WILCOX COUNTY, GEORGIA Annual Financial Report

For The Fiscal Year Ended September 30, 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of County Commissioners Wilcox County, Georgia

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Wilcox County, Georgia as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for 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 did not audit the financial statements of the Wilcox County Board of Health, which represent 68.0 percent, 50.7 percent, and 97.2 percent, respectively, of the assets, net position, and revenues of the aggregate discretely presented component units. Those statements were audited by other auditors whose report has been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Wilcox County Board of Health is based solely on the report of the other auditors. 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, based on our audit and the report of the other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate

remaining fund information of Wilcox County, Georgia, as of September 30, 2021, and the respective changes in financial position 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, budgetary comparison, and historical pension information 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.

Management has omitted the management's discussion and analysis that accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. Our opinion on the basic financial statements is not affected by this missing information.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Wilcox County, Georgia's basic financial statements. The combining and individual fund financial statements and schedules and supplemental schedules are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual fund statements and schedules and supplemental schedules 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 combining and individual fund statements and schedules and supplemental schedules 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 November 7, 2022, on our consideration of Wilcox County, Georgia'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 Wilcox County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

ECKLER CPA, LLC

Fitzgerald, Georgia November 7, 2022

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Statement of Net Position

September 30, 2021

	Primary	Government	Compon	ent Units
	Governmenta	Primary	Board of	Development
	Activities	Government	Health	Authority
ASSETS				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 3,789,614	\$ 3,789,614	\$ 331,448	\$ 169,056
Receivables (Net of Allowance for Uncollectibles)	586,210	586,210	27,100	
Prepaid Items	84,383	84,383		
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated	399,286	399,286		
Capital Assets Net of Accumulated Depreciation	4,327,299	4,327,299	302	
Total Assets	9,186,792		358,850	169,056
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Pension	1,129	1,129		
Proportionate Share of Collective Deferred Outflows			35,445	
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	1,129	1,129	35,445	
LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable	298,385	298,385		
Accrued Liabilities	33,347	33,347		
Intergovernmental Payable	10,999	10,999		
Unearned Revenue	838,624	838,624		
Noncurrent Liabilities				
Due within One Year	83,827	83,827	3,378	
Due in more than One Year	678,072	678,072	169,208	
Total Liabilities	1,943,254		172,586	
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Pension	190,677	190,677		
Proportionate Share of Collective Deferred Inflows			47,901	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	190,677	190,677	47,901	
NET POSITION				
Net Investment in Capital Assets	4,635,944	4,635,944	302	
Restricted For				
Public Safety	35,031	35,031		
Public Works	543,340	543,340		
Capital Outlay	439,606	439,606		
Prior Year Program Income			103,714	
Unrestricted	1,400,069	1,400,069	69,792	169,056
Total Net Position	\$ 7,053,990		\$ 173,808	\$ 169,056

Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

				PR	OGR/	AM REVENU	JES	
FUNCTIONS/PROGRAMS	E	Expenses		arges For Services	C	perating Grants & htributions	G	Capital Grants & Intributions
Primary Government								
Governmental Activities								
General Government	\$	880,958	\$	210,060	\$	250	\$	
Judicial		461,865		133,349				
Public Safety		2,367,669		602,340		41,773		40,100
Public Works		2,241,948		20,478		332		935,540
Health and Welfare		302,341				246,146		
Culture and Recreation		273,719		23,304		480		18,900
Housing and Development		109,481						
Interest on Long-Term Debt		7,354						
Total Governmental Activities		6,645,335		989,531		288,981		994,540
Total Primary Government	\$	6,645,335	\$	989,531	\$	288,981	\$	994,540
Component Units								
Board of Health	\$	293,384	\$	83,479	\$	270,209	\$	
Development Authority		5				10,000		
Total Component Units	\$	293,389	\$	83,479	\$	280,209	\$	
	T S Ir M G	areral Revenu General Pro General Sal Selective Sa Business Penalties ar State Governm neterest Rever discellaneous Sain on Dispo Total Gener ange in Net P	perty es an ales a nd Inte nent F nue sition al Rev	of Capital A venues & Tra	Lieu o ssets	of Taxes		
	Net	Position - Be	ginnir	ng				

Net Position - Ending

Net i Usition - Ending

Primary Go	vernment		Compor	nent U	nits
overnmental Activities	Total	_	Board of Health		velopment authority
\$ (670,648) (328,516) (1,683,456) (1,285,598) (56,195) (231,035) (109,481) (7,354) (4,372,283) (4,372,283)	\$ (670,648) (328,516) (1,683,456) (1,285,598) (56,195) (231,035) (109,481) (7,354) (4,372,283) (4,372,283)				
		\$	60,304 60,304	\$	 9,995 9,995
3,605,448 1,271,668 78 333,324 56,463 26,017 6,205 53,334 54,500 5,407,037 1,034,754	3,605,448 1,271,668 78 333,324 56,463 26,017 6,205 53,334 54,500 5,407,037 1,034,754		 60,304		 42
\$ 6,019,236	6,019,236 \$ 7,053,990	\$	113,504 173,808	\$	159,019 169,056

Governmental Funds

Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021

		General	ARPA	T	SPLOST
ASSETS					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	1,859,821	\$ 839,224	\$	392,735
Receivables (Net of Allowance for Uncollectibles)		432,059			31,545
Due From Other Funds		200,824	 		80,850
Total Assets	\$	2,492,704	\$ 839,224	\$	505,130
LIABILITIES			 		
Accounts Payable	\$	264,316	\$ 	\$	
Accrued Liabilities		33,347			
Compensated Absences Payable					
Intergovernmental Payable					
Due To Other Funds		14,716			200,000
Unearned Revenue			 838,624		
Total Liabilities		312,379	838,624		200,000
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES					
Unavailable Revenue					
Property Taxes		60,893			
Ambulance Fees		44,062			
Intergovernmental		13,728			
Transportation Special District Local Option Sales and Us	5		 		
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		118,683			
FUND BALANCES					
Restricted			600		305,130
Assigned					
Unassigned		2,061,642			
Total Fund Balances		2,061,642	600		305,130
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and					
Fund Balances	\$	2,492,704	\$ 839,224	\$	505,130

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net

position are different because:

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and,

therefore, are not reported in the funds.

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

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as expenditures in the funds.

Pension deferred outflows of resources are not due and payable in the current period and will be recognized as components of pension related expenses and contributions in future periods and therefore are not reported in the funds.

Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and

therefore are not reported in the funds:

- Capital Leases
- Compensated Absences
- Net Pension Liability
- Post-Closure Care Costs
- Total Long-Term Liabilities

Pension deferred inflows of resources are not available to pay for current

- expenditures and will be recognized as components of pension related expenses
- in future periods and therefore are not reported in the funds.

Net Position of Governmental Activities

Special Projects	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
\$ 238,210	\$ 459,624	\$ 3,789,614
	122,606	586,210
	14,716	296,390
\$ 238,210	\$ 596,946	\$ 4,672,214
\$	34,069	298,385
·		33,347
	10,999	10,999
	81,674	296,390
		838,624
	126,742	1,477,745
	22	60,915
		44,062
		13,728
	61,976	61,976
	61,998	180,681
238,210	474,037	1,017,977
	12,816	12,816
	(78,647)	1,982,995
238,210	408,206	3,013,788
\$ 238,210	\$ 596,946	

4,726,585
180,681
84,383
1,129

\$ (90,641)
(83,399)
(350,100)
 (237,759)

(190,677)
\$ 7,053,990

(761,899)

Governmental Funds

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	General	ARPA	TSPLOST
REVENUES			
Taxes	\$ 4,274,444	\$	\$ 388,029
Licenses and Permits	39,317		
Intergovernmental	394,895		
Charges for Services	610,791		
Fines and Forfeitures	116,622		
Investment Income	4,126	600	287
Contributions and Donations	480		
Miscellaneous	54,159		3,485
Total Revenues	5,494,834	600	391,801
EXPENDITURES			
Current			
General Government	817,767		
Judicial	486,323		
Public Safety	2,114,347		
Public Works	1,059,971		756
Health and Welfare	292,438		
Culture and Recreation	230,798		
Housing and Development	102,882		
Capital Outlay			
Debt Service			
Intergovernmental			
Total Expenditures	5,104,526		756
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)			
Expenditures	390,308	600	391,045
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Transfers In	200,000		
Transfers Out	(25,088)		(200,000)
Proceeds of Capital Asset Dispositions	54,500		
Capital Leases			
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	229,412		(200,000)
Net Change in Fund Balances	619,720	600	191,045
Fund Balances - Beginning	1,441,922		114,085
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 2,061,642	\$ 600	\$ 305,130

Special Projects	Gov	Other /ernmental Funds	Go	Total vernmental Funds
\$	\$	578,698	\$	5,241,171
				39,317
898,208		194		1,293,297
		129,577		740,368
		17,277		133,899
1,104		621		6,738
		1,500		1,980
		2,989		60,633
899,312		730,856		7,517,403
				817,767
				486,323
		141,850		2,256,197
26,365				1,087,092
				292,438
				230,798
				102,882
825,378		357,216		1,182,594
		120,052		120,052
		126,076		126,076
851,743		745,194		6,702,219
47,569		(14,338)		815,184
		25,088		225,088
				(225,088)
				54,500
		105,245		105,245
		130,333		159,745
47,569		115,995		974,929
190,641		292,211		2,038,859
\$ 238,210	\$	408,206	\$	3,013,788

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities are different because: Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds reported in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds 974,929 \$ Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense. Capital Outlay 405,454 Depreciation Expense (408,232) (2,778)The net effect of various miscellaneous transactions involving capital assets (i.e., sales, trade-ins, and donations) increases (decreases) net position. Cost of Capital Assets Sold/Disposed (121, 136)Accumulated Depreciation 121,136 Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds while revenues reported in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances are recognized as revenue of the previous period in the Statement of Activities and included in beginning net position. Taxes 25,810 Charges for Services 31,209 Intergovernmental 13,728 70,747 The issuance of long-term debt (e.g., bonds, leases, notes) provides current financial resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued, whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities . Debt Issued or Incurred Capital Lease Financing (105, 245)**Principal Repayments Capital Leases** 112.698 7,453 Expenses reported in the Statement of Activities that do not require the use of current financial resources are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds while expenditures reported in the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances are recognized as expenses of the previous period in the Statement of Activities and included in beginning net position. **Compensated Absences** (9,209)Pensions 4,750 Prepaid Items (11, 138)(15, 597)Change in net position of governmental activities reported in the Statement of Activities 1,034,754

Fiduciary Funds Statement of Fiduciary Net Position September 30, 2021

	Will Duncan Private- Purpose Trust Fund	Custodial Funds	
ASSETS			
Cash	\$ 149,128	\$ 277,919	
Total Assets	149,128	277,919	
LIABILITIES			
Due to Others		277,919	
Total Liabilities		277,919	
NET POSITION			
Restricted for			
Individuals, Organizations, and Other Governments	\$ 149,128	\$	
Total Net Position	149,128		

WILCOX COUNTY, GEORGIA Fiduciary Funds Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Position September 30, 2021

	Will Duncan Private- Purpose Trust Fund	Custodial Funds	
ADDITIONS			
Taxes for Other Governments	\$	\$ 3,858,575	
Fines and Fees		257,086	
Total Contributions		4,115,661	
Investment Earnings			
Interest and Dividends	\$ 15	\$	
Net Investment Earnings	15		
Total Additions	15	4,115,661	
DEDUCTIONS			
Taxes for Other Governments		3,858,575	
Fines and Fees		257,086	
Total Deductions		4,115,661	
Changes in Net Position	15		
Net Position - Beginning	149,113		
Net Position - Ending	\$ 149,128	\$	

Notes to the Financial Statements September 30, 2021

I. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Reporting Entity

Wilcox County, Georgia (the County) was organized under Act of December 22, 1857, from the counties of Irwin, Dooly and Pulaski. The County operates under a five-member Board of Commissioners form of government. Commissioners serve staggered terms of four years. The board elects its own chairman. The accompanying financial statements present the County and its component units, entities for which the County is considered to be financially accountable. Blended component units are, in substance, part of the primary government's operations, even though they are legally separate entities. Thus, blended component units are appropriately presented as funds of the primary government. Each discretely presented component unit is reported in a separate column in the government-wide financial statements to emphasize that it is legally separate from the County.

Discretely Presented Component Units

The Wilcox County Board of Health (Board) provides healthcare services for the citizens of the County. The County Commissioners appoint a voting majority to the Board. The component unit column in the combined financial statements includes the financial data of the Board, as reflected in their most recent audited financial statements. The fiscal year end of the Board is June 30. Complete financial statements for the Wilcox County Board of Health may be obtained at the entity's offices:

Wilcox County Public Health Center Rochelle, Georgia

The Wilcox County Development Authority (Authority) was established for the purpose of promotion and development for the public good and welfare of trade, commerce, industry and employment opportunities in the County. The governing body of the Authority consists of six members, two members appointed by the Board of County Commissioners and one member appointed by each municipality. The Authority did not issue separate financial statements.

B. Government-Wide Financial Statements

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

C. Basis of Presentation – Government-Wide Financial Statements

While separate government-wide and fund financial statements are presented, they are interrelated. The governmental activities column incorporates data from governmental funds. Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and fiduciary funds, even though the latter are excluded from the government-wide financial statements. The discretely presented component units are shown in separate columns in the government-wide financial statements. As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Notes to the Financial Statements September 30, 2021

D. Basis of Presentation – Fund Financial Statements

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

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

The *General Fund* is the County'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 *ARPA Fund* accounts for the Local Fiscal Recovery Funds received by the County through the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

The *TSPLOST Fund* accounts for the collection of the discretionary portion of transportation special district local option sales and use tax proceeds and expenditures that are not capital projects.

The Special Projects Fund accounts for the proceeds of the local maintenance and improvement grant.

Additionally, the County reports the following fund types:

The *Private-Purpose Trust Fund* is used to account for resources legally held in trust for use by the County to improve the provision of, and access to, quality healthcare services for the poor citizens of Wilcox County.

Custodial Funds account for resources held by the County in a purely custodial capacity for individuals, private organizations, and other governments.

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

Further, certain activity occurs during the year involving transfers of resources between funds. In fund financial statements these amounts are reported at gross amounts as transfers in/out. While reported in fund financial statements, certain eliminations are made in the preparation of the government-wide financial statements. Transfers between the funds included in governmental activities are eliminated.

E. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

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

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

Notes to the Financial Statements September 30, 2021

The governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the County considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences, and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due. General capital asset acquisitions are reported as expenditures in governmental funds. Issuance of long-term debt and acquisitions under capital leases are reported as other financing sources.

Property taxes, sales taxes, franchise taxes, licenses, and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenues of the current fiscal period. Entitlements are recorded as revenues when all eligibility requirements are met, including any time requirements, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue source (within 60 days of year-end). Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other eligibility requirements have been met, and the amount is received during the period or within the availability period for this revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the County.

Private-purpose trust funds are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*. Agency funds have no measurement focus but utilize the *accrual basis of accounting* for reporting its assets and liabilities.

F. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund Balance

1. Cash and Cash Equivalents

The County's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, certificates of deposit and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

2. Investments

State statutes authorize the County to invest in obligations of the State of Georgia or other states, obligations issued by the U.S. Government, obligations fully insured or guaranteed by the U.S. Government or by a government agency of the United States, obligations of any corporation of the U.S. Government, prime bankers' acceptances, the local government investment pool, repurchase agreements, and obligations of other political subdivisions of Georgia.

Investments are reported at fair value. Short-term investments are reported at cost, which approximates fair value. Securities traded on a national or international exchange are valued at the last reported sales price at current exchange rates, and investments that do not have an established market are reported at estimated fair value.

3. Inventories and Prepaid Items

The costs of inventories are recorded as expenditures when purchased in all funds. Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as expenditures when paid in the governmental funds and as prepaid items in the government-wide financial statements.

4. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g. roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental column in the government-wide financial statements.

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Capital assets are defined by the County as assets with an initial, individual cost which exceeds certain capitalization thresholds and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. In the case of the initial capitalization of general infrastructure assets (i.e., those reported by governmental activities), the County has capitalized items acquired or constructed after September 30, 2003. As the County constructs or acquires capital assets each period, including infrastructure assets, they are capitalized and reported at historical cost. The reported value excludes normal maintenance and repairs which are essentially amounts spent in relation to capital assets that do not increase the capacity or efficiency of the item or increase its estimated useful life. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of donation. Land and construction in progress are not depreciated.

The property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure of the primary government are depreciated using the straight line method over the following estimated useful lives:

	Capitalization	Estimated
Assets	Thresholds	Service Life
Buildings	\$ 10,000	25-50
Machinery and Equipment	\$ 5,000	3-15
Improvements	\$ 5,000	10-20
Public Domain Infrastructure	\$ 25,000	15-50
Water and Sewer Systems	\$ 5,000	15-50

5. Long-term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities statement of net position. Premiums and discounts are deferred and amortized over the life of the debt using the effective interest method. Debt issuance costs, except any portion related to prepaid insurance costs, are recognized as an expense in the period incurred.

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

6. 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, *deferred outflows of resources*, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will *not* be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/ expenditure) until then. The County reports deferred outflows related to pensions in the government-wide statement of net position.

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

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7. Net Position Flow Assumption

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

8. Fund Balance Flow Assumptions

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

9. Fund Balance Policies

Fund balance of governmental funds is reported in various classifications based on the nature of any limitations requiring the use of resources for specific purposes. The County itself can establish limitations on the use of resources through either a commitment (committed fund balance) or an assignment (assigned fund balance). The fund balance classifications are as follows:

Nonspendable fund balance includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted fund balance includes amounts that are restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources are either (a) externally imposed by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed fund balance includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the County's highest level of decision-making authority.

Assigned fund balance includes amounts that are constrained by the County's intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed.

Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the General Fund. The classification represents fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the General Fund.

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the County's highest level of decision-making authority. The Board of County Commissioners is the highest level of decision-making authority for the County that can, by board approval, commit fund balance. Once approved, the limitation imposed remains in place until a similar action is taken to remove or revise the limitation.

Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the County for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as committed. The Board of County Commissioners may assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover a gap between estimated revenue and appropriations

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in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Unlike commitments, assignments generally only exist temporarily. In other words, an additional action does not normally have to be taken for the removal of an assignment. Conversely, as discussed above, an additional action is essential to either remove or revise a commitment.

G. Revenues and Expenditures/Expenses

1. Program Revenues

Amounts reported as *program revenues* include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function or segment and 2) grants and contributions (including special assessments) that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function or segment. All taxes, including those dedicated for specific purposes, and other internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues.

2. Property Taxes

Property taxes were levied on August 22, 2020, payable December 1, 2020, and attached as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1, 2020. The billings are considered past due after December 1, 2020, at which time the applicable property is subject to lien, and penalties and interest are assessed.

3. Compensated Absences

Vacation and sick pay is accounted for when paid. Employees are allowed to accumulate and carry over a maximum of 240 hours sick leave on December 31 of each year. Employees are allowed to accumulate and carry over a maximum of 240 hours vacation leave on December 31 of each year. Upon resignation from the county, employees will be paid for any unused vacation leave, if leaving on good terms.

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II. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

A. Budgetary Information

Annual budgets were adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for all governmental funds except the capital projects funds, which adopt project-length budgets, and the Sheriff's Drug special revenue fund. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end.

All departments of the County submit requests for appropriations to the County Clerk so that a budget may be prepared. The proposed budget is presented to the County Commissioners for review. The Commission holds public hearings and a final budget must be prepared and adopted no later than September 30. The appropriated budget is prepared by fund, function, and department. The County's department heads may make transfers of appropriations within a department. Transfers of appropriations between departments require the approval of the County Commission. The legal level of budgetary control is the department level.

The Official Code of Georgia Annotated section 36-81-3(b) requires an annual balanced budget for the General fund, each special revenue fund, and each debt service fund and requires a project-length budget for each capital project fund. For the year ended September 30, 2021, the County did not adopt annual budgets for the ARPA and Sheriff's Drug special revenue funds.

B. Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations

Excess of expenditures over appropriations at the department level (the legal level of control) is presented below:

	Budget Actual		Excess	
General Fund				
Superior Court	\$ 66,983	\$	75,137	\$ (8,154)
Public Defender	27,990		31,924	(3,934)
Sheriff	618,005		661,755	(43,750)
Jail	335,020		353,904	(18,884)
Coroner	21,445		28,631	(7,186)
Emergency Management	118,925		171,113	(52,188)
Solid Waste and Recycling	162,060		171,941	(9,881)
Closure and Post-closure Care	40,000		50,753	(10,753)
Transit System Vans	101,200		249,052	(147,852)
County Extension	63,994		74,424	(10,430)
Forest Services	18,388		18,458	(70)
Transfers Out	24,745		25,088	(343)
Special Projects Special Revenue Fund	549,528		851,743	(302,215)
E-911 Special Revenue Fund	123,000		137,088	(14,088)

C. Deficit Fund Equity

The following funds had deficit fund equity at September 30, 2021:

E-911 Special Revenue Fund	\$ 12,513
TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund	\$ 66,134

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III. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL ACTIVITIES AND FUNDS

A. Cash Deposits with Financial Institutions

The County does not have a formal policy for interest rate, credit, concentration of credit, or custodial credit risks.

Custodial credit risk – deposits. This is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. As of September 30, 2021, \$207,923 of the County's bank balance was uninsured and uncollateralized.

B. Investments

Credit risk. The County does not have a formal investment policy for credit risk. The County's investments in Georgia Fund 1 are rated AAAf/S1 by Fitch. Georgia Fund 1, created by OCGA 36-83-8, is a stable net asset value investment pool offered by the State of Georgia to counties, municipalities, public colleges and universities, boards of education, special districts, state agencies, and other authorized entities as a conservative, efficient, and liquid investment alternative. The primary investment objectives of Georgia Fund 1 are safety of capital, liquidity, yield, and diversification with primary emphasis on safety of capital and liquidity. Georgia Fund 1 deposits are not guaranteed or insured by any bank, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Federal Reserve Board, or any state agency. The State of Georgia Office of the State Treasurer manages Georgia Fund 1 in a manner consistent with Rule 2a-7 (of the Investment Company Act of 1940) like funds. Georgia Fund 1 is managed to maintain a constant net asset value of \$1.00. At September 30, 2021, the weighted average maturity was 40 days.

C. Receivables

Amounts are aggregated into a single accounts receivable (net of allowance for uncollectibles) line for certain funds and aggregated columns. Below is the detail of receivables for the major funds and the nonmajor funds in the aggregate, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts:

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	General	ΤS	PLOST	Funds		Total
Taxes	\$ 89,545	\$		\$ 23	\$	89,568
Accounts	277,803					277,803
Intergovernmental	 268,300		31,545	 122,583		422,428
Gross Receivables Less: Allowance for	635,648		31,545	122,606		789,799
Uncollectibles	(203,589)					(203,589)
	\$ 432,059	\$	31,545	\$ 122,606	\$	586,210
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D. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended September 30, 2021, was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Increases	Decreases	Ending Balance
Governmental Activities				
Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated				
Land	\$ 334,602	\$ 3,550	\$	\$ 338,152
Construction In Progress		61,134		61,134
Total Capital Assets, Not Being Depreciated	334,602	64,684		399,286
Capital Assets, Being Depreciated				
Buildings	3,187,206			3,187,206
Infrastructure	2,946,075			2,946,075
Improvements Other Than Buildings	188,514	18,936	(10,641)	196,809
Machinery and Equipment	3,635,679	321,834	(110,495)	3,847,018
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated	9,957,474	340,770	(121,136)	10,177,108
Less Accumulated Depreciation For				
Buildings	(1,790,208)	(67,959)		(1,858,167)
Infrastructure	(766,399)	(73,652)		(840,051)
Improvements Other Than Buildings	(178,659)	(3,013)	10,641	(171,031)
Machinery and Equipment	(2,827,447)	(263,608)	110,495	(2,980,560)
Total Accumulated Depreciation	(5,562,713)	(408,232)	121,136	(5,849,809)
Total Capital Assets, Being Depreciated, Net	4,394,761	(67,462)		4,327,299
Governmental Activities Capital Assets, Net	\$ 4,729,363	\$ (2,778)	\$	\$ 4,726,585

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

Governmental Activities	
General Government	\$ 38,495
Judicial	14,222
Public Safety	121,376
Public Works	182,335
Health and Welfare	7,088
Culture and Recreation	39,796
Housing and Development	 4,920
Total Depreciation Expense	\$ 408,232

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E. Interfund Receivables, Payables, and Transfers

The composition of interfund balances as of September 30, 2021 was as follows:

Due From / To Other Funds

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
General Fund	TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	\$ 200,000
General Fund	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	824
TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund	Nonmajor Governmental Funds	80,850
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	General Fund	14,716
		\$ 296,390

The outstanding balances between funds result mainly 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.

The composition of interfund transfers for the year ended September 30, 2021 was as follows:

Interfund Transfers

Transfer In	Transfer Out	Amount
General Fund	TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	\$ 200,000
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	General Fund	25,088
		\$ 225,088

A Nonmajor Governmental Fund transferred \$200,000 in TSPLOST proceeds to the General Fund to finance expenditures. The General Fund transferred \$25,088 to a Nonmajor Governmental fund to finance E-911 operations.

F. Lease Obligations

The County has entered into lease agreements as lessee for financing the acquisition of capital assets. The lease agreements qualify as capital leases for accounting purposes and, therefore, have been recorded at the present value of their future minimum lease payments as of the inception date. Amortization for the period is included in depreciation. Capital assets subject to lease obligations at September 30, 2021 were as follows:

	Governmental		
	Activities		
Machinery and Equipment	\$	235,027	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation		(79,553)	
Total	\$	155,474	

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The future minimum lease obligations and the net present value of these minimum lease payments as of September 30, 2021 were as follows:

Veer Ending September 20	Governmental	
Year Ending September 30	Activities	
2022	\$	65,950
2023		27,808
2024		1,447
Total Minimum Lease Payments		95,205
Less: Amounts Representing Interest		(4,564)
Present Value of Minimum Lease Payments	\$	90,641

G. Changes in General Long-Term Liabilities

Long-term liability activity for the year ended September 30, 2021, was as follows:

	Beginning Balance	Additions	Reductions	Ending Balance	Due Within One Year
Governmental Activities					
Compensated Absences	\$ 74,190	\$ 9,209	\$	\$ 83,399	\$
Net Pension Liability	548,242	210,470	(408,612)	350,100	
Capital Leases	98,094	105,245	(112,698)	90,641	62,027
Post-Closure Care Costs	237,759			237,759	21,800
	\$958,285	\$324,924	\$ (521,310)	\$761,899	\$ 83,827

For governmental activities, claims and judgments, compensated absences, and pension liabilities are generally liquidated by the General Fund.

H. Pensions

Defined Benefit Plan

The County sponsors the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia Restated Pension Plan for Wilcox County Employees (The Plan), which is a defined benefit pension plan. The Plan provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan participants and beneficiaries. The Plan, through execution of the adoption agreement, is affiliated with the Association County Commissioners of Georgia Third Restated Defined Benefit Plan (The ACCG Plan), an agent multiple-employer pension plan, administered by GEBCorp. The ACCG, in its role as the Plan Sponsor, has the sole authority to amend the provisions of the ACCG Plan, as provided in the ACCG Plan document. The County has the authority to amend the adoption agreement, which defines the specific benefit provisions of The Plan. On June 3, 2014, the County amended the adoption agreement and closed the plan to employees with an employment commencement date on or after June 3, 2014. A financial report for the Wilcox County Defined Benefit Plan may be obtained by writing to Wilcox County, Georgia, Abbeville, Georgia 31001.

Retirement benefits for employees are calculated as 1% of average annual compensation plus \$50 multiplied by years of service. Employees are eligible for normal retirement benefits at age 65 with 5 years of service. Employees with 10 years of service and deemed to be totally disabled by the Federal Social Security Administration are eligible for disability retirement benefits payable monthly for life equal to the participants accrued benefit at disability retirement. Active participants and terminated vested participants and participants receiving a disability benefit and not yet age 65 are eligible for a pre-retirement death benefit. The beneficiary of active participants eligible for the pre-retirement death benefit will receive a lump-sum death benefit equal to the lessor of 50 times the projected

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monthly benefit based on level earnings and continued service to normal retirement, or \$50,000. For other eligible participants, the beneficiary will receive a lump-sum death benefit based on the participant's accrued benefit payable under the normal form equal to 50 times the participant's monthly pension benefit limited to \$50,000. Early, normal or late retirement participants and participants receiving a disability retirement benefit who have attained normal retirement age are eligible for a post-retirement death benefit. The beneficiary of participants eligible for the post-retirement death benefit based on the retiree's benefit payable under the normal form equal to 50 times the participant's monthly pension benefit limited to \$15,000.

At January 1, 2020, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	19
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	43
Active employees	17
	79

The County employees are not required to contribute to the Plan. The County is required to contribute at an actuarially determined amount annually to the Plan's trust. The contribution amount is determined using actuarial methods and assumptions approved by the ACCG Plan trustees and must satisfy the minimum contribution requirement contained in State of Georgia statutes. For the year ended September 30, 2021, the County's actuarially determined contribution was \$67,204.

The County's net pension liability was measured as of December 31, 2020, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2021 based on employee data as of January 1, 2020.

The total pension liability in the actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Investment Rate of Return:	7.00% per	' year						
	Based on	Based on analysis performed by the Board of Trustees in 2019.						
Future Salary Increases:	3.50% per year with an age-based scale as follows:							
-	Age	Salary Increase						
	Under 30	3.5% rate + 1.0%						
	30-39	3.5% rate + .5%						
	40-49	3.5% rate5%						
	50+	3.5% rate - 1.0%						
	Based on	results of February 2019 experience study.						
Mortality:	Pub-2010	GE (50%) & PS (50%) Amt-Weighted with Scale AA to						
-	2020 (Pre-	-Retirement: Employee, Post-Retirement: Retiree)						

ACCG acts as Trustee of the Plan and Trust established by each Employer under this Plan in accordance with and subject to the terms, conditions and provisions set forth in the Plan and Trust, including the Adoption Agreement executed by each separate employer. The Plan is managed by a Board of Trustees (the "Trustees") appointed by the Board of Managers of the ACCG. Contributions to the Plan are held, managed and invested by the Trustees in accordance with the investment guidelines (detailed in the Statement of Investment Objectives and Guidelines executed by the Trustees on May 8, 2018) and with investment management agreements between the ACCG Pension Trust and one or more asset managers. The Trustees also engage UBS Financial Services, Inc. as an independent investment consulting firm to assist the Plan in the attainment of its objectives and to monitor compliance with the adopted objectives and guidelines.

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- A. To achieve a total rate of investment return consistent with investment benchmarks and guidelines and actuarial assumptions;
- B. To earn a real return that exceeds inflation (CPI) over any rolling three to five-year period or market cycle; and
- C. To satisfy all fiduciary and other controlling laws and regulations.

These objectives shall be accomplished using a portfolio of fixed income and equity investments in a total mix which has been assigned to each Manager and which the Trustees feel is conducive to participation in rising markets while allowing for adequate protection in falling markets. It is the intention of the Trustees to give each Manager full investment discretion with the exception of any restrictions specifically noted to each investment manager.

Investment Return Assumptions

Estimated 65th percentile return based on UBS Capital Market Assumptions	6.10%
Five year performance in excess of benchmarks	0.90%
Assumed annual investment return	7.00%

The Trustees shall rebalance the portfolio at least annually for asset allocation purposes. The guidelines for allocations are: equities shall not exceed 70% of total Plan assets, valued at cost; fixed Income shall be targeted at 30% of total Plan assets, valued at cost.

The Trustees' guidelines for asset allocation are as follows:

	Target	
Asset Class	Allocation	Range
Fixed Income	30%	25% - 35%
Large Cap	30%	25% - 35%
Mid Cap	5%	2.5% - 10%
Small Cap	5%	2.5% - 10%
REIT	5%	2.5% - 10%
International	15%	10% - 20%
Multi Cap	5%	2.5% - 10%
Global Allocation	5%	2.5% - 10%
	100%	

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00%. In projecting plan assets, the assumed contribution was based on the average contribution made to the plan over the prior five years. Based on those assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

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The changes in net pension liability for the year ended September 30, 2021, were as follows.

	Increase (Decrease)							
	Total Pension Plan Fiduciar Liability Net Position (a) (b)			et Position	N	et Pension Liability (a) - (b)		
Balances - Beginning	\$	2,320,239	\$	1,771,997	\$	548,242		
Changes for the Year								
Service Cost		21,834				21,834		
Interest		159,400				159,400		
Differences Between Expected and Actual Experience		(96,919)				(96,919)		
Changes of Assumptions		3,387				3,387		
Contributions - Employer				67,204		(67,204)		
Contributions - Employee								
Net Investment Income				244,489		(244,489)		
Benefit Payments		(86,193)		(86,193)				
Administrative Expense				(18,103)		18,103		
Other Changes				(7,746)		7,746		
Net Changes	-	1,509		199,651		(198,142)		
Balances - Ending	\$	2,321,748	\$	1,971,648	\$	350,100		

The following changes in assumptions affected the measurement of the total pension liability:

• The mortality improvement changed from the Pub-2010 GE (50%) & PS (50%) Amount Weighted with Scale AA to 2019 to Scale AA to 2020.

The following presents the County's net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the County's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.00%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.00%) than the current rate:

	Current							
	1%	Decrease	Dis	count Rate	1% Increase			
	(6.00%)			(7.00%)	(8.00%)			
Net Pension Liability	\$	624,510	\$	350,100	\$	119,789		

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For the year ended September 30, 2021, the County recognized pension income of \$4,750. At September 30, 2021, the County reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	De	eferred	Deferred
	Out	flows of	Inflows of
	Re	sources	Resources
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$		\$ 32,306
Changes in assumptions		1,129	
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments			158,371
	\$	1,129	\$ 190,677

Amounts reported as deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ending September 30	_	
2022	\$	(78,359)
2023		(24,819)
2024		(63,499)
2025		(22,871)
2026		
Thereafter		
	\$	(189,548)

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Defined Contribution Plan

The County sponsors a 401a Defined Contribution Plan administered by GEBCorp, a third-party service provider. County commissioners and full-time employees with three years of service after the effective date of the plan are eligible to participate in the plan. Provisions of the plan were established by the County's execution of an adoption agreement. Employee contributions are not required or permitted. The County is required to contribute 2% of each participant's compensation and a matching contribution equal to 100% of the first 4% on amounts participants contribute to the 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan. The matching contribution shall be no more than 4% of compensation. All contributions and other requirements established by the adoption agreement may be amended by the County at any time. The County did not make contributions during the year. For the year ended September 30, 2021, the County recognized pension expense of \$19,012 and the liability outstanding at September 30, 2021 was \$221.

I. Landfill Post-Closure Care Cost

State and federal laws and regulations require that the County place a final cover on its landfill when closed and perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the landfill site for five years after closure. The County stopped accepting waste on April 8, 1994 and is awaiting final approval of closure. The County continues to pay approximately \$20,000 annually for monitoring and engineers estimate this amount will continue to be paid for the next 10 years. The exact time period cannot be determined. The County's estimated liability for post-closure care costs at September 30, 2021 was \$237,759. Actual costs may be higher due to inflation or deflation, revisions to laws or regulations, or changes in technology.

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J. Fund Balances

The classifications of fund balances of governmental funds at September 30, 2021 were as follows:

					Special	Go	Other vernmental	Go	Total overnmental
	General	A	RPA	TSPLOST	Projects		Funds		Funds
Restricted									
Public Safety	\$	\$	600	\$	\$	\$	34,431	\$	35,031
Public Works				305,130	238,210				543,340
Capital Outlay							439,606		439,606
			600	305,130	238,210		474,037		1,017,977
Assigned									
Public Safety							12,816		12,816
-							12,816		12,816
Unassigned, Reported In									
General Fund	2,061,642								2,061,642
Special Revenue Funds							(12,513)		(12,513)
Capital Projects Funds							(66,134)		(66,134)
	2,061,642						(78,647)		1,982,995
Total Fund Balances	\$ 2,061,642	\$	600	\$305,130	\$238,210	\$	408,206	\$	3,013,788
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K. Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; and natural disasters. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded insurance coverage for the past three years. To cover the risks, the County is a member of the Association County Commissioners of Georgia - Interlocal Risk Management Agency (ACCG-IRMA). The ACCG-IRMA operates under the authority of O.C.G.A. 36-85-1 et Seq. and administers group self-insurance funds, which receive contributions of its members in order to pool the risks of general liability, motor vehicle liability and property damage. Through participation in the agency, members jointly purchase insurance with other counties participating in and belonging to the agency and are coinsured under master policies with the total premium apportioned among the participants. The County is jointly and severally liable for all legal obligations of the funds which arise out of an event which occurs while the County is a member of the fund. The County's deductibles for coverage range from \$1,000 to \$2,500 with various limits of liability up to \$3,000,000 for liability and \$10,573,105 for property.

For its workers compensation coverage, the County is a member of the Association County Commissioners of Georgia-Group Self-Insurance Workers' Compensation Fund (ACCG-GSIWCF). The ACCG-GSIWCF operates under the authority of O.C.G.A 34-9-150 et Seq. The County pays into the fund its share of the fund's projected obligation for workers' compensation liability, administrative expenses, and other costs incurred by the fund. The County's share is adjusted by the board of the fund according to the claims experience of each participating member in accordance with criteria set forth in the bylaws of the fund. The fund makes payments to the employees of the members for workers compensation benefits pursuant to and in accordance with the claims procedures set forth in title 34, chapter 9 of O.C.G.A. The County is jointly and severally liable for all legal obligations of the fund, including, but not limited to, any obligations of the fund to pay claims against the fund arising out of any occurrence, incident, or accident covered under title 34, chapter 9 of O.C.G.A.

Notes to the Financial Statements September 30, 2021

L. Contingencies

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies, federal and state, are subject to audit and adjustment by those agencies. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. In the opinion of County management, such disallowances, if any, will not be significant to the County's financial statements.

M. Joint Ventures

Under Georgia law, the County, in conjunction with other cities and counties in the seventeen County Central Georgia area, is a member of the Heart of Georgia Regional Commission and is required to pay annual dues thereto. During its year ended September 30, 2021, the County paid \$4,330 in such dues. Membership in a Regional Commission is required by the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 50-8-34 which provides for the organizational structure of Regional Commissions in Georgia. The Regional Commission Board membership includes the chief elected official of each county and municipality of the area. OCGA 50-8-39.1 provides that the member governments are liable for any debts or obligations of the Regional Commissions. Separate financial statements may be obtained from:

Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission 5405 Oak Street Eastman, Georgia 31023 This page is intentionally blank.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

General Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

		Budgeted Amounts Actual					
		Original		Final		Amounts	Variance
REVENUES		-					
Taxes	\$	3,973,500	\$	3,973,500	\$	4,274,444	\$ 300,944
Licenses and Permits		21,483		21,483		39,317	17,834
Intergovernmental		133,750		139,500		394,895	255,395
Charges for Services		393,500		393,500		610,791	217,291
Fines and Forfeitures		98,000		98,000		116,622	18,622
Interest Revenue		16,000		16,000		4,126	(11,874)
Contributions and Donations		2,500		2,500		480	(2,020)
Miscellaneous		90,500		90,500		54,159	(36,341)
Total Revenues		4,729,233		4,734,983		5,494,834	 759,851
EXPENDITURES						<u> </u>	
Governing Body		297,667		297,667		289,189	8,478
Elections		103,995		103,995		99,139	4,856
Tax Commissioner		165,311		165,311		163,642	1,669
Tax Assessor		163,099		163,099		147,687	15,412
Board of Equalization		5,000		5,000		845	4,155
Building and Plant		116,832		116,832		112,207	4,625
Other General Government		135,000		135,000		5,058	129,942
Superior Court		66,983		66,983		75,137	(8,154)
Clerk of Superior Court		172,044		172,044		168,485	3,559
Probate Court		214,968		214,968		210,777	4,191
Juvenile Court		800		800			800
Public Defender		27,990		27,990		31,924	(3,934)
Sheriff		603,443		618,005		661,755	(43,750)
Jail		335,020		335,020		353,904	(18,884)
Emergency Medical Services		904,258		910,008		898,944	11,064
Coroner		21,445		21,445		28,631	(7,186)
Emergency Management		118,925		118,925		171,113	(52,188)
Highways and Streets		780,932		780,932		780,099	833
Solid Waste and Recycling		162,060		162,060		171,941	(9,881)
Closure and Post-closure Care		40,000		40,000		50,753	(10,753)
Maintenance and Shop		78,764		78,764		57,178	21,586
DFACS		5,000		5,000		975	4,025
Transit System Vans		101,200		101,200		249,052	(147,852)
Other Health and Welfare		43,273		43,273		42,411	862
Recreation		203,504		203,504		175,131	28,373
Agri-Center		24,578		24,578		21,277	3,301
Community Service Center		24,320		24,320		16,502	7,818
FSA Soil Conservation		16,050		16,050		6,243	9,807
Libraries		11,645		11,645		11,645	
County Extension		63,994		63,994		74,424	(10,430)
Forest Services		18,388		18,388		18,458	(10,430) (70)
Economic Development		10,000		10,000		10,400	(, 0)
Total Expenditures		5,036,488		5,056,800		5,104,526	 (47,726)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)	-	0,000,400		0,000,000		3,101,020	 (11,120)
Expenditures		(307,255)		(321,817)		390,308	 712,125

General Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual

For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Budgeted	Amounts	Actual	
	Original	Final	Amounts	Variance
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfers In				
Jail Special Revenue Fund	8,000	8,000		(8,000)
TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	250,000	250,000	200,000	(50,000)
Transfers Out				
E-911 Special Revenue Fund	(24,745)	(24,745)	(25,088)	(343)
Proceeds of Capital Asset Dispositions	64,000	64,000	54,500	(9,500)
Insurance Recoveries	10,000	24,562		(24,562)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	307,255	321,817	229,412	(92,405)
Net Change in Fund Balances			619,720	619,720
Fund Balances - Beginning	1,441,922	1,441,922	1,441,922	
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 1,441,922	\$ 1,441,922	\$ 2,061,642	\$ 619,720

TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual

For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Budgeted Amounts					Actual		
	(Driginal		Final	Α	mounts	N	/ariance
REVENUES								
Taxes	\$	640,000	\$	640,000	\$	388,029	\$	(251,971)
Interest Revenue		165		165		287		122
Miscellaneous						3,485		3,485
Total Revenues		640,165		640,165		391,801		(248,364)
EXPENDITURES								
Current								
Public Works		290,165		290,165		756		289,409
Capital Outlay		350,000		350,000				350,000
Total Expenditures		640,165		640,165		756		639,409
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over								
(Under) Expenditures						391,045		391,045
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers Out								
General Fund						(200,000)		(200,000)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)						(200,000)		(200,000)
Net Change in Fund Balances						191,045		191,045
Fund Balances - Beginning		114,085		114,085		114,085		,
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	114,085	\$	114,085	\$	305,130	\$	191,045
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Pension Plan

Schedule of Changes in the County's Net Pension Liability and Related Ratios September 30, 2021

		2021		2020		2019		2018		2017		2016		2015
Total Pension Liability														
Service Cost	\$	21,834	\$	23,915	\$	25,888	\$	35,250	\$	27,481	\$	23,678	\$	13,786
Interest on Total Pension Liability		159,400		150,560		148,253		136,621		129,265		114,514		108,992
Changes of Benefit Terms														
Differences Between Expected and Actual														
Experience		(96,919)		(48,389)		(84,190)		44,949		31,442		56,801		
Changes of Assumptions		3,387		96,770		76,088		4,070		56,717		58,284		
Benefit Payments		(86,193)		(106,941)		(13,176)		(107,709)		(60,317)		(52,853)		(45,478)
Net Change in Total Pension Liability		1,509		115,915		152,863		113,181		184,588		200,424		77,300
Total Pension Liability - Beginning		2,320,239		2,204,324		2,051,461		1,938,280		1,753,692		1,553,268		1,475,968
Total Pension Liability - Ending (a)	\$	2,321,748	\$	2,320,239	\$ 3	2,204,324	\$	2,051,461	\$	1,938,280	\$	1,753,692	\$	1,553,268
Plan Fiduciary Net Position														
Contributions - Employer	\$	67,204	\$	71,361	\$	66,558	\$	96,127	\$	88,187	\$	77,106	\$	62,167
Contributions - Employee														
Net Investment Income		244,489		312,975		(73,913)		214,154		89,477		8,929		84,422
Benefit Payments, Including Refunds of Employee		(86,193)		(106,941)		(13,176)		(107,709)		(60,317)		(52,853)		(45,478)
Administrative Expense		(18,103)		(18,145)		(7,594)		(6,703)		(9,889)		(6,190)		(4,577)
Other		(7,746)		(7,741)		(7,186)		(23,674)		(8,245)		(7,992)		(7,504)
Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position		199,651		251,509		(35,311)		172,195		99,213		19,000		89,030
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning		1,771,997		1,520,488		1,555,799		1,383,604		1,284,391		1,265,391		1,176,361
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending (b)		1,971,648		1,771,997		1,520,488		1,555,799	-	1,383,604	-	1,284,391		1,265,391
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County's Net Pension Liability - Ending (a) - (b)	\$	350,100	\$	548,242	\$	683,836	\$	495,662	\$	554,676	\$	469,301	\$	287,877
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of														
the Total Pension Liability		84.92%		76.37%		68.98%		75.84%		71.38%		73.24%		81.47%
Covered-Employee Payroll County's Net Pension Liability as a	\$	465,494	\$	614,659	\$	672,010	\$	841,967	\$	781,639	\$	729,236	\$	479,596
Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll		75.21%		89.19%		101.76%		58.87%		70.96%		64.36%		60.02%

Pension Plan Schedule of County Contributions September 30, 2021

		2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015
Actuarially Determined Contribution Contributions in Relation to the Actuarially	\$	67,204	\$ 71,361	\$ 66,558	\$ 96,127	\$ 88,187	\$ 77,106	\$ 62,167
Determined Contribution		67,204	 71,361	 66,558	 96,127	 88,187	 77,106	 62,167
Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	\$		\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$ 	\$
Covered-Employee Payroll	\$	465,494	\$ 614,659	\$ 672,010	\$ 841,967	\$ 781,639	\$ 729,236	\$ 479,596
Contributions as a Percentage of Covered-Emplo)	14.44%	11.61%	9.90%	11.42%	11.28%	10.57%	12.96%

Notes to Schedule

Valuation date	January 1, 2020
Actuarial cost method	Entry age normal
Amortization method	Level percentage of payroll, closed
Remaining amortization period	Net effective period of 16.9 years
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market
Investment rate of return	7.0% per year
Salary increases	2.5% - 4.5% based on age
Mortality	5
,	Bub 2010 CE (50%) & DS (50%) Amt Weighted with Socia AA to 2020 (Bro Batirament: Er

Pub-2010 GE (50%) & PS (50%) Amt-Weighted with Scale AA to 2020 (Pre-Retirement: Employee, Post-Retirement: Retiree)

COMBINING AND INDIVIDUAL FUND STATEMENTS AND SCHEDULES

Major Governmental Funds

General Fund

The General Fund is the County's primary operating fund. It is used to account for and report all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for and reported in another fund.

Special Revenue Funds

Special revenue funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

ARPA Fund - This fund is used to account for the Local Fiscal Recovery Funds received by the County through the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021.

TSPLOST Fund - This fund is used to account for the collection of the discretionary portion of the Transportation special district local option sales and use tax proceeds and expenditures for transportation projects that are not capital projects.

Special Projects Fund - This fund accounts for the proceeds of the local maintenance and improvement grant.

Capital Projects Funds

Capital projects funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. Capital projects funds exclude those types of capital-related outflows financed by proprietary funds or for assets that will be held in trust for individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

SPLOST 2018 Fund - This fund is used to account for the special one percent sales tax imposed for various capital outlay projects for the six year period April 1, 2018 - March 31, 2024.

TSPLOST Fund - This fund is used to account for transportation projects financed from transportation special district local option sales and use tax proceeds.

General Fund

Balance Sheet September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021	2020
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 1,859,821	\$ 1,635,361
Receivables (Net of Allowance for Uncollectibles)		
Taxes	76,403	91,700
Accounts	87,356	87,930
Intergovernmental	268,300	41,344
Due From Other Funds		
Cedar Creek Fire Special Revenue Fund	824	1,650
TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	200,000	
Total Assets	\$ 2,492,704	\$ 1,857,985
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable	\$ 264,316	\$ 106,214
Accrued Liabilities	33,347	89,619
Due To Other Funds	55,547	03,013
TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund	14,716	14,716
Unearned Revenue		133,991
Total Liabilities	312,379	344,540
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DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable Revenue		
Property Taxes	60,893	58,670
Ambulance Fees	44,062	12,853
Intergovernmental	13,728	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	118,683	71,523
FUND BALANCES		
Unassigned	2,061,642	1,441,922
Total Fund Balances	2,061,642	1,441,922
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances	\$ 2,492,704	\$ 1,857,985

General Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021	2020
REVENUES		
Taxes	\$ 4,274,444	\$ 4,059,582
Licenses and Permits	39,317	23,091
Intergovernmental	394,895	373,370
Charges for Services	610,791	622,417
Fines and Forfeitures	116,622	51,932
Interest Revenue	4,126	13,296
Contributions and Donations	480	1,700
Miscellaneous	54,159	56,741
Total Revenues	5,494,834	5,202,129
EXPENDITURES Current		
General Government	817,767	980,195
Judicial	486,323	518,506
Public Safety	2,114,347	2,126,774
Public Works	1,059,971	1,282,473
Health and Welfare	292,438	155,555
Culture and Recreation	230,798	329,840
Housing and Development	102,882	122,809
Total Expenditures	5,104,526	5,516,152
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	390,308	(314,023)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers In		
Jail Special Revenue Fund		4,700
TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund Transfers Out	200,000	180,000
E-911 Special Revenue Fund	(25,088)	(29,432)
Proceeds of Capital Asset Dispositions	54,500	5,050
Insurance Recoveries		31,975
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	229,412	192,293
Net Change in Fund Balances	619,720	(121,730)
Fund Balances - Beginning	1,441,922	1,563,652
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 2,061,642	\$ 1,441,922

ARPA Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021		 2020		
ASSETS					
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	839,224	\$ 		
Total Assets	\$	839,224	\$ 		
LIABILITIES					
Unearned Revenue	\$	838,624	\$ 		
Total Liabilities		838,624	 		
FUND BALANCES					
Restricted		600			
Total Fund Balances		600	 		
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	839,224	\$ 		

ARPA Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

	2	021	20	20
REVENUES				
Interest Revenue	\$	600	\$	
Total Revenues		600		
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		600		
Net Change in Fund Balances		600		
Fund Balances - Beginning				
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	600	\$	

TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021		2020
ASSETS			
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 392,735	\$	32,039
Receivables			
Intergovernmental	31,545		29,577
Due From Other Funds			
TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund	 80,850		57,064
Total Assets	\$ 505,130	\$	118,680
LIABILITIES			
Accounts Payable	\$ 	\$	4,595
Due To Other Funds			
General Fund	200,000		
Total Liabilities	200,000		4,595
FUND BALANCES			
Restricted	305,130		114,085
Total Fund Balances	 305,130		114,085
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 505,130	\$	118,680
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TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

		2021		2020
REVENUES				
Taxes	\$	388,029	\$	363,076
Interest Revenue		287		163
Miscellaneous		3,485		
Total Revenues		391,801		363,239
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
Public Works		756		6,200
Total Expenditures		756		6,200
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		391,045		357,039
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		· · · ·		· · ·
Transfers Out				
General Fund		(200,000)		(180,000)
CDBG Capital Projects Fund				(2,749)
Special Projects Special Revenue Fund				(107,033)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		(200,000)		(289,782)
Net Change in Fund Balances		191,045		67,257
Fund Balances - Beginning		114,085		46,828
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	305,130	\$	114,085
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Special Projects Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet September 30, 2021 and 2020

ASSETS		2021	 2020
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	238,210	\$ 190,641
Total Assets	\$	238,210	\$ 190,641
FUND BALANCES Restricted Total Fund Balances	\$ \$	238,210 238,210	\$ 190,641 190,641

Special Projects Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 a	and 2020
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	 2021	 2020
REVENUES Intergovernmental Interest Revenue Total Revenues	\$ 898,208 1,104 899,312	\$ 3,710 3,710
EXPENDITURES		
Current		
Public Works	26,365	16,335
Capital Outlay	825,378	 536,048
Total Expenditures	 851,743	 552,383
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	 47,569	 (548,673)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		
Transfers In		
TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	 	 107,033
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	 	 107,033
Net Change in Fund Balances	47,569	(441,640)
Fund Balances - Beginning	 190,641	 632,281
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 238,210	\$ 190,641

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Nonmajor Governmental Funds

Special Revenue Funds

Special revenue funds are used to account for and report the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are restricted or committed to expenditure for specified purposes other than debt service or capital projects.

E-911 Fund - This fund is used to account for operations of the E-911 center.

Cedar Creek Fire Fund - This fund is used to account for the collection and disbursement of funds used for fire protection in the Cedar Creek section of the County.

Jail Fund - This fund is used to account for an additional 10% on all fines collected for the purpose of jail improvements.

Drug Abuse Treatment Fund - This fund is used to account for the collection and disbursement of monies used exclusively for drug abuse treatment and education programs relating to controlled substances and marijuana.

Juvenile Services Fund - This fund is used to account for the collection and disbursement of fines received from juvenile court cases.

Sheriff's Drug Fund - This fund is used to account for collection and disbursement of federally forfeited funds which are to be used solely for local drug enforcement.

Capital Projects Funds

Capital projects funds are used to account for and report financial resources that are restricted, committed, or assigned to expenditure for capital outlays, including the acquisition or construction of capital facilities and other capital assets. Capital projects funds exclude those types of capital-related outflows financed by proprietary funds or for assets that will be held in trust for individuals, private organizations, or other governments.

Nonmajor Governmental Funds Combining Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021

		Special Revenue Funds							
	E-911	Cedar Creek Fire		Jail		Drug Abuse Treatment		/enile vices	
ASSETS									
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 10,875	\$ 3,831	\$	9,877	\$	18,108	\$	229	
Receivables	10,612	23							
Due From Other Funds									
Total Assets	\$ 21,487	\$ 3,854	\$	9,877	\$	18,108	\$	229	
LIABILITIES									
Accounts Payable	\$ 34,000	\$ 69	\$		\$		\$		
Intergovernmental Payable									
Due To Other Funds		824							
Total Liabilities	34,000	893							
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES									
Unavailable Revenue		22							
Total Deferred Inflows Of Resources		22							
FUND BALANCES									
Restricted						18,108		229	
Assigned		2,939		9,877					
Unassigned	(12,513)								
Total Fund Balances	(12,513)	2,939		9,877		18,108		229	
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Res		\$ 3,854	\$	9,877	\$	18,108	\$	229	

	Capital Projects Funds							Total								
s	Sheriff's Drug		Total		SPLOST 2018		SPLOST	Total		Total		Total		Total		onmajor vernmental Funds
\$	16,094	\$	59,014	\$	400,610	\$		\$	400,610	\$ 459,624						
			10,635		49,995		61,976		111,971	122,606						
							14,716		14,716	 14,716						
\$	16,094	\$	69,649	\$	450,605	\$	76,692	\$	527,297	\$ 596,946						
\$		\$	34,069	\$		\$		\$		\$ 34,069						
					10,999				10,999	10,999						
			824				80,850		80,850	 81,674						
			34,893		10,999		80,850		91,849	126,742						
			22				61,976		61,976	 61,998						
			22				61,976		61,976	 61,998						
	16,094		34,431		439,606				439,606	474,037						
			12,816							12,816						
			(12,513)				(66,134)		(66,134)	 (78,647)						
	16,094		34,734		439,606		(66,134)		373,472	408,206						
\$	16,094	\$	69,649	\$	450,605	\$	76,692	\$	527,297	\$ 596,946						

Nonmajor Governmental Funds

Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances September 30, 2021

	Special Revenue Funds						
	E-911	Cedar Creek		Drug Abuse Treatment	Juvenile Services		
REVENUES							
Taxes	\$ 78	\$ 5,289	\$	\$	\$		
Intergovernmental		194					
Charges for Services	129,577						
Fines and Forfeitures			8,681	5,046			
Interest Revenue	52	6		30			
Contributions and Donations							
Miscellaneous							
Total Revenues	129,707	5,489	8,681	5,076			
EXPENDITURES							
Current							
Public Safety	137,088	884		250			
Capital Outlay							
Debt Service							
Intergovernmental							
Total Expenditures	137,088	884		250			
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(7,381)	4,605	8,681	4,826			
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)							
Transfers In	25,088						
Capital Leases							
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	25,088						
Net Change in Fund Balances	17,707	4,605	8,681	4,826			
Fund Balances - Beginning	(30,220)	(1,666)	1,196	13,282	229		
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ (12,513)	\$ 2,939	\$ 9,877	\$ 18,108	\$ 229		

				Ca	pital	Projects Fu	unds	Total
-	Sheriff's Drug		Total	SPLOST 2018		TSPLOST	Total	lonmajor vernmental Funds
\$		\$	5,367	\$ 573,331	\$	·	\$ 573,331	\$ 578,698
			194					194
			129,577					129,577
	3,550		17,277					17,277
			88	533			533	621
	1,500		1,500					1,500
	2,989		2,989					 2,989
	8,039		156,992	573,864			573,864	 730,856
	3,628		141,850	 333,431		 23,785	 357,216	141,850 357,216
				120,052		23,700	120,052	120,052
				120,032			126,032	126,032
	3,628		141,850	579,559		23,785	603,344	 745,194
	0,020		141,000	010,000		20,700	000,044	 740,104
	4,411		15,142	(5,695)	(23,785)	(29,480)	(14,338)
			25,088					25,088
				105,245	_		105,245	 105,245
			25,088	105,245			105,245	 130,333
	4,411		40,230	99,550		(23,785)	75,765	115,995
<u>_</u>	11,683	_	(5,496)	340,056		(42,349)	297,707	 292,211
\$	16,094	\$	34,734	\$ 439,606	\$	66,134)	\$ 373,472	\$ 408,206

E-911 Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

	 2021	2020		
ASSETS				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 10,875	\$	11,616	
Receivables				
Accounts			12	
Intergovernmental	 10,612		11,152	
Total Assets	\$ 21,487	\$	22,780	
LIABILITIES				
Accounts Payable	\$ 34,000	\$	53,000	
Total Liabilities	 34,000		53,000	
FUND BALANCES				
Unassigned	(12,513)		(30,220)	
Total Fund Balances	 (12,513)		(30,220)	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$ 21,487	\$	22,780	

E-911 Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021	2020
REVENUES	 	
Taxes	\$ 78	\$ 65
Charges for Services	129,577	144,562
Interest Revenue	52	339
Total Revenues	129,707	144,966
EXPENDITURES Current Public Safety Total Expenditures	 <u>137,088</u> 137,088	 <u>182,432</u> 182,432
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(7,381)	(37,466)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers In		
General Fund	25,088	29,432
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	25,088	29,432
Net Change in Fund Balances	17,707	(8,034)
Fund Balances - Beginning	(30,220)	(22,186)
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ (12,513)	\$ (30,220)

E-911 Special Revenue Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Budget	Actual	Variance
REVENUES Taxes Charges for Services Interest Revenue Total Revenues	\$ 123,000 123,000	\$ 78 129,577 <u>52</u> 129,707	\$ 78 6,577 <u>52</u> 6,707
EXPENDITURES Current			(11000)
Public Safety Total Expenditures	<u>123,000</u> 123,000	<u>137,088</u> 137,088	(14,088) (14,088)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		(7,381)	(7,381)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers In			
General Fund		25,088	25,088
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		25,088	25,088
Net Change in Fund Balances		17,707	17,707
Fund Balances - Beginning Fund Balances - Ending	(30,220) \$ (30,220)	(30,220) \$ (12,513)	\$ 17,707

Cedar Creek Fire Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet September 30, 2021 and 2020

	 2021	 2020
ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 3,831	\$ 70
Receivables		
Taxes	 23	 131
Total Assets	\$ 3,854	\$ 201
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable	\$ 69	\$
Due To Other Funds		
General Fund	824	1,650
Unearned Revenue		86
Total Liabilities	893	 1,736
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable Revenue		
Property Taxes	22	131
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	22	 131
FUND BALANCES		
Assigned	2,939	
Unassigned	 	 (1,666)
Total Fund Balances	2,939	(1,666)
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances	\$ 3,854	\$ 201

Cedar Creek Fire Special Revenue Fund Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021		 2020
REVENUES			
Taxes	\$	5,289	\$ 7,812
Intergovernmental		194	184
Interest Revenue		6	 8
Total Revenues		5,489	 8,004
EXPENDITURES			
Current			
Public Safety		884	6,844
Total Expenditures		884	6,844
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		4,605	 1,160
Net Change in Fund Balances		4,605	 1,160
Fund Balances - Beginning		(1,666)	 (2,826)
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	2,939	\$ (1,666)

Cedar Creek Fire Special Revenue Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Budget		Budget Ac		al Variano	
REVENUES	•		•		•	
Taxes	\$	5,270	\$	5,289	\$	19
Intergovernmental				194		194
Interest Revenue				6		6
Miscellaneous		1,000				(1,000)
Total Revenues		6,270		5,489		(781)
EXPENDITURES						
Current						
Public Safety		6,270		884		5,386
Total Expenditures		6,270		884		5,386
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)						
Expenditures				4,605		4,605
Net Change in Fund Balances				4,605		4,605
Fund Balances - Beginning		(1,666)		(1,666)		
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	(1,666)	\$	2,939	\$	4,605

Jail Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

ASSETS	2021		2020	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	9,877	\$	1,196
Total Assets	\$	9,877	\$	1,196
FUND BALANCES				
Assigned	\$	9,877	\$	1,196
Total Fund Balances	\$	9,877	\$	1,196

Jail Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021		2020
REVENUES			
Fines and Forfeitures	\$	8,681	\$ 5,052
Total Revenues		8,681	5,052
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		8,681	 5,052
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			
Transfers Out			
General Fund			(4,700)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)			(4,700)
Net Change in Fund Balances		8,681	352
Fund Balances - Beginning		1,196	844
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	9,877	\$ 1,196

Jail Special Revenue Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual

For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Budget		Actual		Va	riance
REVENUES						
Fines and Forfeitures	\$	4,685	\$	8,681	\$	3,996
Total Revenues		4,685		8,681		3,996
EXPENDITURES						
Current						
Public Safety		4,685				4,685
Total Expenditures		4,685				4,685
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)						
Expenditures				8,681		8,681
Net Change in Fund Balances				8,681		8,681
Fund Balances - Beginning		1,196		1,196		
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	1,196	\$	9,877	\$	8,681

Drug Abuse Treatment Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

ASSETS	2021		2020	
Cash and Cash Equivalents Total Assets	\$ \$	<u>18,108</u> 18,108	\$ \$	13,282 13,282
FUND BALANCES Restricted Total Fund Balances	\$	18,108 18,108	\$	13,282 13,282

Drug Abuse Treatment Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	2021		 2020
REVENUES			
Fines and Forfeitures	\$	5,046	\$ 1,625
Interest Revenue		30	 30
Total Revenues		5,076	 1,655
EXPENDITURES			
Current			
Public Safety		250	
Total Expenditures		250	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		4,826	1,655
Net Change in Fund Balances		4,826	1,655
Fund Balances - Beginning		13,282	 11,627
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	18,108	\$ 13,282

Drug Abuse Treatment Special Revenue Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual

For the Ye	ar Ended	September	30, 1	2021
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	Budget		Actual		Va	riance
REVENUES Fines and Forfeitures	\$	1,540	\$	5,046	\$	3,506
Interest Revenue	Ψ	1,040	Ψ	30	Ψ	28
Total Revenues		1,542		5,076		3,534
EXPENDITURES						
Current						
Public Safety		1,500		250		1,250
Capital Outlay		42				42
Total Expenditures		1,542		250		1,292
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under)						
Expenditures				4,826		4,826
Net Change in Fund Balances				4,826		4,826
Fund Balances - Beginning		13,282		13,282		
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	13,282	\$	18,108	\$	4,826

Juvenile Services Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

ASSETS	2021		2020	
Cash and Cash Equivalents Total Assets	\$ \$	229 229	\$ \$	229 229
FUND BALANCES Restricted Total Fund Balances	\$	229 229	\$ \$	229 229

Juvenile Services Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

	2021		2	020
REVENUES				
Fines and Forfeitures	\$		\$	50
Total Revenues				50
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures				50
Net Change in Fund Balances				50
Fund Balances - Beginning		229		179
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	229	\$	229

Sheriff's Drug Special Revenue Fund Balance Sheet September 30, 2021 and 2020

ASSETS	2021		2020 2020	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	16,094	\$	11,683
Total Assets	\$	16,094	\$	11,683
FUND BALANCES				
Restricted	\$	16,094	\$	11,683
Total Fund Balances	\$	16,094	\$	11,683

Sheriff's Drug Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

	2021			2020
REVENUES				
Fines and Forfeitures	\$	3,550	\$	4,551
Contributions and Donations		1,500		
Miscellaneous		2,989		1,000
Total Revenues		8,039		5,551
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
Public Safety		3,628		4,090
Total Expenditures		3,628		4,090
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		4,411		1,461
Net Change in Fund Balances		4,411	-	1,461
Fund Balances - Beginning		11,683		10,222
Fund Balances - Ending	\$	16,094	\$	11,683

SPLOST 2018 Capital Projects Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

		2021		2020
ASSETS				
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	400,610	\$	301,974
Receivables				
Intergovernmental		49,995		48,823
Total Assets	\$	450,605	\$	350,797
LIABILITIES	¢	10.000	¢	10 744
Intergovernmental Payable Total Liabilities	\$	10,999	\$	10,741
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FUND BALANCES				
Restricted		439,606		340,056
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	450,605	\$	350,797

SPLOST 2018 Capital Projects Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	_	2021	 2020
REVENUES Taxes Interest Revenue Total Revenues	\$	573,331 533 573,864	\$ 508,026 442 508,468
EXPENDITURES Capital Outlay Debt Service Intergovernmental Total Expenditures Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures		333,431 120,052 126,076 579,559 (5,695)	 221,347 44,714 111,738 377,799 130,669
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Capital Leases Total Other Financing Sources (Uses) Net Change in Fund Balances Fund Balances - Beginning Fund Balances - Ending	\$	105,245 105,245 99,550 340,056 439,606	\$ 130,669 209,387 340,056

TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund Balance Sheet

September 30, 2021 and 2020

		2021		2020
ASSETS				
Receivables	¢	61 076	\$	20 270
Intergovernmental Due From Other Funds	\$	61,976	φ	38,279
General Fund		14,716		14,716
Total Assets	\$	76,692	\$	52,995
	ψ	70,092	ψ	52,995
LIABILITIES				
Due To Other Funds				
TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	\$	80,850	\$	57,064
Total Liabilities		80,850		57,064
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Transportation Special District Local Option Sales and Use Taxes		61,976		38,280
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources		61,976		38,280
		01,070		00,200
FUND BALANCES				
Unassigned		(66,134)		(42,349)
Total Fund Balances		(66,134)		(42,349)
Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Fund Balances	\$	76,692	\$	52,995

TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

	202	1	2020
REVENUES			
Taxes	\$		\$ 146,908
Total Revenues			146,908
EXPENDITURES			
Capital Outlay	23	,785	157,854
Total Expenditures	23	,785	157,854
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	(23	,785)	(10,946)
Net Change in Fund Balances	(23	,785)	(10,946)
Fund Balances - Beginning	(42	,349)	(31,403)
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ (66	,134)	\$ (42,349)

TSPLOST Capital Projects Fund

Schedule of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual From Inception and for the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Project Authorization	Prior Years	Current Year	Total To Date
REVENUES				
Taxes	\$ 1,329,925	\$ 462,717	<u>\$</u>	\$ 462,717
Total Revenues	1,329,925	462,717		462,717
EXPENDITURES				
Capital Outlay	1,436,195	611,336	23,785	635,121
Total Expenditures	1,436,195	611,336	23,785	635,121
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over				
(Under) Expenditures	(106,270)	(148,619)	(23,785)	(172,404)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Transfers In				
TSPLOST Special Revenue Fund	106,270	106,270		106,270
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	106,270	106,270		106,270
Net Change in Fund Balances	\$	\$ (42,349)	(23,785)	\$ (66,134)
Fund Balances - Beginning			(42,349)	
Fund Balances - Ending			\$ (66,134)	

Fiduciary Funds

Private-Purpose Trust Funds

Private purpose trust funds are used to report all trust arrangements (other than pension and investment trust funds) "under which principal and income benefit individuals, private organizations, or other governments."

Will Duncan Fund - This private purpose trust fund is used to account for resources legally held in trust for use by the County to improve the provision of, and access to, quality healthcare services for the poor citizens of Wilcox County.

Custodial Funds

Custodial funds are used to account for resources held by the County in a purely custodial capacity for individuals, private organizations, and other governments.

Clerk of Superior Court Fund - This fund is used to account for collection of various fees and other amounts which are disbursed to other parties.

Probate Court Fund - This fund is used to account for collection of various fees to be disbursed to other parties.

Sheriff Fund - This fund is used to account for collection of various cash bonds, fees, etc. to be disbursed to other parties.

Tax Commissioner Fund - This fund is used to account for collection of property taxes, motor vehicle tax and title fees, fees for recording of intangibles, etc. which are disbursed to various taxing units.

Magistrate Court Fund - This fund is used to account for collection of various warrants to be disbursed to other parties.

Fiduciary Funds Combining Statement of Fiduciary Net Position September 30, 2021

	Private- Purpose Trust Fund			Cu	stodial Funds		
	Will Duncan	Clerk of Superior Court	Probate Court	Sheriff	Tax Commissioner	Magistrate Court	Total
ASSETS							
Cash	\$ 149,128	\$65,660	\$61,476	\$17,214	\$ 130,439	\$ 3,130	\$ 427,047
Total Assets	149,128	65,660	61,476	17,214	130,439	3,130	427,047
LIABILITIES Due to Others		65,660	61,476	17,214	130,439	3,130	277,919
Total Liabilities		65,660	61,476	17,214	130,439	3,130	277,919
NET POSITION Restricted for Individuals, Organizations, and Other Governments	\$ 149,128	\$	s	<u> </u>	\$	¢	\$ 149,128
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SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES

General Fund

Schedule of Revenues For the Years Ended September 30, 2021 and 2020

2021 2020 REVENUES Taxes **Real Property** \$ 3,034,106 \$ 2,931,456 **Personal Property** 522,651 464,056 Real Estate Transfer (Intangible) 41,288 34,309 General Sales and Use 286,612 254,003 **Business Insurance Premium** 318,280 299,505 15,044 17,667 Financial Institution Penalties and Interest on Delinquent Taxes 58,586 56,463 4,274,444 4,059,582 Licenses and Permits **Business** 150 Non-Business 39,167 23,091 39,317 23,091 Intergovernmental 394,895 373,370 **Charges for Services General Government** 144,456 168,605 **Public Safety Ambulance Fees** 413,724 418,886 Other Public Safety Fees 21,291 12,071 Street and Public Improvements 12,881 11,912 Culture and Recreation 18,439 10,943 622,417 610,791 Fines and Forfeitures 116,622 51,932 Interest Revenue 4,126 13,296 **Contributions and Donations** 480 1,700 Miscellaneous 54,159 56,741 **Total Revenues** \$ 5,494,834 \$ 5,202,129

General Fund

Schedule of Expenditures

		2021		2020
EXPENDITURES				
Current				
General Government				
Governing Body				
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	\$	192,516	\$	219,115
Purchased/Contracted Services	·	47,732		72,338
Supplies		11,959		10,574
Other Costs		42,040		9,458
Total Governing Body		294,247		311,485
Elections		- ,		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits		64,667		92,032
Purchased/Contracted Services		27,439		28,141
Supplies		7,033		34,282
Total Elections		99,139		154,455
Board of Equalization		,		<u>, </u>
Purchased/Contracted Services		845		1,376
Total Board of Equalization		845		1,376
Tax Commissioner				,
Personal Services and Employee Benefits		130,827		132,503
Purchased/Contracted Services		30,338		25,617
Supplies		2,460		10,861
Other Costs		[′] 17		·
Total Tax Commissioner		163,642		168,981
Tax Assessor) -		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits		93,264		90,308
Purchased/Contracted Services		54,191		143,444
Supplies		232		2,732
Total Tax Assessor		147,687		236,484
Building and Plant		· · · ·		· · ·
Personal Services and Employee Benefits		51,079		46,049
Purchased/Contracted Services		26,158		27,111
Supplies		22,595		22,741
Capital Outlay		12,375		11,513
Total Building and Plant		112,207		107,414
Total General Government		817,767		980,195
			-	

General Fund

Schedule of Expenditures

	2021	2020
Judicial		
Superior Court		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	4,905	4,635
Purchased/Contracted Services	69,552	69,648
Supplies	680	9
Total Superior Court	75,137	74,292
Clerk of Superior Court		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	137,112	131,599
Purchased/Contracted Services	28,113	29,380
Supplies	3,260	7,237
Capital Outlay		25,991
Total Clerk of Superior Court	168,485	194,207
Probate Court		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	179,829	192,969
Purchased/Contracted Services	20,802	23,329
Supplies	10,146	9,330
Total Probate Court	210,777	225,628
Public Defender		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	5,761	4,321
Purchased/Contracted Services	26,163	20,058
Total Public Defender	31,924	24,379
Total Judicial	486,323	518,506
Public Safety		
Sheriff		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	516,507	518,721
Purchased/Contracted Services	66,666	113,540
Supplies	75,032	47,247
Capital Outlay	3,550	
Total Sheriff	661,755	679,508
Jail		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	159,722	184,807
Purchased/Contracted Services	135,837	123,457
Supplies	58,345	65,321
Total Jail	353,904	373,585

General Fund

Schedule of Expenditures

	2021	2020
Emergency Medical Services		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	744,799	807,525
Purchased/Contracted Services	67,365	42,747
Supplies	86,780	67,539
Capital Outlay		36,116
Total Emergency Medical Services	898,944	953,927
Coroner		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	1,914	1,924
Purchased/Contracted Services	25,421	16,861
Supplies	1,296	550
Total Coroner	28,631	19,335
Emergency Management		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	61,353	57,759
Purchased/Contracted Services	36,324	18,609
Supplies	17,159	15,051
Capital Outlay	47,277	
Other Costs	9,000	9,000
Total Emergency Management	171,113	100,419
Total Public Safety	2,114,347	2,126,774
Public Works		
Highways and Streets		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	436,115	481,750
Purchased/Contracted Services	103,568	181,458
Supplies	240,416	167,495
Capital Outlay		192,375
Total Highways and Streets	780,099	1,023,078
Solid Waste and Recycling		
Purchased/Contracted Services	171,941	148,500
Total Solid Waste and Recycling	171,941	148,500
Closure and Post-closure Care		
Purchased/Contracted Services	50,753	31,233
Total Closure and Post-closure Care	50,753	31,233
Maintenance and Shop		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	20,713	57,802
Purchased/Contracted Services	29,808	26,252
Supplies	6,657	(9,392)
Capital Outlay		5,000
Total Maintenance and Shop	57,178	79,662
Total Public Works	1,059,971	1,282,473
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General Fund

Schedule of Expenditures

	2021	2020
Health and Welfare		
DFACS		
Other Costs	975	1,490
Total DFACS	975	1,490
Transit System Vans		
Purchased/Contracted Services	246,177	106,253
Supplies	2,875	319
Total Transit System Vans	249,052	106,572
Other Health and Welfare		
Purchased/Contracted Services	1,907	6,989
Other Costs	40,504	40,504
Total Other Health and Welfare	42,411	47,493
Total Health and Welfare	292,438	155,555
Culture and Recreation		
Recreation		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	85,976	83,345
Purchased/Contracted Services	23,797	29,531
Supplies	65,358	54,327
Capital Outlay		52,513
Total Recreation	175,131	219,716
Agri-Center		
Purchased/Contracted Services	15,920	13,863
Supplies	5,357	3,525
Total Agri-Center	21,277	17,388
Community Service Center		
Purchased/Contracted Services	7,571	17,301
Supplies	8,211	9,740
Other Costs	720	720
Total Community Service Center	16,502	27,761
FSA Soil Conservation		
Purchased/Contracted Services	5,989	45,076
Supplies	254	8,254
Total FSA Soil Conservation	6,243	53,330
Libraries		
Other Costs	11,645	11,645
Total Libraries	11,645	11,645
Total Culture and Recreation	230,798	329,840

General Fund

Schedule of Expenditures

	2021	2020
Housing and Development		
County Extension		
Personal Services and Employee Benefits	42,851	31,478
Purchased/Contracted Services	14,191	31,739
Supplies	17,382	6,604
Capital Outlay		24,600
Total County Extension	74,424	94,421
Forest Services		
Other Costs	18,458	18,388
Total Forest Services	18,458	18,388
Economic Development		
Other Costs	10,000	10,000
Total Economic Development	10,000	10,000
Total Housing and Development	102,882	122,809
Total Expenditures	\$ 5,104,526	\$ 5,516,152

Schedule of Projects Constructed with Special Sales Tax Proceeds For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

	Original	Revised			Expenditures		Estimated Percentage
	Estimated	Estimated		Prior	Current		of
Project	Cost	Cost	<u> </u>	/ears	Year	Total	Completion
Referendum 4/1/2018 - 3/31/2024							
County Projects	\$ 1,950,000	\$ 1,950,000					48%
Improving, Upgrading & Repairing Roads,							
Streets & Bridges				356,777	28,755	385,532	
Acquiring Materials for Roads, Streets & Bridges					22,995	22,995	
Repairing, Renovating, Upgrading & Imrpoving							
County-owned Buildings & Facilities				48,061	1,312	49,373	
Acquiring EMS & Law Enforcement Vehicles				60,913	260,609	321,522	
Acquiring Fire & Rescue Equipment & Vehicles				30,267		30,267	
Constructing, Equipping & Furnishing a new							
EMS Building & Fire Stations							
Repairing, Renovating, Upgrading & Improving							
Buildings, Facilities, Parks & Grounds of the							
Recreation Department				3,000	6,561	9,561	
Acquiring Recreational Fixtures & Equipment				33,184		33,184	
Acquiring, Installing, Updgrading, Improving &							
Extending Water & Sewer Connections				57,424	28,006	85,430	
Abbeville	175,000	175,000		81,295	40,131	121,426	69%
Pineview	100,000	100,000		46,454	22,882	69,336	69%
Pitts	100,000	100,000		46,454	22,932	69,386	69%
Rochelle	175,000	175,000		81,295	40,131	121,426	69%
	\$ 2,500,000	\$ 2,500,000	\$	845,124	\$ 474,314	\$ 1,319,438	
SPLOST 2018 Capital Projects Fund							
Total Expenditures					\$ 579,559		
Capital Leases					(105,245)		
- ap					\$ 474.314		



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

To the Board of County Commissioners Wilcox County, Georgia

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 aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Wilcox County, Georgia, as of and for the year ended September 30, 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Wilcox County, Georgia's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated November 7, 2022. Our report includes a reference to other auditors who audited the financial statements of the Wilcox County Board of Health, as described in our report on Wilcox County, Georgia's financial statements. This report does not include the results of the other auditors' testing of internal control over financial reporting or compliance and other matters that are reported on separately by those auditors.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Wilcox County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of Wilcox County, Georgia's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Wilcox County, County, Georgia's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the preceding paragraph and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that have not been identified. However, as described in the accompanying *schedule of findings and responses*, we did identify certain deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses and significant deficiencies.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying *schedule of findings and responses* as item 2021-001 to be a material weakness.

A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiency described in the accompanying *schedule of findings and responses* as item 2021-002 to be a significant deficiency.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether Wilcox County, Georgia'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 an instance of noncompliance that is required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2021-003.

Wilcox County, Georgia's Response to Findings

Wilcox County, Georgia's response to the findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. Wilcox County, Georgia's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

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.

ECKLER CPA, LLC

Fitzgerald, Georgia November 7, 2022

Schedule of Findings and Responses

For the Year Ended September 30, 2021

2021-001

Criteria

Bank accounts should be reconciled regularly to ensure receipts and disbursements are recorded correctly and cash balances are correctly stated.

Condition

The payroll bank account was not properly reconciled for each month of the fiscal year.

Recommendation

Management should ensure that appropriate personnel reconcile the bank account timely and adequately each month.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action

County officials agree with the finding and management has arranged for the bank account to be adequately reconciled on a regular basis.

2021-002

Criteria

Employee withholdings and payroll taxes should be properly authorized, recorded, and controlled to ensure errors or improperly authorized or controlled withholdings and payroll taxes do not result in improper disbursements or misstatements to the financial statements.

Condition

Employee withholdings and payroll taxes and related remittances were not properly recorded and were not properly reconciled to the general ledger control accounts.

Recommendation

A record of employee payroll withholdings should be maintained and periodically confirmed with employees. A detailed register should be maintained for all employees showing withholdings and payroll taxes and related remittance payments. The detailed register should be reconciled to the general ledger control accounts each month and variances should be investigated and necessary corrections made on a timely basis.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action

County officials agree with the finding and management plans to develop procedures to properly record and account for employee withholdings, payroll taxes, and remittances and controls that include periodic confirmation and verification of withholdings and monthly reconciliation of the activity to the general ledger control accounts.

2021-003

Criteria

The Official Code of Georgia Annotated section 36-81-3(b) requires an annual balanced budget for the general fund, each special revenue fund, and each debt service fund and requires a project-length budget for each capital project fund.

Condition

For the fiscal year ending September 30, 2021, the County did not adopt annual budgets for the ARPA and Sheriff's Drug special revenue funds.

Recommendation

The County should adopt an annual balanced budget for the fund.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Action

County officials agree with the finding and intend to adopt an annual balanced budget for all funds required by Georgia law.