanding as September 30, 2017, no portion constitutes general obligation debt or is attributable to the City's legal debt limit as set forth in the South Carolina State Code of Laws.

Additional information regarding the City's long-term debt can be found in Note 6 of the notes to the financial statements of this report.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget and Rates

The SC retirement and Police Officers retirement rates for employer portions will increase again on July 1, 2018, 1% each. This causes the City to come up with additional resources to continue this required benefit.

Continuous cuts to our State Local Government funding add an additional burden to our budget as well as we continue to maintain right-of-ways in state maintained roads in the City.

With the addition in 2017-18 of our new Recreational Complex, we will be adding additional positions in order to operate this facility as well as additional maintenance and supply costs that will add to the budget of the Parks & Recreation Department. These will be annual costs in order to maintain and stock this facility for the citizens.

With the addition of several anticipated building projects in the City, added revenues to the City's tax base as well as business license increases are anticipated to help alleviate certain budgetary constraints. Generally, the City's historical tax revenues have remained relatively unchanged from year to year and the City has realized moderate increases in general business licenses and hospitality taxes.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget (Continued)

There are over \$100,000 in payouts budgeted for annual leave for those retiring in FY 2017-18. With the increasing age of some of the City's employees, City management anticipates this to continue. The City does offer a buyback at half price each year for those who have annual leave over their maximum in order to relieve the City of part of this liability.

Requests for Information

This report is designed to provide an overview of the City's finances for those with an interest in this area. Questions concerning any of the information found in this report or requests for additional information should be directed to the Finance Director, City of Orangeburg, South Carolina, 979 Middleton Street, Orangeburg, South Carolina 29115.

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Primary Government					
	Governmental Activities	Business- Type Activities	Total			
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 17,408,490	\$ 24,327,014	\$ 41,735,504			
Investments	-	29,815,088	29,815,088			
Taxes receivable, net of allowances	124,374	-	124,374			
Accounts receivable, net of allowances	436,810	9,856,429	10,293,239			
Notes receivable	-	1,161,759	1,161,759			
Due from other governments	182,601	-	182,601			
Internal balances	378,567	(378,567)	-			
Inventories	106,274	4,348,107	4,454,381			
Prepaid expenses	-	396,288	396,288			
Restricted assets, cash and cash equivalents	-	6,290,349	6,290,349			
Capital assets						
Nondepreciable	3,862,801	23,761,486	27,624,287			
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation	20,878,577	229,094,494	249,973,071			
Total assets	43,378,494	328,672,447	372,050,941			
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Pension	2,316,959	2,637,119	4,954,078			
Total deferred outflows of resources	2,316,959	2,637,119	4,954,078			
	2,310,333	2,007,110	4,334,070			
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	607,554	9,283,989	9,891,543			
Accrued liabilities	541,873	614,303	1,156,176			
Unearned revenue	-	4,337,973	4,337,973			
Payable from restricted assets - customer deposits	-	4,256,870	4,256,870			
Other postemployment benefit obligation	2,261,651	2,899,200	5,160,851			
Note payable due within one year	-	1,267,261	1,267,261			
Note payable due in more than one year	-	25,832,057	25,832,057			
Capital leases due within one year	1,176,754	-	1,176,754			
Capital leases due in more than one year	958,762	-	958,762			
Compensated absences due within one year	453,287	886,890	1,340,177			
Compensated absences due in more than one year	453,288	247,594	700,882			
Net pension liability due in more than one year	16,350,098	23,819,836	40,169,934			
Total liabilities	22,803,267	73,445,973	96,249,240			
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES						
Pension	376,367	256,374	632,741			
Total deferred inflows of resources	376,367	256,374	632,741			
NET POSITION			0.40.000.504			
Net investment in capital assets	22,605,862	225,756,662	248,362,524			
Restricted for:						
Public safety	209,174	-	209,174			
Public works	84,918	-	84,918			
Culture and recreation	1,595,564	-	1,595,564			
Housing and development	16,259	-	16,259			
Tourism	36,146	=	36,146			
Capital outlay	6,164,478	-	6,164,478			
Self insurance	-	25,000	25,000			
Debt service	-	2,033,479	2,033,479			
Unrestricted	(8,196,582)		21,595,496			
Total net position	\$ 22,515,819	\$ 257,607,219	\$ 280,123,038			

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

			Program Re	venues		N	et (Expense) R	se) Revenue and Changes in Net Pos			
Functions/Programs Expenses		Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions		Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities		Business-Type Activities		Total	
Primary government:											
Governmental activities:	0.000.000	40.004		4 407	•	•	(4 700 040)	•	•	(4.700.040)	
General government \$ Judicial	2,323,690	\$ 42,204	\$ 56	1,167	\$ -	\$	(1,720,319)	\$ -	\$	(1,720,319)	
Public safety	305,636 8,817,815	1,331,558	2	- 5,338	- 125,161		(305,636) (7,325,758)	-		(305,636)	
Public works	2,981,233	2,308,561		5,336 2,076	200.000		(450,596)	-		(7,325,758) (450,596)	
Culture and recreation	3,039,459	159,548	۷.	2,076 774	982,433		(1,896,704)	-		(1,896,704)	
Housing and development	38,775	139,340		114	902,433		(38,775)	-		(38,775)	
Tourism	21,635	-	Q	0,634	-		58,999	-		58,999	
Non-departmental	1,614,611	-	O	0,034	-		(1,614,611)	-		(1,614,611)	
Interest on long-term debt	70,014	_		_	_		(70,014)	_		(70,014)	
Total governmental activities	19,212,868	3,841,871	69	9,989	1,307,594		(13,363,414)		_	(13,363,414)	
	10,212,000	0,041,011		0,000	1,007,004		(10,000,414)		_	(10,000,414)	
Business-type activities:											
Public utilities	85,338,901	97,049,430		_	1,024,995		_	12,735,524		12,735,524	
Municipal airport	1,187,574	448,324		_	15,030		_	(724,220)		(724,220)	
Pro shop	89,682	134,271		_	-		_	44,589		44,589	
Golf course	566,499	354,243		-	-		_	(212,256)		(212,256)	
Total business-type activities	87,182,656	97,986,268			1,040,025		-	11,843,637		11,843,637	
Total primary government \$	106,395,524	\$ 101,828,139	\$ 69	9,989	\$ 2,347,619	\$	(13,363,414)	\$ 11,843,637	\$	(1,519,777)	
		General revenues:									
		Property taxes					3,466,982	_		3,466,982	
		Franchise taxes					144,896	_		144,896	
		Other taxes					3,392,743	_		3,392,743	
		Unrestricted inves	stment earnin	as			131,959	135.389		267,348	
		Miscellaneous		90			-	400,388		400,388	
		Transfers					2,692,123	(2,692,123)		-	
		Total general re	evenues and	transfers	3		9,828,703	(2,156,346)		7,672,357	
		Change in ne					(3,534,711)	9,687,291		6,152,580	
		Net position, beginn					26,050,530	247,919,928		273,970,458	
		Net position, end of	year			\$	22,515,819	\$ 257,607,219	\$	280,123,038	

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	General	Nonmajor overnmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents Taxes receivable, net of allowance Accounts receivable Due from other governments Due from other funds Inventory	\$ 9,655,460 124,374 436,810 161,867 359,386 106,274	\$ 7,753,030 - - 20,734 119,032 -	\$	17,408,490 124,374 436,810 182,601 478,418 106,274	
Total assets	\$ 10,844,171	\$ 7,892,796	\$	18,736,967	
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES					
LIABILITIES					
Accounts payable	\$ 580,673	\$ 26,881	\$	607,554	
Accrued liabilities	541,843	30		541,873	
Due to other funds	 98,176	 1,675		99,851	
Total liabilities	1,220,692	28,586		1,249,278	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue -					
property taxes	80,321	-		80,321	
Total deferred inflows of resources	80,321	-		80,321	
FUND BALANCES Nonspendable:					
Inventory Restricted for:	106,274	-		106,274	
Housing and development	-	16,259		16,259	
Public safety	-	209,174		209,174	
Public works	-	84,918		84,918	
Culture and recreation Tourism	-	1,595,564		1,595,564	
Capital outlay	242,329	36,146 5,922,149		36,146 6,164,478	
Committed to:	242,329	3,922,149		0,104,476	
Capital outlay	212	_		212	
Assigned to:					
Self insurance reserve	184,674	_		184,674	
Unassigned	9,009,669	-		9,009,669	
Total fund balances	9,543,158	7,864,210		17,407,368	
Takal liabilitis and farmed inflator of					
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances	\$ 10,844,171	\$ 7,892,796	\$	18,736,967	

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

Total fund balances - governmental funds			\$	17,407,368							
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because of the following:											
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore the governmental funds:											
Cost of assets	\$	51,389,113									
Accumulated depreciation	·	(26,647,735)								
·		, , , , , ,	_	24,741,378							
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources a	re repo	orted as									
unavailable revenues in the funds:				80,321							
Certain long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and are theref funds:	ore no	reported in the	•								
Capital leases payable	\$	(2,135,516))								
Net pension liability, net of deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows											
of resources		(14,409,506))								
Net other postemployment benefits obligation		(2,261,651))								
Compensated absences payable		(906,575))								
				(19,713,248)							
Net position of governmental activities			\$	22,515,819							

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	General			Nonmajor overnmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds		
Revenues							
Property taxes	\$	3,490,038	\$	_	\$	3,490,038	
Franchise taxes	·	144,896	·	-	•	144,896	
Other taxes		2,126,995		1,265,748		3,392,743	
Licenses and permits		1,083,083		-		1,083,083	
Intergovernmental		618,855		1,110,122		1,728,977	
Charges for services		2,150,877		25,775		2,176,652	
Fines and forfeitures		435,359		32,947		468,306	
Interest revenue		100,172		31,787		131,959	
Other revenues		113,830		278,606		392,436	
Total revenues		10,264,105		2,744,985		13,009,090	
Expenditures							
Current:							
General government		2,252,227		-		2,252,227	
Judicial		288,455		-		288,455	
Public safety		8,438,056		84,439		8,522,495	
Public works		2,486,983		-		2,486,983	
Housing and development		-		64,935		64,935	
Culture and recreation		2,154,925		574,912		2,729,837	
Tourism		-		21,635		21,635	
Non-departmental		1,614,611		-		1,614,611	
Capital outlay		-		1,062,149		1,062,149	
Debt service:							
Principal		1,049,670		291,961		1,341,631	
Interest		19,048		50,966		70,014	
Total expenditures		18,303,975		2,150,997		20,454,972	
Excess (deficiency) of							
revenues over (under)							
expenditures		(8,039,870)		593,988		(7,445,882)	
Other financing sources (uses):							
Proceeds from issuance of capital lease		1,169,627		-		1,169,627	
Transfers in		5,724,694		45,000		5,769,694	
Transfers out		(2,676,787)		(400,784)		(3,077,571)	
Total other financing		,		,		,	
sources (uses)		4,217,534		(355,784)		3,861,750	
Net change in fund balances		(3,822,336)		238,204		(3,584,132)	
Fund balance, beginning of year		13,365,494		7,626,006		20,991,500	
Fund balance, end of year	\$	9,543,158	\$	7,864,210	\$	17,407,368	

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 SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds.		\$ (3,584,132)	
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different be	cause:		
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the stateme of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciated amount by which capital outlays exceeded depreciation in the current period.			
Capital outlay Depreciation expense	\$	2,491,906 (2,012,087)	479,819
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resource revenues in the funds.	(23,056)		
The issuance of long-term debt provides current financial resources to governmental repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resource funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position.			
Capital lease financing Principal repayments	\$	(1,169,627) 1,341,631	172,004
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of curre and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds. The net char			
Compensated absences Net pension liability Net other postemployment benefits obligation	\$	355,252 (859,040) (75,558)	(579,346)
Change in net position of governmental activities			\$ (3,534,711)

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Department of Public Utilities	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Total
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS		. 500	4 04 00 7 044
Cash and cash equivalents Investments	\$ 24,326,514	\$ 500	\$ 24,327,014
Accounts receivable, net of allowance	29,815,088 9,838,784	17,645	29,815,088 9,856,429
Due from other funds	5,000,704	28,672	28,672
Prepaid expenses	396,288		396,288
Inventory	4,287,862	60,245	4,348,107
Restricted cash	6,290,349		6,290,349
Total current assets	74,954,885	107,062	75,061,947
NONCURRENT ASSETS			
Note receivable	1,161,759	-	1,161,759
Capital assets:			
Nondepreciable	22,435,534	1,325,952	23,761,486
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation	223,226,595	5,867,899	229,094,494
Total noncurrent assets	246,823,888	7,193,851	254,017,739
Total assets	321,778,773	7,300,913	329,079,686
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension	2,551,457	85,662	2,637,119
Total deferred outflows of resources	2,551,457	85,662	2,637,119
LIABILITIES			
CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Payable from current assets:			
Accounts payable	9,252,824	31,165	9,283,989
Unearned revenue Accrued expenses	4,323,145 596,715	14,828 17,588	4,337,973
Due to other funds	357,711	49,528	614,303 407,239
Compensated absences - current portion	856,187	30,703	886,890
Compensation appended Content portion	15,386,582	143,812	15,530,394
		,	
Payable from restricted assets:			
Customer deposits	4,256,870	-	4,256,870
Notes payable - current portion	1,267,261		1,267,261
Total current liabilities	5,524,131	143,812	5,524,131
Total Current liabilities	20,910,713	143,012	21,054,525
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES			
Notes payable - long term portion	25,832,057	-	25,832,057
Net pension liability	23,132,703	687,133	23,819,836
Other postemployment benefit obligation	2,774,159	125,041	2,899,200
Compensated absences - long term portion	199,356	48,238	247,594
Total long term liabilities	51,938,275	860,412	52,798,687
Total liabilities	72,848,988	1,004,224	73,853,212
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Pension	231,297	25,077	256,374
Total deferred outflows of resources	231,297	25,077	256,374
NET POSITION			
Net investment in capital assets	218,562,811	7,193,851	225,756,662
Restricted for self insurance	25,000	- 1,100,001	25,000
Restricted for debt service	2,033,479	-	2,033,479
Unrestricted	30,628,655	(836,577)	29,792,078
Total net position	\$ 251,249,945	\$ 6,357,274	\$ 257,607,219

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Department of Public Utilities	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Total
OPERATING REVENUES			
Charges for services	\$ 97,049,430	\$ 920.428 \$	07.060.050
Miscellaneous	\$ 97,049,430	, - +	97,969,858 16,410
	07.040.420	16,410	
Total operating revenues	97,049,430	936,838	97,986,268
OPERATING EXPENSES			
Cost of sales and service	51,508,818	372,882	51,881,700
Operations and maintenance	10,426,882	29,295	10,456,177
Administration	11,984,118	662,124	12,646,242
Depreciation expense	10,270,461	779,454	11,049,915
Total operating expenses	84,190,279	1,843,755	86,034,034
Operating income (loss)	12,859,151	(906,917)	11,952,234
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)			
Loss on disposal of assets	(661,564)	-	(661,564)
Interest expense	(487,058)	-	(487,058)
Interest income	135,389	-	135,389
Other nonoperating income	400,388	-	400,388
Total nonoperating expenses, net	(612,845)	-	(612,845)
Income (loss) before contributions and transfers	12,246,306	(906,917)	11,339,389
CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS	1,024,995	15,030	1,040,025
TRANSFERS			
Transfers in	-	2,721,376	2,721,376
Transfers out	(5,368,910)	(44,589)	(5,413,499)
Total transfers	(5,368,910)	2,676,787	(2,692,123)
Change in net position	7,902,391	1,784,900	9,687,291
NET POSITION, beginning of year	243,347,554	4,572,374	247,919,928
NET POSITION, end of year	\$ 251,249,945	\$ 6,357,274 \$	257,607,219

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Department of Public Utilities	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Total
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	Ф 00.404.00 7	Φ 000.040	
Receipts from customers and users	\$ 93,164,207	\$ 939,312	
Payments to suppliers	(59,346,405)	(498,613)	(59,845,018)
Payments to employees	(10,973,611)	(581,615)	(11,555,226)
Other receipts	400,388	(0.444.000)	400,388
Internal activity-payments from (to) other funds Net cash provided by (used in)	265,761	(2,441,222)	(2,175,461)
operating activities	23,510,340	(2,582,138)	20,928,202
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL AND			
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Transfers in	-	2,721,376	2,721,376
Transfers out	(5,368,910)	(44,589)	(5,413,499)
Principal payments on notes receivable	124,976		124,976
Net cash provided by (used in) noncapital			
and related financing activities	(5,243,934)	2,676,787	(2,567,147)
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES			
Acquisitions of capital assets	(18,807,517)	(109,679)	(18,917,196)
Proceeds from sale of capital assets	340,076	-	340,076
Proceeds from issuance of notes payable	1,175,107	-	1,175,107
Principal payments on notes payable	(1,350,109)	-	(1,350,109)
Capital grants received	1,024,995	15,030	1,040,025
Interest paid	(487,058)	-	(487,058)
Net cash (used in) capital	<u></u>		
and related financing activities	(18,104,506)	(94,649)	(18,199,155)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of investments	(9,052,752)	-	(9,052,752)
Proceeds from sale of investments	9,732,249	-	9,732,249
Interest received	135,389		135,389
Net cash provided by investing activities	814,886		814,886
Change in cash and cash equivalents	976,786	-	976,786
Cash and cash equivalents:			
Beginning of year	29,640,077	500	29,640,577
End of year	\$ 30,616,863	\$ 500	\$ 30,617,363
Classified as:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 24,326,514	\$ 500	\$ 24,327,014
Restricted cash	6,290,349		6,290,349
	\$ 30,616,863	\$ 500	\$ 30,617,363

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	ا	Department of Public Utilities	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Total
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to			1	
net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:				
Operating income (loss)	\$	12,859,151	\$ (906,917)	\$ 11,952,234
Adjustments to reconcile operating				
income (loss) to net cash				
provided by (used in) operating activities				
Depreciation		10,270,461	779,454	11,049,915
Other revenues		400,388	-	400,388
Change in assets and liabilities:				
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		177,041	(1,257)	175,784
Decrease in due from other funds		-	1,346	1,346
Decrease in due from other governments		-	81	81
(Increase) in prepaid expenses		(43,672)	-	(43,672)
(Increase) decrease in inventory		(258,836)	10,947	(247,889)
Decrease in deferred outflows of resources-pension		955,262	45,810	1,001,072
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		2,751,888	(17,025)	2,734,863
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses		(211,580)	17,588	(193,992)
Increase in customer deposits		139,915	-	139,915
Increase (decrease) in unearned revenue		(4,062,264)	3,650	(4,058,614)
Increase in due to other funds		265,761	49,528	315,289
(Decrease) in advance from other funds		-	(2,492,096)	(2,492,096)
Increase (decrease) in deferred inflows of resources-pension		(863,430)	737	(862,693)
Increase (decrease) in net pension liability		1,267,476	(86,220)	1,181,256
Increase in other post employment benefit obligation		79,457	4,178	83,635
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences		(216,678)	8,058	(208,620)
Net cash provided by (used in)				
operating activities	\$	23,510,340	\$ (2,582,138)	\$ 20,928,202

STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUND SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

		Agency Fund		
ASSETS Cash	<u>\$</u>	2,861		
Total assets	<u>\$</u>	2,861		
LIABILITIES Due to others	<u>\$</u>	2,861		
Total liabilities	\$	2,861		

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

A. Reporting Entity

The City of Orangeburg, South Carolina operates under a charter originally granted by the State of South Carolina on December 24, 1883. The government is a municipal corporation governed by an elected Mayor and six-member council. The City provides the following services: general government (administrative services, elections, community planning and development), judicial (municipal court), public safety (police, fire, and communications), public works (building inspection, parking and municipal buildings, sanitation, and streets), and culture and recreation (parks, gardens, cemeteries, and recreation).

As required by accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial statements of the reporting entity include those of the City of Orangeburg (the primary government) which includes all fund types of the City. Component units may be presented by two different methods. Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are, in substance, part of the City's operations. Discretely presented component units are reported in a separate column in the combined financial statements to emphasize that they are legally separate from the City. The City reports no component units.

B. Government-wide and Fund 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 non-fiduciary activities of the City. The effect of material interfund activity has been eliminated from these statements. Governmental activities, which are normally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for support.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segment are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function or segment.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

B. Government-wide and Fund Financial Statements (Continued)

Program revenues include 1) charges to those who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

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

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

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, as are the fiduciary fund financial statements. Agency funds have no measurement focus. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of the related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the City considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences, other postemployment benefits and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

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

Property taxes, franchise fees, 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. Sales, accommodations, and hospitality taxes are recorded when the underlying transaction is made. Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other grant requirements have been met. Shared revenues are recorded at the time of receipt or earlier if the susceptible to accrual criteria are met. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

The City reports the following major governmental fund:

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

The City reports the following major proprietary fund:

The **Department of Public Utilities Fund** accounts for the user charges, fees, and other resources and all costs associated with the operations of the City's water, sewer, electricity, and gas systems.

Additionally, the City reports the following nonmajor fund types:

The **Special Revenue Funds** are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditure for specified purposes.

The **Capital Projects Funds** account for the acquisition and construction of the City's major capital facilities, other than those financed by proprietary funds.

The **Enterprise Funds** are used to account for those operations that are financed and operated in a manner similar to a private business or where Council has decided that the determination of revenues earned, costs incurred and/or net income is necessary for management accountability. All of the City's proprietary funds are enterprise funds.

The **Fiduciary Fund** is used to account for assets held by the government in a trustee capacity or as an agent on behalf of others. The **Agency Fund** is custodial in nature and does not involve the measurement of results of operations.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

D. Budgets and Budgetary Accounting (Continued)

An annual budget is adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for the General Fund, Local Accommodations and Hospitality Tax Fund, Victims Advocate Fund, and Public Utilities Fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end. The City Administrator submits to City Council a balanced, proposed annual budget prior to September 30 for the fiscal year commencing October 1. City Council must approve and adopt a final budget through the passage of an ordinance. The appropriated budget is prepared by fund, function, and department. The City Administrator may make transfers of appropriations within and between departments. Transfers of appropriations between funds require the approval of Council. The legal level of budgetary control is the fund level.

The legally adopted budget for the General Fund is presented as required supplementary information while the legally adopted budgets of the Local Accommodations and Hospitality Tax Fund, the Victims Advocate Fund and the Department of Public Utilities Fund are presented as other supplementary information. Additionally, the budgets of the General Fund, Local Accommodations and Hospitality Tax Fund, and the Victims Advocate Fund are prepared on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States and are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting, while the budget of the Department of Public Utilities Fund is prepared on a basis consistent with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States and is presented on the accrual basis of accounting.

E. Cash and Investments

For purposes of financial statement presentation, the City considers all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash. Cash includes certain amounts in certificates of deposit and money market funds and are stated at cost which approximates fair value.

With the exception of non-participating investment contracts and debt securities, all investments, including the City's investment in the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool (the Pool), are carried at fair value. The total fair value of the Pool is apportioned to the entities with funds invested on an equal basis for each share owned, which are acquired at a cost of \$1.00. Non-participating investment contracts such as nonnegotiable certificates of deposit are reported at cost. Debt securities are reported at cost or amortized cost.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

F. Receivables

All receivables are reported at their gross value and, where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible. Taxes receivable are comprised of delinquent real property taxes, net of an allowance for uncollectible accounts. The current property tax receivable allowance is equal to 1% of the current property tax levy.

Accounts receivable in the General Fund are comprised of franchise taxes, reimbursements, and capital lease proceeds receivable. Receivables in the Special Revenue Funds are comprised of accommodations taxes. Accounts receivable in the City's enterprise funds are comprised of charges for services and an estimate of unbilled receivables associated with the City's Public Utilities Fund. Estimated unbilled revenues are recognized at the end of each fiscal year on a pro rata basis. The estimated amount is based on billings during the month following the close of the fiscal year. The City computes the allowance for uncollectible accounts relative to the Public Utilities Fund based on an estimate of collections within each aging category or receivables.

G. Interfund Receivables and Payables

Activity between funds that is representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year, as well as all other outstanding balances between funds, are reported as "due to/from other funds" (current interfund loans) or "advances to/from other funds" (noncurrent portion of inter-fund loans).

Advances between funds are offset by a fund balance reserve account in the applicable government funds to indicate that they are not available for appropriation and are not available financial resources.

H. Inventories

Inventories in governmental funds, which are accounted for using the consumption method, consist of consumable supplies and fuel and are stated at cost, using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method. Reported inventories are equally offset by a nonspendable fund balance, which indicates that they do not constitute available spendable resources even though they are a component of current assets.

Inventories in enterprise funds are also accounted for using the consumption method. These inventories consist of merchandise for resale, fuel for sale, supplies and materials for operation, maintenance, and improvements to property and plant and are stated at the lower of cost or market, using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

I. Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond September 30, 2017, are recorded as prepaid items in both the government-wide and fund financial statements. The consumption method is used to account for prepaid items in the City's funds.

J. Restricted Assets

The City's restricted accounts are established to account for assets restricted for specific purposes, typically by outside parties or legal agreement. Certain debt agreements require the establishment of an account to hold 1) maximum annual principal and interest payments, and 2) the next succeeding principal and accrued interest payment.

K. Notes Receivable

Amounts loaned to others, which were funded with the City's unrestricted funds, are recorded as notes receivable. The City periodically evaluates the collectability of its outstanding note receivable, and has determined no provision for uncollectible amounts to be necessary. The note receivable is stated at the amount of unpaid principal as of September 30, 2017.

L. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, water and sewer delivery systems and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets and infrastructure are defined by the City as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$3,000 and an estimated 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 value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not increase the capacity or efficiency of an item, or add to the value of the asset or materially extend the assets' lives beyond original estimates, are not capitalized.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during construction of business-type capital assets is reflected in the capitalized value of the asset constructed, net of interest earned on the invested proceeds over the same period. Interest incurred during construction of governmental-type activities is not capitalized. Interest incurred during construction of business-type activities is capitalized. The City capitalized interest relative to its business-type activities during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, in the amount of \$421,399.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

L. Capital Assets (Continued)

All reported capital assets except land and construction in progress are depreciated. Useful lives for infrastructure are estimated based on the City's historical records of necessary improvements and replacements. Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful lives:

A 4	Useful Life
Asset	(Years)
Buildings	30 - 45
Infrastructure:	
Streets, bridges, and sidewalks	25
Electric system	25 - 50
Gas system	35 - 50
Water system	30 - 100
Wastewater system	40 - 60
Fiber optics and SCADA system	12 - 30
Runways	20
Major improvements	20
Furniture and fixtures	3 - 20
Vehicles, machinery and equipment	3 - 20

M. Compensated Absences

The City's policy is to permit employees to accumulate leave depending upon length of service. The maximum leave that can be accrued is 1,080 hours for persons with twenty or more years of service (calculated as hours earned times hourly rate). Upon termination, accumulated leave will be paid to the employee. All leave and compensatory pay is accrued when earned in the government-wide and proprietary fund financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in governmental funds only to the extent they are payable from current resources and represent matured liabilities, for example, as a result of employee resignations and retirements. There is no liability for unpaid accumulated sick leave since the City does not have a policy to pay any amounts when employees separate from service.

N. 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. In the governmental fund financial statements, the face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Issuance costs, whether or not withheld from the actual debt proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

O. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the Statement of Net Position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a consumption of net position that applies to future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense) until then. The City has five items that qualify for reporting in this category, all of which relate to the City's Retirement Plans and are combined in the Statement of Net Position under the heading "Pension." The first item, experience losses, results from periodic studies by the actuary of the Retirement Plans, which adjust the net pension liability for actual experience for certain trend information that was previously assumed, for example the assumed dates of retirement of plan members. These experience losses are recorded as deferred outflows of resources and are amortized into pension expense over the expected remaining service lives of the plan members. The second item, differences between projected investment return on pension investments and actual return on those investments, is deferred and amortized against pension expense over a four-year period, resulting in recognition as a deferred outflow of resources. The third item results from changes in the proportionate share and differences between employer contributions and the proportionate share of total plan employer contributions. These changes are reported as deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability over a four-year period. The fourth item, changes in the actuarial assumptions, adjust the net pension liabilities and are amortized into pension expense over the expected remaining service lives of plan members. The fifth item, pension contributions made subsequent to the plan measurement date, includes any contributions made by the City to the pension plan before year-end but subsequent to the measurement date of the City's net pension liabilities are reported as deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liabilities during the year ended September 30, 2018.

In addition to liabilities, the Statement of Net Position and the governmental funds balance sheet will sometimes report a separate section for *deferred inflows of resources*. This separate financial statement element represents an acquisition of fund balance that applies to future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The City has three items that qualify for reporting in this category. The first item, *unavailable revenue*, arises only under a modified accrual basis of accounting and is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. The governmental funds report unavailable revenue from property taxes and these amounts are deferred and will be recognized as an inflow of resources in the period in which the amounts become available. The second item, experience gains relating to the City's Retirement Plans, is recorded in the Statement of Net Position under the heading "Pension." Experience gains result from periodic studies by the actuary of the Retirement Plans, which adjust the net pension liability for actual experience for certain trend information that was previously assumed. These gains are recorded as deferred inflows of resources and are amortized into pension expense over the expected remaining lives of the plan members.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

O. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources (Continued)

The third item results from changes in the proportionate share and differences between employer contributions and the proportionate share of total plan employer contributions.

P. Fund Equity

Fund equity at the governmental fund financial reporting level is classified as "fund balance." Fund equity for all other reporting is classified as "net position."

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

Nonspendable – Fund balances are reported as nonspendable when amounts cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in a spendable form or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted – Fund balances are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the City or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws and regulations of other governments.

Committed – Fund balances are reported as committed when they can be used only for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the City Council through the adoption of a resolution or passage of an ordinance. Only the City Council may modify or rescind the commitment.

Assigned – Fund balances are reported as assigned when amounts are constrained by the City's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. Intent can be expressed by council or by an official or body to which Council delegates the authority. The City Council has delegated this authority to the City Administrator.

Unassigned – Fund balances are reported as unassigned as the residual amount when the balances do not meet any of the above criterion. The City reports positive unassigned fund balance only in the General Fund. Negative unassigned fund balances may be reported in all funds.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

P. Fund Equity (Continued)

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

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

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

Q. Use of Estimates

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

R. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS) and the South Carolina Police Officer's Retirement System (PORS) and additions to/deductions from SCRS and PORS' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by SCRS and PORS. 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.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 2. LEGAL COMPLIANCE – BUDGETS

Excess of Expenditures over Appropriations

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, expenses exceeded appropriations as follows:

Department of Public Utilities Fund \$\frac{\text{Excess}}{(5,338,017)}\$

The over expenditures in the Public Utilities Fund was funded by greater than anticipated operating and nonoperating revenues and capital contributions.

Deficit Fund Net Position

The Hillcrest Golf Course Fund had a deficit net position of \$445,606 as of September 30, 2017. The deficit in the Hillcrest Golf Course Fund will be eliminated through future revenues and transfers from other funds.

NOTE 3. CASH AND INVESTMENTS

Total cash and investments as of September 30, 2017, are summarized as follows:

Amounts as presented on the entity-wide statement of net position:

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents \$ 41,735,504
Investments \$ 29,815,088
Restricted cash and cash equivalents 6,290,349
Amounts as presented on the fiduciary statement of net position:

Cash and cash equivalents - Agency Fund \$ 2,861

Total \$ 77,843,802

Cash and investments deposited with financial institutions \$ 63,485,144

South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool 14,358,658

Total \$ 77,843,802

At September 30, 2017, the City's cash and investments included demand deposits with financial institutions, local government pools, mutual funds, and United States Government debt securities. The local government pool is managed by the State of South Carolina. The fair value of its position in the pool is the same as the value of the pool shares.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 3. CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Under State law, the City is authorized to hold funds in deposit accounts with banking institutions and invest funds in the following items: obligations of the United States and agencies thereof, obligations of the State of South Carolina or any of its political units, banks and savings and loan associations to the extent insured by an agency of the federal government, and/or certificates of deposit where the certificates are federally insured or collaterally secured by collateral of the types in the previously mentioned items.

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits and Investments: Custodial credit risk for deposits is the risk that, in the event of the failure of a depository financial institution, a government will not be able to recover deposits or will not be able to recover collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. State statutes require all deposits and investments (other than federal or state government instruments) to be collateralized by depository insurance, obligations of the U.S. government, or bonds of public authorities, counties, or municipalities. As of September 30, 2017, all of the City's deposits were covered by federal depository insurance or by collateral held in the pledging financial institutions' trust department in the City's name.

Custodial credit risk for investments is the risk that, in the event of the failure of the counterparty, the City will not be able to recover the value of its investments or collateral securities that are in the possession of an outside party. The City does not have a formal investment policy to address custodial credit risk.

Investments: As of September 30, 2017, the City had the following investments:

	Percentage								
Investment		Fair Value	of Portfolio	Credit Rating					
U.S. Treasuries	\$	15,965,880	53.5%	AAA/AA+					
U.S. Agencies		13,623,092	45.7%	AAA/AA+					
Mutual funds		226,116	0.8%	N/A					
	\$	29,815,088							

Fair Value Measurements: The City categorizes its fair value measurements within the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; and Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 3. CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Fair Value Measurements (Continued): The City has the following recurring fair value measurements as of September 30, 2017:

Investment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Fair Value
U.S. Treasury securities	\$ 15,965,880	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 15,965,880
U.S. Agency securities	13,623,092	-	-	13,623,092
Mutual funds	226,116	 	 	 226,116
Total investments measured at fair value	\$ 29,815,088	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 	\$ 29,815,088
Total investments				\$ 29,815,088

The City's investment in U.S. Agencies and U.S. Treasuries classified in Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy are valued using prices quoted in active markets for those investments. The City has no investments classified in Level 2 or Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.

The South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool (LGIP) is an investment pool, which does not meet the criteria of GASB Statement No. 79 and is thus valued at fair value in accordance with GASB Statement No. 31. As a result, the City does not disclose investment in the LGIP within the fair value hierarchy.

Credit Risk: Credit risk is the risk that an issuer of an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The City's investment policy allows for investments in the South Carolina Local Government Investment Pool ("LGIP"). As of September 30, 2017, the underlying security ratings of the City's investment in the LGIP may be obtained from the LGIP's complete financial statements. This investment pool does not have a credit quality rating assigned. These financial statements may be obtained by writing to the State Treasurer's Office, Local Government Investment Pool, Post Office Box 11778, Columbia, South Carolina 29211. Additionally, the City may invest in obligations of the United States, obligations issued by the Federal Financing Bank, Federal Farm Credit Bank, Bank of Cooperatives, Federal Intermediate Credit Bank, Federal Land Banks, Federal Home Loan Banks, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, Federal National Mortgage Association, Government National Mortgage Association, Federal Housing Administration, and Farmer's Home Administration, if, at the time of investment, the obligor has a long-term, unenhanced, unsecured debt rating in one of the top two ratings categories, without regard to a refinement or gradation of rating category by numerical modifier or otherwise issued by at least two nationally recognized credit organizations.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 3. CASH AND INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

Interest Rate Risk: Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. Investments held for longer periods are subject to increased risk of adverse interest rate changes. The City does not have a formal investment policy that would limit investment maturities as a means of managing its exposure to fair value arising from increasing interest rates.

			Investment Maturities (in Years)						
Investment Type		Fair Value		ess than 1	1 - 5		6 - 10		
U.S. Treasury Securities	\$	15,965,880	\$	6,991,340	\$	7,967,110	\$	1,007,430	
U.S. Agency Securities Mutual Funds		13,623,092 226,116		999,550 226,116		12,623,542		-	
Total fair value	\$	29,815,088	\$	8,217,006	\$	20,590,652	\$	1,007,430	

Concentration of Credit Risk: Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of the City's investment in a single issuer. The City places no limit on the amount that can be invested with any one issuer.

NOTE 4. RECEIVABLES

Property taxes are levied on real and personal properties owned on the preceding December 31 of the City's fiscal year ended September 30. Liens attach to the property at the time the taxes are levied, which is usually in November of each year. These taxes are due without penalty through January 15. After January 15, penalties are added and taxes become delinquent. After March 16, the taxes go into execution. The levy date for motor vehicle taxes is the first day of the month in which the motor vehicle license expires. These taxes are due by the last day of the same month. Penalty dates and rates are the same as that established by the Orangeburg County Council (January 16 – 3%, February 2 - an additional 7%, and March 16 - an additional 5%). If taxes are not paid by March 15, they are turned over to the delinquent tax office for collection. The City bills and collects current and delinquent property taxes with the exception of motor vehicle taxes, which are billed and collected by Orangeburg County. City tax revenues are recognized in the period for which they are levied; therefore, revenue recognition is deferred. Taxes on licensed motor vehicles are levied during the month when the taxpayer's license is up for renewal and are, therefore, recognized when cash is received by the City. The taxpayer must provide proof of payment to the Highway Department before the vehicle license will be renewed.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 4. RECEIVABLES (CONTINUED)

Receivables at September 30, 2017, for the City's individual major funds and nonmajor funds, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

	General	Nonmajor overnmental Funds	Public Utilities	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Total
Receivables:					
Taxes	\$ 148,634	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 148,634
Accounts	436,810	-	9,899,540	17,645	10,353,995
Interest	-	-	-	-	-
Notes	-	_	1,161,759	-	1,161,759
Due from other governments	161,867	20,734	-	-	182,601
Gross receivables	747,311	20,734	11,061,299	17,645	11,846,989
Less allowance					
for uncollectibles	(24,260)	-	(60,756)	-	(85,016)
Net total receivable	\$ 723,051	\$ 20,734	\$ 11,000,543	\$ 17,645	\$ 11,761,973

In 2011, the City entered into an agreement with the Orangeburg County/City Industrial Park Commission (the "Commission") whereby the City's Public Utilities Fund would provide up to \$1,600,000 to supplement additional funding from the State of South Carolina and Orangeburg County to assist the Commission in the acquisition of a building in the County's industrial park in exchange for a percentage of the fee in lieu revenues generated on the building until the note from the City to the Commission is repaid in full. The note receivable is collateralized by a proportionate interest in the building in the event of default. Payments on the note are due annually based on the annual fee in lieu assessment less a Special Source Revenue Credit in varying amounts through the City's fiscal year ended 2020. At September 30, 2017, the unpaid balance of the note receivable was \$1,161,759.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the governmental activities for the year ended September 30, 2017, is as follows:

	I	Beginning Balance	ı	Increases	De	ecreases	Transfers		Ending Balance
Governmental Activities:									
Capital assets, not being									
depreciated:									
Land	\$	2,118,304	\$	13,310	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 2,131,614
Construction in progress		566,189		1,164,998		-		-	1,731,187
Total capital assets, not									
being depreciated		2,684,493		1,178,308				<u>-</u>	 3,862,801
Capital assets, being depreciated:									
Land and site improvements		4,663,826		71,467		(6,800)		-	4,728,493
Buildings		14,847,049		139,171		-		-	14,986,220
Building improvements		3,047,429		4,500		-		-	3,051,929
Vehicles		7,554,599		268,685		(146,650)		-	7,676,634
Machinery and equipment		2,789,924		675,459		(15,125)		-	3,450,258
Infrastructure		9,009,275		-		-		-	9,009,275
Furniture and fixtures		1,691,978		43,892		(7,600)		-	1,728,270
Computer equipment		1,468,474		69,276		(12,097)		-	1,525,653
Tools and other		1,340,875		41,148		(12,443)		-	1,369,580
Total capital assets,									
being depreciated		46,413,429		1,313,598		(200,715)			 47,526,312
Less accumulated depreciation for:									
Land and site improvements		(3,256,198)		(210,787)		6,800		(2,245)	(3,462,430)
Buildings		(5,661,480)		(355,885)		-		-	(6,017,365)
Building improvements		(1,133,771)		(100,562)		-		4,823	(1,229,510)
Vehicles		(6,472,874)		(425,158)		146,650		-	(6,751,382)
Machinery and equipment		(1,271,580)		(406,788)		15,125		(2,509)	(1,665,752)
Infrastructure		(3,010,431)		(338,799)		-		-	(3,349,230)
Furniture and fixtures		(1,567,635)		(31,890)		7,600		-	(1,591,925)
Computer equipment		(1,202,924)		(108,139)		12,097		(69)	(1,299,035)
Tools and other		(1,259,470)		(34,079)		12,443			 (1,281,106)
Total accumulated depreciation		(24,836,363)		(2,012,087)		200,715		-	(26,647,735)
Total capital assets, being									
depreciated, net		21,577,066		(698,489)					20,878,577
Governmental activities capital									
assets, net	\$	24,261,559	\$	479,819	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 24,741,378

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

Capital asset activity for the business-type activities for the year ended September 30, 2017, is as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Transfers	Ending Balance
Business-type Activities:					
Capital assets, not being					
depreciated:					
Land	\$ 3,792,707	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,792,707
Construction in progress	36,466,159	18,468,980		(34,966,360)	19,968,779
Total capital assets, not					
being depreciated	40,258,866	18,468,980		(34,966,360)	23,761,486
Capital assets, being depreciated:					
Buildings and improvements	9,813,292	-	-	1,062,826	10,876,118
Electric division	132,730,118	-	(1,161,428)	5,801,639	137,370,329
Gas division	28,645,997	-	(37,279)	1,314,909	29,923,627
Water division	103,501,725	-	(233,139)	623,413	103,891,999
Wastew ater division	73,884,866	-	(4,807)	26,163,573	100,043,632
Land improvements	12,735,786	-	-	-	12,735,786
Tools and equipment	11,686,585	395,390	(55,293)	523	12,027,205
Furniture and fixtures	913,004	52,826	(2,862)		962,968
Total capital assets,					
being depreciated	373,911,373	448,216	(1,494,808)	34,966,883	407,831,664
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings and improvements	(4,393,226)	(358,456)	-	-	(4,751,682)
Electric division	(73,639,642)	(4,617,933)	305,624	-	(77,951,951)
Gas division	(12,684,328)	(717,968)	21,258	-	(13,381,038)
Water division	(33,582,890)	(2,260,793)	103,325	-	(35,740,358)
Wastew ater division	(29,987,007)	(1,670,296)	4,807	-	(31,652,496)
Land improvements	(8,727,247)	(652,199)	-	-	(9,379,446)
Tools and equipment	(4,284,954)	(753,391)	55,293	(523)	(4,983,575)
Furniture and fixtures	(880,604)	(18,879)	2,859		(896,624)
Total accumulated depreciation	(168,179,898)	(11,049,915)	493,166	(523)	(178,737,170)
Total capital assets, being					
depreciated, net	205,731,475	(10,601,699)	(1,001,642)	34,966,360	229,094,494
Business-type activities capital					
assets, net	\$ 245,990,341	\$ 7,867,281	\$ (1,001,642)	\$ -	\$ 252,855,980

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 5. CAPITAL ASSETS (CONTINUED)

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

Governmental activities:	
General government	\$ 144,871
Public safety	717,195
Public works	660,932
Culture and recreation	489,089
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$ 2,012,087
Business-type activities:	
Public Utilities	\$ 10,270,461
Municipal airport	717,415
Golf course	62,039
Total depreciation expense - business-type activities	\$ 11,049,915

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM DEBT

The City has the following forms of long-term indebtedness:

<u>Notes Payable</u> – The City issues notes payable to provide funds for the acquisition and construction of major capital facilities for use in the Department of Public Utilities Fund. The primary source of revenue for repayment of bonds is the Department of Public Utilities Fund. The notes payable were issued by the South Carolina State Revolving Fund Program and are secured by revenues of the Public Utilities system.

<u>Net Pension Liability</u> – This obligation represents the City's allocated portion of their long-term obligation for pension benefits. These obligations are primarily funded by the General Fund and the Public Utilities Fund.

<u>Other Postemployment Benefits Obligation</u> – This obligation represents the City's long-term obligation for postemployment benefits other than pensions. These obligations are primarily funded by the General Fund and the Public Utilities Fund.

<u>Capital Lease Obligations</u> – The City uses leases to finance the purchase of various equipment. Leases are paid from the General Fund and Local Hospitality and Accommodations Tax Fund.

<u>Compensated Absences Payable</u> – These obligations represent accumulated annual leave and compensatory time benefits, which were not funded by the current or prior years' revenue resources. These obligations are primarily funded by the General Fund and the Public Utilities Fund.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

Changes in Long-Term Liabilities

The following is a summary of long-term debt activity of the City for the year ended September 30, 2017:

	Beginning				Ending	D	ue Within
	Balance	Additions	F	Reductions	Balance	One Year	
Governmental activities:							
Capital leases	\$ 2,307,520	\$ 1,169,627	\$	(1,341,631)	\$ 2,135,516	\$	1,176,754
Compensated absences	1,261,827	97,102		(452,354)	906,575		453,287
Net pension liability	15,653,835	3,301,682		(2,605,419)	16,350,098		-
Other post-employment benefit							
obligation	2,186,093	75,558		-	2,261,651		-
Governmental activities long-term	 						
liabilities	\$ 21,409,275	\$ 4,643,969	\$	(4,399,404)	\$ 21,653,840	\$	1,630,041
Business-type activities:							
Notes payable	\$ 27,274,320	\$ 1,175,107	\$	(1,350,109)	\$ 27,099,318	\$	1,267,261
Compensated absences	1,343,106	880,165		(1,088,787)	1,134,484		886,890
Net pension liability	22,638,580	3,708,741		(2,527,485)	23,819,836		_
Other post-employment benefit							
obligation	2,815,565	83,635		-	2,899,200		-
Business-type activities long-term			-			-	
liabilities	\$ 54,071,571	\$ 5,847,648	\$	(4,966,381)	\$ 54,952,838	\$	2,154,151

Notes Payable

The City entered into a financing agreement with the South Carolina State Revolving Fund Program in the amount of \$4,280,163 titled Series 2009A. Principal and interest payments on the note are due in quarterly installments through 2030. The note bears interest of 1.84%. Additionally, the City entered into a financing agreement with the South Carolina State Revolving Fund Program in the amount of \$982,514 titled Series 2009B. Principal and interest payments on the note are due in quarterly installments through 2030. The note bears interest of 1.68%. Further, the City entered into a financing agreement with the South Carolina State Revolving Fund Program in the amount of \$27,454,700 titled Series 2014. Principal and interest payments on the note are due in quarterly installments through 2036. The note bears interest of 1.68%.

Notes payable from business-type activities at September 30, 2017, are as follows:

	Interest Rate	eptember 30, 2017
State Revolving Fund, Series 2009A	1.84%	\$ 2,626,491
State Revolving Fund, Series 2009B	1.68%	584,441
State Revolving Fund, Series 2014	1.68%	23,888,386
		\$ 27,099,318

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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

Notes Payable (Continued)

The annual requirements for debt service on notes payable outstanding at September 30, 2017, are summarized as follows:

	Principal		Interest	Total		
Year ending September 30,	<u> </u>					
2018	\$	1,267,261	\$ 425,190	\$	1,692,451	
2019		1,350,880	427,020		1,777,900	
2020		1,373,339	404,561		1,777,900	
2021		1,396,264	381,636		1,777,900	
2022		1,419,667	358,233		1,777,900	
2023 - 2027		7,466,878	1,422,622		8,889,500	
2028 - 2032		7,319,754	778,402		8,098,156	
2033 - 2036		5,505,275	191,782		5,697,057	
	\$	27,099,318	\$ 4,389,446	\$	31,488,764	

Capital Lease Obligations

The City entered into an equipment lease with a regional bank during 2004 for various capital improvement projects in the amount of \$3,787,058. Payments are to be made annually at 4.10% for a term of fifteen years.

The City entered into an equipment lease in the amount of \$1,284,023 with a regional bank during 2016 for equipment. Payments are to be made annually at 0.976% for a term of four years.

The City entered into an equipment lease in the amount of \$1,169,627 with a regional bank during 2017 for various equipment. Payments are to be made annually at 1.59% for a term of three years.

The future minimum lease obligations as of September 30, 2017, were as follows:

	Governmental Activities		
Fiscal year ending September 30,			
2018	\$	1,237,548	
2019		665,469	
2020		342,927	
Total minimum lease payments		2,245,944	
Less amount representing interest		(110,428)	
Present value of future minimum lease payments	\$	2,135,516	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 6. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

Capital Lease Obligations (Continued)

The carrying value of the assets acquired through capital leases as of September 30, 2017, were as follows:

	 Governmental Activities		
Equipment Less: Accumulated depreciation	\$ 2,799,155 (688,086)		
	\$ 2,111,069		

The City reported depreciation expense for the year ended September 30, 2017, on assets acquired through capital leases in the amount of \$408,906.

NOTE 7. OPERATING LEASES

The City participates in certain leases accounted for as operating leases as lessor. The City has a forty-year agreement to lease space on top of a water tank to a company for a telecommunication tower with an annual payments varying between \$12,650 and \$38,687 yearly. Lease income for the year ended for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, is \$16,730.

Future minimum lease payments to be received by the City for the remaining term under the non-cancelable operating lease are as follows:

Fiscal year ending September 30,	 Amount
2018	\$ 16,730
2019	16,730
2020	19,239
2021	19,239
2022	19,239
2023 - 2027	101,967
2028 - 2032	117,263
2033 - 2037	134,852
2038 - 2042	155,078
2043 - 2047	178,341
2048 - 2049	 77,394
	\$ 856,072

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 8. INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES AND TRANSFERS

The composition of interfund balances as of September 30, 2017, is as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	 Amount
General	Public Utilities	\$ 357,711
General	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	1,675
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	General	98,176
Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	28,672
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	20,856
		\$ 507,090

All interfund balances resulted from the time lag between the dates that (1) interfund goods and services are provided or reimbursable expenditures occur, (2) transactions are recorded in the accounting system, and (3) payments between funds are made. Advances to/from other funds represent amounts not expected to be repaid within one year from the date of the financial statements.

The composition of interfund transfers for the year ended September 30, 2017, is as follows:

	Transfer From							
					Nonmajor		Nonmajor	
			Public		Governmental		Enterprise	
Transfer To	 General		Utilities		Funds		Funds	Total
General	\$ -	\$	5,368,910	\$	355,784	\$	-	\$ 5,724,694
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	-		-		45,000		-	45,000
Nonmajor Enterprise Funds	2,676,787		-		-		44,589	2,721,376
Total	\$ 2,676,787	\$	5,368,910	\$	400,784	\$	44,589	\$ 8,491,070

Transfers are used to (1) move revenues from the fund that the statute or budget requires to collect them to the fund that the statute or budget requires to expend them and (2) use unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 9. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Risk Management

The City is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts including theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters. The City is a member of the South Carolina Insurance Reserve Fund (SCIRF), a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for local governments. The City pays an annual premium to the SCRIF for its general insurance. The SCRIRF is self-sustaining through member premiums and reinsures through commercial companies for certain claims. The City did not have any significant reductions in insurance coverage from prior years, and there were no settlements which exceeded insurance coverage for any of the past three years.

Additionally, the City participates in the South Carolina Municipal Insurance Trust/Workers' Compensation Pool, a public entity risk pool for its workers' compensation coverage. Pool members are subject to a supplemental assessment in the event of deficiencies.

Beginning January 1, 2014, the City implemented a partial self-insurance program for medical insurance coverage for its employees. The City's health insurance plan has an individual stop loss insurance amount of \$125,000. Health claims are handled by an administrator. Claims expenditures and liabilities are reported when it is probable that a loss has occurred and the amount of that loss can be reasonably estimated. These losses include an estimate of claims that have been incurred but not reported.

Changes in the balance of the liability for health, dental and prescription claims during the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, were as follows:

	Sep	tember 30, 2017
Unpaid claims, beginning of fiscal year	\$	374,966
Incurred claims and changes in estimates		3,649,442
Claim payments		(3,743,177)
Unpaid claims, end of fiscal year	\$	281,231

Contingent Liabilities

Grants. Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies in previous years are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, could become a liability of the General Fund or other 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.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 9. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

Contingent Liabilities (Continued)

Litigation. The City is party to various legal proceedings which normally occur in governmental operations. In the opinion of the City management, based on the advice of legal counsel with respect to litigation, the ultimate disposition of these lawsuits and claims will not have a material adverse effect on the City's financial position.

Unemployment Compensation. The City makes payments to the South Carolina Department of Employment and Workforce on a reimbursement basis for costs incurred in the administration of the state unemployment compensation statutes. Claims incurred but not reported at September 30, 2017, are not significant.

Construction Commitments. At September 30, 2017, the City had construction commitments related to various capital projects for approximately \$53,643,783.

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

Retirement Plan

Plan Description

Overview

The South Carolina Public Employee Benefit Authority (PEBA), which was created July 1, 2012, administers the various retirement systems and retirement programs managed by its Retirement Division. PEBA has an 11-member Board of Directors, appointed by the Governor and General Assembly leadership, which serves as co-trustee and co-fiduciary of the systems and the trust funds. By law, the State Fiscal Accountability Authority, which consists of five elected officials, also reviews certain PEBA Board decisions regarding the funding of the systems and serves as a cotrustee of the systems in conducting that review. Effective July 1, 2017, the Retirement System Funding and Administration Act of 2017 assigned the PEBA Board of Directors as the Custodian of the Retirement Trust Funds and assigned SC PEBA and the Retirement Systems Investment Commission (RSIC) as co-trustees of the Retirement Trust Funds. For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows and inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Systems and additions to/deductions from the Systems fiduciary net position have been determined on the accrual basis of accounting as they are reported by the Systems in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). For this purpose, revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred. Benefit and refund expenses are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the plan. Investments are reported at fair value.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

Plan Description (Continued)

PEBA issues a Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) containing financial statements and required supplementary information for the South Carolina Retirement System's Pension Trust Funds.

The CAFR is publicly available on the Retirement Benefits' link on PEBA's website at www.peba.sc.gov, or a copy may be obtained by submitting a request to PEBA, PO Box 11960, Columbia, SC 29211-1960. PEBA is considered a division of the primary government of the State of South Carolina, and, therefore, retirement trust fund financial information is also included in the comprehensive annual financial report of the state.

The South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS), a cost–sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan, was established effective July 1, 1945, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-1-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for employees of the state, its public school districts, and political subdivisions. In addition to the SCRS pension plan, the City contributes to the South Carolina Police Officers Retirement System (PORS), a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan. The plan was established effective July 1, 1962, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-11-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for police officers and firemen of the state and its political subdivisions.

Membership

Membership requirements are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. A brief summary of the requirements under each system is described below.

South Carolina Retirement System – Generally, all employees of covered employers are required to participate in and contribute to the SCRS as a condition of employment. This plan covers general employees, teachers and individuals newly elected to the South Carolina General Assembly beginning with the November 2012 general election. An employee member of the system with an effective date of membership prior to July 1, 2012, is a Class Two member. An employee member of the system with an effective date of membership on or after July 1, 2012, is a Class Three member.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System – To be eligible for PORS membership, an employee must be required by the terms of his employment, by election or appointment, to preserve public order, protect life and property, and detect crimes in the state; to prevent and control property destruction by fire; or to serve as a peace officer employed by the Department of Corrections, the Department of Juvenile Justice, or the Department of Mental Health. Probate judges and coroners may elect membership in PORS. Magistrates are required to participate in PORS for service as a magistrate. PORS members, other than magistrates and probate judges, must also earn at least \$2,000 per year and devote at least 1,600 hours per year to this work, unless exempted by statute. An employee member of the system with an effective date of membership prior to July 1, 2012, is a Class Two member. An employee member of the system with an effective date of membership on or after July 1, 2012, is a Class Three member.

Benefits

Benefit terms are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. PEBA does not have the authority to establish or amend benefit terms without a legislative change in the code of laws. Key elements of the benefit calculation include the benefit multiplier, years of service, and average final compensation. A brief summary of the benefit terms for both systems is presented below.

South Carolina Retirement System – A Class Two member who has separated from service with at least five or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 65 or with 28 years credited service regardless of age. A member may elect early retirement with reduced pension benefits payable at age 55 with 25 years of service credit. A Class Three member who has separated from service with at least eight or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension upon satisfying the Rule of 90 requirement that the total of the member's age and the member's creditable service equals at least 90 years. Both Class Two and Class Three members are eligible to receive a reduced deferred annuity at age 60 if they satisfy the five- or eight-year earned service requirement, respectively. An incidental death benefit is also available to beneficiaries of active or retired members of employees who participate in the death benefit program.

The annual retirement allowance of eligible retirees or their surviving annuitants is increased by the lesser of 1 percent or \$500 every July 1. Only those annuitants in receipt of a benefit on July 1 of the preceding year are eligible to receive the increase. Members who retire under the early retirement provisions at age 55 with 25 years of service are not eligible for the benefit adjustment until the second July 1 after reaching age 60 or the second July 1 after the date they would have had 28 years of service credit had they not retired.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System – A Class Two member who has separated from service with at least five or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 55 or with 25 years of service regardless of age. A Class Three member who has separated from service with at least eight or more years of earned service is eligible for a monthly pension at age 55 or with 27 years of service regardless of age. Both Class Two and Class Three members are eligible to receive a deferred annuity at age 55 with five or eight years of earned service, respectively. An incidental death benefit is also available to beneficiaries of active and retired members of employers who participate in the death benefit program. Accidental death benefits are also provided upon the death of an active member working for a covered employer whose death was a natural and proximate result of an injury incurred while in the performance of duty.

The retirement allowance of eligible retirees or their surviving annuitants is increased by the lesser of 1 percent or \$500 every July 1. Only those annuitants in receipt of a benefit on July 1 of the preceding year are eligible to receive the increase.

Contributions

Contributions are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws. The PEBA Board may increase the SCRS and PORS employer and employee contribution rates on the basis of the actuarial valuations, but any such increase may not result in a differential between the employee and employer contribution rate that exceeds 2.9 percent of earnable compensation for SCRS and 5 percent for PORS. An increase in the contribution rates adopted by the Board may not provide for an increase of more than one-half of one percent in any one year. If the scheduled employee and employer contributions provided in statute or the rates last adopted by the Board are insufficient to maintain a thirty-year amortization schedule of the unfunded liabilities of the plans, the Board shall increase the contribution rates in equal percentage amounts for the employer and employee as necessary to maintain the thirty-year amortization period; and, this increase is not limited to one-half of one percent per year.

If the most recent annual actuarial valuation of the Systems for funding purposes shows a ratio of the actuarial value of system assets to the actuarial accrued liability of the system (the funded ratio) that is equal to or greater than ninety percent, then the board, effective on the following July first, may decrease the then current contribution rates upon making a finding that the decrease will not result in a funded ratio of less than ninety percent. Any decrease in contribution rates must maintain the 2.9 percent and 5 percent differentials between the SCRS and PORS employer and employee contribution rates, respectively.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

If contribution rates are decreased pursuant to this provision, and the most recent annual actuarial valuation of the system shows a funded ratio of less than ninety percent, then effective on the following July first, and annually thereafter as necessary, the Board shall increase the then current contribution rates until a subsequent annual actuarial valuation of the system shows a funded ratio that is equal to or greater than 90 percent.

The Retirement System Funding and Administration Act increases employer contribution rates to 13.26 percent for SCRS and 16.24 percent for PORS, effective July 1, 2017. It also removes the 2.9 percent and 5 percent differential and increases and establishes a ceiling on employee contribution rates at 9 percent and 9.75 percent for SCRS and PORS respectively. The employer contribution rates will continue to increase annually by 1 percent through July 1, 2022. The legislation's ultimate scheduled employer rate is 18.56 percent for SCRS and 21.24 percent for PORS. The amortization period is schedules to be reduced one year for each of the next 10 years to a twenty-year amortization schedule. The recent pension reform legislation also changes the long-term funded ratio requirement from ninety to eight-five.

Required employee contribution rates for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, are as follows:

South Carolina Retirement System

8.66% of earnable compensation from October 1st through June 30th.9.00% of earnable compensation from July 1st through September 30th.

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System

9.24% of earnable compensation from October 1st through June 30th.9.75% of earnable compensation from July 1st through September 30th.Employer incidental death benefit: 0.15% of earnable compensation

Required employer contribution rates for the year ended September 30, 2017, are as follows:

South Carolina Retirement System

11.41% of earnable compensation from October 1st through June 30th.

13.41% of earnable compensation from July 1st through September 30th.

Employer incidental death benefit: 0.15% of earnable compensation

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System

13.84% of earnable compensation from October 1st through June 30th.

15.84% of earnable compensation from July 1st through September 30th.

Employer incidental death benefit: 0.20% of earnable compensation

Employer accidental death benefit: 0.20% of earnable compensation

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

Actuarial valuations involve estimates of the reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and future salary increases. Amounts determined during the valuation process are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. South Carolina state statute requires that an actuarial experience study be completed at least once in each five-year period. The last experience study was performed on data through June 30, 2015, and the next experience study is scheduled to be conducted after the June 30, 2020, annual valuation is complete.

The June 30, 2017, total pension liability, net pension liability, and sensitivity information were determined by the consulting actuary, Gabriel, Roeder, Smith and Company (GRS) and are based on the July 1, 2016, actuarial valuations, as adopted by the PEBA Board and Budget and Control Board, which utilized membership data as of July 1, 2016. The total pension liability was rolled-forward from the valuation date to the plan's fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, using generally accepted actuarial principles. Information included in the following schedules is based on the certification provided by GRS.

The Retirement System Funding and Administration Act of 2017 was signed into law April 25, 2017, and included a provision to reduce the assumed rate of return from 7.50% to 7.25% effective July 1, 2017. As a result of this legislation, GRS made an adjustment to the calculation of the roll-forward total pension liability for this assumption change as of the measurement date of June 30, 2017.

Assumptions and methods used in the July 1, 2016, valuation for the System are as follows:

	SCRS	PORS
Actuarial cost method	Entry Age	Entry Age
Actuarial assumptions:		
Investment rate of return	7.25%	7.25%
Projected salary increases	3.0% to 12.5%	3.5% to 9.5%
	(varies by service)	(varies by service)
Includes inflation at	2.25%	2.25%
Benefit adjustments	lesser of 1% or \$500	lesser of 1% or \$500

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

The post-retiree mortality assumption is dependent upon the member's job category and gender. The base mortality assumption, the 2016 Public Retirees of South Carolina Mortality table (2016 PRSC), was developed using the Systems' mortality experience. These base rates are adjusted for future improvement in mortality using published Scale AA projected from the year 2016.

Assumptions used in the July 1, 2016, valuations for SCRS and PORS are as follows:

Former Job Class	Males	Females
General Employees and Members		
of the General Assembly	2016 PRSC Males multiplied by 100%	2016 PRSC Females multiplied by 111%
Public Safety and Firefighters	2016 PRSC Males multiplied by 125%	2016 PRSC Females multiplied by 111%

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments for actuarial purposes is based upon the 30-year capital market assumptions. The actuarial long-term expected rates of return represent assumptions developed using an arithmetic building block approach primarily based on consensus expectations and market based inputs. Expected returns are net of investment fees.

The expected real rates of investment return, along with the expected inflation rate, form the basis for the target asset allocation adopted at the beginning of the 2017 fiscal year of the Systems. For actuarial purposes, the long-term expected rate of return is calculated by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target allocation percentage and then adding the actuarial expected inflation, which is summarized in the table on the following page. For actuarial purposes, the 7.25 percent assumed annual investment rate of return used in the calculation of the total pension liability includes a 5.00 percent real rate of return and a 2.25 percent inflation component.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

	Expected Target Asset Arithmetic Real		Long-Term Expected Portfolio
Asset Class	Allocation	Rate of Return	Real Rate of Return
Asset Glass	Anocation	Nate of Neturn	Near Nate of Neturn
Global Equity	45.0%		
Global public equity	31.0%	6.72%	2.08%
Private equity	9.0%	9.60%	0.86%
Equity options securities	5.0%	5.91%	0.30%
Real assets	8.0%		
Real estate (private)	5.0%	4.32%	0.22%
Real estate (REITs)	2.0%	6.33%	0.13%
Infrastructure	1.0%	6.26%	0.06%
Opportunistic	17.0%		
GTAA/Risk parity	10.0%	4.16%	0.42%
Hedge funds (non-PA)	4.0%	3.82%	0.15%
Other opportunistic strategies	3.0%	4.16%	0.12%
Diversified credit	18.0%		
Mixed credit	6.0%	3.92%	0.24%
Emerging markets	5.0%	5.01%	0.25%
Private debt	7.0%	4.37%	0.31%
Conservative fixed income	12.0%		
Core fixed income	10.0%	1.60%	0.16%
Cash and short duration (net)	2.0%	0.92%	0.01%
	100%		
	Total expected re	al return	5.31%
	Inflation for actuar	rial purposes	2.25%
	Total expected no	ominal return	7.56%

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.25 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from participating employers in SCRS and PORS will be made based on the actuarially determined rates based on provisions in the South Carolina State Code of Laws. Based on those assumptions, each System's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

The following tables present the sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate.

Sensitivity of the Net Position Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

				Current		
	1	% Decrease	Di	scount Rate	1	% Increase
System	(6.25%) (7.		(7.25%)) (8.25%		
South Carolina Retirement System	\$	42,466,593	\$	32,948,890	\$	27,173,881
South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System	\$	9,749,635	\$	7,221,044	\$	5,229,111

Net Pension Liability

The net pension liability (NPL) is calculated separately for each system and represents that particular system's total pension liability determined in accordance with GASB No. 67 less that System's fiduciary net position. NPL totals, as of September 30, 2017, for SCRS and PORS are presented below.

For the City's fiscal ending September 30, 2017, the net pension liabilities for the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS) and South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System (PORS) are as follows:

System	Total Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Net Position	Employers' Net Pension Liability	Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability
SCRS	\$ 70,612,478	\$ 37,663,588	\$ 32,948,890	53.3%
PORS	\$ 18,486,668	\$ 11,265,624	\$ 7,221,044	60.9%

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

As of June 30, 2017, the change in the net pension liability for the SCRS Plan is calculated as follows:

Total pension liability	
Service cost	\$ 1,176,839
Interest	4,856,433
Difference between actual and expected experience	79,891
Assumption changes	2,556,465
Benefit payments	(4,442,320)
Net change in total pension liability	 4,227,308
Total pension liability - beginning June 30, 2016	 66,385,170
Total pension liability - ending June 30, 2017	 70,612,478
Plan fiduciary net position	
Contributions - employer	1,710,771
Contributions - member	1,209,761
Refunds of contributions to members	(153,930)
Retirement benefits	(4,255,200)
Death benefits	(33,191)
Net investment income	4,085,334
Administrative expense	(19,725)
Net transfers to affiliated systems	 (2,268)
Net change in Plan fiduciary net position	2,541,552
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning June 30, 2016	 35,122,036
Plan fiduciary net position - ending June 30, 2017	 37,663,588
Net pension liability	\$ 32,948,890

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

As of June 30, 2017, the change in the net pension liability for the PORS Plan is calculated as follows:

Total pension liability	
Service cost	\$ 439,341
Interest	1,246,888
Difference between actual and expected experience	13,295
Assumption changes	878,222
Benefit payments	 (993, 173)
Net change in total pension liability	1,584,573
Total pension liability - beginning June 30, 2016	 16,902,095
Total pension liability - ending June 30, 2017	 18,486,668
Plan fiduciary net position	
Contributions - employer	506,089
Contributions - member	336,962
Refunds of contributions to members	(52,620)
Retirement benefits	(930,400)
Death benefits	(10,152)
Net investment income	1,201,588
Administrative expense	(5,665)
Net transfers to affiliated systems	 3,367
Net change in Plan fiduciary net position	1,049,169
Plan fiduciary net position - beginning June 30, 2016	 10,216,455
Plan fiduciary net position - ending June 30, 2017	 11,265,624
Net pension liability	\$ 7,221,044

The total pension liability is calculated by the Systems' actuary, and each plan's fiduciary net position is reported in the Systems' financial statements. The net pension liability is disclosed in accordance with the requirements of GASB 67 in the Systems' notes to the financial statements and required supplementary information. Liability calculations performed by the Systems' actuary for the purpose of satisfying the requirements of GASB Nos. 67 and 68 are not applicable for other purposes, such as determining the plans' funding requirements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, the City recognized pension expense of
\$3,221,484 for the SCRS plan and \$964,921 for the PORS plan. At September 30, 2017, the City
reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the SCRS
and PORS pension plans, respectively, from the following sources:

SCRS	O	Deferred utflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources			
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	146,887	\$	18,263		
Changes of assumptions		1,928,804		-		
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		919,778		-		
Changes in proportionate share and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of total plan employer contributions		249,495		540,755		
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		530,233		<u>-</u>		
Total	\$	3,775,197	\$	559,018		

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

PORS	0	Deferred outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources		
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	64,391	\$	-	
Changes of assumptions		685,344		-	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		257,315		-	
Changes in proportionate share and differences between employer contributions and proportionate share of total plan employer contributions		30,019		73,723	
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date		141,812			
Total	\$	1,178,881	\$	73,723	

City contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$530,233 and \$141,812 for the SCRS plan and the PORS plan, respectively, are deferred outflows of resources and will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended September 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 September 30:	 SCRS	PORS			
2018	\$ 737,530	\$	274,127		
2019	1,350,272		391,156		
2020	858,955		274,185		
2021	(260,811)		23,878		

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Retirement Plan (Continued)

Pension Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information regarding the fiduciary net position of the plans administered by PEBA is available in the separately issued CAFR containing financial statements and required supplementary information for SCRS and PORS. The CAFR of the Pension Trust Funds is publicly available on PEBA's Retirement Benefits' website at www.retirement.sc.gov, or a copy may be obtained by submitting a request to PEBA, PO Box 11960, Columbia, SC 29211-1960.

Post-employment Benefits Other Than Pensions

Plan Description

The City administers a Retiree Medical and Prescription Drug Plan (Plan) as a single-employer defined benefit other postemployment benefit plan (OPEB). The Plan provides for continuation of medical insurance benefits for certain retirees and can be amended by action of the City. Eligibility requirements are set forth in the Plan's provisions and based on amount of service to the City. Employees hired prior to June 1, 1993, may receive benefits under the terms of the Plan if they meet one of the following requirements: (a) completes 15 years of service with the City and attains age 65; (b) completes 20 years of service with the City and attains age 60; (c) completes 25 years of service with the City; (d) completes 25 years of service with the City Department of Public Safety; (e) completes 28 years of service under the South Carolina Retirement System and completes 15 years of continuous service with the City; or (f) completes 25 years of service under the South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System and completes 15 years of continuous service with the City. Employees hired on or after June 1, 1993, and prior to January 1, 2010, may continue coverage under the terms of the Plan if they meet one of the following requirements: (a) completes 25 years of service with the City; or (b) completes 25 years of service with the City Department of Public Safety. Employees hired on or after January 1, 2010, are not eligible for post-employment benefits under this Plan. Additionally, disabled retirees must meet the same eligibility requirements as non-disabled retirees. Eligible retirees will receive health benefits through the City's self-insured group plan at no cost between the ages of 60 and 65. Prior to age 60, retirees must pay the full premium for health coverage. Upon reaching Medicare eligibility, the retiree will be removed from the City's group health plan. At this time, the City will pay up to \$100 per month toward the cost of a Medicare supplement.

The Plan does not issue a stand-alone financial report since there are no assets legally segregated for the sole purpose of paying benefits under the Plan.

As of October 1, 2017, the actuarial measurement date, there were 308 covered participants; 114 members are retirees or their spouses receiving benefits and 194 are active participants.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Post-employment Benefits Other Than Pensions (Continued)

Funding Policy

The City contributes to the Plan on a pay-as-you-go basis to satisfy current obligations. The required contribution rate of the City varies depending on the applicable agreement. The costs of administering the Plan are paid by the City. Monthly premiums in effect during the City's fiscal year ended September 30, 2017, were \$676 for retirees only and \$1,326 for retiree family coverage.

The City's annual other post-employment benefits (OPEB) cost (expense) is calculated based on the annual required contribution (ARC) of the employer, an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement No. 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal costs each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed 30 years. The current ARC rate is based on a level percent of payroll increasing annually at 4.0 percent.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employer and plan members) and include the types of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing of benefit costs between the employer and plan members. The methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

In the most recent actuarial valuation dated October 1, 2017, the projected unit cost method was used. The amortization method is the level dollar open method and the remaining amortization period is 30 years. The actuarial assumptions include a 4.00% return on investments, which includes inflation at 2.25%, and an annual healthcare cost trend rate of 7.50% initially reduced by decrements to an ultimate rate of 5.00% after 6 years.

Annual OPEB Cost, Funded Status and Funding Progress

The City's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the Plan, and the net OPEB obligation for the fiscal years ended September 30, 2017, 2016 and 2015, were as follows:

_	Fiscal Year Ending	Annual OPEB Cost		Percentage of Annual OPEB Cost Contributed	Net OPEB Obligation		
	9/30/2017	\$	507,342	68.6 %	\$	5,160,851	
	9/30/2016		469,249	45.9		5,001,658	
	9/30/2015		473,036	50.1		4,747,635	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 10. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS (CONTINUED)

Post-employment Benefits Other Than Pensions (Continued)

The following table shows the components of the City's annual OPEB cost for the year, the amount actually contributed to the plan, and change in the City net OPEB obligation.

	September 30, 2017		
Annual required employer contribution	\$	585,398	
Interest on net OPEB obligation		200,066	
Adjustment to annual required contribution		(278, 122)	
Annual OPEB cost		507,342	
Employer contributions made or accrued		348,149	
Increase in net OPEB obligation		159,193	
Net OPEB obligation beginning of year		5,001,658	
Net OPEB obligation end of year	\$	5,160,851	

As of October 1, 2017, the most recent valuation date, the funded status of the OPEB Plan is as follows:

			Actuarial				UAAL as a
	Actuaria	ı	Accrued	Unfunded			Percentage
Actuarial	Value of	f	Liability (AAL)	AAL	Funded	Covered	of Covered
Valuation	Assets		Entry Age	(UAAL)	Ratio	Payroll	Payroll
Date	(a)		(b)	 (b-a)	(a/b)	(c)	(b-a)/c)
10/1/2017	\$	- :	\$ 8,409,409	\$ 8,409,409	- %	\$ 9,854,392	85.3%

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumption about future employment, mortality and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future. The schedule of funding progress, presented as required supplementary information following the notes to the financial statements, presents multiyear trend information that shows whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

NOTE 11. IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW ACCOUNTING STANDARD

During the year ended September 30, 2017, the City implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 77, *Tax Abatement Disclosures*. This statement requires the City to disclose information for any tax abatement agreements either entered into by the City, or agreements entered into by other governments that reduce the City's tax revenues. The following information is required to be disclosed:

As of September 30, 2017, the City's ad valorem property tax revenues were reduced by \$174,361 under tax abatement agreements entered into by Orangeburg County. The City is not reimbursed by the County for the foregone property tax revenues associated with the agreements.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

							Variance
	Budgeted	d Am	ounts				with Final
	Original		Final		Actual		Budget
Revenues:							
Property taxes	\$ 3,483,000	\$	3,469,220	\$	3,490,038	\$	20,818
Franchise taxes	156,000		148,850		144,896		(3,954)
Other taxes	3,196,516		3,294,516		2,126,995		(1,167,521)
Licenses and permits	1,066,962		1,085,520		1,083,083		(2,437)
Intergovernmental	563,500		548,423		618,855		70,432
Charges for services	2,236,800		2,185,325		2,150,877		(34,448)
Fines and forfeitures	638,800	542,900		435,359		(107,541)	
Interest and penalties	50,000		78,000		100,172		22,172
Other revenues	122,771		120,601		113,830		(6,771)
Total revenues	 11,514,349		11,473,355	_	10,264,105		(1,209,250)
Total Tovolidos	 11,011,010		11,110,000	_	10,201,100		(1,200,200)
Expenditures:							
Current:							
General government	2,653,796		2,240,927		2,252,227		(11,300)
Judicial	287,261		285,161		288,455		(3,294)
Public safety	8,366,330		8,351,631		8,438,056		(86,425)
Public works	2,560,495		2,498,351		2,486,983		11,368
Culture and recreation	2,215,281		2,171,982		2,154,925		17,057
Non-departmental	1,073,295 2,088,157 1,614,6		1,614,611		473,546		
Debt Service:							
Principal	950,000		989,000		1,049,670		(60,670)
Interest	 20,000		20,000		19,048	_	952
Total expenditures	 18,126,458		18,645,209		18,303,975		341,234
Deficiency of revenues (under) expenditures	(6,612,109)	_	(7,171,854)		(8,039,870)		(868,016)
Other financing sources (uses):							
Proceeds from issuance of capital lease	1,465,500		1,265,500		1,169,627		(95,873)
Proceeds from the sale of capital assets	80,000		80,000		-,		(80,000)
Transfers in	6,124,609		6,848,854		5,724,694		(1,124,160)
Transfers out	(1,058,000)		(1,022,500)		(2,676,787)		(1,654,287)
Total other financing sources, net	 6,612,109	_	7,171,854		4,217,534	_	(2,954,320)
rotal other infamoning courses, not	 0,012,100	_	7,171,001		1,217,001	_	(2,001,020)
Net change in fund balances	-		-		(3,822,336)		(3,822,336)
Fund balance, beginning of year	13,365,494		13,365,494		13,365,494		
Fund balance, end of year	\$ 13,365,494	\$	13,365,494	\$	9,543,158	\$	(3,822,336)

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

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS – OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS – DEFINED BENEFIT HEALTHCARE PLAN FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)		Lia	Actuarial Accrued ability (AAL) Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	_	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll (b-a)/c)
10/1/2017	\$	-	\$	8,409,409	\$ 8,409,409	- %	\$	9,854,392	85.3%
10/1/2015		-		6,950,418	6,950,418	-		10,398,586	66.8%
10/1/2013		-		6,403,785	6,403,785	-		11,428,278	56.0%
10/1/2011		_		7,359,068	7,359,068	-		13,029,053	56.5%

The assumptions used in the preparation of the above schedule is disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CITY'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,

	otal pension liability
2017 0.146364% \$ 32,948,890 \$ 12,020,937 274.1%	53.3%
2017 0.146364% \$ 32,948,890 \$ 12,020,937 274.1% 2016 0.148145% 31,643,554 11,504,330 275.1%	52.9%
2015 0.146676% 27,817,811 11,059,365 251.5%	57.0%
2014 0.149959% 25,817,968 11,149,182 231.6%	59.9%

Fiscal Year Ended September 30,	City's proportion of the net pension liability	sha	City's proportionate share of the net		roportionate			City's share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered employee payroll	Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	
2017	0.26358%	\$	7,221,044	\$	3,129,209	230.8%	60.9%			
2016	0.26213%	*	6,648,861	•	2,898,380	229.4%	60.4%			
2015	0.26653%		5,790,921		2,870,220	201.8%	64.6%			
2014	0.26843%		5.072.658		2.773.388	182.9%	67.5%			

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

The assumptions used in the preparation of the above schedules are disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF CITY CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30,

South Carolina Retirement System

		Contributions in relation to the			Contributions as
Fiscal Year Ended	Actuarially required	actuarially required	Contribution deficiency	City's covered	a percentage of covered
September 30,	contribution	contribution	(excess)	employee payroll	employee payroll

7	\$ 1,805,147	\$ 1,805,147	\$	-	\$ 14,938,944	12.08%
6	1,586,649	1,586,649		-	14,701,855	10.79%
5	1,499,035	1,499,035		-	13,899,391	10.78%
ļ	1,443,115	1,443,115		-	13,649,729	10.57%

South Carolina Police Officers' Retirement System

Fiscal Year Ended September 30,	r	ctuarially equired ntribution	rela a	tributions in ation to the ctuarially required antribution	(Contribution deficiency (excess)			y's covered loyee payroll	Contributions as a percentage of covered employee payroll		
2017 2016 2015 2014	\$	542,493 459,163 442,795 414,534	\$	542,493 459,163 442,795 414,534	\$			\$	3,686,997 3,152,742 3,376,453 3,091,849	14.71% 14.56% 13.11% 13.41%		

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

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The assumptions used in the preparation of the above schedules are disclosed in Note 10 to the financial statements.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES - GENERAL FUND BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

		Budgeted Amounts						Variance
		Original	a Am	Final		Actual		with Final Budget
Revenues:		Original		ı ıııaı	_	Actual		Duuget
Property taxes:								
Current taxes	\$	3,257,000	\$	3,246,598	\$	3,235,228	\$	(11,370)
Delinguent taxes	•	175,000	Ψ	176,122	Ψ	183,997	Ψ	7,875
Other		51,000		46,500		70,813		24,313
Franchise taxes		156,000		148,850		144,896		(3,954)
Sales taxes		1,234,000		1,198,000		,		(1,198,000)
Business taxes:		,, ,,,,,		.,,				(1,100,000)
Insurance		1,876,000		2,010,000		2,023,033		13,033
Other taxes		86,516		86,516		103,962		17,446
Licenses and permits:		,-				,		,
Business licenses		1,026,350		1,028,150		1,027,493		(657)
Permits		40,612		57,370		55,590		(1,780)
Intergovernmental:		,		,		ŕ		,
Local		36,000		35,800		36,575		775
State		342,500		347,623		336,360		(11,263)
Federal		185,000		165,000		245,920		80,920
Charges for services:		,		ŕ		ŕ		,
Sanitation - commercial		440,000		406,288		378,619		(27,669)
Sanitation - residential		726,500		752,876		781,858		28,982
Fire service contracts		881,000		865,000		857,917		(7,083)
Recreation programs		171,300		147,661		118,771		(28,890)
Recreation department		18,000		13,500		13,712		212
Fines and forfeitures:								
Criminal fines		180,000		178,000		135,157		(42,843)
Traffic fines		415,000		330,000		258,354		(71,646)
Other		43,800		34,900		41,848		6,948
Interest and penalties		50,000		78,000		100,172		22,172
Other revenues:								
Rentals		35,000		30,000		25,340		(4,660)
Other		87,771		90,601		88,490		(2,111)
Total revenues	\$	11,514,349	\$	11,473,355	\$	10,264,105	\$	(1,209,250)

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES - GENERAL FUND BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

						Variance	
		Budgete	d <u>Amo</u> u	nts		,	with Final
	Or	iginal		Final	 Actual		Budget
Expenditures:							
General government:							
Executive department:							
Administrative division:							
Personnel	\$	102,021	\$	103,508	\$ 102,523	\$	985
Utilities		3,500		2,616	2,615		1
Property and tort insurance		15		32	32		-
Operating		73,800		57,811	 71,899		(14,088)
Total administrative division		179,336		163,967	 177,069		(13,102)
Election division:							
Property and tort insurance		75		-	-		_
Operating		2,950		2,950	8,399		(5,449)
Total election division		3,025		2,950	8,399		(5,449)
Total executive department		182,361		166,917	 185,468		(18,551)
Finance department:							
Finance and records division:							
Personnel		397,558		346,224	362,345		(16,121)
Utilities		4,200		3,875	4,037		(162)
Property and tort insurance		3,000		3,116	3,116		` _
Operating		70,350		144,375	155,150		(10,775)
Total finance and records division		475,108		497,590	 524,648		(27,058)
Information technology division:							
Personnel		177,163		174,887	180,156		(5,269)
Utilities		2,600		3,684	3,685		(1)
Property and tort insurance		2,043		1,960	1,960		-
Operating		101,300		101,901	107,985		(6,084)
Capital		332,000		82,000	22,166		59,834
Total information technology division		615,106		364,432	315,952		48,480
Total finance department		1,090,214		862,022	 840,600		21,422
Administration department:							
Administrative division:							
Personnel		384,073		368,533	368,198		335
Utilities		6,500		6,000	5,491		509
Property and tort insurance		2,068		2,223	2,222		1
Operating		26,000		28,647	24,895		3,752
Total administrative division		418,641		405,403	 400,806		4,597
Community planning and development division:							
Personnel		168,252		173,558	179,411		(5,853)
Utilities		1,700		1,165	1,096		69
Property and tort insurance		2,100		2,046	2,046		-
Operating		183,400		33,736	 53,862		(20,126)
Total community planning and development division		355,452		210,505	 236,415		(25,910)
Total administration department	\$	774,093	\$	615,908	\$ 637,221	\$	(21,313)

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES - GENERAL FUND BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

				Variance
		Amounts		with Final
0 1 1 1 1 1 1	Original	Final	Actual	Budget
General government (continued):				
Service department: Administrative division:				
Personnel	\$ 516,478	\$ 501,500	\$ 494,413	\$ 7,087
Utilities	7,500	7,500	7,288	212
Property and tort insurance	16,000	19,806	19,806	212
Operating	67,150	67,274	67,431	(157
Total administrative division	607,128	596,080	588,938	7,142
				
Total service department	607,128	596,080	588,938	7,142
Total general government	2,653,796	2,240,927	2,252,227	(11,300
Judicial:				
Municipal court division:				
Personnel	240,687	243,635	247,941	(4,306)
Property and tort insurance	474	566	566	-
Operating	46,100	40,960	39,948	1,012
Total municipal court division	287,261	285,161	288,455	(3,294
Total judicial	287,261	285,161	288,455	(3,294)
Public safety:				
Public safety department:				
Administrative division:				
Personnel	203,665	210,259	214,346	(4,087
Utilities	120,000	115,000	114,295	705
Property and tort insurance	19,800	22,245	22,245	-
Operating	611,500	537,549	479,845	57,704
Capital		770	856	(86
Total administrative division	954,965	885,823	831,587	54,236
Patrol division:				
Personnel	2,371,500	2,596,360	2,656,007	(59,647
Property and tort insurance	73,011	70,976	70,976	-
Operating	294,300	303,015	300,973	2,042
Capital	114,000	114,023	114,022	1
Total patrol division	2,852,811	3,084,374	3,141,978	(57,604)
Special operations division:				
Personnel	1,773,452	1,841,242	1,910,904	(69,662)
Property and tort insurance	47,935	44,209	44,208	1
Operating	274,900	255,064	246,732	8,332
Capital	668,000	658,026	658,026	
Total special operations division	2,764,287	2,798,541	2,859,870	(61,329)
Investigation division:				
Personnel	1,095,093	1,151,470	1,177,200	(25,730)
Property and tort insurance	25,600	28,804	28,803	1
Operating	64,500	61,712	65,835	(4,123)
Capital	38,000	34,300	34,299	1
Total investigation division	\$ 1,223,193	\$ 1,276,286	\$ 1,306,137	\$ (29,851)

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES - GENERAL FUND BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

				Variance
	Budgete	d Amounts		with Final
	Original	Final	Actual	Budget
Public safety (continued):				
Public safety department (continued):				
Highway safety DUI special enforcement division:				
Operating	\$ 28,000	\$ 10,000	\$ 7,279	\$ 2,721
Total highway safety DUI				
enforcement division	28,000	10,000	7,279	2,721
Forensic Services division:				
Personnel	415,451	227,941	230,086	(2,145)
Property and tort insurance	7,023	3,681	3,680	1
Operating	115,800	60,745	53,199	7,546
Capital	4,800	4,240	4,240	-
Total forensic services division	543,074	296,607	291,205	5,402
Total public safety department	8,366,330	8,351,631	8,438,056	(86,425)
Total public agfaty	0 266 220	0 251 621	0 420 056	(96.425)
Total public safety	8,366,330	8,351,631	8,438,056	(86,425)
Public works:				
Public works department:				
Administrative division:				
Personnel	300,853	261,768	262,475	(707)
Utilities	4,600	4,500	4,500	-
Property and tort insurance	1,920	1,873	1,873	-
Operating	15,000	15,389	12,317	3,072
Capital	30,000	27,882	27,882	
Total administrative division	352,373	311,412	309,047	2,365
Building inspection division:				
Personnel	171,982	173,899	174,328	(429)
Utilities	3,500	3,500	3,482	18
Property and tort insurance	2,058	2,075	2,074	1
Operating	21,100	13,834	9,790	4,044
Total building inspection division	198,640	193,308	189,674	3,634
Garage division:				
Personnel	312,661	335,529	340,799	(5,270)
Utilities	20,000	16,343	16,006	337
Property and tort insurance	4,993	4,790	4,790	-
Operating	43,600	47,250	45,986	1,264
Capital	16,000	17,500	16,712	788
Total garage division	397,254	421,412	424,293	(2,881)
Municipal buildings division:				
Personnel	61,730	63,005	63,766	(761)
Utilities	33,500	33,500	33,286	214
Property and tort insurance	7,001	4,673	4,673	-
Operating	40,200	31,001	29,975	1,026
Total municipal buildings division	\$ 142,431	\$ 132,179	\$ 131,700	\$ 479

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES - GENERAL FUND BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

				Variance
	Budgete	d Amounts		with Final
	Original	Final	Actual	Budget
Public works (continued):				
Public works department (continued):				
Parking facilities division:				
Property and tort insurance	\$ 78	\$ 78	\$ 78	\$ -
Operating	5,980	5,180	4,709	471
Total parking facilities division	6,058	5,258	4,787	471
Sanitation division:				
Personnel	863,224	876,709	889,002	(12,293)
Utilities	5,400	6,420	6,756	(336)
Property and tort insurance	28,324	45,268	45,268	_
Operating	246,550	238,214	223,449	14,765
Capital	285,000	246,503	246,203	300
Total sanitation division	1,428,498	1,413,114	1,410,678	2,436
Street and maintenance division:				
Property and tort insurance	2,741	1,668	1,668	_
Operating	32,500	20,000	15,136	4,864
Total street and maintenance division	35,241	21,668	16,804	4,864
Total public works department	2,560,495	2,498,351	2,486,983	11,368
Total public works	2,560,495	2,498,351	2,486,983	11,368
Culture and recreation:				
Parks and recreation department:				
Administrative division:				
Personnel	219,764	224,964	229,187	(4,223)
Utilities	12,000	12,000	11,780	220
Property and tort insurance	4,882	9,484	9,426	58
Operating	10,900	13,801	8,580	5,221
Total administrative division	247,546	260,249	258,973	1,276
Recreation division:				
Personnel	288,461	245,939	245,636	303
Utilities	50,000	56,800	56,702	98
Property and tort insurance	8,880	4,869	4,869	_
Operating	216,100	171,324	139,890	31,434
Total recreation division	563,441	478,932	447,097	31,835
Gardens division:				
Personnel	488,055	509,189	512,610	(3,421)
Utilities	46,000	55,800	55,775	25
Property and tort insurance	28,180	27,552	27,574	(22)
Operating	88,600	95,712	87,787	7,925
Capital	78,500	83,560	83,553	7
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SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES - GENERAL FUND BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

					Variance
			Amounts		with Final
	Origin	al	Final	Actual	Budget
Culture and recreation (continued):					
Parks and recreation department (continued):					
Parks and cemetery division:					
Personnel	·	1,594	\$ 481,143	\$ 488,816	\$ (7,673)
Utilities		5,000	19,900	19,895	5
Property and tort insurance		2,365	22,091	22,091	-
Operating		2,500	87,506	82,764	4,742
Capital		3,500	50,348	67,990	(17,642)
Total parks and cemetery division	67	4,959	660,988	681,556	(20,568)
Total parks and recreation department	2,21	5,281	2,171,982	2,154,925	17,057
Total culture and recreation	2,21	5,281	2,171,982	2,154,925	17,057
Non-departmental:					
Flood recovery		-	258,000	218,405	39,595
Employee Christmas	1	8,000	19,775	19,775	-
Building code enforcement	10	0,000	30,000	14,019	15,981
Annexation covenants	2	5,000	16,000	12,793	3,207
Operating/insurance coverage	19	0,000	75,000	75,677	(677)
Municipal Association	5	2,000	55,000	54,785	215
Commercial sanitation fees	25	0,000	239,000	252,576	(13,576)
Unemployment insurance		1,500	1,000	370	630
Special projects	5	0,000	1,035,000	542,301	492,699
Downtown revitalization	2	5,000	25,000	25,000	-
Retirees group insurance	5	0,000	40,000	27,858	12,142
Setoff debt		1,650	-	-	-
CDL drug and alcohol testing		500	-	_	-
Employee shots		3,500	-	_	-
Street lights	28	0,000	270,000	347,470	(77,470)
Christmas lights	1	5,000	13,237	13,237	-
Chamber dues		1,545	1,545	1,545	-
Fiver rental expense		9,600	9,600	8,800	800
Total non-departmental	1,07	3,295	2,088,157	1,614,611	473,546
Debt Service:					
Principal	95	0,000	989,000	1,049,670	(60,670)
Interest		0,000	20,000	19,048	952
Total debt service	97	0,000	1,009,000	1,068,718	(59,718)
Total expenditures	\$ 18,12	6,458	\$ 18,645,209	\$ 18,303,975	\$ 341,234

CITY OF ORANGEBURG, SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION -BUDGET (GAAP BASIS) AND ACTUAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

								Variance
		Budgeted	l Am			Actual		with Final
Operating Revenues:		Original	_	Final		Actual		Budget
Charges for services and fees	\$	94,425,040	\$	94,425,040	\$	97,049,430	\$	2,624,390
Total operating revenues	Ψ	94,425,040	φ	94,425,040	φ	97,049,430	φ	2,624,390
Total operating revenues	_	94,423,040	_	94,423,040		91,049,430		2,024,390
Operating Expenses:								
Electricity purchased		46,785,500		46,785,500		47,218,742		(433,242)
Natural gas purchased		4,666,080		4,666,080		4,290,076		376,004
Operating and maintenance		8,942,970		8,942,970		10,426,882		(1,483,912)
Administrative		9,149,660		9,149,660		11,984,118		(2,834,458)
Depreciation and amortization		9,288,200		9,288,200		10,270,461		(982,261)
Total operating expenses		78,832,410		78,832,410		84,190,279		(5,357,869)
Operating income		15,592,630		15,592,630		12,859,151		(2,733,479)
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)								
Water and wastewater taps		196,910		196,910		291,444		94,534
Water and wastewater impact fees		168,660		168,660		108,944		(59,716)
Gain (loss) on disposal of capital assets		100,000		100,000		(661,564)		(661,564)
Interest income		420,680		420,680		135,389		(285,291)
Interest expense		(506,910)		(506,910)		(487,058)		19,852
Total nonoperating income (expense), net		279,340	_	279,340		(612,845)		(892,185)
Total horioperating income (expense), her		213,540	_	273,540	_	(012,043)	_	(032,103)
Net income before capital contributions								
and transfers		15,871,970		15,871,970		12,246,306		(3,625,664)
								,
Capital contributions		_		_		1,024,995		1,024,995
Transfers to other funds		(5,108,609)		(5,108,609)		(5,368,910)		(260,301)
Total capital contributions and transfers, net		(5,108,609)		(5,108,609)		(4,343,915)		764,694
Change in net position		10,763,361		10,763,361		7,902,391		(2,860,970)
Net position, beginning of year		243,347,554		243,347,554		243,347,554		
Net position, end of year	\$	254,110,915	\$	254,110,915	\$	251,249,945	\$	(2,860,970)

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Special Revenue Funds											
ASSETS	Sunnyside Cemetery Fund			Orangeburg Cemetery Fund		SC Festival of Roses Fund		State Accommodations Tax Fund		Local Hospitality and Accommodations Fund		Victims Advocate Fund
Cash and cash equivalents Due from other governments Due from other funds	\$	68,964 - -	\$	15,954 - -	\$	15,484 - -	\$	24,344 20,734	\$	3,115,197 - 98,176	\$	2,922
Total assets	\$	68,964	\$	15,954	\$	15,484	\$	45,078	\$	3,213,373	\$	2,922
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES												
LIABILITIES												
Accounts payable		-		-		-		7,257		19,624		-
Accrued liabilities		-		-		-		-		-		-
Due to other funds Total liabilities				-				1,675 8,932		19,624		
FUND BALANCES Restricted for:								-,			-	
Housing and development		_		_		_		_		_		_
Public safety		-		-		-		-		-		2,922
Public works		68,964		15,954		-		-		-		_
Culture and recreation		· -		· -		15,484		-		1,539,214		-
Tourism		-		-		-		36,146		-		-
Capital outlay		-		-		-		-		1,654,535		-
Total fund balances		68,964		15,954		15,484		36,146		3,193,749		2,922
Total liabilities and fund balances	\$	68,964	\$	15,954	\$	15,484	\$	45,078	\$	3,213,373	\$	2,922

											Capital Pro	ojects	Funds		
	Drug Fund		Stevenson Auditorium Fund		Orangeburg Senior Games Fund		Community Development Corporation Fund		Firemen's Fund		Hillcrest Capital Projects Fund		County ounty Capital One Percent Fund	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds	
\$	99,695	\$	35,447	\$	5,299	\$	16,259	\$	106,557	\$	19,020	\$	4,227,888	\$	7,753,030
	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		20,734
_	-	_	150	_	-	_	-	_	-		-	_	20,706	_	119,032
\$	99,695	\$	35,597	\$	5,299	\$	16,259	\$	106,557	\$	19,020	\$	4,248,594	\$	7,892,796
	_		-		-		-		-		_		-		26,881
	-		30		-		-		-		-		-		30
			-		-				-		-		-		1,675
			30										-		28,586
	-		-		-		16,259		-		-		-		16,259
	99,695		-		-		-		106,557		-		-		209,174
	-		-				-		-		-		-		84,918
	-		35,567		5,299		-		-		-		-		1,595,564
	-		-		-		-		-		19,020		4,248,594		36,146
	99,695	_	35,567		5,299		16,259	_	106,557		19,020	_	4,248,594	_	5,922,149 7,864,210
\$	99,695	\$	35,597	\$	5,299	\$	16,259	\$	106,557	\$	19,020	\$	4,248,594	\$	7,892,796

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Special Revenue Funds							
		innyside emetery Fund	Orangeburg Cemetery Fund	SC Festival of Roses Fund	State Accommodations Tax Fund	Local Hospitality and Accommodations Fund	Victims Advocate Fund	
Revenues: Other taxes	\$		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,265,748	\$ -	
Intergovernmental	φ	_	φ - -	φ -	80,634	φ 1,203,740	φ - -	
Charges for services		4,000	_	19,605	-	_	_	
Fines and forfeitures		1,000	_	10,000	_	_	29,519	
Interest revenue		_	_	_	_	15,516	-	
Other revenues		_	_	_	_	500	_	
Total revenues		4,000		19,605	80,634	1,281,764	29,519	
Expenditures:	<u></u>							
Current								
Public safety								
Housing and development		_	_	-	-	-	-	
Culture and recreation			_	6,775	_	541,637	_	
Tourism		_	_	0,770	21,635	041,007	_	
Capital outlay		_	_	_	21,000	_	_	
Debt service								
Principal		_	_	_	_	291,961	_	
Interest		_	_	_	_	50,966	_	
Total expenditures		-	_	6,775	21,635	884,564		
Excess (deficiency)								
of revenues over								
(under) expenditures		4,000	-	12,830	58,999	397,200	29,519	
Other financing sources (uses):	<u></u>							
Transfers in			_	_			_	
Transfers out		_	_	_	(27,784)	(345,000)	(28,000)	
Total other financing				- 	(21,104)	(343,000)	(20,000)	
sources (uses)		-	-	-	(27,784)	(345,000)	(28,000)	
				-		<u> </u>		
Net change in								
fund balances		4,000	-	12,830	31,215	52,200	1,519	
Fund balances,								
beginning of year		64,964	15,954	2,654	4,931	3,141,549	1,403	
Fund balances,								
end of year	\$	68,964	\$ 15,954	\$ 15,484	\$ 36,146	\$ 3,193,749	\$ 2,922	

						Capital Pro	ojects Funds	•	
	Drug Fund	Stevenson Auditorium Fund	Orangeburg Senior Games Fund	Community Development Corporation Fund	Firemen's Fund	Hillcrest Capital Projects Fund	County County Capital One Percent Fund	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds	
\$	-	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,265,748	
	40,335	-	-	-	84,826	-	904,327	1,110,122	
	3,428	850	1,320	-	-	-	-	25,775 32,947	
	3,420		_	3	-		16,268	31,787	
	_	-	-	-	-	-	278,106	278,606	
	43,763	850	1,320	3	84,826		1,198,701	2,744,985	
	6,130				78,309			84,439	
	0,130	-	-	64,935	70,309		-	64,935	
	_	25,485	1,015	-	-	-	_	574,912	
	-	,	-	-	-	-	-	21,635	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,062,149	1,062,149	
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	291,961	
	6,130	25,485	1,015	64,935	78,309		1,062,149	50,966 2,150,997	
	0,130	25,465	1,015	04,933	76,309	-	1,002,149	2,130,997	
	37,633	(24,635)	305	(64,932)	6,517	- _	136,552	593,988	
	-	20,000	-	25,000	-	:	-	45,000 (400,784)	
						-	-		
	-	20,000		25,000	-	-	-	(355,784)	
	37,633	(4,635)	305	(39,932)	6,517	-	136,552	238,204	
	62,062	40,202	4,994	56,191	100,040	19,020	4,112,042	7,626,006	
\$	99,695	\$ 35,567	\$ 5,299	\$ 16,259	\$ 106,557	\$ 19,020	\$ 4,248,594	\$ 7,864,210	

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE- LOCAL HOSPITALITY AND ACCOMODATION TAX FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

		Budgeted	l Amou	ınts			
		Original		Final	Actual	•	/ariance
Revenues:	-			,			
Other taxes	\$	1,234,000	\$	1,198,500	\$ 1,265,748	\$	67,248
Intergovernmental		525,000		-	-		-
Interest income		7,000		14,000	15,516		1,516
Other revenues		15,700		15,750	500		(15,250)
Total revenues		1,781,700		1,228,250	1,281,764		53,514
Expenditures: Current							
Culture and recreation		1,303,900		687,080	541,637		145,443
Debt service		1,303,900		007,000	341,037		145,445
Principal		291,961		291,961	291,961		_
Interest		50,966		50,966	50,966		_
Total expenditures		1,646,827		1,030,007	 884,564		145,443
Excess of revenues over expenditures		134,873		198,243	 397,200		198,957
Other financing sources (uses)							
Transfers in		10,000		-	-		-
Transfers out		(320,000)		(370,000)	(345,000)		25,000
Total other financing (uses), net		(310,000)		(370,000)	(345,000)		25,000
Net change in fund balance		(175,127)		(171,757)	52,200		223,957
Fund balance, beginning of year		3,141,549		3,141,549	 3,141,549		
Fund balance, end of year	\$	2,966,422	\$	2,969,792	\$ 3,193,749	\$	223,957

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL BUDGETARY COMPARISON SCHEDULE- VICTIMS ADVOCATE FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	Budgeted	l Amoun	nts				
	Original		Final		Actual		ariance
Revenues:							
Fines and forfeitures	\$ 35,000	\$	35,000	\$	29,519	\$	(5,481)
Total revenues	35,000		35,000		29,519		(5,481)
Other financing uses							
Transfers out	(40,000)		(40,000)		(28,000)		12,000
Total other financing (uses)	(40,000)		(40,000)		(28,000)		12,000
Net change in fund balance	(5,000)		(5,000)		1,519		6,519
Fund balance, beginning of year	 1,403		1,403		1,403		
Fund balance, end of year	\$ (3,597)	\$	(3,597)	\$	2,922	\$	6,519

COMBINING STATEMENT OF NET POSITION NONMAJOR PROPRIETARY FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	P	/lunicipal Airport	Pro Shop	Hillcrest Golf Course	al Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
ASSETS			•		
CURRENT ASSETS					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	200	\$ -	\$ 300	\$ 500
Accounts receivable		13,548	-	4,097	17,645
Due from other funds		-	28,672	-	28,672
Inventory		35,228	 25,017	 -	 60,245
Total current assets		48,976	53,689	4,397	 107,062
NONCURRENT ASSETS					
Capital assets:					
Nondepreciable		1,325,952	-	-	1,325,952
Depreciable, net of accumulated depreciation		5,597,630		270,269	5,867,899
Total noncurrent assets		6,923,582	-	270,269	7,193,851
Total assets		6,972,558	53,689	274,666	7,300,913
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Pension		24,475	-	61,187	85,662
Total deferred outflows of resources		24,475		61,187	85,662
LIABILITIES					
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Payable from current assets:					
Accounts payable		13,063	4,095	14,007	31,165
Unearned revenue		-	-	14,828	14,828
Accrued expenses		5,348	-	12,240	17,588
Due to other funds			-	49,528	49,528
Compensated absences - current portion		5,703	-	 25,000	 30,703
Total current liabilities		24,114	4,095	115,603	 143,812
NONCURRENT LIABILITIES					
Net pension liability		196,324	-	490,809	687,133
Other postemployment benefit obligation		16,144	-	108,897	125,041
Compensated absences - long term portion				48,238	48,238
Total long term liabilities		212,468	 	 647,944	 860,412
Total liabilities		236,582	 4,095	 763,547	 1,004,224
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Pension		7,165	-	17,912	25,077
Total deferred inflows of resources		7,165	-	17,912	25,077
NET POSITION					
Net investment in capital assets		6,923,582	-	270,269	7,193,851
Unrestricted		(170,296)	49,594	(715,875)	(836,577)
Total net position (deficit)	\$	6,753,286	\$ 49,594	\$ (445,606)	\$ 6,357,274

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION NONMAJOR PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

	 Municipal Airport	P	ro Shop	 Hillcrest Golf Course	al Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
OPERATING REVENUES					
Charges for services	\$ 444,829	\$	134,271	\$ 341,328	\$ 920,428
Miscellaneous	3,495		-	12,915	16,410
Total operating revenues	448,324		134,271	354,243	936,838
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Personnel costs	132,463		-	349,773	482,236
Cost of sales and service	250,218		75,156	47,508	372,882
Supplies	10,188		-	19,107	29,295
Administration	77,290		14,526	88,072	179,888
Depreciation expense	717,415		-	62,039	779,454
Total operating expenses	1,187,574		89,682	566,499	1,843,755
Operating Income (loss)					
before contributions and transfers	 (739,250)		44,589	 (212,256)	 (906,917)
CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS	 15,030			 _	 15,030
TRANSFERS					
Transfers in	1,184,471		_	1,536,905	2,721,376
Transfers out	-		(44,589)	-	(44,589)
Total transfers	1,184,471		(44,589)	1,536,905	2,676,787
Change in net position	460,251		-	1,324,649	1,784,900
NET POSITION, beginning of year	 6,293,035		49,594	 (1,770,255)	 4,572,374
NET POSITION, end of year	\$ 6,753,286	\$	49,594	\$ (445,606)	\$ 6,357,274

COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS NONMAJOR PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

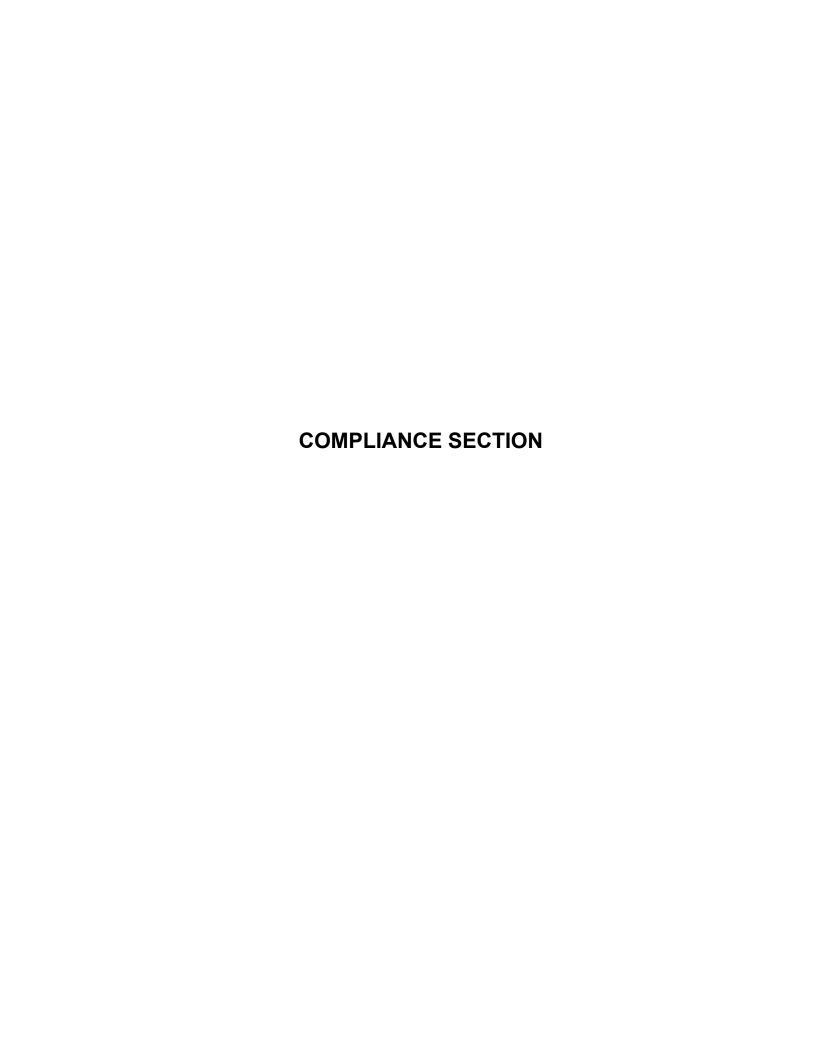
CASH FLOWS FROM OREDATING ACTIVITIES		Municipal Airport		Pro Shop		Hillcrest Golf Course	То	otal Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES Receipts from customers and users	\$	449.454	\$	134.271	\$	355.587	\$	939,312
Payments to suppliers	Ψ	(244,021)	Ψ	(91,028)	Ψ	(163,564)	Ψ	(498,613)
Payments to employees		(208,656)		(01,020)		(372,959)		(581,615)
Internal activity-payments (from) to other funds		(1,104,674)		1,346		(1,337,894)		(2,441,222)
Net cash provided by (used in)		(1,104,014)		1,040		(1,007,004)		(2,441,222)
operating activities		(1,107,897)		44,589		(1,518,830)		(2,582,138)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES								
Transfers in		1,184,471		-		1,536,905		2,721,376
Transfers out				(44,589)		<u>-</u>		(44,589)
Net cash provided by (used in)								
noncapital and related financing activities		1,184,471		(44,589)		1,536,905		2,676,787
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES								
Acquisitions of capital assets		(91,604)		-		(18,075)		(109,679)
Capital grants received		15,030						15,030
Net cash (used in) capital and								
related financing activities		(76,574)		-		(18,075)		(94,649)
Change in cash and cash equivalents		-		-		-		-
Cash and cash equivalents:								
Beginning of year		200				300		500
End of year	\$	200	\$	-	\$	300	\$	500

COMBINING STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS NONMAJOR PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

		Municipal Airport		Pro Shop		Hillcrest Golf Course		tal Nonmajor Enterprise Funds
Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to								
net cash used in operating activities:	•	(700.050)	•	44.500	•	(0.40, 0.50)	•	(000 017)
Operating income (loss)	\$	(739,250)	\$	44,589	\$	(212,256)	\$	(906,917)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss)								
to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities								
		717 115				62.020		770 454
Depreciation		717,415		-		62,039		779,454
Change in assets and liabilities: (Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		1.049				(2.206)		(1,257)
Decrease in due from other governments		1,049		-		(2,306)		(1,237)
(Increase) decrease in inventory		12,890		(1,943)		_		10.947
Decrease in due from other funds		12,090		1,346		_		1,346
Decrease in deferred outflows of resources-pension		11,356		1,340		34,454		45,810
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		3.495		597		(21,117)		(17,025)
Increase in accrued expenses		5,348		-		12,240		17,588
Increase in unearned revenue		-		_		3,650		3,650
Increase in due to other funds		_		_		49,528		49,528
(Decrease) in advance to other funds		(1,104,674)		_		(1,387,422)		(2,492,096)
Increase in deferred inflows of resources-pension		417		_		320		737
Increase in other post employment benefit obligation		542		_		3.636		4,178
(Decrease) in net pension liability		(15,755)		-		(70,465)		(86,220)
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences		(811)		_		8,869		8,058
Net cash provided by (used in)		(= /	_		-	2,230		2,200
operating activities	\$	(1,107,897)	\$	44,589	\$	(1,518,830)	\$	(2,582,138)

SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF COURT FINES, ASSESSMENTS AND SURCHARGES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

Fines, assessments and surcharges	\$	418,585
Remitted to state treasurer		(239,868)
Retained by the City	\$	178,717
Fines, assessments and surcharges retained by the City		
General fund	\$	149,198
Victims' assistance services		29,519
Total	\$	178,717
Funds allocated to victims' assistance services		
	\$	20.510
Surcharges and assessments retained Funds available for victims' assistance services	Φ	29,519
Fullus available for victims assistance services		29,519
Program Expenditures		28,000
Excess of revenues under expenditures		1,519
Net change in fund balance		1,519
Balances carried forward		,-
Beginning of year		1,403
End of year	\$	2,922





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

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council Orangeburg, South Carolina

We have audited, in accordance with the 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, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina (the "City") as of and for the year ended September 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated June 25, 2018.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. 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 deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the 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.

Mauldin & Jenkins, LLC

Columbia, South Carolina June 25, 2018



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

The Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council Orangeburg, South Carolina

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina's (the "City") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the OMB Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on each of the City's major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2017. The City's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of its federal awards applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the City's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Those standards and the Uniform Guidance require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the City's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis of our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the City's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the City complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended September 30, 2017.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the City is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the City's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Mauldin & Jerkins, LLC

Columbia, South Carolina June 25, 2018

SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor/Program Title	Federal CFDA Number	Grant Identification Number	Total Expenditures	Passed Through to Subrecipients
U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development Direct award Community Development Block Grants for Entitlement Communities Total U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development	14.228	4W14007	\$ 5,541 5,541	\$ - -
U.S. Department of Justice Direct award Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program (Passed through South Carolina Department of Public Safety) Crime Victim Assistance Program Total U.S. Department of Justice	16.607 16.575	N/A 1V14143	5,760 5,724 11,484	- - -
U.S. Department of Transportation Direct award Airport Improvement Program (Passed through South Carolina Department of Public Safety) State and Community Highway Safety Program Highway Safety Cluster Total U.S. Department of Transportation	20.106	3-45-0045-020-2015 2JC17001	15,030 7,686 22,716	- - - -
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (Passed through South Carolina Budget and Control Board) Clean Water State Revolving Fund Clean Water State Revolving Fund Cluster Total U.S. Environmental Protection Agency	66.458	1-158-13-345-04	1,033,179 1,033,179	
U.S. Department of Homeland Security Direct award Assistance to Firefighters (Passed through South Carolina Emergency Management Division) Federal Disaster Grant Program - Presidentially Declared Disasters Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security	97.044 97.036	EMW-2015-FO-05402 075-53080-00	2,046 135,197 137,243	
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$ 1,210,163	<u>\$</u>

NOTE TO SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AWARDS

NOTE 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards includes the federal grant activity of the City of Orangeburg, South Carolina (the "City"), and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting for governmental fund types and the accrual basis of accounting for the proprietary fund types. The City reporting entity is defined in Note 1 of the City's basic financial statements. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Therefore, some amounts presented in the schedule may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the basic financial statements is prepared using the accrual basis of accounting.

NOTE 2. DE-MINIMIS INDIRECT COST RATE

During the year ended September 30, 2017, the City did not use the de-Minimis indirect cost rate.

NOTE 3. SUBRECIPIENTS

During the year ended September 30, 2017, the City did not pass through funds to any subrecipients.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

SECTION I SUMMARY OF AUDIT RESULTS

Financial Statements	
Type of auditor's report issued	Unmodified
Internal control over financial reporting:	
Material weaknesses identified?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknes	ses?Yes _X_No
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Federal Awards	
Internal control over major programs: Material weaknesses identified?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses?	Yes _X_ None reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs	Unmodified
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance?	Yes <u>X</u> No
Identification of major programs:	
CFDA Number 66.458	Name of Federal Program or Cluster U.S. Environmental Protection Agency; Capitalization Grants for Clean Water State Revolving Funds
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs:	\$750,000
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	Yes X No

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017

SECTION II FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

None reported.

SECTION III FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

None reported.

SECTION IV PRIOR YEAR FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

2016-001 Bank Reconciliation

Criteria: Internal controls should be in place that provide reasonable assurance that all transactions that clear the bank statement are proper and are recorded correctly in the accounting records.

Condition: The City's general fund operating bank account was not reconciled during the last six months of the fiscal year.

Status: Resolved.

2016-002 Depreciation Schedule

Criteria: Internal controls should be in place that provide reasonable assurance that all subsidiary records are properly maintained and reconcile to their respective general ledger control accounts.

Condition: Several issues were noted regarding the depreciation schedules, including (1) for assets transferred between depreciation schedules, cost and accumulated depreciation amounts were not always the same between the two schedules, (2) for some transferred assets, the schedule contained an amount for current depreciation when the assets were already fully depreciated at the beginning of the year, (3) accumulated depreciation at the beginning of the year in several asset categories did not agree with prior year accumulated depreciation per the accounting records, (4) the current year depreciation expense calculation was incorrect based on the cost and useful life of the related asset, and (5) for one current year addition, the asset was reflected in the depreciation schedule at double the actual cost.

Status: Resolved.