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New Mexico
Town of Taos

Annual Financial Report
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017



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Official Roster

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Town Council</u>	<u>Title</u>
Daniel Barrone		Mayor
Judith Cantu		Councilor
George "Fritz" Hahn		Councilor
Darien Fernandez		Councilor
Nathaniel Evans		Councilor

Administration

Richard Bellis	Town Manager
Marietta Fambro	Finance Director
Renee Lucero	Town Clerk
Richard Chavez	Municipal Judge
Stephen Ross	Town Attorney

FINANCIAL SECTION

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Wayne A. Johnson
New Mexico State Auditor
The United States Office of Management and Budget and
The Town Council
Town of Taos
Taos, New Mexico

Report on Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, the aggregate remaining fund information, and the budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and major special revenue fund of the Town of Taos (the Town), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements which collectively comprise the Town'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 misstatements, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

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

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' 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 Town'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 Town's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Taos, as of June 30, 2017, and the respective changes in financial position and where applicable, cash flows thereof, and the respective budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and major special revenue fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 11 through 17 and Schedules I and II and the Notes to the Required Supplementary Information on pages 80 through 86 be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statement. The introductory section, combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and Supporting Schedules III through VI required by 2.2.2 NMAC are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and Supporting Schedules III through VI required by Section 2.2.2 NMAC 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 the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards and Supporting Schedules III through VI required by Section 2.2.2 NMAC are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

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

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated December 6, 2017, on our consideration of the Town'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 the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Town's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

RPC CPAs + Consultants LLP

RPC CPAs + Consultants, LLP
Albuquerque, NM
December 6, 2017

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We are pleased to present the Town of Taos's financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017. Management's discussion and analysis of these statements is also provided to help the reader fully understand the Town's financial condition.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- The Town of Taos' total assets exceeded its total liabilities at the close of the fiscal year by \$86,646,029 (*net position*). Of this amount, (\$1,066,146) is *unrestricted net position*, due to the on-going implementation of GASB Statement No. 68. The current year Pension Plan Liability is the underlying factor of this negative unrestricted net position. This GASB Statement is reflected on the financial statements for the third time in the history of the Town and other governmental entities throughout the entire state. The difference this year from prior on the Net Pension Liability is the new actuarial report and calculations based on factors such as our entity size, life expectancy, etc. Even though ending the year with this negative amount, the Town has at this time the available cash balances to meet the government's ongoing obligations to its citizens and creditors.
- The Town's total net position increased by \$10,313,280 during the fiscal year. The majority of this overall increase was due to increases in charges for services, capital grants (again this year is due mainly to the Airport Runway Construction project) and taxes.
- As of June 30, 2017, the Town's governmental activities reported a combined ending net position balance of \$59,136,716. Of this total, \$5,628,176 is designated for debt service and capital projects.
- At the close of the current fiscal year, the unassigned fund balance for the general fund was \$3,969,926, amounting to 44 percent of total general fund expenditures.
- The Town of Taos' total debt had a net decrease of \$1,155,444 during the year due to scheduled principal payments being paid and the retirement of a NMFA loan for 20 acre parcel of land that was acquired in 2007 for recreation purposes. Compensated absences stayed relatively flat from last fiscal. The Town paid \$1,176,602 towards the principal of various of its government loans, bonds, compensated absences and contracts payable

Overview of the Financial Statements

The Town's basic financial statements comprise three components: 1) government-wide financial statements; 2) fund financial statements; and 3) notes to the financial statements. This report also contains other supplementary information in addition to the basic financial statements themselves.

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

The *statement of net position* presents information on all of the Town of Taos' assets and liabilities, with the difference between the two reported as *net position*. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator regarding whether or not the financial position of the Town of Taos is improving or deteriorating.

The *statement of activities* presents information showing how the government's net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, *regardless of the timing of related cash flows*. Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g., uncollected taxes and earned but unused personal leave).

Both of the government-wide financial statements distinguish functions of the Town of Taos that are principally supported in a majority by taxes and a minimal amount from other miscellaneous receipts (*governmental activities*) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (*business-type activities*). The governmental activities of the Town of Taos include general government, public safety, public works, culture and recreation, and health and welfare. The business-type activities of the Town include joint Water and Sewer Services, Solid Waste Services, and the Taos Regional Landfill.

The government-wide financial statements can be found in Exhibits A-1 and A-2 of this report.

Fund financial statements. A *fund* is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have

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been segregated for specific activities or objectives. The Town of Taos, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. All of the funds of the Town of Taos can be divided into three categories: governmental funds, proprietary funds, and fiduciary funds.

Governmental Funds. *Governmental funds* are used to account for essentially the same functions reported as *governmental activities* in the government-wide financial statements. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental fund financial statements focus on *daily inflows and outflows of spendable resources*, as well as on *balances of spendable resources* available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in determining what financial resources are available in the near future to finance the Town's programs.

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

The Town of Taos maintains twenty-nine individual governmental funds organized according to their type (special revenue, debt service and capital projects). Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the General Fund and Capital Projects, which are considered major funds. Data from the other twenty-seven governmental funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each of these nonmajor governmental funds is provided in the form of *combining statements* elsewhere in this report.

The Town of Taos adopts an annual appropriated budget for its general fund, capital equipment replacement, special revenue fund, fire, police, GRT, and all other funds. A budgetary comparison statement has been provided for the General Fund to demonstrate compliance with this budget. In addition, the individual financial statements of the nonmajor governmental fund types include budgetary comparison data.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found in Exhibits B-1 through C-1 of this report.

Proprietary funds. Proprietary funds are generally used to account for services for which the Town charges customers – either outside customers or internal units or departments of the Town. Proprietary funds provide the same type of information as shown in the government-wide financial statements, only in more detail. The Town maintains one type of proprietary fund.

Enterprise funds. Are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. The Town uses enterprise funds to account for the joint water and sewer services, solid waste and regional landfill operations for the Town. The enterprise funds are considered to be major funds of the Town and can be found in Exhibits D-1 through D-3 of this report.

Fiduciary funds. Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are *not* reflected in the government-wide financial statement because the resources of those funds are *not* available to support the Town of Taos' own programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds.

The Town of Taos fiduciary funds account for the collection of street cut permits and deposits for recreation events. The basic fiduciary fund financial statement can be found in Exhibit E-1 of this report.

Notes to the financial statements. The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 40-77 of this report.

Combining statements. The combining statements referred to earlier in connection with nonmajor governmental funds are presented immediately following the notes to the financial statements. Combining and individual fund statements and schedules can be found on pages 90-101 of this report.

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GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Analysis of Net Position

As noted earlier, the net of assets over liabilities, otherwise known as net position, may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. In the case of the Town of Taos, assets exceeded liabilities by \$86,646,029 at the close of the current fiscal year.

The significant portion of the Town of Taos' net position represents the Town's investment of \$79,301,242 in capital assets (e.g., land improvements, buildings, infrastructure and machinery & equipment), less any related outstanding debt used to acquire those assets. The Town of Taos uses these capital assets to provide services to its citizens, so these assets are *not* available for future spending. Although the Town of Taos' investment in its capital assets is reported net of related debt, it should be noted that the resources needed to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-Type Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Assets</u>			
Current and other assets	\$ 13,105,413	\$ 5,919,178	\$ 19,024,591
Restricted cash, cash equivalents & investments	22,618	2,710,398	2,733,016
Restricted investments	-	374,570	374,570
Bond issuance costs and discount	-	-	-
Capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation	63,977,850	26,989,333	90,967,183
Total assets	<u>77,105,881</u>	<u>35,993,479</u>	<u>113,099,360</u>
<u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>			
Change in assumptions	695,556	76,849	772,405
Changes in proportion	49,137	5,428	54,565
Difference between expected and actual experience	646,734	71,511	718,245
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	1,878,524	216,911	2,095,435
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	562,282	62,610	624,892
Total deferred outflows of resources	<u>3,832,233</u>	<u>433,309</u>	<u>4,265,542</u>
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	<u>\$ 80,938,114</u>	<u>\$ 36,426,788</u>	<u>\$ 117,364,902</u>
<u>Liabilities</u>			
Current Liabilities	\$ 3,586,178	\$ 1,083,858	\$ 4,670,036
Non-current liabilities	17,593,830	7,765,189	25,359,019
Total liabilities	<u>21,180,008</u>	<u>8,849,047</u>	<u>30,029,055</u>
<u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>			
Difference between expected and actual experience	66,133	7,307	73,440
Change in assumptions	58,536	6,133	64,669
Change in proportion	496,721	54,988	551,709
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	-	-	-
Total deferred inflows of resources	<u>621,390</u>	<u>68,428</u>	<u>689,818</u>
<u>Net Position</u>			
Net investment in capital assets	57,511,470	21,789,772	79,301,242
Restricted	5,628,176	2,782,757	8,410,933
Unrestricted	(4,002,930)	2,936,784	(1,066,146)
Total net position	<u>\$ 59,136,716</u>	<u>\$ 27,509,313</u>	<u>\$ 86,646,029</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Position	<u>\$ 80,938,114</u>	<u>\$ 36,426,788</u>	<u>\$ 117,364,902</u>

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A portion of the Town of Taos' governmental restricted net position of \$5,628,176 (10 percent) represents resources that are subject to restrictions related to covenants arising from the Town's long-term debt issuance and capital projects. The remaining balance of *unrestricted net position*, (\$4,002,390) previously stated, continue to fall to a negative due to the implementation of GASB Statement 68. In the previous year, this amount was (\$3,479,204), the first year of implementation of GASB Statement 68 and updates on what does into the calculations. Taking that negative into consideration the Town still has the available cash to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors.

At the end of the current fiscal year, the Town of Taos is able to report positive balances in all categories of net position for both governmental and business-type activities.

Analysis of Changes in Net Position

The Town's net position increased by \$10,313,280 during the fiscal year. This increase is primarily the result of increased operating and capital grants, and gross receipts taxes during the fiscal year. The Airport Runway project is the main contributing factor, which was substantially complete in the current fiscal year with close-out activities in 2017-2018.

<u>Revenues</u>	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
Program revenues:			
Charges for service	\$ 1,017,424	\$ 6,170,230	\$ 7,187,654
Operating grants and contributions	715,370	-	715,370
Capital grants and contributions	11,603,850		11,603,850
General revenues:			
Property taxes, levied for general purposes	1,117,005	-	1,117,005
Gross receipts taxes	10,854,707	309,930	11,164,637
Gasoline and auto distribution taxes	317,435	-	317,435
Other taxes	1,577,291	-	1,577,291
Interest income (loss)	24,857	5,651	30,508
Miscellaneous income	56,384	20,688	77,072
Transfer to other entity	-		-
Loss on disposal of capital assets	-	-	-
Total Revenues	27,284,323	6,506,499	33,790,822
Program expenses:			
General government	\$ 8,528,029	\$ -	\$ 8,528,029
Public safety	3,916,950	-	3,916,950
Public works	1,126,104	-	1,126,104
Culture and recreation	2,695,884	-	2,695,884
Health and welfare	35,626	-	35,626
Interest on long-term debt	250,812	-	250,812
Joint water and sewer	-	4,403,498	4,403,498
Solid waste	-	1,544,075	1,544,075
Taos Regional Landfill	-	976,564	976,564
Total Expenses	16,553,405	6,924,137	23,477,542
Change in net position	10,730,918	(417,638)	10,313,280
Net Position, beginning	48,708,026	27,926,951	76,634,977
Net Position, ending	\$ 59,438,944	\$ 27,509,313	\$ 86,948,257

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Governmental activities. Governmental activities increased the Town of Taos' net position by \$10,313,280, primarily as the result of increase in capital grants and contributions (as previously stated the Airport Runway project) and gross receipts taxes. Along with the combination of expenditures increased by \$304,700 from last fiscal year.

Tax revenues account for \$13,866,348 or 51 percent of governmental revenues. Tax revenues are made up of property, gross receipts, gasoline and motor vehicle and other taxes.

The General fund received the majority of the Town's program revenue, accounting for \$13,336,644 or 49 percent of total governmental revenues. The primary recipients of these revenues are general government, public works and public safety.

The Town's direct charges to users of governmental services made up \$1,017,424 or 4 percent of total governmental revenues. These charges are for fees, fines and forfeitures, and licenses and permits.

Business-type activities. Business-type activities decreased the Town's net position by \$417,638, primarily as the result of higher expenditures for operations and one-time maintenance costs at the Wastewater Treatment Plant undertaken by new management of the plant.

The Town's direct charges to users of business-type services made up \$6,170,230 or 95 percent of total business-type revenues. These charges are for water and sewer services, water and sewer connection fees, landfill tipping fees and solid waste services. These direct charges for service increased by \$237,391 from the previous year, primarily as the result of the CIP increase and adjustment to the billing cycle for these services. Even though revenues were up, expenditures exceeded revenues in the joint water and sewer program which contributed to the decrease in the net position. The Town continues looking at the joint water and sewer program in ways to reduce expenditures, such as refunding of debt service and analysis of direct cost of employees expensed to the program.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE TOWN'S FUNDS

The Town of Taos uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements.

Governmental funds. The focus of the Town of Taos' *governmental funds* is to provide information on near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of *spendable* resources. Such information is useful in assessing the Town of Taos' financing requirements. In particular, *unassigned fund balance* may serve as a useful measure of a government's net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year. Types of Governmental funds reported by the Town include the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, Debt Service Funds and Capital Projects Funds.

Revenues for governmental functions overall totaled approximately \$27,286,068 in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017, which represents an increase of \$5,296,222 from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. This is largely due to the increase in gross receipts, federal and state capital grants and state operating grants. Expenditures for governmental functions, totaling \$27,107,852 increased by approximately \$6,046,161 from the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. This is largely due to the increase in expenditures public works and capital outlay due to several infrastructure projects on-going (Airport Runway Construction) and completed (Salazar Road Extension and Resurfacing of several Roadways). In the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017, revenues for governmental functions exceeded expenditures by approximately \$178,216.

The General Fund is the chief operating fund of the Town of Taos. It is from here that the Town pays for the public safety and other basic services it provides to its citizens. At the end of the current fiscal year, *unassigned* fund balance of the general fund was \$3,969,926.

Overall, the general fund's performance resulted in revenues over expenditures in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017 of \$1,656,731, an increase of \$70,589 over the comparable figure from the prior year of \$1,586,142. The Town's overall financial position improved with continued music venue and community events for tourists and locals alike bringing in additional gross receipts tax.

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

At the end of the fiscal year, the unrestricted net position for enterprise funds were \$2,915,475. The total increase in net position for the enterprise funds was \$287,301 compared to \$2,628,174 from the prior year. This was due to a few large maintenance expenditures and operating costs along with continued funding of our current asset management plan along with

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the other items previously addressed in the discussion of the Town's business-type activities.

Fiduciary Funds. The Town maintains fiduciary funds for the assets associated with bid bonds, street cuts permits and recreation deposits. Changes to the fiduciary funds were immaterial for the fiscal year.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Town budgets reflect the same pattern as seen in the revenue and expenditures of the Town. The State of New Mexico budget process is defined under state law and regulation. To enhance the process of developing a budget at the Town level, Taos utilizes goals and objectives defined by the Town Council, community input meetings, long term plans and input from various staff groups to develop the Town budget. Town defines its priorities through this process.

GASB Statement No. 34 does not require a statement presenting the overall result of the budget for each year; however, all major budgetary funds are required to be reported as a separate statement.

The following table examines the summary budget performance of the general fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017. Detailed budget performance is examined through the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance for the General fund found at Exhibit C-1. The Town's final budget differs from the original budget due to amendments that were made during the fiscal year and the increase of expenditures. Actual general fund expenditures were \$585,069 less than budgeted. This was primarily due to general governmental favorable variance of \$296,525. The difference between actual expenditures and budgeted expenditures is due to various departments not spending their projected costs along with personnel vacancy savings over the course of the fiscal year.

	Budget Amounts		Actual (GAAP Basis)	Favorable (Unfavorable) Variance
	Original	Final		
<i>Expenditures:</i>				
General government	\$ 4,812,912	\$ 4,671,121	\$ 4,374,596	\$ 296,525
Public safety	3,687,884	3,287,668	3,162,166	125,502
Public works	995,971	951,028	822,294	128,734
Culture and recreation	1,502,694	1,522,244	1,490,936	31,308
Capital outlay	-	3,000	-	3,000
<i>Total Expenditures</i>	<u>\$ 10,999,461</u>	<u>\$ 10,435,061</u>	<u>\$ 9,849,992</u>	<u>\$ 585,069</u>

Capital Asset and Debt Administration

Capital assets. The Town of Taos' capital assets for its governmental and business-type activities as of June 30, 2017 amount to \$90,967,183 (net of accumulated depreciation). Capital assets include land, land improvements, buildings and improvements, furniture, fixtures and equipment, and infrastructure. The Town's capital assets for the current fiscal year increased \$10,468,634 for governmental activities and decreased \$135,378 for business-type activities (net of accumulated depreciation).

The significant additions to capital assets during the year were as follows:

- \$14,321,859 of additions to governmental infrastructure and equipment/vehicles for completion and/or purchase of the following –Airport Runway Improvements, Resurfacing of Placitas, Salazar, Albright & Gusdorf Roads, Youth & Family Center Improvements, Technical Rescue Response Truck for Fire Department and Salazar Road Extension.

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Capital Asset and Debt Administration (continued)

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-like Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
Land	\$ 6,258,729	\$ 262,422	\$ 6,521,151
Constuction in progress	20,868,627	455,434	21,324,061
Land improvements	7,461,945	104,895	7,566,840
Buildings and improvements	34,834,677	4,656,981	39,491,658
Machinery and Equipment	15,762,340	9,138,459	24,900,799
Infrastructure	57,424,391	37,774,106	95,198,497
Total capital assets	<u>142,610,709</u>	<u>52,392,297</u>	<u>195,003,006</u>
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(78,632,859)</u>	<u>(25,383,762)</u>	<u>(104,016,621)</u>
Total property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation	<u>\$ 63,977,850</u>	<u>\$ 27,008,535</u>	<u>\$ 90,986,385</u>

For government-wide financial statement presentation purposes, all depreciable capital assets were depreciated from acquisition date to the end of the current fiscal year. Fund financial statements record capital asset purchases as expenditures. See Note 6 in the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements for further information regarding capital assets.

Debt Administration. At the end of the current fiscal year, the Town of Taos had total long-term obligations outstanding of \$14,025,753. The Town retired a NMFA loan for 20 acre parcel that was acquired in 2007 for recreation purposes during this fiscal year. In total we decreased our outstanding debt by \$1,155,444 from the previous fiscal year. The Town continues to look at options at either paying off early or refinancing those loans with higher interest rates and low balances to further reduce our outstanding debt.

	<u>Governmental Activities</u>	<u>Business-type Activities</u>	<u>Total</u>
Revenue Bonds	\$ 4,060,000	\$ 1,798,600	\$ 5,858,600
NMFA amd RUS Loans	2,371,924	3,400,961	5,772,885
USDA Contract Payable	-	-	-
Compensated absences	610,922	85,016	695,938
Landfill Closure Liability	-	1,698,330	1,698,330
Total long-term liabilities	<u>\$ 7,042,846</u>	<u>\$ 6,982,907</u>	<u>\$ 14,025,753</u>

See Note 7 in the accompanying Notes to the Financial Statements for further information regarding the Town of Taos' long-term debt.

The Town knows of no currently known facts, decisions or conditions that are expected to have a significant effect on financial position or results of operations.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Town of Taos' finances for all of those with an interest in the government's finances. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to the Town of Taos – Finance Director, Town of Taos, 400 Camino de la Placita, Taos, New Mexico, 87571, (575) 751-2024.

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**BASIC
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2017

	Primary Government		
	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Assets			
Current assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 5,135,542	\$ 3,179,113	\$ 8,314,655
Investments	2,918,275	1,658,165	4,576,440
Receivables:			
Property taxes	160,442	-	160,442
Other taxes	1,807,472	171,124	1,978,596
Due from other governments	2,214,394	-	2,214,394
Other	753,780	-	753,780
Customer receivables, net	-	914,673	914,673
Inventory	82,582	29,029	111,611
Internal balances	32,926	(32,926)	-
Total current assets	13,105,413	5,919,178	19,024,591
Noncurrent assets			
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	22,618	2,710,398	2,733,016
Restricted investments	-	374,570	374,570
Capital assets	142,610,709	52,373,095	194,983,804
Less: accumulated depreciation	(78,632,859)	(25,383,762)	(104,016,621)
Total noncurrent assets	64,000,468	30,074,301	94,074,769
Total assets	77,105,881	35,993,479	113,099,360
Deferred outflows of resources			
Changes of assumptions	695,556	76,849	772,405
Changes in proportion	49,137	5,428	54,565
Difference between expected and actual experience	646,734	71,511	718,245
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	1,878,524	216,911	2,095,435
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	562,282	62,610	624,892
Total deferred outflows of resources	3,832,233	433,309	4,265,542
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$ 80,938,114	\$ 36,426,788	\$ 117,364,902

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

	Primary Government		
	Governmental Activities	Business-type Activities	Total
Liabilities			
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	\$ 2,016,332	\$ 230,444	\$ 2,246,776
Accrued payroll	419,257	35,504	454,761
Deposits held in trust for others	5,103	302,211	307,314
Accrued compensated absences	365,539	60,833	426,372
Accrued interest	26,716	55,886	82,602
Current portion of bonds payable	385,000	60,000	445,000
Current portion of loans payable	368,231	338,980	707,211
Total current liabilities	3,586,178	1,083,858	4,670,036
Noncurrent liabilities			
Accrued compensated absences	245,383	24,183	269,566
Accrued landfill closure costs	-	1,698,330	1,698,330
Bond premiums, net of accumulated amortization of \$36,386	34,456	-	34,456
Bonds payable	3,675,000	1,738,541	5,413,541
Loans payable	2,003,693	3,062,040	5,065,733
Net pension liability	11,635,298	1,263,404	12,898,702
Total noncurrent liabilities	17,593,830	7,786,498	25,380,328
Total liabilities	21,180,008	8,870,356	30,050,364
Deferred inflows of resources			
Difference between expected and actual experience	66,133	7,307	73,440
Changes of assumptions	58,536	6,133	64,669
Changes in proportion	496,721	54,988	551,709
Total deferred inflows of resources	621,390	68,428	689,818
Net position			
Net investment in capital assets	57,511,470	21,789,772	79,301,242
Restricted for:			
Debt service	347,889	1,832,487	2,180,376
Capital projects	3,467,789	-	3,467,789
Special revenue	1,812,498	-	1,812,498
Landfill	-	950,270	950,270
Unrestricted	(4,002,930)	2,915,475	(1,087,455)
Total net position	59,136,716	27,488,004	86,624,720
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and net position	\$ 80,938,114	\$ 36,426,788	\$ 117,364,902

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

<u>Functions/Programs</u>	<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Program Revenues</u>		
		<u>Charges for Services</u>	<u>Operating Grants and Contributions</u>	<u>Capital Grants and Contributions</u>
Governmental Activities:				
General government	\$ 8,901,257	\$ 893,710	\$ 371,751	\$ -
Public safety	3,985,777	-	343,619	-
Public works	986,277	-	-	11,085,811
Culture and recreation	2,695,884	123,714	-	-
Health and welfare	35,626	-	-	518,039
Interest on long-term debt	250,812	-	-	-
<i>Total governmental activities</i>	<u>16,855,633</u>	<u>1,017,424</u>	<u>715,370</u>	<u>11,603,850</u>
Business-type Activities:				
Water and sewer	4,403,498	3,562,312	-	-
Solid waste	1,544,075	1,262,367	-	-
Taos regional landfill	997,873	1,345,551	-	-
<i>Total business-type activities</i>	<u>6,945,446</u>	<u>6,170,230</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Total primary government</i>	<u>\$ 23,801,079</u>	<u>\$ 7,187,654</u>	<u>\$ 715,370</u>	<u>\$ 11,603,850</u>

General Revenues:

Taxes:

Property taxes, levied for general purposes

Gross receipts taxes

Gasoline and motor vehicle taxes

Franchise taxes

Lodgers' taxes

Investment income

Miscellaneous income

Total general revenues

Change in net position

Net position - beginning

Net position - ending

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

Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position		
Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
\$ (7,635,796)	\$ -	\$ (7,635,796)
(3,642,158)	-	(3,642,158)
10,099,534	-	10,099,534
(2,572,170)	-	(2,572,170)
482,413	-	482,413
(250,812)	-	(250,812)
<u>(3,518,989)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(3,518,989)</u>
-	(841,186)	(841,186)
-	(281,708)	(281,708)
-	347,678	347,678
<u>-</u>	<u>(775,216)</u>	<u>(775,216)</u>
<u>(3,518,989)</u>	<u>(775,216)</u>	<u>(4,294,205)</u>
1,117,005	-	1,117,005
10,854,707	309,930	11,164,637
317,435	-	317,435
393,238	-	393,238
1,184,053	-	1,184,053
24,857	5,651	30,508
56,384	20,688	77,072
<u>13,947,679</u>	<u>336,269</u>	<u>14,283,948</u>
10,428,690	(438,947)	9,989,743
<u>48,708,026</u>	<u>27,926,951</u>	<u>76,634,977</u>
<u>\$ 59,136,716</u>	<u>\$ 27,488,004</u>	<u>\$ 86,624,720</u>

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Town of Taos
Balance Sheet
Governmental Funds
June 30, 2017

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	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Lodgers' Tax Special Revenue Fund</u>	<u>Airport Construction Capital Projects Fund</u>	<u>1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition Debt Service Fund</u>
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,546,516	\$ 257,903	\$ 240,834	\$ 339,545
Investments	1,030,128	-	-	100,152
Receivables:				
Property taxes	160,442	-	-	-
Other taxes	1,673,062	134,410	-	-
Due from other governments	-	-	1,481,302	733,092
Other	-	-	-	-
Inventory	78,753	3,829	-	-
Due from other funds	32,927	-	-	-
<i>Total assets</i>	<u>\$ 5,521,828</u>	<u>\$ 396,142</u>	<u>\$ 1,722,136</u>	<u>\$ 1,172,789</u>
Liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances				
<i>Liabilities</i>				
Accounts payable	\$ 118,938	\$ 31,785	\$ 1,379,630	\$ 329,953
Accrued payroll	402,938	12,991	-	-
Deposits held in trust for others	-	-	-	-
<i>Total liabilities</i>	<u>521,876</u>	<u>44,776</u>	<u>1,379,630</u>	<u>329,953</u>
<i>Deferred inflows of resources</i>				
Unavailable revenue - property taxes	115,455	-	-	-
<i>Total deferred inflows of resources</i>	<u>115,455</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Fund balances</i>				
Nonspendable				
Inventory	\$ 78,753	\$ 3,829	\$ -	\$ -
Spendable				
Restricted for:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	-	347,537	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Fire protection	-	-	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Debt service expenditures	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	342,506	842,836
Minimum fund balance	835,818	-	-	-
Committed for:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Transportation	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	-
Unassigned (deficit)	3,969,926	-	-	-
<i>Total fund balances</i>	<u>4,884,497</u>	<u>351,366</u>	<u>342,506</u>	<u>842,836</u>
<i>Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and fund balances</i>	<u>\$ 5,521,828</u>	<u>\$ 396,142</u>	<u>\$ 1,722,136</u>	<u>\$ 1,172,789</u>

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Other Governmental Funds	Total
\$ 1,773,362	\$ 5,158,160
1,787,995	2,918,275
-	160,442
-	1,807,472
-	2,214,394
753,780	753,780
-	82,582
-	32,927
\$ 4,315,137	\$ 13,128,032

\$ 156,027	\$ 2,016,333
3,328	419,257
5,103	5,103
164,458	2,440,693

-	115,455
-	115,455

\$ -	\$ 82,582
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225,008	225,008
56,529	56,529
19,038	366,575
17,525	17,525
450,217	450,217
1	1
377,215	377,215
838,902	2,024,244
-	835,818
195,241	195,241
9,828	9,828
517,974	517,974
1,445,524	1,445,524
(2,323)	3,967,603
4,150,679	10,571,884

\$ 4,315,137	\$ 13,128,032
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Town of Taos

Governmental Funds

Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet to the Statement of Net Position
June 30, 2017

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

Fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ 10,571,884
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds	63,977,850
Delinquent property taxes not collected within sixty days after year end are not considered "available" revenues and are considered to be unavailable revenue in the fund financial statements, but are considered revenue in the Statement of Activities	115,455
Interest on long-term debt is not accrued in the fund financial statements unless it is due and payable:	
Accrued interest	(26,716)
Deferred outflows of resources related to employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	562,282
Deferred outflows of resources related to change of assumptions	695,556
Deferred outflows of resources related to changes in proportion	49,137
Deferred inflows of resources related to change of assumptions	(58,536)
Deferred inflows of resources related to changes in proportion	(496,721)
Deferred outflows or resources related to difference between expected and actual experience	646,734
Deferred inflows or resources related to difference between expected and actual experience	(66,133)
Deferred inflows of resources related to net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	1,878,524
Some liabilities, including bonds payable, loans and net pension payable are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, are not reported in the funds:	
Accrued compensated absences	(610,922)
Bond premiums	(34,456)
Bonds payable	(4,060,000)
Loans payable	(2,371,924)
Net pension liability	<u>(11,635,298)</u>
<i>Total net position of governmental activities</i>	<u><u>\$ 59,136,716</u></u>

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Town of Taos

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Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances

Governmental Funds

For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

	<u>General Fund</u>	<u>Lodgers' Tax</u>	<u>Airport Construction</u>	<u>1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition</u>
<i>Revenues</i>				
Taxes:				
Property	\$ 1,118,750	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Gross receipts	9,108,452	-	-	-
Gasoline and motor vehicle taxes	220,610	-	-	-
Lodgers' taxes	-	1,184,053	-	-
Franchise taxes	393,238	-	-	-
Intergovernmental income:				
Federal operating grants	-	-	-	-
Federal capital grants	-	-	9,774,553	-
State operating grants	101,560	-	-	-
State capital grants	-	-	703,299	748,164
Charges for services	231,714	109,737	-	-
Licenses and fees	478,183	-	-	-
Investment income	11,503	-	-	1
Miscellaneous	22,539	4,499	-	10,116
<i>Total revenues</i>	<u>11,686,549</u>	<u>1,298,289</u>	<u>10,477,852</u>	<u>758,281</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Current:				
General government	4,445,596	-	-	-
Public safety	3,230,993	-	-	-
Public works	859,294	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	1,490,936	864,789	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Capital outlay	2,999	90,000	10,652,841	2,337,104
Debt service:				
Principal	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	-	-
<i>Total expenditures</i>	<u>10,029,818</u>	<u>954,789</u>	<u>10,652,841</u>	<u>2,337,104</u>
<i>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures</i>	<u>1,656,731</u>	<u>343,500</u>	<u>(174,989)</u>	<u>(1,578,823)</u>
<i>Other financing sources (uses)</i>				
Transfers in	-	-	-	1,640,811
Transfers out	(2,076,504)	(753,284)	-	-
<i>Total other financing sources (uses)</i>	<u>(2,076,504)</u>	<u>(753,284)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,640,811</u>
<i>Net change in fund balances</i>	(419,773)	(409,784)	(174,989)	61,988
<i>Fund balance - beginning of year</i>	<u>5,270,046</u>	<u>761,150</u>	<u>517,495</u>	<u>815,072</u>
<i>Fund balance - end of year</i>	<u>\$ 4,850,273</u>	<u>\$ 351,366</u>	<u>\$ 342,506</u>	<u>\$ 877,060</u>

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

Other Governmental Funds	Total
\$ -	\$ 1,118,750
1,746,255	10,854,707
96,825	317,435
-	1,184,053
-	393,238
69,676	69,676
178,974	9,953,527
544,134	645,694
198,860	1,650,323
60,369	401,820
137,421	615,604
13,353	24,857
19,230	56,384
<u>3,065,097</u>	<u>27,286,068</u>
582,888	5,028,484
223,719	3,454,712
3,780	863,074
190,055	2,545,780
33,354	33,354
1,063,128	14,146,072
785,564	785,564
250,812	250,812
<u>3,133,300</u>	<u>27,107,852</u>
<u>(68,203)</u>	<u>178,216</u>
3,141,495	4,782,306
<u>(1,952,518)</u>	<u>(4,782,306)</u>
<u>1,188,977</u>	<u>-</u>
1,120,774	178,216
<u>3,029,905</u>	<u>10,393,668</u>
<u>\$ 4,150,679</u>	<u>\$ 10,571,884</u>

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Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes
in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

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

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ 178,216
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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 expenditures recorded in capital outlay	14,321,859
Depreciation expense	(3,834,017)
Book value of disposed capital assets	(19,208)

Revenues in the Statement of Activities that do not provide current financial
resources are not reported as revenue in the funds:

Decrease in unavailable revenue related to property taxes receivable	(1,745)
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Governmental funds report Town pension contributions as expenditures. However
in the Statement of Activities, the cost of pension benefits earned net of employee
contributions is reported as pension expense:

Pension expense	(1,573,969)
Subsequent contributions	562,720

The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. bonds, loans, leases) provides current financial
resources to governmental funds, while the repayment of the principal of long-term
debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds. Neither
transaction, however, has any effect on net position. Also, governmental funds
report the effect of premiums, discounts, and similar items when debt is first issued,
whereas these amounts are deferred and amortized in the Statement of Activities:

Decrease in accrued compensated absences	5,406
Amortization of bond premiums	3,864
Principal payments on bonds payable	315,000
Principal payments on loans payable	470,564

<i>Change in net position of governmental activities</i>	<u><u>\$ 10,428,690</u></u>
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Exhibit C-1

Town of Taos

General Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance
Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variances
	Original	Final		Favorable (Unfavorable) Final to Actual
<i>Revenues</i>				
Taxes:				
Property taxes	\$ 1,022,044	\$ 1,022,044	\$ 1,118,750	\$ 96,706
Gross receipts	8,568,739	9,074,789	9,108,452	33,663
Gas and motor vehicle	256,741	256,741	220,610	(36,131)
Other	378,101	378,101	393,238	15,137
Intergovernmental income:				
State operating grants	90,000	90,000	101,560	11,560
Charges for services	289,590	289,590	231,714	(57,876)
Licenses and fees	516,976	516,976	478,183	(38,793)
Interest income	5,341	5,341	11,503	6,162
Miscellaneous	33,420	33,420	22,539	(10,881)
<i>Total revenues</i>	<u>11,160,952</u>	<u>11,667,002</u>	<u>11,686,549</u>	<u>19,547</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Current:				
General government	4,812,912	4,671,121	4,445,596	225,525
Public safety	3,687,884	3,287,668	3,230,993	56,675
Public works	995,971	951,028	859,294	91,734
Culture and recreation	1,502,694	1,522,244	1,490,936	31,308
Capital outlay	-	3,000	2,999	1
<i>Total expenditures</i>	<u>10,999,461</u>	<u>10,435,061</u>	<u>10,029,818</u>	<u>405,243</u>
<i>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures</i>	<u>161,491</u>	<u>1,231,941</u>	<u>1,656,731</u>	<u>424,790</u>
<i>Other financing sources (uses)</i>				
Budgeted (increase) decrease in fund balance	667,574	844,564	-	(844,564)
Transfers in	(14,345)	618,689	-	(618,689)
Transfers out	(814,720)	(2,695,194)	(2,042,280)	652,914
<i>Total other financing sources (uses)</i>	<u>(161,491)</u>	<u>(1,231,941)</u>	<u>(2,042,280)</u>	<u>(810,339)</u>
<i>Net change in fund balance</i>	-	-	(385,549)	(385,549)
<i>Fund balance - beginning of year</i>	-	-	5,270,046	5,270,046
<i>Fund balance - end of year</i>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 4,884,497</u>	<u>\$ 4,884,497</u>

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Exhibit C-2

Town of Taos

Lodgers' Tax Special Revenue Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balance

Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual

For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual	Variances
	Original	Final		Favorable (Unfavorable) Final to Actual
<i>Revenues</i>				
Taxes:				
Property taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Gross receipts	-	-	-	-
Gas and motor vehicle	-	-	-	-
Lodgers' taxes	988,497	1,186,075	1,184,053	(2,022)
Intergovernmental income:				
State operating grants	-	-	-	-
Charges for services	122,668	122,668	109,737	(12,931)
Licenses and fees	-	-	-	-
Interest income	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	4,200	4,200	4,499	299
<i>Total revenues</i>	<u>1,115,365</u>	<u>1,312,943</u>	<u>1,298,289</u>	<u>(14,654)</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Current:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	973,070	976,761	864,789	111,972
Capital outlay	38,445	157,787	90,000	67,787
<i>Total expenditures</i>	<u>1,011,515</u>	<u>1,134,548</u>	<u>954,789</u>	<u>179,759</u>
<i>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures</i>	<u>103,850</u>	<u>178,395</u>	<u>343,500</u>	<u>165,105</u>
<i>Other financing sources (uses)</i>				
Budgeted (increase) decrease in fund balance	53,964	574,889	-	(574,889)
Transfers in	(4,106,777)	(4,674,175)	781,258	5,455,433
Transfers out	3,948,963	3,920,891	(1,534,542)	(5,455,433)
<i>Total other financing sources (uses)</i>	<u>(103,850)</u>	<u>(178,395)</u>	<u>(753,284)</u>	<u>(574,889)</u>
<i>Net change in fund balance</i>	-	-	(409,784)	(409,784)
<i>Fund balance - beginning of year</i>	-	-	761,150	761,150
<i>Fund balance - end of year</i>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 351,366</u>	<u>\$ 351,366</u>

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Town of Taos
Statement of Net Position
Proprietary Funds
June 30, 2017

	Enterprise Funds			Total
	Water and Sewer	Solid Waste	Taos Regional Landfill	
Assets				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,936,727	\$ 392,368	\$ 850,018	\$ 3,179,113
Investments	1,333,665	249,100	75,400	1,658,165
Gross receipts taxes receivable	171,124	-	-	171,124
Customer receivables, net	583,516	180,254	150,903	914,673
Inventory	29,029	-	-	29,029
Total current assets	4,054,061	821,722	1,076,321	5,952,104
Noncurrent assets				
Restricted cash and cash equivalents	1,431,538	-	1,278,860	2,710,398
Restricted investments	294,451	-	80,119	374,570
Capital assets	44,892,621	1,104,796	6,375,678	52,373,095
Less: accumulated depreciation	<u>(22,613,768)</u>	<u>(649,426)</u>	<u>(2,120,568)</u>	<u>(25,383,762)</u>
Total noncurrent assets	24,004,842	455,370	5,614,089	30,074,301
<i>Total assets</i>	<u>28,058,903</u>	<u>1,277,092</u>	<u>6,690,410</u>	<u>36,026,405</u>
Deferred outflows of resources				
Changes in assumptions	45,063	13,126	18,660	76,849
Changes in proportion	3,183	927	1,318	5,428
Difference between expected and actual experience	42,382	11,839	17,290	71,511
Net difference between projected and actual investment earnings on pension plan investments	123,944	39,778	53,189	216,911
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	40,552	7,485	14,573	62,610
<i>Total deferred outflows of resources</i>	<u>255,124</u>	<u>73,155</u>	<u>105,030</u>	<u>433,309</u>
<i>Total assets and deferred outflows of resources</i>	<u><u>\$ 28,314,027</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 1,350,247</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 6,795,440</u></u>	<u><u>\$ 36,459,714</u></u>

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	Enterprise Funds			Total
	Water and Sewer	Solid Waste	Taos Regional Landfill	
Liabilities				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$ 96,762	\$ 112,563	\$ 21,119	\$ 230,444
Accrued payroll	19,585	6,036	9,883	35,504
Meter deposits payable	302,211	-	-	302,211
Accrued compensated absences	35,952	4,869	20,012	60,833
Interfund payable	16,653	5,878	10,395	32,926
Accrued interest payable	53,006	-	2,880	55,886
Current portion of bonds and loans payable	283,971	-	115,009	398,980
Total current liabilities	<u>808,140</u>	<u>129,346</u>	<u>179,298</u>	<u>1,116,784</u>
Noncurrent liabilities				
Accrued compensated absences	13,726	-	10,457	24,183
Accrued landfill closure costs	-	-	1,698,330	1,698,330
Bonds payable	1,733,600	-	-	1,733,600
Loans payable	1,750,455	-	1,316,526	3,066,981
Net pension liability	788,020	176,307	299,077	1,263,404
Total noncurrent liabilities	<u>4,285,801</u>	<u>176,307</u>	<u>3,324,390</u>	<u>7,786,498</u>
<i>Total liabilities</i>	<u>5,093,941</u>	<u>305,653</u>	<u>3,503,688</u>	<u>8,903,282</u>
Deferred inflows of resources				
Difference between expected and actual experience	4,285	1,248	1,774	7,307
Changes in assumptions	4,013	699	1,421	6,133
Changes in proportion	33,090	8,685	13,213	54,988
<i>Total deferred inflows of resources</i>	<u>41,388</u>	<u>10,632</u>	<u>16,408</u>	<u>68,428</u>
Net position				
Net investment in capital assets	18,510,827	455,370	2,823,575	21,789,772
Restricted for:				
Debt service	1,423,778	-	408,709	1,832,487
Landfill	-	-	950,270	950,270
Unrestricted	3,244,093	578,592	(907,210)	2,915,475
<i>Total net position</i>	<u>23,178,698</u>	<u>1,033,962</u>	<u>3,275,344</u>	<u>27,488,004</u>
<i>Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and net position</i>	<u>\$ 28,314,027</u>	<u>\$ 1,350,247</u>	<u>\$ 6,795,440</u>	<u>\$ 36,459,714</u>

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Exhibit D-2

Town of Taos

Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Position

Proprietary Funds

For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

	Enterprise Funds			Total
	Water and Sewer	Solid Waste	Taos Regional Landfill	
<i>Operating revenues</i>				
Charges for services	\$ 3,562,312	\$ 1,262,367	\$ 1,345,551	\$ 6,170,230
<i>Total operating revenues</i>	<u>3,562,312</u>	<u>1,262,367</u>	<u>1,345,551</u>	<u>6,170,230</u>
<i>Operating expenses</i>				
Personnel services	705,426	193,716	300,190	1,199,332
Contractual services	1,215,070	893,559	307,751	2,416,380
Supplies	103,225	26,314	18,707	148,246
Repairs and maintenance	50,484	44,239	56,094	150,817
Utilities	378,465	261,583	6,910	646,958
Depreciation	1,609,964	60,972	201,715	1,872,651
Other costs	214,716	63,692	78,698	357,106
<i>Total operating expenses</i>	<u>4,277,350</u>	<u>1,544,075</u>	<u>970,065</u>	<u>6,791,490</u>
<i>Operating income (loss)</i>	<u>(715,038)</u>	<u>(281,708)</u>	<u>375,486</u>	<u>(621,260)</u>
<i>Non-operating revenues (expenses)</i>				
Gross receipts taxes	309,930	-	-	309,930
Interest expense	(122,148)	-	(27,808)	(149,956)
Interest income (loss)	(823)	-	6,474	5,651
Miscellaneous income (expense)	50	16,653	(15)	16,688
<i>Total non-operating revenues (expenses)</i>	<u>187,009</u>	<u>16,653</u>	<u>(21,349)</u>	<u>182,313</u>
<i>Income (loss)</i>	<u>(528,029)</u>	<u>(265,055)</u>	<u>354,137</u>	<u>(438,947)</u>
<i>Change in net position</i>	<u>(528,029)</u>	<u>(265,055)</u>	<u>354,137</u>	<u>(438,947)</u>
<i>Net position - beginning</i>	23,706,727	1,299,017	2,921,207	27,926,951
<i>Net position - ending</i>	<u>\$ 23,178,698</u>	<u>\$ 1,033,962</u>	<u>\$ 3,275,344</u>	<u>\$ 27,488,004</u>

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Statement of Cash Flows
Proprietary Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

Exhibit D-3

	Enterprise Funds			
	Water and Sewer	Solid Waste	Regional Landfill	Total
<i>Cash flows from operating activities</i>				
Cash received from user charges	\$ 3,567,277	\$ 1,368,936	\$ 1,304,727	\$ 6,240,940
Cash payments to employees for services	(648,070)	(172,091)	(266,807)	(1,086,968)
Cash payments to suppliers for goods and services	(1,968,835)	(1,214,772)	(473,236)	(3,656,843)
<i>Net cash provided (used) by operating activities</i>	<u>950,372</u>	<u>(17,927)</u>	<u>564,684</u>	<u>1,497,129</u>
<i>Cash flows from noncapital financing activities</i>				
Gross receipts taxes	309,930	-	-	309,930
Miscellaneous income (expense)	50	16,653	(15)	16,688
Noncurrent accrued compensated absences	5,816	-	(2,329)	3,487
Interfund advances (payments)	703	436	4,672	5,811
<i>Net cash provided by noncapital financing activities</i>	<u>316,499</u>	<u>17,089</u>	<u>2,328</u>	<u>335,916</u>
<i>Cash flows from capital and related financing activities</i>				
Interest paid	(122,148)	-	(27,808)	(149,956)
Principal payments on long-term debt	(224,766)	-	(166,273)	(391,039)
Transfer from cash to investments	(294,451)	-	(80,119)	(374,570)
Acquisition of capital assets	(1,736,274)	-	(999)	(1,737,273)
<i>Net cash (used) provided by capital and related financing activities</i>	<u>(2,377,639)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(275,199)</u>	<u>(2,652,838)</u>
<i>Cash flows from investing activities</i>				
Purchases of investments	(12,755)	-	-	(12,755)
Gain (loss) on investments	(823)	-	6,474	5,651
<i>Net cash provided by investing activities</i>	<u>(13,578)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>6,474</u>	<u>(7,104)</u>
<i>Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents</i>	(1,124,346)	(838)	298,287	(826,897)
<i>Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year</i>	4,492,611	393,206	1,830,591	6,716,408
<i>Cash and cash equivalents - end of year</i>	<u>\$ 3,368,265</u>	<u>\$ 392,368</u>	<u>\$ 2,128,878</u>	<u>\$ 5,889,511</u>
<i>Reconciliation of operating income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:</i>				
Operating income (loss)	\$ (715,038)	\$ (281,708)	\$ 375,486	\$ (621,260)
Adjustments to reconcile operating income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation	1,609,964	60,972	201,715	1,872,651
Noncash pension expense	65,242	19,002	27,016	111,260
Changes in assets, deferred outflows, and liabilities:				
Receivables	4,965	106,489	(40,824)	70,630
Inventory	7,273	-	-	7,273
Employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date	274	80	114	468
Accounts payable	(22,736)	74,615	(26,385)	25,494
Accrued payroll expenses	(3,253)	1,453	747	(1,053)
Current accrued compensated absences	(4,907)	1,170	5,506	1,769
Meter deposits	8,588	-	-	8,588
<i>Net cash provided (used) by operating activities</i>	<u>\$ 950,372</u>	<u>\$ (17,927)</u>	<u>\$ 564,684</u>	<u>\$ 1,497,129</u>

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Statement of Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities - Agency Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

Exhibit E-1

Assets

Cash	\$ 13,884
Investments	<u>60,000</u>
<i>Total assets</i>	<u><u>\$ 73,884</u></u>

Liabilities

Due to other entities	<u>73,884</u>
<i>Total liabilities</i>	<u><u>\$ 73,884</u></u>

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Notes to the Financial Statements
June 30, 2017

NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The Town of Taos (the Town) was incorporated in 1934. The Town operates under a Council-Mayor form of government and provides the following services as authorized by its charter: public safety (police and fire), highways and streets, public utilities (water and sewer, solid waste, and landfill), health and social services, culture-recreation, education, public improvements, planning and zoning, and general administrative services.

The Town of Taos is a body politic and corporate under the name and form of government selected by its qualified electors. The Town may:

1. Sue or be sued;
2. Enter into contracts and leases;
3. Acquire and hold property, both real and personal;
4. Have common seal, which may be altered at pleasure;
5. Exercise such other privileges that are incident to corporations of like character or degree that are not inconsistent with the laws of New Mexico;
6. Protect generally the property of its municipality and its inhabitants;
7. Preserve peace and order within the municipality; and
8. Establish rates for services provided by municipal utilities and revenue-producing projects, including amounts which the governing body determines to be reasonable in the operation of similar facilities.

This summary of significant accounting policies of the Town is presented to assist in the understanding of Town's financial statements. The financial statements and notes are the representation of Town's management who is responsible for their integrity and objectivity. The financial statements of the Town have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to government units.

During the year ended June 30, 2017, the Town adopted GASB Statements No. 73, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions and Related Assets that are not within the Scope of GASB Statement 68, and Amendments to Certain Provisions of GASB Statements 67 and 68 (partial)*, No. 74, *Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefit Plans Other Than Pension Plans*, No. 77, *Tax Abatement Disclosures*, No. 78 *Pensions Provided through Certain Multiple-Employer Defined Benefit Pension Plans*, and No. 80, *Blending Requirements for Certain Component Units – an amendment of GASB Statement No. 14* and No. 82, *Pension Issues-an amendment of GASB Statements No. 67, NO. 68, and No. 73.* These six Statements are required to be implemented as of June 30, 2017, if applicable.

GASB Statement No. 73 establishes accounting and financial reporting standards for defined benefit pensions and defined contribution pensions that are not provided to employees of state and local government employers and are not within the scope of Statement 68. A portion of this pronouncement was effective and was implemented for the June 30, 2016 year end, and a portion is effective for June 30, 2017 year end. Effective for June 30, 2017 are the provisions of the statement that address accounting and financial reporting by employers and governmental nonemployer contributing entities for pensions that are not within the scope of Statement 68. This does not have a material effect on the financial statements of the Town, as its pension plan is within the scope of Statement 68.

The objective of GASB Statement No. 74 is to improve the usefulness of information about postemployment benefits other than pensions (other postemployment benefits or OPEB) included in the general purpose external financial reports of state and local governmental OPEB plans for making decisions and assessing accountability. This Statement results from a comprehensive review of the effectiveness of existing standards of accounting and financial reporting for all postemployment benefits (pensions and OPEB) with regard to providing decision-useful information, supporting assessments of accountability and interperiod equity, and creating additional transparency. This Statement does not affect the Town's financial statements directly; however, the effects on the Town's OPEB plan, administered through the New Mexico Retiree

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Health Care Authority, will be seen in future periods.

GASB Statement No. 77 is intended to improve the usefulness of financial statements prepared by state and local governments – which are intended, among other things, to assist users of financial statements in assessing (1) whether a government’s current-year revenues were sufficient to pay for current-year services (interperiod equity), (2) whether a government complied with finance-related legal and contractual obligations, (3) where a government’s financial resources came from and how it uses them, and (4) a government’s financial position and economic condition and how they have changed after time – by including information about certain limitations on a government’s ability to raise resources. This includes limitations on revenue-raising capacity resulting from government programs that use tax abatements to induce behavior by individuals and entities that is beneficial to the government or its citizens – such as the encouragement of economic development. For financial reporting purposes, this Statement defines a tax abatement as resulting from an agreement between a government and an individual or entity in which the government promises to forgo tax revenues and the individual or entity promises to subsequently take a specific action that contributes to economic development or otherwise benefits the government or its citizens.

These tax abatements may affect the financial position of the government and its results of operations, including its ability to raise resources in the future. Statement No. 77 requires disclosure of tax abatement information about (1) a reporting government’s own tax abatement agreements and (2) those that are entered into by other governments that reduce the reporting government’s tax revenues.

This Statement requires governments that enter into tax abatement agreements to disclose the following information about the agreements:

- Brief descriptive information, such as the tax being abated, the authority under which tax abatements are provided, eligibility criteria, the mechanism by which taxes are abated, provisions for recapturing abated taxes, and the types of commitments made by tax abatement recipients;
- The gross dollar amount of taxes abated during the period;
- Commitments made by a government, other than to abate taxes, as part of a tax abatement agreement.

For tax abatement agreements entered into by other governments, the following should be disclosed:

- The names of the governments that entered into the agreements;
- The specific taxes being abated; and
- The gross dollar amount of taxes abated during the period.

The Town was not affected by any tax abatements. Implementation of this standard is June 30, 2017.

The objective of GASB Statement No. 78 is to address a practice issue regarding the scope and applicability of Statement No. 68, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions*. This issue is associated with pensions provided through certain multiple-employer defined benefit pension plans and to state or local governmental employers whose employees are provided with such pensions. This Statement amends the scope and applicability of Statement 68 to exclude certain pensions provided to employees of state or local governmental employers. The Town’s pension plan does not meet the criteria for exclusion.

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

The objective of GASB Statement No. 80 is to improve financial reporting by clarifying the financial statement presentation requirements for certain component units. This Statement amends the blending requirements established in paragraph 53 of Statement No. 14, *The Financial Reporting Entity, as amended*.

This Statement amends the blending requirements for the financial statement presentation of component units of all state and local governments. The additional criterion requires blending of a component unit incorporated as a not-for-profit corporation in which the primary government is the sole corporate member. The additional criterion does not apply to component units included in the financial reporting entity pursuant to the provisions of Statement No. 39, *Determining Whether Certain Organizations Are Component Units*.

GASB Statement No. 82 clarified and adjusted several items from GASB Statement Nos. 67 and 68, including the definition of covered payroll, the presentation of payroll-related measures in required supplementary information, the selection of assumptions and the treatment of deviations from the guidance in an Actuarial Standard of Practice for financial reporting purposes, and the classification of payments made by employers to satisfy employee contribution requirements.

A. Financial Reporting Entity

The financial reporting entity consists of (a) the primary government, (b) organizations for which the primary government is financially accountable and (c) other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the primary government are such that exclusion would cause the reporting entity's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete.

In evaluating how to define the Town, for financial reporting purposes, management has considered all potential component units. The decision to include any potential component units in the financial reporting entity was made by applying the criteria set forth in GASB Statement No. 14, as amended by GASB Statement No. 39, GASB Statement No. 61 and GASB Statement No. 80. Blended component units, although legally separate entities, are in substance part of the government's operations. 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 government.

The basic-but not the only-criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is the governing body's ability to exercise oversight responsibility. The most significant manifestation of this ability is financial interdependency. Other manifestations of the ability to exercise oversight responsibility include, but are not limited to, the selection of governing authority, the designation of management, the ability to significantly influence operations, and accountability for fiscal matters.

A second criterion used in evaluating potential component units is the scope of public service. Application of this criterion involves considering whether the activity benefits the government and/or its citizens.

A third criterion used to evaluate potential component units for inclusion or exclusion from the reporting entity is the existence of special financing relationships, regardless of whether the government is able to exercise oversight responsibilities. Finally, the nature and significance of a potential component unit to the primary government could warrant its inclusion within the reporting entity.

Based upon the application of these criteria, the Town has no component units, and is not a component unit of another governmental agency.

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

B. Government-wide and fund financial statements

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

The Statement of Net Position and the Statement of Activities were prepared using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from exchange-like transactions are recognized when the exchange takes place. Revenues, expenses, gains, losses, assets and liabilities resulting from non-exchange transactions are recognized in accordance with the requirements of GASB Statement No. 33, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Non-exchange Transactions*.

In the government-wide Statement of Net Position, both the governmental and business-type activities columns (a) are presented on a consolidated basis by column, (b) and are reported on a full accrual, economic resource basis, which recognizes all long-term assets and receivables as well as long-term debt and obligations. The Town's net position is reported in three parts – net investment in capital assets; restricted net position; and unrestricted net position.

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

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

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes, net of estimated refunds, 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.

C. Measurement focus, basis of accounting, and financial statement presentation

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be *available* when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting.

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

C. Measurement focus, basis of accounting, and financial statement presentation (continued)

However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is due.

Property taxes, franchise taxes, 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, subject to the availability criterion. Sales and use taxes are classified as derived tax revenues and are recognized as revenue when the underlying exchange takes place and the revenues are measurable and available. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met, subject to the availability criterion. Only the portion of special assessments receivable due within the current fiscal period is considered to be susceptible to accrual as revenue of the current period. All other revenue items are considered to be measurable and available only when cash is received by the government.

The Town reports the following major governmental funds:

The *General Fund* is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund. This fund includes state shared gross receipts tax income fund and state shared gas tax income funds.

The *Lodgers' Tax Special Revenue Fund* is to account for the operations of tourist facilities or for half of advertising, promoting and publicizing such facilities and tourist attractions. Financing is provided by one and a half percent of a five percent tax on lodging gross receipts within the Town of Taos. State Statute Section 4-6-41 provides for this tax to be imposed by the Town. Revenues received are pursuant to the Lodgers Tax Act (Section 3-38-15, NMSA 1978). Monies in the Lodgers Tax Fund may be used to build, operate, and maintain tourism related facilities.

The *Airport Construction Capital Projects Fund* was created to receive proceeds from federal and state grants for the purpose of financing improvements to the Taos Municipal Airport. Authority is Town Council resolution.

The *1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition Debt Service fund* was created to receive bond proceeds and to account for the capital outlay associated with the bond issue. Authority is the Town Council resolution.

The Town reports its proprietary funds as major funds. Proprietary funds include:

The *Water and Sewer Fund* is used to account for the activities of the Town's water and sewer operations.

The *Solid Waste Fund* accounts for the provision of solid waste services to the residents of the Town and some residents of Taos County. All activities necessary to provide such services are accounted for in this fund, including, but not limited to administration, operations, maintenance, financing and related debt service, and billing and collection.

The *Taos Regional Landfill Fund* is used to account for the activities of the Taos Regional Landfill including debt repayments, closure and post-closure care estimates as well as operations and administration.

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

C. Measurement focus, basis of accounting, and financial statement presentation (continued)

Additionally, the Town reports the following fund type:

The *Fiduciary Fund* is purely custodial (assets equal liabilities) and does not involve the measurement of results of operations. This fund accounts for assets held by the Town as a trustee for the judicial system bonds and recreational events.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. Exceptions to this general rule are payments-in-lieu of taxes and other charges between the government's enterprise funds and various other functions of the government. Elimination of these charges would distort the direct costs and program revenues reported in the Statement of Activities. The General Fund, Lodgers Tax Fund, Water and Sewer Fund and the Taos Regional Landfill fund are combined with funds that have identical activities for financial statement reporting.

Program revenues included in the Statement of Activities are derived directly from the program itself or from parties outside the Town's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole; program revenues reduce the cost of the function to be financed from the Town's general revenues. Program revenues are categorized as (a) charges for services, which include revenues collected for fees and use of Town facilities, etc., (b) program-specific operating grants, which includes revenues received from state and federal sources such as small cities assistance to be used as specified within each program grant agreement, and (c) program-specific capital grants and contributions, which include revenues from state sources to be used for capital projects. Internally dedicated resources are reported as *general revenues* rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all taxes.

The Town reports all direct expenses by function in the Statement of Activities. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a function. The Town does not currently employ indirect cost allocation systems. Depreciation expense is specifically identified by function and is included in the direct expense of each function. Interest on general long-term debt is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities.

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

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

D. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity

Deposits and Investments: The Town's cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of acquisition. For purposes of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash and cash equivalents represent cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash and cash equivalents and restricted investments (cash held by New Mexico Finance Authority.)

State statutes authorize the Town to invest in Certificates of Deposit, obligations of the U.S. Government, and the State Treasurer's Investment Pool.

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D. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity (continued)

Investments for the Town are reported at fair value. The State Treasurer's Pool operates in accordance with appropriate state laws and regulations. The reported value of the pool is the same as the fair value of the pool shares.

Receivables and Payables: Interfund activity is reported as loans, services provided, reimbursements or transfers. Loans are reported as interfund receivables and payables as appropriate and are subject to elimination upon consolidation. Services provided, deemed to be at market or near market rates, are treated as revenues and expenditures/expenses. Reimbursements are when one fund incurs a cost, charges the appropriate benefiting fund and reduces its related cost as a reimbursement. All other interfund transactions are treated as transfers. Transfers between governmental or between proprietary funds are netted as part of the reconciliation to the government-wide financial statements.

Advances between funds, as reported in the fund financial statements, are offset by a fund balance reserve account in applicable governmental funds to indicate that they are not available for appropriation and are not expendable available financial resources in the event they are not received within 60 days of year end.

All receivables are reported at their gross value and, where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible. The Town estimates the allowance for uncollectible accounts based off the days delinquent. The Town has estimated all accounts that are greater than 120 days to be uncollectible. In the government-wide and governmental fund financial statements, delinquent property taxes are recorded when levied. Property taxes are considered to be 100% collectible.

Property taxes are levied on November 1 based on the assessed value of property as listed on the previous January 1 and are due in two payments by November 10th and April 10th. Property taxes uncollected after November 10th and April 10th are considered delinquent and the Town may assess penalties and interest. The taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property thirty (30) days thereafter, at which time they become delinquent. Property taxes are collected by Taos County and remitted monthly to the Town.

Inventory: The Town's method of accounting for inventory is the consumption method. Under the consumption approach, governments report inventories they purchase as an asset and defer recognition of the expenditures until the period in which the inventories actually are consumed.

The cost of inventory is recorded as expenditures at the time individual inventory items are consumed.

Restricted Assets: Restricted assets consist of those funds expendable for operating purposes but restricted by donors or other outside agencies as to the specific purpose for which they may be used and restricted for future debt service payments, capital projects, meter deposits payable, and the Town's landfill liability.

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 or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 (amount not rounded) and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. Such assets are recorded at

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D. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity (continued)

historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Pursuant to the implementation of GASB Statement No. 34, the historical costs of infrastructure assets (retroactive to 1979) are included as part of the governmental capital assets reported in the government wide statements. Information Technology Equipment including software is being capitalized and included in machinery and equipment in accordance with NMAC 2.20.1.9 C (5). Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized. Library books and periodicals are estimated to have a useful life of less than one year or are under the capitalization threshold and are expensed when purchased.

Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed. Interest incurred during the construction phase of capital assets of business-type activities is included as part of the capitalized value of the assets constructed. There was no interest expense capitalized by the Town during the current fiscal. No interest was included as part of the cost of capital assets under construction.

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

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Land improvements	20
Buildings and improvements	10-50
Machinery and equipment	5-25
Infrastructure	10-50

Accrued Expenses: Accrued expenses are comprised of the payroll expenditures based on amounts earned by the employees through June 30, 2017, along with applicable PERA, Retiree Health Care, FICA and Medicare accruals.

Deposits Held in Trust For Others: Deposits held in trust for others consists of security deposits for the Civic Center as of June 30, 2017.

Deferred Outflows of Resources: In addition to assets, the balance sheet reports a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element represents a use of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expenditure) until that time. The Town has five types of items that qualify for reporting in this category in the governmental and business-type activities. Accordingly, the items, changes of assumptions of \$772,405, changes in proportion of \$54,565, difference between expected and actual experience of \$718,245, net difference between projected and actual investment earnings of \$2,095,435, and employer contributions subsequent to the measurement date of \$624,892, have been reported as a deferred outflow of resources These amounts are reported in the Statement of Net Position. These amounts will directly reduce the net pension liability in future periods.

Deferred Inflows of Resources: In addition to liabilities, the balance sheet reports a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element 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. Revenue must be susceptible to accrual (measurable

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D. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity (continued)

and available to finance expenditures of the current fiscal period) to be recognized. If assets are recognized in connection with a transaction, but those assets are not yet available to finance expenditures of the current fiscal period, then the assets must be offset by a corresponding liability for deferred inflows of resources. The Town has one type of deferred inflow which arises under the modified accrual basis of accounting that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the tem, unavailable revenue - property taxes is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. This amount is deferred and recognized as an inflow of resource in the period that the amount becomes available. The Town has recorded \$115,455 related to property taxes considered "unavailable". In addition, the Town has three types of items present on the Statement of Net Position for both the governmental and business-type activities, which arise due to the implementation of GASB 68 and the related net pension liability. Accordingly, the items, difference between expected and actual experience of \$73,440, change of assumptions of \$64,669, and changes in proportion of \$551,709, are reported on the Statement of Net Position. These amounts are reported as a deferred inflows and amortized into pension expense in future periods.

Pensions: For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Public Employees Retirement Association (P.E.R.A) and additions to/deductions from P.E.R.A's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by P.E.R.A, on the economic resources measurement focus and accrual basis of accounting. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

Compensated Absences: The Town's employees earn personal leave at a rate of 22 to 27 days per year based on years of service. Employees can carry over unused personal leave each year with a cap of 500 hours.

Vested or accumulated vacation leave that is expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources is reported as an expenditure and a fund liability of the governmental or proprietary fund that will pay it. In prior years, substantially all of the related expenditures have been liquidated by the general fund. Amounts of vested or accumulated vacation leave that are not expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are reported in the government-wide statement of net position.

Long-term Obligations: In the government-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net position. Bond premiums and discounts, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method or the straight-line method if the difference is minimal. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. For fund financial reporting, bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, are recognized in the period the bonds are issued. Bond proceeds are reported as another financing source net of the applicable premium or discount. Issuance costs, even if withheld from the actual net proceeds received, are reported as debt service expenditures.

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity (continued)

Fund Balance Classification Policies and Procedures: In the governmental fund financial statements, fund balance is reported in five classifications:

Nonspendable – This classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form, for example, inventories, prepaid amounts, long term amount of loans and note receivable; or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact, for example, debt service reserves. The Town has \$82,582 of nonspendable fund balance at June 30, 2017.

Restricted – This classification includes amounts that are restricted to a specific purpose. Fund balances are restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources are either: (a) externally imposed by creditors (such as debt covenants) grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; (b) enabling legislation, as the term is used authorizes the Town to assess, levy, charge, or otherwise mandate payment of resources and includes a legally enforceable requirement that those resources be used only for the specific purposes stipulated in the legislation. The Town has \$4,353,132 in restricted fund balances at June 30, 2017.

Committed – This classification includes amounts that can only be used for specific purposes to constraints imposed by formal action of the highest level of Authority, the Town Council. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Council removes or changes the specific use by taking the same type of action (for example, resolution or ordinance) it employed to previously commit those amounts. The Town has \$2,168,567 in committed funds at June 30, 2017 for Town funded capital projects. The Town does not designate fund balances at year end for subsequent year expenditures.

Assigned – This classification includes amounts that are constrained by the Town's *intent* to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed and should be reported as assigned fund balance. The Board of Town Commissioners has delegated the authority to assign amounts to be used for specific purposes to the Town Manager and the Director of Finance. The Town had no assigned fund balances at June 30, 2017.

Unassigned – This classification is the residual classification for the general fund. This classification represents fund balance that has not been assigned to other funds and that has not been restricted, committed, or assigned to specific purposes within the general fund. The general fund should be the only fund that reports a positive unassigned fund balance amount. The Town has \$4,295,017 in unassigned fund balances at June 30, 2017.

Minimum Fund Balance Policy: The Town's policy for maintaining a minimum amount of fund balance for operations is to minimize any sudden and unplanned discontinuity to programs and operations and for unforeseen contingencies. At a minimum, the budget shall ensure that the Town holds cash reserves of 1/12th the General Fund expenditures. The amount at June 30, 2017 for the Town is \$835,818.

Net Position: Equity is classified as net position and displayed in three components:

a. Net investment in capital assets: Consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation and reduced by the outstanding balances of any bonds, mortgages, notes, or other borrowings that are attributable to the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

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NOTE 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

D. Assets, Deferred Outflows of Resources, Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources and Net Position or Equity (continued)

- b. Restricted net position: Consist of net position with constraints placed on the use either by (1) external groups such as creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulation of other governments; or (2) law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation. Descriptions for the related restrictions for net position restricted for "special revenue, debt service and capital projects" are described on pages 44 and 88-89.
- c. Unrestricted net position: Net position that does not meet the definition of "restricted" or "Net investment in capital assets."

Interfund Transactions: Quasi-external transactions are accounted for as revenues, expenditures or expenses. Transactions that constitute reimbursements to a fund from expenditures/expenses initially made from it that are properly applicable to another fund, are recorded as expenditures/expenses in the reimbursing fund and as reductions of expenditures/expenses in the fund that is reimbursed.

All other interfund transactions, except quasi-external transactions and reimbursements, are reported as transfers. Nonrecurring or non-routine permanent transfers of equity are reported as residual equity transfers. All other interfund transfers are reported as operating transfers.

Estimates: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates. Significant estimates in the Town's financial statements include the allowance for uncollectible accounts in the joint utility fund, depreciation on capital assets, the net pension liability and related deferred outflows and inflows of resources, and the estimate for landfill closure and postclosure costs.

NOTE 2. Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability

Budgetary Information

Annual budgets of the Town are prepared prior to June 1 and must be approved by resolution of the Town Councilors, and submitted to the Department of Finance and Administration for State approval. Once the budget has been formally approved, any amendments must also be approved by the Town Council Members and the Department of Finance and Administration. A separate budget is prepared for each fund. Line items within each budget may be over-expended; however, it is not legally permissible to over-expend any budget in total by fund.

Governmental fund budgets are prepared on the GAAP basis, excluding encumbrances, and secure appropriation of funds for only one year. Carryover funds must be re-appropriated in the budget of the subsequent fiscal year.

Proprietary fund budgets are prepared on the GAAP basis, excluding encumbrances, and secure appropriation of funds for only one year. Carryover funds must be re-appropriated in the budget of the subsequent fiscal year. The Town does not budget for depreciation expense, only capital outlay.

The budgetary information presented in these financial statements has been properly amended by Town Council in accordance with the above procedures. These amendments resulted in the following changes:

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NOTE 2. Stewardship, Compliance and Accountability (continued)

Budgetary Information (continued)

	Original Budget	Final Budget
Budgeted Funds:		
General Fund	\$ 161,491	\$ 1,231,941
Lodgers' Tax	\$ 103,850	\$ 178,395
Airport Construction	\$ (602,386)	\$ (560,079)
1999 Tax Acquisition	\$ (2,562,662)	\$ (3,474,251)
Nonmajor Governmental Funds	\$ (4,675,729)	\$ (7,648,155)
	Change in net position	
Budgeted Funds:		
Water and Sewer	\$ (1,316,337)	\$ (1,877,111)
Solid Waste	\$ (142,581)	\$ (140,069)
Taos Regional Landfill	\$ 214,305	\$ 269,375

The accompanying Statements of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balance – Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual and Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position- Budget (GAAP Basis) and Actual present comparisons of the legally adopted budget with actual data on a budgetary basis.

NOTE 3. Deposits and Investments

State statutes authorize the investment of Town funds in a wide variety of instruments including certificates of deposit and other similar obligations, state investment pool, money market accounts, and United States Government obligations. The Town is not aware of any invested funds that did not meet the State investment requirements as of June 30, 2017.

Deposits of funds may be made in interest or non-interest bearing checking accounts in one or more banks or savings and loan associations within the geographical boundaries of the Town. Deposits may be made to the extent that they are insured by an agency of the United States or collateralized as required by statute. The financial institution must provide pledged collateral for 50% of the deposit amount in excess of the deposit insurance.

The rate of interest in non-demand interest-bearing accounts shall be set by the State Board of Finance, but in no case shall the rate of interest be less than one hundred percent of the asked price on United States treasury bills of the same maturity on the day of deposit.

Excess funds may be temporarily invested in securities which are issued by the State or by the United States government, or by their departments or agencies, and which are either direct obligations of the State or the United States or are backed by the full faith and credit of those governments.

All of the Town's accounts at located an insured depository institution, including all noninterest-bearing transaction accounts, which will be insured by the FDIC up to the standard maximum deposit insurance amount of \$250,000.

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NOTE 3. Deposits and Investments (continued)

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Town’s deposits may not be returned to it. The Town does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk, other than following state statutes as set forth in the Public Money Act (Section 6-10-1 to 6-10-63, NMSA 1978). At June 30, 2017, \$8,744,217 of the Town’s deposits of \$11,504,469 was exposed to custodial credit risk. \$10,754,469 was uninsured and collateralized by collateral held by the pledging bank’s trust department, not in the Town’s name, and \$0 was uninsured and uncollateralized.

	<u>US Bank</u>	<u>Centinel Bank</u>	<u>Total</u>
Amount of deposits	\$ 5,721,166	\$ 5,783,303	\$ 11,504,469
FDIC Coverage	<u>(500,000)</u>	<u>(250,000)</u>	<u>(750,000)</u>
Total uninsured public funds	<u>5,221,166</u>	<u>5,533,303</u>	<u>10,754,469</u>
Collateralized by securities held by pledging institutions or by its trust department or agent in other than the Town's name	<u>5,221,166</u>	<u>3,523,051</u>	<u>8,744,217</u>
Uninsured and uncollateralized	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 2,010,252</u>	<u>\$ 2,010,252</u>
Collateral requirement (50% of uninsured funds)	\$ 2,610,583	\$ 2,766,652	\$ 5,377,235
Pledged Collateral	<u>10,000,000</u>	<u>3,523,051</u>	<u>13,523,051</u>
Over (Under) collateralized	<u>\$ 7,389,416</u>	<u>\$ 756,400</u>	<u>\$ 8,145,816</u>

The collateral pledged is listed on Schedule IV in this report. The types of collateral allowed are limited to direct obligations of the United States Government and all bonds issued by any agency, Town or political subdivision of the State of New Mexico.

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NOTE 3. Deposits and Investments (continued)

Reconciliation to the Statement of Net Position:

Cash and cash equivalents per Exhibit A-1	\$ 8,314,655
Restricted cash and cash equivalents per Exhibit A-1	2,733,016
Agency funds cash per Exhibit E-1	<u>13,884</u>
Subtotal	<u>\$ 11,061,555</u>
Plus: outstanding checks	806,756
Less: deposits in transit	(486,514)
Less: U.S. Treasury Money Market Mutual Funds	170,500
Less: New Mexico State Treasurer Debt Service	(45,978)
Less: petty cash	<u>(1,850)</u>
Bank balance of deposits	<u><u>\$ 11,504,469</u></u>

Investments

The Town invests excess cash in the State Treasurer Local Government Investment Pool. The New Mexico Local Government Investment Pool's (LGIP) investments are valued at fair value based on quoted market prices as of the valuation date. The LGIP is not SEC registered. The New Mexico State Treasurer is authorized to invest the short-term investment funds, with the advice and consent of the State Board of Finance, in accordance with Sections 6-10-10(I) through 6-10-10(P) and Sections 6-10-10.1(A) and (E), NMSA 1978. The pool does not have unit shares. Per Section 6-10-10. (F), NMSA 1978, at the end of each month all interest earned is distributed by the State Treasurer to the contributing entities in amounts directly proportionate to the respective amounts deposited in the fund and the length of time the fund amounts were invested. Participation in the LGIP is voluntary.

As of June 30, 2017, the Town's investment in the New Mexico LGIP was rated as AAAM by Standard & Poor's.

Additionally, the Town has investments held in U.S. Treasury Money Market Mutual Funds at the Bank of Albuquerque in connection with New Mexico Finance Authority (NMFA) loans. Also, the Town has investments which are managed by NMFA, on deposit with the State Treasurer's office, in NMFA's name for the benefit of the Town.

The Town's investments at June 30, 2017 include the following:

<u>Investments</u>	<u>Rated</u>	<u>Weighted Average Maturity</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>
New Mexico Local Government Investment Pool	AAAM	WAM (R) 58 day and WAM (F)106 day	\$ 4,268,250
U.S. Treasury Money Market Mutual Funds	Aaa **	>365 Days	<u>374,570</u>
			<u><u>\$ 4,642,820</u></u>

** Based Moody's rating

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NOTE 3. Deposits and Investments (continued)

At June 30, 2017 the Town had \$170,500 of certificates of deposit classified as governmental activities investments at Exhibit A-1 and \$60,000 of certificates of deposit in Agency funds at Exhibit E-1. The Town has funds which are managed by NMFA which are considered restricted cash and cash equivalents and restricted investments. Of the \$4,576,440 noted above \$374,570 is considered restricted investments as these are invested by NMFA in US Treasury notes and \$2,733,016 is considered a cash and cash equivalent per Exhibit A-1.

For purposes of cash flows at Exhibit D-3 ending cash is considered to be cash and cash equivalents, restricted cash and cash equivalents, and restricted investments.

Interest Rate Risk – Investments. The Town does not have a formal policy limiting investment maturities that would help manage its exposure to fair value losses from increasing interest rates.

Concentration of Credit Risk – Investments. For an investment, concentration of credit risk is when any one issuer is 5% or more of the investment portfolio of the Town. The investments in the New Mexico LGIP and U.S Treasury Money Market Mutual Funds represent 68% and 32%, respectively, of the investment portfolio. Since the Town only purchases investments with the highest credit rating, the additional concentration is not viewed to be an additional risk by the Town. The Town's policy related to concentration of credit risk is to comply with the state statute as put forth in the Public Money Act (Section 6-10-1 to 6-10-63, NMSA 1978).

Fair Value Measurement

The fair value framework uses a hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to the valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurement) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

Level 1 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Town has the ability to access.

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include:

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets.
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets.
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability.
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. See above for discussion of valuation methodologies used to measure fair value of investments.

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NOTE 3. Deposits and Investments (continued)

The valuation methodologies described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Town believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

The Town maintained a balance of \$4,268,250 in the Local Government Investment Pool and \$374,570 in U.S. Treasury Money Market Mutual Funds at year end which required fair value disclosure.

The following table sets forth by level within the fair value hierarchy, the Town's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2017:

Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
\$ 4,642,820	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 4,642,820

NOTE 4. Receivables

Receivables as of June 30, 2017, are as follows:

	General	Lodgers' Tax	Airport Construction
Property taxes receivable	\$ 160,442	\$ -	\$ -
Other taxes receivable:			
Gross receipts	1,647,066	-	-
Gasoline and motor vehicle	-	-	-
Franchise taxes	25,996	-	-
Lodgers' taxes	-	134,410	-
Due from other governments	-	-	1,481,302
Other receivables	-	-	-
Total receivables	\$ 1,833,504	\$ 134,410	\$ 1,481,302
		Other	
	1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition	Governmental Funds	Total
Property taxes receivable	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 160,442
Other taxes receivable:			
Gross receipts	-	-	1,647,066
Gasoline and motor vehicle	-	-	-
Franchise taxes	-	-	25,996
Lodgers' taxes	-	-	134,410
Due from other governments	733,092	-	2,214,394
Other receivables	-	753,780	753,780
Total receivables	\$ 733,092	\$ 753,780	\$ 4,936,088

Receivables for governmental activities are considered to be 100% collectible.

Governmental funds report *unavailable revenue* in connection with receivables for revenues that are not considered to be available to liquidate liabilities in the current period. Governmental funds also defer revenue recognition in connection with resources that have been received but not yet earned. Unavailable revenue related to property taxes receivable for the Town for the year ended June 30, 2017 was \$115,455.

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NOTE 4. Receivables (continued)

Business-type Activities:	Water and Sewer	Solid Waste	Taos Regional Landfill	Total
Customer receivables	\$ 1,328,732	\$ 232,856	\$ 168,388	\$ 1,729,976
Other receivables:				
Gross receipts taxes	171,124	-	-	171,124
Total gross receivables	<u>1,499,856</u>	<u>232,856</u>	<u>168,388</u>	<u>1,901,100</u>
Less: allowance for doubtful accounts	745,216	52,602	17,485	815,303
Total net receivables	<u>\$ 754,640</u>	<u>\$ 180,254</u>	<u>\$ 150,903</u>	<u>\$ 1,085,797</u>

NOTE 5. Transfers and Interfund Receivables

Net operating transfers, made to close out funds and to supplement other funding sources, were as follows:

Governmental Activities:

Transfers In	Transfers Out	Amount
Recreation Fund	General Fund	\$ 35,705
Public Transportation Fund	Lodgers' Tax	313,284
Public Transportation Fund	Lodgers' Tax	90,000
Community Grants	General Fund	47,308
2009 NMFA PPRF Disadvantage Program - EcoPark	1/4 Cent Municipal GRT Fund	180,753
2008 GRT Revenue Bond Retirement	1/4 Cent Municipal GRT Fund	496,025
2011 NMFA PPRF Disadvantaged Prog Street Fund	Municipal Road Gasoline Tax Fund	52,700
2011 NMFA PPRF Street Improvement	General Fund	129,375
2015 NMFA Fire Pumper Fund	Fire Protection Fund	75,094
2007 NMFA Land Purchase	1/4 Cent Municipal GRT Fund	113,765
Facilities Improvement Fund	General Fund	400,000
Facilities Improvement Fund	1/4 Cent Municipal GRT Fund	38,985
Capital Projects Fund	1/4 Cent Municipal GRT Fund	9,000
Capital Maintenance Operating Fund	General Fund	809,501
Library Construction	Lodgers' Tax	350,000
1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition	General Fund	600,000
1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition	General Fund	54,615
1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition	Municipal Road Gasoline Tax Fund	26,600
1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition	1/4 Cent Municipal GRT Fund	175,596
1999 Gasoline Tax Acquisition	Capital Projects Fund	784,000
		<u>\$ 4,782,306</u>

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NOTE 5. Transfers and Interfund Receivables (continued)

Internal balances have primarily been recorded when funds overdraw their share of pooled cash. The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2017 is as follows:

<u>Due from Other Funds</u>	<u>Due to Other Funds</u>	<u>Amount</u>
General Fund	Water & Sewer Fund	\$ 17,652
General Fund	Solid Waste Fund	5,878
General Fund	Taos Regional Landfill Fund	<u>9,396</u>
		<u><u>\$ 32,926</u></u>

All interfund transactions are short-term and are expected to be repaid within a year.

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NOTE 6. Capital Assets

A summary of capital assets and changes occurring during the year ended June 30, 2017 follows. Land and construction in progress are not subject to depreciation.

Governmental activities:	Balance June 30, 2016	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2017
Capital assets, not depreciated:				
Land	\$ 6,277,809	\$ -	\$ 19,080	\$ 6,258,729
Construction in progress	9,612,167	11,281,846	25,386	20,868,627
Total capital assets, not depreciated	15,889,976	11,281,846	44,466	27,127,356
Capital assets, depreciated:				
Land improvements	7,461,945	-	-	7,461,945
Buildings and improvements	34,815,034	19,643	-	34,834,677
Machinery and equipment	15,850,116	435,952	523,728	15,762,340
Infrastructure	54,814,587	2,609,804	-	57,424,391
Total capital assets, depreciated	112,941,682	3,065,399	523,728	115,483,353
Less accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	(4,827,831)	(244,976)	-	(5,072,807)
Buildings and improvements	(17,799,617)	(1,108,303)	-	(18,907,920)
Machinery and equipment	(13,199,752)	(620,542)	(523,600)	(13,296,694)
Infrastructure	(39,495,242)	(1,860,196)	-	(41,355,438)
Total accumulated depreciation	(75,322,442)	(3,834,017)	(523,600)	(78,632,859)
Net book value	\$ 53,509,216	\$ 10,513,228	\$ 44,594	\$ 63,977,850

Depreciation expense for the year ended June 30, 2017 was charged to governmental activities as follows:

General government	\$ 3,488,955
Public safety	76,681
Public works	268,381
	<u>\$ 3,834,017</u>

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NOTE 6. Capital Assets (continued)

Business-type activities:	Balance June 30, 2016	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2017
Capital assets, not depreciated:				
Land	\$ 262,422	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 262,422
Construction in progress	3,268,986	455,434	3,268,986	455,434
Total capital assets, not depreciated	3,531,408	455,434	3,268,986	717,856
Capital assets, depreciated:				
Land improvements	104,895	-	-	104,895
Buildings and improvements	4,656,981	-	-	4,656,981
Machinery and equipment	8,876,468	295,544	52,755	9,119,257
Infrastructure	33,499,623	4,274,483	-	37,774,106
Total capital assets, depreciated	47,137,967	4,570,027	52,755	51,655,239
Less accumulated depreciation:				
Land improvements	(94,689)	(1,258)	-	(95,947)
Buildings and improvements	(2,741,611)	(150,917)	-	(2,892,528)
Machinery and equipment	(7,519,719)	(242,120)	(33,553)	(7,728,286)
Infrastructure	(13,188,645)	(1,478,356)	-	(14,667,001)
Total accumulated depreciation	(23,544,664)	(1,872,651)	(33,553)	(25,383,762)
Net book value	\$ 27,124,711	\$ 3,152,810	\$ 3,288,188	\$ 26,989,333

Depreciation expense for the year ended June 30, 2017 was charged to business-type activities as follows:

Enterprise activities:	
Water and sewer	\$ 1,609,964
Solid waste	60,972
Landfill	201,715
	<u>\$ 1,872,651</u>

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NOTE 7. Long-term Debt

Governmental Activities:

During the year ended June 30, 2017, the following changes occurred in the liabilities reported in the government-wide statement of net position:

	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2016</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Retirements</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2017</u>	<u>Due Within</u> <u>One Year</u>
Revenue Bonds	\$ 4,375,000	\$ -	\$ 315,000	\$ 4,060,000	\$ 385,000
NMFA Loans	2,842,487	-	470,563	2,371,924	368,231
Compensated Absences	616,329	360,132	365,539	610,922	365,539
Total Long-Term Debt	<u>\$ 7,833,816</u>	<u>\$ 360,132</u>	<u>\$ 1,151,102</u>	<u>\$ 7,042,846</u>	<u>\$ 1,118,770</u>

Revenue Bonds

At June 30, 2017, the Town had one revenue bond outstanding. For the Series 2008 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bonds, the Town pledged revenues from the State-Shared Gross Receipts Tax revenues. The revenue bonds are as follows:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Date of</u> <u>Issue</u>	<u>Due</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Original</u> <u>Amount</u> <u>of Issue</u>
Series 2008 Gross Receipts Tax	01/30/08	06/01/26	4.00-5.00%	\$ 6,395,000

The annual requirements to amortize the revenue bonds as of June 30, 2017, including interest payments, are as follows:

<u>Fiscal Year</u> <u>Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total Debt</u> <u>Service</u>
2018	\$ 385,000	\$ 166,775	\$ 551,775
2019	400,000	151,375	551,375
2020	415,000	135,375	550,375
2021	430,000	118,775	548,775
2022	450,000	101,145	551,145
2023-2025	1,980,000	211,635	2,191,635
	<u>\$ 4,060,000</u>	<u>\$ 885,080</u>	<u>\$ 4,945,080</u>

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NOTE 7. Long-term Debt (continued)

NMFA Loans

The Town entered into three loan agreements with the New Mexico Finance Authority, wherein the Town pledged revenue derived from State-Shared Gross Receipts Tax and the Fire to cover debt service. Aside from the NMFA Fire Truck Pumper loan, this revenue is not subject to intercept agreements. The NMFA loans are as follows:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Date of Issue</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Original Amount of Issue</u>
NMFA Phase I Multi-Phase Eco Park	11/25/09	05/01/25	0.62-3.67%	2,213,469
NMFA Revolving Loan Fund Road Projects	11/04/11	05/01/22	1.895%	1,694,457
NMFA Fire Truck Pumper Loan	05/08/15	05/01/21	0.92%	434,994

The annual requirements to amortize the NMFA loans as of June 30, 2017, including interest payments, are as follows:

<u>Fiscal Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total Debt Service</u>
2018	\$ 368,231	\$ 60,668	\$ 428,899
2019	377,252	53,801	431,053
2020	387,381	45,952	433,333
2021	398,774	36,928	435,702
2022	334,977	28,099	363,076
2023-2025	505,309	36,960	542,269
	<u>\$ 2,371,924</u>	<u>\$ 262,408</u>	<u>\$ 2,634,332</u>

Compensated Absences- Employees of the Town are able to accrue a limited amount of vacation and other compensatory time during the year. During fiscal year June 30, 2017, government-wide compensated absences decreased \$5,406 from the prior year accrual. Compensated absences are liquidated by the respective funds in which they are accrued.

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NOTE 7. Long-term Debt (continued)

Proprietary Funds:

The proprietary funds have incurred various forms of debt which were used for the purposes of constructing, expanding, repairing and making improvements to its property, plant and equipment. The following schedule shows the changes to its various forms of debt during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017:

	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2016</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Retirements</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2017</u>	<u>Due Within</u> <u>One Year</u>
Revenue Bonds	\$ 1,855,600	\$ -	\$ 57,000	\$ 1,798,600	\$ 60,000
NMFA and RUS Loans	3,735,000	-	334,039	3,400,961	338,980
Landfill Closure Liability	1,677,021	21,309	-	1,698,330	-
Compensated Absences	79,760	66,089	60,833	85,016	60,833
Total Long-Term Debt	<u>\$ 7,347,381</u>	<u>\$ 87,398</u>	<u>\$ 451,872</u>	<u>\$ 6,982,907</u>	<u>\$ 459,813</u>

Revenue Bonds

At June 30, 2017, the Town had the following revenue bonds outstanding:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Date of</u> <u>Issue</u>	<u>Due</u> <u>Date</u>	<u>Interest</u> <u>Rate</u>	<u>Original</u> <u>Amount</u> <u>of Issue</u>
Series 1993A Water & Sewer	03/16/93	03/16/33	5.63%	\$ 635,600
Series 1993B Water & Sewer	03/16/93	03/16/33	5.50%	123,000
Series 1995A Water & Sewer	12/05/95	12/05/35	5.125%	1,315,000
Series 1998A Water & Sewer	07/01/99	01/01/38	4.75%	475,000

The annual requirements to amortize the revenue bonds as of June 30, 2017, including interest payments, are as follows:

<u>Fiscal Year</u> <u>Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total Debt</u> <u>Service</u>
2018	\$ 60,000	\$ 93,457	\$ 153,457
2019	63,000	90,312	153,312
2020	66,000	87,007	153,007
2021	70,000	83,546	153,546
2022	74,000	79,870	153,870
2023-2026	335,000	278,672	613,672
2027-2031	529,000	239,327	768,327
2032-2037	562,600	71,764	634,364
2038	39,000	-	39,000
	<u>\$ 1,798,600</u>	<u>\$ 1,023,955</u>	<u>\$ 2,822,555</u>

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NOTE 7. Long-term Debt (continued)

NMFA and USDA Loans

The Town entered into loan agreements with the New Mexico Finance Authority and USDA. These loans are not subject to intercept agreements. The loans are as follows:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Date of Issue</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Interest Rate</u>	<u>Amount of Issue</u>
RUS Series 2000A Water & Sewer	12/18/00	12/18/40	5.00%	\$ 250,000
NMFA Series 2001A Water & Sewer	05/11/01	05/01/21	4.16-5.41%	950,391
NMFA Series 2008A Landfill	04/11/08	05/01/18	2.72-3.58%	1,000,000
NMFA/WTB Water Project Fund Loan	09/11/09	06/01/29	0.00%	130,000
NMFA/WTB Water Project Fund Loan	09/11/09	06/01/29	0.00%	600,000
NMED/ARRA Water State Revolving Fund Loan	11/23/09	06/30/30	0.00%	1,200,000
NMFA/WTB Water Project Fund Loan	04/19/13	06/01/33	0.25%	197,390
NMFA New Cell for Landfill Facility Loan	8/28/2015	6/1/2025	0.38-2.24%	1,376,046

The annual requirement to amortize the loans as of June 30, 2017, including interest payments, is as follows:

<u>Fiscal Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total Debt Service</u>
2018	\$ 338,980	\$ 43,813	\$ 382,793
2019	345,346	36,957	382,303
2020	348,868	31,718	380,586
2021	300,979	25,783	326,762
2022	291,593	21,605	313,198
2023-2026	1,016,583	47,607	1,064,190
2027-2031	500,421	35,828	536,249
2032-2037	200,191	28,376	228,567
2038-2041	58,000	7,950	65,950
	<u>\$ 3,400,961</u>	<u>\$ 279,637</u>	<u>\$ 3,680,598</u>

Compensated Absences- Employees of the Town are able to accrue a limited amount of vacation and other compensatory time during the year. During fiscal year June 30, 2017, business-type compensated absences increased \$5,256 from the prior year accrual. Compensated absences are liquidated by the respective funds in which they are accrued.

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NOTE 8. Risk Management

The Town is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts, thefts of, damage to, and destruction of property, errors and omissions and natural disasters. The Town participates in the New Mexico Self-Insurers' Fund risk pool.

The Town has not filed any claims for which the settlement amount exceeded the insurance coverage during the past three years. However, should a claim be filed against the Town which exceeds the insurance coverage, the Town would be responsible for a loss in excess of the coverage amounts. As claims are filed, the New Mexico Self-Insurers' Fund assesses and estimates the potential for loss and handles all aspects of the claim. Insurance coverage has not changed significantly from prior years and coverage's are expected to be continued.

At June 30, 2017, no unpaid claims have been filed which exceed the policy limits and to the best of management's knowledge and belief all known and unknown claims will be covered by insurance. The Town is not aware of any major lawsuits that have been filed.

New Mexico Self-Insurers' Fund has not provided information on an entity by entity basis that would allow for a reconciliation of changes in the aggregate liabilities for claims for the current fiscal year and the prior fiscal year.

NOTE 9. Other Required Individual Fund Disclosures

Generally accepted accounting principles require disclosures of certain information concerning individual funds including:

- A. Deficit fund balance of individual funds. The following fund had a deficit fund balance as of June 30, 2017.

Civic Center Special Revenue Fund	<u>\$(2,323)</u>
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- B. Actual expenditures in excess of amount budgeted at the budgetary authority level. Budgetary legal level of control is at the fund level. There were no funds that exceeded approved budgetary authority for the year ended June 30, 2017.

- C. Designated cash appropriations in excess of available balances. There were no funds in which designated cash appropriations were in excess of available balances.

NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association

General Information about the Pension Plan

Plan description. The Public Employees Retirement Fund (PERA Fund) is a **cost-sharing, multiple employer defined benefit pension plan**. This fund has six divisions of members, including State General, State Police/Adult Correction Officer, Municipal General, Municipal Police/Detention Officers, Municipal fire, and State Legislative Divisions, and offers 24 different types of coverage within the PERA plan. All assets accumulated may be used to pay benefits, including refunds of member contributions, to any of the plan members or beneficiaries, as defined by the terms of this plan. Certain coverage plans are only applicable to a specific division. Eligibility for membership in the PERA Fund is set forth in the Public Employees Retirement Act (Chapter 10, Article 11, NMSA 1978). Except as provided for in the Volunteer Firefighters Retirement Act (10-11A-1 to 10-11A-7, NMSA 1978), the Judicial Retirement Act (10-12B-1 to 10-12B-19, NMSA 1978), the Magistrate Retirement Act (10-12C-1 to 10-12C-18, NMSA 1978), and the Educational

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NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association (continued)

General Information about the Pension Plan (continued)

Retirement Act (Chapter 22, Article 11, NMSA 1978), and the provisions of Sections 29-4-1 through 29-4-11, NMSA 1978 governing the State Police Pension Fund, each employee and elected official of every affiliated public employer is required to be a member in the PERA Fund.

PERA issues a publicly available financial report and a comprehensive annual financial report that can be obtained at <http://saonm.org> using the Audit Report Search function for agency 366.

Benefits provided. For a description of the benefits provided and recent changes to the benefits see Note 1 in the PERA audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016 available at https://www.saonm.org/media/audits/366_Public_Employees_Retirement_Association_FY2016.pdf.

Contributions. The contribution requirements of defined benefit plan members and the Town of Taos are established in state statute under Chapter 10, Article 11, NMSA 1978. The contribution requirements may be amended by acts of the legislature. For the employer and employee contribution rates in effect for FY15 for the various PERA coverage options, for both Tier I and Tier II, see the tables available in the note disclosures on pages 80 through 82 of the PERA FY16 annual audit report at https://www.saonm.org/media/audits/366_Public_Employees_Retirement_Association_FY2016.pdf. The PERA coverage options that apply to Town of Taos are: Municipal General Division, Municipal Police Division and Municipal Fire Division. Statutorily required contributions to the pension plan from the Town of Taos were \$892,208 and there were no employer paid member benefits that were “picked up” by the employer for the year ended June 30, 2017.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions: The PERA pension liability amounts, net pension liability amounts, and sensitivity information were based on an annual actuarial valuation performed as of June 30, 2015. The PERA pension liability amounts for each division were rolled forward from the valuation date to the Plan year ending June 30, 2016, using generally accepted actuarial principles. Therefore, the employer’s portion was established as of the measurement date June 30, 2016.

The assets of the PERA fund are held in one trust, but there are six distinct membership groups (municipal general members, municipal police members, municipal fire members, state general members, state police members and legislative members) for whom separate contribution rates are determined each year pursuant to chapter 10, Article 11 NMSA 1978.

Therefore, the calculations of the net pension liability, pension expense and deferred inflows and outflows were performed separately for each of the membership groups: municipal general members; municipal police members; municipal fire members; state general members; state police members and legislative members. Town of Taos’ proportion of the net pension liability for each membership group that the employer participates in is based on the employer contributing entity’s percentage of that membership group’s total employer contributions for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. Only employer contributions for the pay period end dates that fell within the period of July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016 were included in the total contributions for a specific employer.

Regular and any adjustment contributions that applied to FY 2017 are included in the total contribution amounts. In the event that an employer is behind in reporting to PERA its required contributions, an estimate (receivable) was used to project the unremitted employer contributions. This allowed for fair and consistent measurement of the contributions with the total population. This methodology was used to maintain consistent measurement each year in determining the percentages to be allocated among all the participating employers.

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NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association (continued)

General Information about the Pension Plan (continued)

For PERA Fund Municipal General Division, at June 30, 2017, Town of Taos reported a liability of \$7,524,994 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. At June 30, 2016, Town of Taos' proportion was .4710% percent, which was a decrease of .0344 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2015.

For the year ended June 30, 2017, Town of Taos recognized PERA Fund Municipal General Division pension expense of \$759,588. At June 30, 2017, Town of Taos reported PERA Fund Municipal General Division deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows or resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Change in assumptions	\$ 441,253	\$ 1,250
Changes in proportion	-	513,362
Difference between expected and actual experience	375,979	73,440
Net difference between projected and actual earning on pension plan investments	1,384,585	-
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date	373,075	-
	\$ 2,574,892	\$ 588,052

\$373,075 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Town of Taos' contributions subsequent to the measurement date June 30, 2016 will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2018.

Other amounts reported as deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended June 30:	
2017	\$ (267,532)
2018	(267,532)
2019	(736,281)
2020	(342,420)
Thereafter	-

For PERA Fund Municipal Police Division, at June 30, 2017, Town of Taos reported a liability of \$3,516,497 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. At June 30, 2016, Town of Taos' proportion was 0.4766 percent, which was a decrease of .0078 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2015.

For the year ended June 30, 2017, Town of Taos recognized PERA Fund Municipal Police Division pension expense of \$470,148. At June 30, 2017, Town of Taos reported PERA Fund Municipal Police Division deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows or resources related to pensions from the following sources:

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NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association (continued)

General Information about the Pension Plan (continued)

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Change in assumptions	\$ 232,913	\$ 63,419
Changes in proportion	-	38,347
Difference between expected and actual experience	258,162	-
Net difference between projected and actual earning on pension plan investments	556,154	-
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date	182,311	-
	\$ 1,229,540	\$ 101,766

\$182,311 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Town of Taos' contributions subsequent to the measurement date June 30, 2016 will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2018. Other amounts reported as deferred inflows and outflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended June 30:

2017	\$ (221,085)
2018	(221,085)
2019	(361,813)
2020	(141,480)
Thereafter	-

For PERA Fund Municipal Fire Division, at June 30, 2017, Town of Taos reported a liability of \$1,857,211 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. At June 30, 2016, Town of Taos' proportion was 0.2784 percent, which was an decrease of .0015 percent from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2016.

For the year ended June 30, 2017, Town of Taos recognized PERA Fund Municipal Fire Division pension expense of \$255,809. At June 30, 2017, Town of Taos reported PERA Fund Municipal Fire Division deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows or resources related to pensions from the following sources:

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NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association (continued)

General Information about the Pension Plan (continued)

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Change in assumptions	\$ 98,239	\$ -
Changes in proportion	54,565	-
Difference between expected and actual experience	84,104	-
Net difference between projected and actual earning on pension plan investments	154,696	-
Contributions subsequent to the measurement date	69,506	-
	\$ 461,110	\$ -

\$69,506 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Town of Taos' contributions subsequent to the measurement date June 30, 2016 will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2018. Other amounts reported as deferred inflows and outflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ended June 30:

2017	\$ (117,135)
2018	(117,135)
2019	(117,110)
2020	(40,224)
Thereafter	-

Actuarial assumptions. As described above, the PERA Fund member group pension liabilities and net pension liabilities are based on actuarial valuations performed as of June 30, 2015 for each of the membership groups. Then each PERA Fund member group pension liability was rolled forward from the valuation date to the Plan year ending June 30, 2017 using generally accepted actuarial principles. There were no significant events or changes in benefit provisions that required an adjustment to the roll-forward liabilities as of June 30, 2017. These actuarial methods and assumptions were adopted by the Board for use in the June 30, 2017 actuarial valuation.

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NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association (continued)

General Information about the Pension Plan (continued)

Actuarial valuation date	June 30, 2015
Actuarial cost method	Entry age normal
Amortization method	Level percentage of pay
Amortization period	Solved for based on statutory rates
Asset valuation method	Fair value
Actuarial assumptions:	
Investment rate of return	7.48% annual rate, net of investment expense
Projected benefit payment	100 years
Payroll growth	2.75% for the first 10 years, then 3.25% all other years
Projected salary increases	2.75% to 14.25% annual rate
Includes inflation at	2.25% annual rate first 10 years, 2.75% all other years
Mortality assumptions	RP-200 mortality tables (combined table for healthy post-retirements, Employee table for active members, and disabled table for disabled retirees before retirement age) with projections to 2018 using scale AA.
Experience study date	July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2013 (demographic) and July 1, 2010 through June 20, 2015

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

ALL FUNDS - Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Global Equity	43.50%	7.39%
Risk Reduction & Mitigation	21.50	1.79
Credit Oriented Fixed Income	15.00	5.77
Real Assets	20.00	7.35
Total	<u>100.00%</u>	
Total	5793.50%	

Discount rate: The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.48 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that future contributions will be made in accordance with statutory rates. On this basis, the pension plan's fiduciary net position together with the expected future contributions are sufficient to provide all projected future benefit payments of current plan members as determined in accordance with GASBS 67. Therefore, the 7.48% assumed 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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NOTE 10. Pension Plan - Public Employees Retirement Association (continued)

General Information about the Pension Plan (continued)

Sensitivity of the Employer's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate. The following tables show the sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate. In particular, the tables present Town of Taos' net pension liability in each PERA Fund Division that Town of Taos participates in, under the current single rate assumption, as if it were calculated using a discount rate one percentage point lower (6.48%) or one percentage point higher (8.48%) than the single discount rate.

PERA Fund Municipal General Division	Current Discount Rate		
	1% Decrease (6.48%)	Rate (7.48%)	1% Increase (8.48%)
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability	<u>\$ 11,219,099</u>	<u>\$ 7,524,994</u>	<u>\$ 4,460,920</u>

PERA Fund Municipal Police Division	Current Discount Rate		
	1% Decrease (6.48%)	Rate (7.48%)	1% Increase (8.48%)
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability	<u>\$ 5,173,640</u>	<u>\$ 3,516,497</u>	<u>\$ 2,161,148</u>

PERA Fund Municipal Fire Division	Current Discount Rate		
	1% Decrease (6.48%)	Rate (7.48%)	1% Increase (8.48%)
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability	<u>\$ 2,429,222</u>	<u>\$ 1,857,211</u>	<u>\$ 1,387,363</u>

Pension plan fiduciary net position. Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued FY16 Restated PERA financial report. The report is available at <http://www.pera.state.nm.us/publications.html>.

Payables to the pension plan. At June 30, 2017 there were no contributions due and payable to PERA for the Town.

NOTE 11. Post-Employment Benefits – State Retiree Health Care Plan

Plan Description. Town of Taos contributes to the New Mexico Retiree Health Care Fund, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit postemployment healthcare plan administered by the New Mexico Retiree Health Care Authority (RHCA). The RHCA provides health care insurance and prescription drug benefits to retired employees of participating New Mexico government agencies, their spouses, dependents, and surviving spouses and dependents. The RHCA Board was established by the Retiree Health Care Act (Chapter 10, Article 7C, NMSA 1978). The Board is responsible for establishing and amending benefit provisions of the healthcare plan and is also authorized to designate optional and/or voluntary benefits like dental, vision, supplemental life insurance, and long-term care policies.

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NOTE 11. Post-Employment Benefits – State Retiree Health Care Plan

Eligible retirees are: 1) retirees who make contributions to the fund for at least five years prior to retirement and whose eligible employer during that period of time made contributions as a participant in the RHCA plan on the person's behalf unless that person retires before the employer's RHCA effective date, in which event the time period required for employee and employer contributions shall become the period of time between the employer's effective date and the date of retirement; 2) retirees defined by the Act who retired prior to July 1, 1990; 3) former legislators who served at least two years; and 4) former governing authority members who served at least four years.

The RHCA issues a publicly available stand-alone financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information for the postemployment healthcare plan. That report and further information can be obtained by writing to the Retiree Health Care Authority at 4308 Carlisle NE, Suite 104, Albuquerque, NM 87107.

Funding Policy. The Retiree Health Care Act (Section 10-7C-13 NMSA 1978) authorizes the RHCA Board to establish the monthly premium contributions that retirees are required to pay for healthcare benefits. Each participating retiree pays a monthly premium according to a service based subsidy rate schedule for the medical plus basic life plan plus an additional participation fee of five dollars if the eligible participant retired prior to the employer's RHCA effective date or is a former legislator or former governing authority member. Former legislators and governing authority members are required to pay 100% of the insurance premium to cover their claims and the administrative expenses of the plan. The monthly premium rate schedule can be obtained from the RHCA or viewed on their website at www.nmrhca.state.nm.us.

The employer, employee and retiree contributions are required to be remitted to the RHCA on a monthly basis. The statutory requirements for the employer and employee contributions can be changed by the New Mexico State Legislature. Employers that choose to become participating employers after January 1, 1998, are required to make contributions to the RHCA fund in the amount determined to be appropriate by the board.

The Retiree Health Care Act (Section 10-7C-15 NMSA 1978) is the statutory authority that establishes the required contributions of participating employers and their employees. For employees that were members of an enhanced retirement plan (state police and adult correctional officer member coverage plan 1; municipal police member coverage plans 3, 4 or 5; municipal fire member coverage plan 3, 4 or 5; municipal detention officer member coverage plan 1; and members pursuant to the Judicial Retirement Act) during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017, the statute required each participating employer to contribute 2.5% of each participating employee's annual salary; and each participating employee was required to contribute 1.25% of their salary. For employees that were not members of an enhanced retirement plan during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017, the statute required each participating employer to contribute 2.0% of each participating employee's annual salary; each participating employee was required to contribute 1.0% of their salary. In addition, pursuant to Section 10-7C-15(G) NMSA 1978, at the first session of the Legislature following July 1, 2013, the legislature shall review and adjust the distributions pursuant to Section 7-1-6.1 NMSA 1978 and the employer and employee contributions to the authority in order to ensure the actuarial soundness of the benefits provided under the Retiree Health Care Act.

The Town's contributions to the RHCA for the years ended June 30, 2017, 2016 and 2015 were \$109,547, \$116,266, and \$114,919, respectively, which equal the required contributions for each year.

NOTE 12. Contingent Liabilities

The Town is party to various claims and lawsuits arising in the normal course of business. The Town is insured through the New Mexico Self Insurers Fund. The maximum exposure of the Town is not estimable as of June 30, 2017.

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NOTE 13. Federal and State Grants

In the normal course of operations, the Town receives grant funds from various federal and state agencies. Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustment by grantor agencies, the purpose of which is to ensure compliance with conditions precedent to the granting of funds. Any liability for reimbursement which may arise as a result of these audits is not believed to be material.

NOTE 14. Landfill Closure and Post Closure Care Costs

State and Federal laws and regulations require that the Town place a final cover on its landfill site and perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the landfill site for a minimum of thirty years after closure. In addition to operating expenses related to current activities of the landfill site, an expense provision and related liability are being recognized based on the future closure and post closure care costs that will be incurred near or after the date the landfill no longer accepts waste. The recognition of these landfill closure and post-closure care costs is based on the amount of the landfill used during the year. The estimated liability for landfill closure and post closure care costs is \$1,698,330 as of June 30, 2017, which is based on 40 percent usage (filled) of the landfill. The estimate has remained unchanged from the prior year as no significant construction occurred or changes to the site conditions. The estimated total current cost of the landfill closure and post closure care is based on the amount that would be paid if all equipment, facilities, and services required to close, monitor, and maintain the landfill were acquired as of June 30, 2016. However, the actual cost of closure and post closure care may be higher due to inflation, changes in technology, or changes in landfill laws and regulations.

In addition, the Town is required by State and Federal laws and regulations to make annual contributions to finance closure and postclosure care. The Town is in compliance with these requirements, and at June 30, 2017 cash of \$1,278,860 and investments of \$80,119 is part of the pooled funds held by the Town and is presented as restricted cash on the statement of net position.

NOTE 15. Construction and Other Significant Commitments

The Town has committed to pay for several construction contracts that were not completed at June 30, 2017 in the amount of \$7,620,924 as follows:

Project Description	Contract Amount Remaining	Contractor
Salazar Road Improvements	\$ 321,742	Northern Mountain Constructors, Inc.
Construction of Runway 12/30 Phase I	454,582	Northern Mountain Constructors, Inc.
Engineernig Services for Construction Runway 12/30 Phase 1	58,168	Armstrong Consultants, Inc.
Construction of Runway 12/30 Phase II	5,353,736	Northern Mountain Constructors, Inc.
Engineering Services for Construction Ruway 12/30 Phase 2	256,730	Armstrong Consultants, Inc.
Construction of Youth & Family Center Improvements	706,607	CDR Construction Inc.
Architectural Services for Youth & Family Center Improvements	38,267	NCA Architects, LLC
Visitors Center Roof Repair	170,326	Design-Building Solutions, Inc.
Bedford Tank Replacement	82,721	File Construction, LLC
SCADA System Upgrades	27,220	Miller Engineers Inc.
Engineering/R-O-W Services for Camino del Medio	150,824	Miller Engineers Inc.
Total	\$ 7,620,924	

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NOTE 16. Subsequent Events

The date to which events occurring after June 30, 2017, the date of the most recent statement of net position, have been evaluated for possible adjustment to the financial statements or disclosures is December 6, 2017, which is the date on which the financial statements were issued.

NOTE 17. Concentrations

The Town depends on financial resources flowing from, or associated with, both the Federal Government and the State of New Mexico. Because of this dependency, the Town is subject to changes in the specific flows of intergovernmental revenues based on modifications to Federal and State laws and Federal and State appropriations.

NOTE 18. Restricted Net Position

The government-wide statement of net position reports \$5,628,176 of restricted net position for governmental activities, all of which is restricted by enabling legislation. See pages 44 and 88-89 for descriptions of the related restrictions for special revenue, debt service and capital projects funds. In addition, the government-wide statement of net position reports \$2,782,757 of restricted net position for business-type activities. See page 46 for descriptions of the related restrictions for meter deposits, debt service and landfill obligations.

NOTE 19. Utility Revenues Pledged

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the water and sewer system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$635,600 in Series 1993A Water & Sewer Revenue Bonds, issued in 1993. The bonds are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through March 2033. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the bond agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the bond agreement reserve account, to the USDA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the bond agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds is \$421,600 and \$229,028, respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$40,615 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the water and sewer system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$123,000 in Series 1993B Water & Sewer Revenue Bonds, issued in 1993. The bonds are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through March 2033. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the bond agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the bond agreement reserve account, to the USDA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the bond agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds is \$84,000 and \$47,685, respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$7,785 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

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NOTE 19. Utility Revenues Pledged (continued)

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the water and sewer system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$1,315,000 in Series 1995A Water & Sewer Revenue Bonds, issued in 1995. The bonds are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through December 2035. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the bond agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the bond agreement reserve account, to the USDA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the bond agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds is \$933,000 and \$537,360, respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$78,303 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the water and sewer system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$475,000 in Series 1998A Water & Sewer Revenue Bonds, issued in 1999. The bonds are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through January 2038. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the bond agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the bond agreement reserve account, to the USDA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the bond agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the bonds is \$360,000 and \$209,771 respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$26,745 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the water and sewer system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$250,000 in RUS Series 2000A Water & Sewer Loan, issued in 2000. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through December 2040. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the USDA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the loan is \$203,000 and \$153,900, respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$14,350 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the water and sewer system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$950,391 in NMFA Series 2001A Water & Sewer Loan, issued in 2001. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through May 2021. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMFA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the loan is \$199,224 and \$19,947, respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$68,856 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

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NOTE 19. Utility Revenues Pledged (continued)

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the Taos Regional Landfill system, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$1,000,000 in NMFA Series 2008A Landfill Loan, issued in 2008. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through May 2018. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMFA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the loan is \$118,577 and \$3,482, respectively. Principal and interest paid for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$152,141 and \$1,345,551, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the Taos Wastewater project, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$130,000 in NMFA/WTB Water Project, issued in 2009. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through June 2029. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMFA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal remaining to be paid on the loan is \$79,862 with no interest due. Principal for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$6,548 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the Taos Wastewater project, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$600,000 in NMFA/WTB Water Project, issued in 2009. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through June 2029. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMFA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal remaining to be paid on the loan is \$368,597 with no interest due. Principal for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$30,220 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the Taos Wastewater project, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$1,200,000 in NMED Clean Water State Revolving Fund Project, issued in 2009. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through June 2030. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMED or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal remaining to be paid on the loan is \$960,000 with no interest due. Principal for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$60,000 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

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NOTE 19. Utility Revenues Pledged (continued)

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the Taos Wastewater project, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$197,390 in NMFA/WTB Water Project, issued in 2013. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through June 2033. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMFA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the loan is \$158,743 and \$3,395, respectively. Principal for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$9,712 and \$3,260,084, respectively.

The Town of Taos has pledged future revenues from the New Cell for Landfill Facility, net of operation and maintenance expenses, to repay \$1,376,046 in NMFA loan issued 2015. The loans are payable solely from utility customer net revenues and are payable through June 2025. The pledged revenues shall be in an amount sufficient to pay principal, premium, if any, interest and other amounts due under the loan agreement, including an amount sufficient to cure any deficiencies in the debt service account or the loan agreement reserve account, to the NMFA or the Trustee, as its assignee, to be deposited in the debt service reserve account or the loan agreement reserve account held by the trustee, payable from and constituting a lien upon the pledged revenues. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the loan is \$1,312,958 and \$98,914, respectively. Principal for the current year and total customer net revenues were \$72,318 and \$1,345,551, respectively.

NOTE 20. Subsequent Pronouncements

In June 2015, GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*, was issued. Effective Date: The provisions of this Statement are effective for fiscal years beginning after June 15, 2017. The standard will be implemented during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018. The Town expects this pronouncement to have a material effect on the financial statements.

In March 2016, GASB Statement No. 81, *Irrevocable Split-Interest Agreements*, was issued. Effective Date: The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016. Earlier application is encouraged. The Town is still evaluating how this pronouncement will affect the financial statements.

In November 2016, GASB Statement No. 83, *Certain Asset Retirement Obligations*, was issued. Effective Date: The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2018. Earlier application is encouraged. The Town is still evaluating how this pronouncement will affect the financial statements.

In January 2017, GASB Statement No. 84, *Fiduciary Activities*, was issued. Effective Date: The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2018. Earlier application is encouraged. The Town is still evaluating how this pronouncement will affect the financial statements.

In March 2017, GASB Statement No. 85, *Omnibus 2017*, was issued. Effective Date: The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2017. Earlier application is encouraged. This Statement addresses a variety of topics including issues related to blending component units, goodwill, fair value measurement and application, and postemployment benefits (pensions and other postemployment benefits [OPEB]). The Town is still evaluating how this pronouncement will affect the financial statements.

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NOTE 20. Subsequent Pronouncements

In May 2017, GASB Statement No. 86, *Certain Debt Extinguishment Issues*, was issued. Effective Date: The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2017. Earlier application is encouraged. This Statement addresses a variety of topics including issues related to in-substance defeasance of debt using only existing resources. The Town does not expect the pronouncement to have a material effect on the financial statements.

In June 2017, GASB Statement No. 87, *Leases*, was issued. Effective Date: The requirements of this Statement are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Earlier application is encouraged. The Town is still evaluating how this pronouncement will affect the financial statements.

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REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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Schedule of the Town's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
of PERA Fund Municipal General Division
Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

	2017	2016	2015
	Measurement	Measurement	Measurement
	Date (As of and	Date (As of and	Date (As of and
	for the Year	for the Year	for the Year
	Ended June 30,	Ended June 30,	Ended June 30,
	2016)	2015)	2014)
Town of Taos' proportion of the net pension liability	0.4710%	0.5054%	0.5476%
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 7,524,994	\$ 5,152,991	\$ 4,271,868
Town of Taos' covered payroll	\$ 4,069,174	\$ 4,513,593	\$ 4,457,324
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	184.93%	114.17%	95.84%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension	69.18%	76.99%	81.29%

* The amounts presented were determined as of June 30. This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years. However, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, Town of Taos will present information for those years for which information is available.

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See notes to required supplementary information.

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Schedule of the Town's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
of PERA Fund Municipal Police Division
Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

	2017	2016	2015
	Measurement	Measurement	Measurement
	Date (As of and	Date (As of and	Date (As of and
	for the Year	for the Year	for the Year
	Ended June 30,	Ended June 30,	Ended June 30,
Town of Taos' proportion of the net pension liability	0.4766%	0.4844%	0.4887%
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 3,516,497	\$ 2,329,267	\$ 1,593,109
Town of Taos' covered payroll	\$ 953,345	\$ 949,833	\$ 937,534
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	368.86%	245.23%	169.93%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension	69.18%	76.99%	81.29%

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Schedule of the Town's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability
of PERA Fund Municipal Fire Division
Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

	2017	2016	2015
	Measurement	Measurement	Measurement
	Date (As of and	Date (As of and	Date (As of and
	for the Year	for the Year	for the Year
	Ended June 30,	Ended June 30,	Ended June 30,
Town of Taos' proportion of the net pension liability	0.2784%	0.2769%	0.2567%
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 1,857,210	\$ 1,429,131	\$ 1,071,464
Town of Taos' covered payroll	\$ 323,796	\$ 315,617	\$ 285,100
Town of Taos' proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	573.57%	452.81%	375.82%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension	69.18%	76.99%	81.29%

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Schedule of the Town's Contributions
Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan
PERA Municipal General Division
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2017	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2016	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2015
Contractually required contributions	\$ 373,065	\$ 386,572	\$ 428,791
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(373,065)	(386,572)	(428,791)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Town of Taos' covered-employee payroll	\$ 3,909,077	\$ 4,069,174	\$ 4,513,593
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	9.5%	9.5%	9.5%

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Schedule of the Town's Contributions
Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan
PERA Municipal Police Division
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2017	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2016	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2015
Contractually required contributions	\$ 161,795	\$ 169,123	\$ 168,500
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(161,795)	(169,123)	(168,500)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Town of Taos' covered-employee payroll	\$ 911,949	\$ 953,345	\$ 949,833
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	17.74%	17.74%	17.74%

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Schedule of the Town's Contributions
Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan
PERA Municipal Fire Division
Last 10 Fiscal Years*

	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2017	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2016	As of and for the Year Ended June 30, 2015
Contractually required contributions	\$ 69,503	\$ 72,748	\$ 68,173
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	(69,503)	(72,748)	(68,173)
Contribution deficiency (excess)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Town of Taos' covered-employee payroll	\$ 321,046	\$ 336,796	\$ 315,617
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	21.6%	21.6%	21.6%

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Changes of benefit terms. The PERA Fund COLA and retirement eligibility benefits changes in recent years are described in Note 1 of the PERA FY15 audit available at: http://www.pera.state.nm.us/pdf/AuditFinancialStatements/366_Public_Employees_Retirement_Association_2015.pdf.

Changes of assumptions. The PERA Fund COLA and retirement eligibility benefits changes in recent years are described in Note 1 of the PERA FY15 audit available at http://www.nmpera.org/assets/uploads/downloads/comprehensive-annual-financial-reports/2016-CAFR_12.22.2016_FINAL-with-corrections.pdf

Changes in assumptions. The Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) of New Mexico Annual Actuarial Valuation as of June 30, 2016 report is available at <http://s3.amazonaws.com/boardaudio/Final-Version-2016-PERA-GASB-68-Report.pdf> See the notes to the financial statements on the CAFR pages 74-76 which summarizes actuarial assumptions and methods effective with the June 30, 2016 valuation.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

Fire Protection – To account for the operations and maintenance of the fire department. Financing is provided by an allotment from the State of New Mexico Fire Marshall’s Office. State Statute Section 59A-53-2, NMSA, 1978 compilation, requires the allotment be used only to operate fire departments.

Recreation – To account for establishing and maintaining recreational programs in the Town. Financing is provided by program revenue and by a 1-cent tax on cigarette sales, which is collected and distributed by the State of New Mexico. State Statute Section 7-12-15, NMSA, 1978 compilation requires this tax be used in the above manner.

Local Government Correction – The local government corrections fee fund is used to account for the collection of a mandatory correction fee for violations of any municipal ordinance. Funds collected can only be used for jailer training, construction planning, construction, operation and maintenance of a municipal jail, and for paying for costs of housing. Authority is NMSA 1978 Section 35-14-11B(1).

Law Enforcement Protection – The law enforcement protection fund was created to account for revenues received pursuant to the law enforcement protection fund (Section 29-13-7, NMSA 1978). Amounts distributed from this fund may only be expended for the following purposes: (1) the repair and purchase of law enforcement apparatus and equipment that meet nationally recognized standards; (2) expenses associated with advanced law enforcement planning and training; (3) complying with match or contribution requirements of federal funds for criminal justice programs; (4) no more than fifty percent (50%) of the replacement salaries of municipal and county law enforcement personnel while attending a specified advanced law enforcement planning and training.

Civic Center – To account for that portion of lodgers tax receipts allocated for Civic Center operations and promotional expenditures, as well as the revenues earned from Civic Center operations, including rentals, catering fees, and related charges for services. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Domestic Violence Shelter – This fund was created to receive the appropriations and grants for the purpose of construction and maintaining the Domestic Violence Shelter Home. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Public Transportation – To account for the portion of Lodgers Tax receipts allocated for the purpose of providing transportation to the public. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Community Grants – To account for various small grants for various community purposes. Each grant is authorized by the granting agency. The fund is authorized by Town Council resolution.

Municipal Road Gasoline Tax – To account for a 1 cent gasoline tax that is used for repairing and construction of roads. Also included in this fund is revenue from the State Department of Transportation under a municipal arterial project agreement. Authority is 7-7-6.9 and 7-1-6.27 NMSA 1978.

1/4 Cent Municipal Gross Receipts Tax – To account for proceeds from a supplemental municipal gross receipts tax, a portion of which is pledged toward payment of principal and interest on Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bonds. After required debt service transfers have been made, the remaining income of this fund is restricted for capital improvement purposes. NMSA 1978 Chapter 7, Article 20E-1 to 22.

Historical District – To account for all associated parking meter and associated revenues and costs, including leases, meter maintenance, personnel, and historic district promotion. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Communications – To account for money collected by the Town from three other government entities to share centralized dispatch services throughout the County of Taos. Funding is authorized by a joint powers agreement as authorized by Sections 11-1-1 through 11-1-7 NMSA 1978.

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SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS (CONTINUED)

Confidential Informant – A structured accounting system, operated within the department, providing officers with investigative expense monies to support operations related to the detection, investigation or enforcement of the laws related to crime. This includes, but is not limited to: paying documented confidential informants and confidential sources; purchasing contraband as evidence; and paying expenses for surveillance activities and equipment. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Capital/Maintenance/Operating Fund – This fund was created to receive additional amounts that are paid for one-time costs by the Town of Taos. Authority is Town Council resolution.

DEBT SERVICE FUNDS

2015 NMFA Fire Pumper – This fund was created for the purpose of repayment of the bond issued for the new fire pumper purchased. Authority is Town Council resolution.

2009 NMFA PPRF Disadvantage Program- Eco Park – This fund was created for the purpose of constructing phase I of a multi-phased recreation park. The repayment under the loan agreement is solely from the first and second increments of municipal infrastructure gross receipts tax pursuant to section 7-19D-11, NMSA 1978.

2008 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond Retirement – This fund was created for the purpose of repayment of the bond issue from the 1.225% distribution of State Shared Gross Receipts Tax revenues. Authority is Town Council resolution.

NMFA Debt Service Reserve Eco Park – This fund was created to be credited with transfers from the General Fund for the purpose of accumulating monies for payment of principal and interest on the debt for repayment of Eco Park. Authority is Town Council resolution.

2007 NMFA Land Purchase – This fund was created to be credited with transfers from the General Fund for the purpose of accumulating monies for payment of principal and interest on the debt for repayment of land purchase. Authority is Town Council resolution.

2011 PPRF Street Improvement – This fund was created for the purpose of accumulating monies for the payment of principal and interest on Series PPRF Street Improvement Revenue Bonds. Authority is Town Council resolution.

2011 PPRF Street Improvement Reserve – This fund was created for the purpose of accumulating monies for the payment of principal and interest on Series PPRF Street Improvement Revenue Bonds. Authority is Town Council resolution.

CAPITAL PROJECTS FUNDS

Facilities Improvements – This fund was created to receive transfers from other funds for the purpose of improving facilities of the Town. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Capital Projects – This fund was created to accumulate revenue and other financing sources for the purpose of financing general-purpose capital projects. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Vehicle Replacement – This fund was created to receive transfers from other funds for the purpose of purchasing vehicles for the Town of Taos. Authority is Town Council resolution.

Special Events Enterprise – This fund was created to account for the monies for the special events the Town puts on throughout the year to generate revenue. Authority is Town Council resolution.

1994 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond Acquisition – This fund was created to receive the 1994 Gross Receipts Tax Bond proceeds for the purpose of construction of affordable housing. Authority is Town Council resolution.

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Combining Balance Sheet
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	Special Revenue			
	Fire Protection	Recreation	Local Government Correction	Law Enforcement Protection
<i>Assets</i>				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 234,248	\$ 22,848	\$ 58,865	\$ 1,419
Investments	223,258	-	-	-
Receivables:				
Other	-	-	-	-
<i>Total assets</i>	\$ 457,506	\$ 22,848	\$ 58,865	\$ 1,419
<i>Liabilities</i>				
Accounts payable	\$ 7,289	\$ 3,810	\$ 3,600	\$ 155
Accrued payroll	-	-	-	-
Deposits held in trust for others	-	-	-	-
<i>Total liabilities</i>	7,289	3,810	3,600	155
<i>Fund balances</i>				
<i>Spendable</i>				
<i>Restricted for:</i>				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	55,265	1,264
Culture and recreation	-	19,038	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Fire protection	450,217	-	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Debt service expenditures	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	-
<i>Committed for:</i>				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Transportation	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	-
Unassigned (deficit)	-	-	-	-
<i>Total fund balances</i>	450,217	19,038	55,265	1,264
<i>Total liabilities and fund balances</i>	\$ 457,506	\$ 22,848	\$ 58,865	\$ 1,419

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Special Revenue

<u>Civic Center</u>	<u>Domestic Violence Shelter</u>	<u>Public Transportation</u>	<u>Community Grants</u>	<u>Municipal Road Gasoline Tax</u>
\$ 780	\$ 1	\$ 307,974	\$ 28,659	\$ 17,525
2,000	-	210,000	50,000	-
-	-	-	68,045	-
<u>\$ 2,780</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 517,974</u>	<u>\$ 146,704</u>	<u>\$ 17,525</u>
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 10,479	\$ -
-	-	-	3,133	-
5,103	-	-	-	-
<u>5,103</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>13,612</u>	<u>-</u>
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	17,525
-	1	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	133,092	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	517,974	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
(2,323)	-	-	-	-
<u>(2,323)</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>517,974</u>	<u>133,092</u>	<u>17,525</u>
<u>\$ 2,780</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 517,974</u>	<u>\$ 146,704</u>	<u>\$ 17,525</u>

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	Special Revenue			
	1/4 Cent Municipal Gross Receipts Tax	Historical District	Communications	Confidential Informant
<i>Assets</i>				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 53,885	\$ 64,533	\$ -	\$ 9,828
Investments	-	-	-	-
Receivables:				
Other	171,123	-	-	-
<i>Total assets</i>	\$ 225,008	\$ 64,533	\$ -	\$ 9,828
 <i>Liabilities</i>				
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ 2,189	\$ -	\$ -
Accrued payroll	-	195	-	-
Deposits held in trust for others	-	-	-	-
<i>Total liabilities</i>	-	2,384	-	-
 <i>Fund balances</i>				
<i>Spendable</i>				
<i>Restricted for:</i>				
General government	225,008	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	-	-	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Fire protection	-	-	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Debt service expenditures	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	-
<i>Committed for:</i>				
General government	-	62,149	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	9,828
Transportation	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	-
Unassigned (deficit)	-	-	-	-
<i>Total fund balances</i>	225,008	62,149	-	9,828
<i>Total liabilities and fund balances</i>	\$ 225,008	\$ 64,533	\$ -	\$ 9,828

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<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>Debt Service</u>			
<u>Capital Maintenance Operating Fund</u>	<u>2015 NMFA Fire Pumper</u>	<u>2009 NMFA PPRF Disadvantage Program- Eco Park</u>	<u>2008 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond Retirement</u>	<u>NMFA Debt Service Reserve Eco Park</u>
\$ 237,612	\$ -	\$ 213	\$ 1	11,517
-	-	-	-	177,809
-	-	-	-	-
<u>\$ 237,612</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 213</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 189,326</u>
\$ 27,903	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
<u>27,903</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	213	1	189,326
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
209,709	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
<u>209,709</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>213</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>189,326</u>
<u>\$ 237,612</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 213</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 189,326</u>

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	<u>Debt Service</u>			<u>Capital Projects</u>
	<u>2007 NMFA Land Purchase</u>	<u>2011 PPRF Street Improvement</u>	<u>2011 PPRF Street Improvement Reserve</u>	<u>Facilities Improvements</u>
<i>Assets</i>				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 386	\$ 15,890	4,746	\$ 444,821
Investments	-	-	166,653	-
Receivables:				
Other	-	-	-	386,269
<i>Total assets</i>	<u>\$ 386</u>	<u>\$ 15,890</u>	<u>\$ 171,399</u>	<u>\$ 831,090</u>
<i>Liabilities</i>				
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 100,602
Accrued payroll	-	-	-	-
Deposits held in trust for others	-	-	-	-
<i>Total liabilities</i>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>100,602</u>
<i>Fund balances</i>				
Spendable				
Restricted for:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	-	-	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Fire protection	-	-	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Debt service expenditures	386	15,890	171,399	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	-
Committed for:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Transportation	-	-	-	-
Capital projects	-	-	-	730,488
Unassigned (deficit)	-	-	-	-
<i>Total fund balances</i>	<u>386</u>	<u>15,890</u>	<u>171,399</u>	<u>730,488</u>
<i>Total liabilities and fund balances</i>	<u>\$ 386</u>	<u>\$ 15,890</u>	<u>\$ 171,399</u>	<u>\$ 831,090</u>

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Capital Projects

Capital Projects	Vehicle Replacement	Special Events Enterprise	1994 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond Acquisition	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
\$ 32,680	\$ 1,401	\$ 139,490	\$ 84,040	\$ 1,773,362
316,903	26,000	190,000	425,372	1,787,995
128,343	-	-	-	753,780
<u>\$ 477,926</u>	<u>\$ 27,401</u>	<u>\$ 329,490</u>	<u>\$ 509,412</u>	<u>\$ 4,315,137</u>
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 156,027
-	-	-	-	3,328
-	-	-	-	5,103
-	-	-	-	164,458
-	-	-	-	225,008
-	-	-	-	56,529
-	-	-	-	19,038
-	-	-	-	17,525
-	-	-	-	450,217
-	-	-	-	1
-	-	-	-	377,215
-	-	329,490	509,412	838,902
-	-	-	-	195,241
-	-	-	-	9,828
-	-	-	-	517,974
477,926	27,401	-	-	1,445,524
-	-	-	-	(2,323)
<u>477,926</u>	<u>27,401</u>	<u>329,490</u>	<u>509,412</u>	<u>4,150,679</u>
<u>\$ 477,926</u>	<u>\$ 27,401</u>	<u>\$ 329,490</u>	<u>\$ 509,412</u>	<u>\$ 4,315,137</u>

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Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances
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Special Revenue

	<u>Fire Protection</u>	<u>Recreation</u>	<u>Local Governmental Correction</u>	<u>Law Enforcement Protection</u>
<i>Revenues</i>				
Taxes:				
Gross receipts	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Gasoline and motor vehicle taxes	-	-	-	-
Intergovernmental income:				
Federal operating grants	-	-	-	-
Federal capital grants	-	-	-	-
State operating grants	314,619	-	-	29,000
State capital grants	-	-	-	-
Charges for services	-	1,179	59,190	-
Licenses and fees	-	-	14,946	-
Investment income	215	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	-	13,430	-	-
<i>Total revenues</i>	<u>314,834</u>	<u>14,609</u>	<u>74,136</u>	<u>29,000</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Current:				
General government	-	-	-	-
Public safety	101,011	-	94,972	27,736
Public works	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	-	52,935	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Capital outlay	-	-	-	-
Debt service:				
Principal	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	-	-
<i>Total expenditures</i>	<u>101,011</u>	<u>52,935</u>	<u>94,972</u>	<u>27,736</u>
<i>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures</i>	<u>213,823</u>	<u>(38,326)</u>	<u>(20,836)</u>	<u>1,264</u>
<i>Other financing sources (uses)</i>				
Transfers in	-	35,706	-	-
Transfers out	(75,094)	-	-	-
<i>Total other financing sources (uses)</i>	<u>(75,094)</u>	<u>35,706</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Net change in fund balances</i>	138,729	(2,620)	(20,836)	1,264
<i>Fund balances - beginning of year</i>	<u>311,488</u>	<u>21,658</u>	<u>76,101</u>	<u>-</u>
<i>Fund balances - end of year</i>	<u>\$ 450,217</u>	<u>\$ 19,038</u>	<u>\$ 55,265</u>	<u>\$ 1,264</u>

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Special Revenue

<u>Civic Center</u>	<u>Domestic Violence Shelter</u>	<u>Public Transportation</u>	<u>Community Grants</u>	<u>Municipal Road Gasoline Tax</u>
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	-	-	-	96,825
-	-	-	69,676	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	148,782	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>218,458</u>	<u>96,825</u>
-	-	-	316,430	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	33,354	-	-
-	-	-	4,589	-
-	-	-	-	-
<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>33,354</u>	<u>321,019</u>	<u>-</u>
-	-	<u>(33,354)</u>	<u>(102,561)</u>	<u>96,825</u>
-	-	403,284	47,308	-
-	-	-	-	(79,300)
<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>403,284</u>	<u>47,308</u>	<u>(79,300)</u>
-	-	369,930	(55,253)	17,525
<u>(2,323)</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>148,044</u>	<u>188,345</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>\$ (2,323)</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 517,974</u>	<u>\$ 133,092</u>	<u>\$ 17,525</u>

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Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances
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Special Revenue				
	1/4 Cent Municipal Gross Receipts Tax	Historical District	Communications	Confidential Informant
<i>Revenues</i>				
Taxes:				
Gross receipts	\$ 997,860	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Gasoline and motor vehicle taxes	-	-	-	-
Intergovernmental income:				
Federal operating grants	-	-	-	-
Federal capital grants	-	-	-	-
State operating grants	-	-	-	-
State capital grants	-	-	-	-
Charges for services	-	-	-	-
Licenses and fees	-	122,475	-	-
Investment income	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-
Total revenues	997,860	122,475	-	-
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Current:				
General government	-	-	11,200	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	-	137,120	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Capital outlay	-	-	-	-
Debt service:				
Principal	-	-	-	-
Interest	-	-	-	-
Total expenditures	-	137,120	11,200	-
<i>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures</i>	997,860	(14,645)	(11,200)	-
<i>Other financing sources (uses)</i>				
Transfers in	-	-	-	-
Transfers out	(1,014,124)	-	-	-
Total other financing sources (uses)	(1,014,124)	-	-	-
<i>Net change in fund balances</i>	(16,264)	(14,645)	(11,200)	-
<i>Fund balances - beginning of year</i>	241,272	76,794	11,200	9,828
<i>Fund balances - end of year</i>	\$ 225,008	\$ 62,149	\$ -	\$ 9,828

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<u>Special Revenue</u>	<u>Debt Service</u>			
<u>Capital Maintenance Operating Fund</u>	<u>2015 NMFA Fire Pumper</u>	<u>2009 NMFA PPRF Disadvantage Program- Eco Park</u>	<u>2008 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond Retirement</u>	<u>NMFA Debt Service Reserve Eco Park</u>
\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	4,443
5,800	-	-	-	-
<u>5,800</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>4,443</u>
230,555	364	-	-	1,833
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
-	-	-	-	-
526,600	-	-	-	-
-	71,511	137,653	315,000	-
-	3,219	43,103	181,025	-
<u>757,155</u>	<u>75,094</u>	<u>180,756</u>	<u>496,025</u>	<u>1,833</u>
<u>(751,355)</u>	<u>(75,094)</u>	<u>(180,756)</u>	<u>(496,025)</u>	<u>2,610</u>
809,501	75,094	180,753	496,025	-
-	-	-	-	-
<u>809,501</u>	<u>75,094</u>	<u>180,753</u>	<u>496,025</u>	<u>-</u>
58,146	-	(3)	-	2,610
151,563	-	216	1	186,716
<u>\$ 209,709</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 213</u>	<u>\$ 1</u>	<u>\$ 189,326</u>

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	<u>Debt Service</u>			<u>Capital Projects</u>
	<u>2007 NMFA Land Purchase</u>	<u>2011 PPRF Street Improvement</u>	<u>2011 PPRF Street Improvement Reserve</u>	<u>Facilities Improvements</u>
<i>Revenues</i>				
Taxes:				
Gross receipts	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Gasoline and motor vehicle taxes	-	-	-	-
Intergovernmental income:				
Federal operating grants	-	-	-	-
Federal capital grants	-	-	-	178,974
State operating grants	-	-	-	51,733
State capital grants	-	-	-	198,860
Charges for services	-	-	-	-
Licenses and fees	-	-	-	-
Investment income	217	1,999	2,136	-
Miscellaneous	-	-	-	-
<i>Total revenues</i>	<u>217</u>	<u>1,999</u>	<u>2,136</u>	<u>429,567</u>
<i>Expenditures</i>				
Current:				
General government	276	-	1,720	-
Public safety	-	-	-	-
Public works	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation	-	-	-	-
Health and welfare	-	-	-	-
Capital outlay	-	-	-	449,453
Debt service:				
Principal	110,146	151,254	-	-
Interest	3,344	20,121	-	-
<i>Total expenditures</i>	<u>113,766</u>	<u>171,375</u>	<u>1,720</u>	<u>449,453</u>
<i>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures</i>	<u>(113,549)</u>	<u>(169,376)</u>	<u>416</u>	<u>(19,886)</u>
<i>Other financing sources (uses)</i>				
Transfers in	113,765	182,075	-	438,984
Transfers out	-	-	-	-
<i>Total other financing sources (uses)</i>	<u>113,765</u>	<u>182,075</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>438,984</u>
<i>Net change in fund balances</i>	216	12,699	416	419,098
<i>Fund balances - beginning of year</i>	<u>170</u>	<u>3,191</u>	<u>170,983</u>	<u>311,390</u>
<i>Fund balances - end of year</i>	<u>\$ 386</u>	<u>\$ 15,890</u>	<u>\$ 171,399</u>	<u>\$ 730,488</u>

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Capital Projects

Capital Projects	Vehicle Replacement	Special Events Enterprise	1994 Gross Receipts Tax Revenue Bond Acquisition	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
\$ 748,395	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,746,255
-	-	-	-	96,825
-	-	-	-	69,676
-	-	-	-	178,974
-	-	-	-	544,134
-	-	-	-	198,860
-	-	-	-	60,369
-	-	-	-	137,421
2,082	-	-	2,261	13,353
-	-	-	-	19,230
<u>750,477</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>2,261</u>	<u>3,065,097</u>
-	-	20,510	-	582,888
-	-	-	-	223,719
3,780	-	-	-	3,780
-	-	-	-	190,055
-	-	-	-	33,354
82,486	-	-	-	1,063,128
-	-	-	-	785,564
-	-	-	-	250,812
<u>86,266</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>20,510</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>3,133,300</u>
<u>664,211</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(20,510)</u>	<u>2,261</u>	<u>(68,203)</u>
9,000	-	350,000	-	3,141,495
<u>(784,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(1,952,518)</u>
<u>(775,000)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>350,000</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>1,188,977</u>
(110,789)	-	329,490	2,261	1,120,774
<u>588,715</u>	<u>27,401</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>507,151</u>	<u>3,029,905</u>
<u>\$ 477,926</u>	<u>\$ 27,401</u>	<u>\$ 329,490</u>	<u>\$ 509,412</u>	<u>\$ 4,150,679</u>

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SUPPORTING SCHEDULES

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Schedule of Deposit and Investment Accounts
June 30, 2017

Schedule III

Bank Name/Account Name	Account Type	Bank Balance	Deposits in Transit	Outstanding Checks	Reconciled Balance
US Bank					
Clearing Account	Checking	\$ 430,001	\$ 309,891	\$ 595,015	\$ 144,877
Judicial Bond Fund Municipal Court	Checking	2,653	-	2,653	-
Utility Construction Fund	Checking	39,530	-	-	39,530
Water & Sewer System Income Fund	Checking	5,078,482	173,455	49,448	5,202,489
Certificate of Deposit - Investment	CD	170,500	-	-	170,500
Total US Bank		5,721,166	483,346	647,116	5,557,396
Centinel Bank					
General Fund	Checking	4,917,100	2,947	143	4,919,904
Water/Wastewater Improvement Fund	Checking	730,396	-	107,610	622,786
Payroll Clearing	Checking	-	-	-	-
1994 GRT Revenue Bond Acquisition Fund	Checking	84,040	-	-	84,040
HUD Account - Domestic Violence Shelter	Checking	1	-	-	1
ACH Transfer Account	Checking	51,766	221	51,887	100
Total Centinel Bank		5,783,303	3,168	159,640	5,626,831
Bank Name/Account Name	Account Type	Bank Balance	Deposits in Transit	Outstanding Checks	Book Balance
New Mexico Finance Authority - Investments					
2001A Water & Sewer Revenue Bond Retirement	State Treasurer	\$ 60,723	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 60,723
2004 Taos Regional Landfill Revenue Bond Reserve	State Treasurer	98,368	-	-	98,368
2008A Taos Regional Landfill Debt Service	State Treasurer	166,653	-	-	166,653
2010 Phase I Multi-phased Rec. Park	State Treasurer	157,134	-	-	157,134
New Cell for SW Landfill Facility	State Treasurer	135,360	-	-	135,360
Total New Mexico Finance Authority		618,238	-	-	618,238
<i>Total</i>		\$ 12,122,707	\$ 486,514	\$ 806,756	11,802,465
Add: New Mexico State Treasurer Local Government Investment Pool					4,268,250
Add: petty cash					1,850
<i>Total deposits and investments</i>					\$ 16,072,565
Cash and cash equivalents and investments per financial statements:					
Cash and cash equivalents - Exhibit A-1					\$ 8,314,655
Investments - Exhibit A-1					4,576,440
Restricted cash and cash equivalents - Exhibit A-1					2,733,016
Restricted investments - Exhibit A-1					374,570
Fiduciary funds cash and investments - Exhibit E-1					73,884
<i>Total cash and cash equivalents and investments</i>					\$ 16,072,565

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Schedule IV

Town of Taos

Schedule of Collateral Pledged by Depository for Public Funds
June 30, 2017

<u>Name of Depository</u>	<u>Description of Pledged Collateral</u>	<u>Maturity</u>	<u>CUSIP Number</u>	<u>Fair Market Value at June 30, 2017</u>	<u>Location of Safekeeper</u>
US Bank	FNMA POOL 890193	N/A	523118	<u>\$ 10,000,000</u> <u>10,000,000</u>	Federal Home Loan Bank, Dallas, TX
Centinel Bank	CLOVIS SCH DIST	8/1/2022	189414KC8	200,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	LEA COUNTY SCH	7/15/2021	521513AL5	200,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	LOS ALAMOS SD GO	8/1/2019	5422NBL9	400,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	CLOVIS SCH DIST	8/1/2024	189414JA4	250,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	ESPANOLA SCH	9/1/2025	29662RBA5	150,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	LEA COUNTY SCH	6/15/2020	521213AW1	685,125	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	RUIDOSO SD GO	8/1/2021	781338HR2	250,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	WEST LAS VEGAS	8/15/2018	953769JW7	50,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	HOBBS SCH DIST	7/15/2021	433866EV8	200,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	FHBL	12/14/2018	3133XSUN6	812,896	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	WEST LAS VEGAS	8/15/2022	953769KX3	150,000	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
	GALLUP MCKINLEY	7/15/2021	364010RJ9	175,030	Independent Bankers Bank, Dallas TX
				<u>3,523,051</u>	
	<i>Total Pledged Collateral</i>			<u><u>\$ 13,523,051</u></u>	

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Schedule V

Town of Taos

Schedule of Changes in Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities - Agency Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2016</u>	<u>Additions</u>	<u>Deletions</u>	<u>Balance</u> <u>June 30, 2017</u>
<i>Assets</i>				
Cash	\$ 13,615	\$ 269	\$ -	\$ 13,884
Investments	60,000	-	-	60,000
<i>Total assets</i>	<u>\$ 73,615</u>	<u>\$ 269</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 73,884</u>
<i>Liabilities</i>				
Due to other entities	\$ 73,615	\$ 269	\$ -	\$ 73,884
<i>Total liabilities</i>	<u>\$ 73,615</u>	<u>\$ 269</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 73,884</u>

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Schedule of Joint Powers Agreements
June 30, 2017

Agreement	The Town Participates with	Party Responsible for Operation	Description
Salazar Property and Sports Facilities	Taos Municipal Schools Board of Education	Taos Municipal School District	Develop, manage and maintain a multi-purpose athletic facility on the Salazar Property
Public Restroom Facility	County of Taos	County of Taos	Designing, constructing, operating, and maintaining a public restroom facility
Enhanced 911-Response System	County of Taos, Town of Questa, Village of Taos Ski Valley	County of Taos	Provide an answering point for information regarding needed emergency services
Taos Regional Landfill Board	County of Taos, Village of Questa, Village of Red River, Village of Taos Ski Valley	Town of Taos	Establish the Taos Regional Landfill Board

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Period	Cost to Town	Town Contributions	Audit Responsibility
40 Years from 2009, with option to renew	\$2,140,012 for Phase I; unknown for other phases	None to date	Taos Municipal School District
November 20, 2007 to January 31, 2028	Indeterminate	Indeterminate	County of Taos
August 05, 2014 until terminated	Estimated \$340,000 per year	\$330,950	County of Taos
50 years from November 2, 2000	Dependent on landfill expenses	None to date	Town of Taos

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COMPLIANCE SECTION



**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***

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Wayne A. Johnson
New Mexico State Auditor
The United States Office of Management and Budget and
The Town Council
Town of Taos
Taos, New Mexico

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to the financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, the aggregate remaining fund information, and the budgetary comparison of the general fund and major special revenue fund of the Town of Taos (the Town) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2017, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated December 6, 2017.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

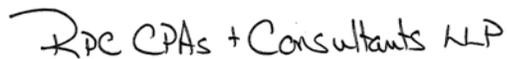
Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies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

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

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



RPC CPAs + Consultants, LLP
Albuquerque, NM
December 6, 2017

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FEDERAL FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE



REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR THE MAJOR FEDERAL PROGRAM AND ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER COMPLIANCE REQUIRED BY THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE

INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Wayne A. Johnson
New Mexico State Auditor
The United States Office of Management and Budget and
The Town Council
Town of Taos
Taos, New Mexico

Report on Compliance for the Major Federal Program

We have audited the Town of Taos' (the Town) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect the Town's major federal program for the year ended June 30, 2017. The Town's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts and grants applicable to its federal programs.

Auditors' Responsibility

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

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

Opinion on the Major Federal Program

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

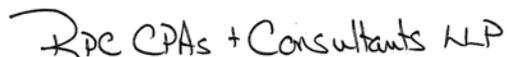
Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

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

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

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

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



RPC CPAs + Consultants, LLP
Albuquerque, NM
December 6, 2017

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

<u>Federal Grantor or Pass-Through Grantor/ Program Title</u>	<u>CFDA Number</u>	<u>Federal Grant Number</u>
U.S. Department of Justice Passed Through the State of New Mexico, Department of Public Safety		
Taos County Juvenile Accountability Block Grants	16.523	16-690-18442
STOP VAWA (Violence Against Women)	16.588	2016-WF-233
<i>Total U.S. Department of Justice</i>		
U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development Passed Through State of New Mexico, Department of Finance & Administration		
Community Development Block Grant - Youth & Family Center	14.228	15-C-NR-I-03-G-01
<i>Total U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development</i>		
U.S. Department of Transportation		
Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) Airport Improvement Grant:		
Runway 12/30 Construction - Phase 2	20.106	* 35-0041-032-2015
Memorandum of Agreement Overflight Stipulators	20.106	* 3-35-0041-027-2012
<i>Total U.S. Department of Transportation</i>		
U.S. Department of Agriculture Passed Through Energy Minerals Natural Resources		
Community Forestry Assistance Grant - Facilities	10.664	17-521-0410-0069
<i>Total U.S. Department of Agriculture</i>		
National Park Service Passed Through Department of Cultural Affairs Historical Preservation Division		
Historic Preservation Fund Grants-In-Aid - Cultural Landscape Report	15.904	35-15-131230.18
<i>Total National Park Service</i>		

Total Federal Financial Assistance

* Denotes Major Federal Financial Assistance Program

See independent auditors' report.
See accompanying notes to the schedule of expenditures of federal awards.

Federal Expenditures	Funds Provided to Subrecipients	Noncash Assistance
\$ 97,793	\$ -	\$ -
53,959	-	-
<u>151,752</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
357,948	-	-
<u>357,948</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
9,734,991	-	-
9,000	-	-
<u>9,743,991</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
2,520	-	-
<u>2,520</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
16,265	-	-
<u>16,265</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>\$ 10,272,476</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

See independent auditors' report.
See accompanying notes to the schedule of expenditures of federal awards.

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Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Schedule) includes the federal grant activity of the Town of Taos and is presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is the same basis as was used to prepare the fund financial statements. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance).

Loans

The Town did not expend federal awards related to loans or loan guarantees during the year.

10% de minimus Indirect Cost Rate

The Town did not elect to use the allowed 10% indirect cost rate.

Federally Funded Insurance

The Town has no federally funded insurance.

Reconciliation of Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards to Financial Statements:

Total federal awards expended per Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards	\$ 10,272,476
Total expenditures funded by other sources	<u>16,835,376</u>
<i>Total expenditures of governmental funds</i>	<u><u>\$ 27,107,852</u></u>

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

SECTION I – SUMMARY OF AUDITORS’ RESULTS

Financial Statements:

- | | |
|--|------------|
| 1. Type of auditors’ report issued | Unmodified |
| 2. Internal control over financial reporting: | |
| a. Material weaknesses identified? | None noted |
| b. Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses? | None noted |
| c. Noncompliance material to the financial statements noted? | None noted |

Federal Awards:

- | | |
|--|------------|
| 1. Type of auditors’ report issued on compliance for the major program | Unmodified |
| 2. Internal control over major programs: | |
| a. Material weaknesses identified? | None noted |
| b. Significant deficiencies identified not considered to be material weaknesses? | None noted |
| 3. Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2CFR section 200.516(a)? | None Noted |

4. Identification of major program:

CFDA Number	Federal Program
20.106	Airport Improvement Grant

- | | |
|---|-----------|
| 5. Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A and type B programs: | \$750,000 |
| 6. Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee? | Yes |

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

SECTION II – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

None noted

SECTION III – NEW MEXICO STATE AUDIT RULE SECTION 12-6-5 NMSA 1978 FINDINGS

None noted

SECTION IV – FEDERAL AWARD FINDINGS

None noted

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
Town of Taos
Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
For the Year Ended June 30, 2017

SECTION V – PRIOR YEAR AUDIT FINDINGS

FS 2015-002 Segregation of Duties and Improper Access of IT (Significant Deficiency)—Resolved

FS 2016-001 Unbilled Utility Billing Adjustment (Significant Deficiency) —Resolved

NM 2016-001 Sole Source Procurement (Finding that does not rise to level of significant deficiency)--Resolved

NM 2016-002 Segregation of Duties over Landfill Adjustments and Billing Process (Finding that does not rise to level of significant deficiency)--Resolved

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

Town of Taos
Other Disclosures
June 30, 2017

Exit Conference

An exit conference was held on November 29, 2017. In attendance were the following:

Representing the Town of Taos:

Daniel Barrone	Mayor
Rick Bellis	Town Manager
Marietta Fambro	Finance Director
Nathaniel Evans	Audit Chair
Josephine Fresquez	Assistant Finance Director

Representing RPC CPAs + Consultants, LLP:

Danny Martinez, CPA, CGFM, CGMA	Audit Partner
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Auditor Prepared Financial Statements

RPC CPAs + Consultants, LLP prepared the GAAP-basis financial statements and footnotes of the Town of Taos from the original books and records provided to them by the management of the Town. The responsibility for the financial statements remains with the Town.