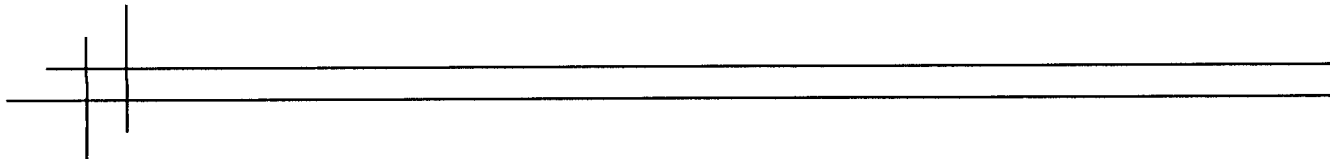




**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
ALTO, NEW MEXICO**

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT
June 30, 2007

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SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
Official Roster
June 30, 2007

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Carolyn Stephens	President
Janetta Britten	Vice President
Rick Phillips	Director
Stephanie Morgan	Director
Marc Stewart	Director

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Carol Phillips	Treasurer
Sharon Stewart	Bookkeeper
Karen Payton	Secretary

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Independent Auditor's Report

Mr. Hector H. Balderas
State Auditor of the State of New Mexico
Board Members of the SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

Mr. Balderas and Members of the Board

We have audited the accompanying basic financial statements of the business-type activities of the SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT (District), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007, as listed in the table of contents. We have also audited the budget comparisons presented as supplementary information in the accompanying financial statements. These financial statements are the responsibility of the District's management. 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 with 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 of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the basic financial statements referred to above present fairly in all material respects, the financial position of the business-type activities of the District as of June 30, 2007, and the respective changes in its financial position and its cash flows for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. In addition, in our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly in all material respects the budgetary comparisons of the District for the year ended June 30, 2007 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued a report dated October 2, 2008 on our consideration of the District'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 Governmental Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

The SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT (District) has not presented the Management's Discussion and Analysis that the Governmental Accounting Standards Board has determined is necessary to supplement, although not required to be a part of, the basic financial statements and the combining and individual financial statements and budgetary comparisons presented as supplemental information.

De'Aun Willoughby CPA PC

October 2, 2008

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
Statement of Net Assets Proprietary Funds
June 30, 2007

ASSETS

Current Assets

Cash in Banks	\$ 86,551
Accounts Receivable (Net of Allowance for Uncollectible Accounts)	5,743
Property Taxes Receivable	3,171
Inventory	4,917
Prepaid Expenses	1,835
Total Current Assets	<u>102,217</u>

Non-current Assets

Capital Assets

Land	9,159
Distribution System	595,599
Office Furniture & Equipment	2,517
Less Accumulated Depreciation	<u>(204,866)</u>
Total Non-current Assets	<u>402,409</u>

Total Assets	<u>504,626</u>
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LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

Current Liabilities

Accounts Payable	5,068
Gross Receipts Tax Payable	<u>235</u>
Total Current Liabilities	<u>5,303</u>

Total Liabilities	<u>5,303</u>
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Net Assets

Invested in Capital Assets	402,409
Unrestricted	<u>96,914</u>

Total Net Assets	<u>\$ 499,323</u>
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The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
Statement of Revenues, Expenses, and Changes in Net Assets Proprietary Funds
For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

Operating Revenues	
Sales and Services	\$ <u>68,256</u>
Operating Expenses	
Contract Services	52,411
Water Conservation Fee	212
Insurance	2,626
Dues	140
Bank Charges	6
Tax Collection Fees	459
Legal & Accounting	73
Office Storage Rent	2,460
Postage	744
Office Supplies	518
Newsletter Expense	296
Telephone	957
Election Expense	887
Education & Training	112
Repairs & Maintenance	5,280
Supplies	389
Utilities	3,058
Depreciation	23,169
Total Operating Expenses	<u>93,797</u>
Operating Income	<u>(25,541)</u>
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	
Property Taxes	45,513
Interest Income	2,418
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	<u>47,931</u>
Change in Net Assets	22,390
Net Assets at Beginning of Year	<u>476,933</u>
Net Assets at End of Year	<u>\$ <u>499,323</u></u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
 Proprietary Fund Statement of Cash Flows
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

Cash Flows from Operating Activities	
Receipts from Customers and Users	\$ 66,317
Payments to Employees and Suppliers	<u>(71,358)</u>
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	<u>(5,041)</u>
Cash Flows from Non-capital Financing Activities	
Property Taxes	<u>45,513</u>
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital & Related Financing Activities	<u>45,513</u>
Cash Flows from Capital & Related Financing Activities	
Purchase of Capital Assets	<u>(36,782)</u>
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Capital & Related Financing Activities	<u>(36,782)</u>
Cash Flows from Investing Activities	
Interest Income	<u>2,418</u>
Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities	<u>2,418</u>
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	6,108
Cash, Beginning of Year	<u>80,443</u>
Cash, End of Year	<u>\$ 86,551</u>
Reconciliation of Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	
Operating Income	(25,541)
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	
Depreciation	23,169
(Increase) Decrease in Accounts Receivable	(1,908)
(Increase) Decrease in Taxes Receivable	(43)
(Increase) Decrease in Inventory	(86)
(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Expenses	179
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable	(779)
Increase (Decrease) in Gross Receipts Tax Payable	<u>(32)</u>
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	<u>\$ (5,041)</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
Notes to the Financial Statements
June 30, 2007

NOTE A: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT (District) have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applied to government units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. Governments are also required to follow the pronouncements of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued after November 30, 1989 that do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements. The more significant of the District's accounting policies are described below.

In June 1999, the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) unanimously approved Statement No. 34, *Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis for State and Local Governments*. Some of the significant changes in the Statement include the following:

- Financial Statements prepared using full-accrual accounting for all the District's activities.

These and other changes are reflected in the accompanying financial statements (including the notes to the financial statements) as of June 30, 2007.

In addition, in June 2001, the GASB issued Statement No. 37, *Basic Financial Statements - and Management's Discussion and Analysis - for State and Local Governments: Omnibus* - an amendment of GASB Statement No. 21 and No. 34 and Statement No. 38, *Certain Financial Note Disclosures*. These two statements clarify, modify, establish and rescind certain disclosure requirements under GASB No. 34. Both statements are being implemented in conjunction with GASB Statement No. 34. These statements do not have an impact on the results of operations or the financial position of the District.

Financial Reporting Entity

The SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT (District) was created by Laws of 1941, Chapter 80 (Sections 73-21-1 through 73-21-54, New Mexico Statutes, 1978 Compilation). Under law, the District will serve a public use and will promote the health, safety, prosperity, security and general welfare of the inhabitants of the District.

GASB Statement No. 14 established criteria for determining the governmental reporting entity and component units that should be included within the reporting entity. Under provisions of this Statement, the District is considered a primary government, since it is a special-purpose government that has a separately elected governing body, is legally separate, and is fiscally independent of other state or local governments. As used in GASB Statement No. 14, fiscally independent means that the District may, without the approval or consent of another governmental entity, determine or modify its own budget, levy its own taxes or set rates or charges and issue bonded debt.

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The District has no component units, defined by GASB Statement No. 14 as other legally separate organizations for which the elected District members are financially accountable. There are no other primary governments with which the District Board Members are financially accountable. There are no other primary governments with which the District has a significant relationship.

Basis of Presentation

The District is engaged in business-type activity only. The financial statements (the statement of net assets, statement of revenues, expenses and changes in net assets and the statement of cash flows) report information on all of the activities of the District.

Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

Measurement focus refers to what is being measured; basis of accounting refers to when revenues and expenditures are recognized in the accounts and reported in the financial statements. Basis of accounting relates to the timing of the measurement made, regardless of the measurement focus applied.

The fund financial statements for proprietary funds are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. The economic resource measurement focus means all assets and liabilities (whether current or noncurrent) are included on the statement of net assets and the operating statements present increases (revenues) and decreases (expenses) in net total assets. Under the accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when earned. Expenses are recognized at the time the liability is incurred.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. Under the modified accrual basis of accounting, revenues are recognized when susceptible to accrual; i.e. when they become both measurable and available. "Measurable means the amount of the transaction can be determined and "available" means collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current period. The Village considers property taxes as available if they are collected within 30 days after year end. Expenditures are recorded when the related fund liability is incurred. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences are recorded only when payment is due.

The revenues susceptible to accrual are charges for services and interest income.

Budgetary Control

Prior to each June 1, District administration submits, to the Board of Directors, a proposed budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. This operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.

Prior to each July 1, the budget is submitted for approval and legally enacted through passage of an ordinance by the Local Government Division of the State Department of Finance and Administration.

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The District Board is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts between types of expenditures; however, any revisions that alter the total expenditures must be approved by the State Department of Finance and Administration.

Formal Budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year.

The level of budget authority is at the fund level.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The District'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.

The District is authorized under the provisions of Chapter 6, Article 10, paragraph 10, NMSA 1978, to deposit its money in banks, savings and loan associations and/or credit unions whose accounts are insured by an agency of the United States.

Investments

All money not immediately necessary for the public uses of the District may be invested in :

(a) bonds or negotiable securities of the United States, the state or any county, municipality or Village which has a taxable valuation of real property for the last preceding year of at least one million dollars (1,000,000) and has not defaulted in the payment of any interest or sinking fund obligation or failed to meet any bonds at maturity at any time within five years last preceding; or

(b) securities that are issued by the United States government or by its agencies or instrumentalities and that are either direct obligations of the United States or are backed by the full faith and credit of the United States government or agencies guaranteed by the United States government.

(c) in contracts with banks, savings and loan associations or credit unions for the present purchase and resale at a specified time in the future of specific securities at specified prices at a price differential representing the interest income to be earned by the investor. The contract shall be shown on the books of the financial institution as being the property of the investor and the designation shall be contemporaneous with the investment. The contract shall be fully secured by obligations of the United States having a market value of at least one hundred two percent of the contract. The collateral required for investment in the contracts provided for in this subsection shall be shown on the books of the financial institution as being the property of the investor and the designation shall be contemporaneous with investment.

Receivables and Payables

Receivables include amounts due from customers for sales and service. Payables represent routine monthly bills for services rendered and products purchased..

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June 30, 2007

Capital Assets

Capital assets, which includes property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets are reported in the financial statements. Capital assets are recorded at historical costs and depreciated over their estimated useful lives (with no salvage value). Capital assets are defined by the District as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of one year, per Section 12-6-10 NMSA 1978. Donated capital assets are recorded at their estimated fair market value on the date received. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Other costs incurred for repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred.

Estimated useful life is management's estimate of how long the asset is expected to meet service demands. Straight line depreciation is used based on the following estimated useful lives:

Utility System	20-50 Years
Office Equipment	5-7 Years

Revenue

Ad valorem taxes are susceptible to full accrual on the government wide financial statements. Property Tax revenues recognize revenues net of estimated refunds and uncollectible accounts in the period for which the taxes are levied. See note for property taxes for additional information.

The revenue for the proprietary fund is for the sale of water and a charge for service related to water useage.

The policy for defining the proprietary fund's operating revenues and expenses is how individual transactions would be categorized for purposes of preparing a statement of cash flows. Transactions for which cash flows are reported as capital and related financing activities, noncapital financing activities, or investing activities normally are not reported as components of operating income.

Ad Valorem Taxes

The District received ad valorem taxes (Mil Levy) from the Lincoln County Treasurer for operating purposes. The ad valorem taxes are assessed on all property within the district on January 1st of each year, and are payable in two equal installments, on November 10th of the year in which the tax bill is prepared and April 10th of the following year. Ad valorem taxes are collected by the County Treasurer and remitted to the District in the month following collection.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, ad valorem taxes were imposed upon the net taxable value of property contained within the district (except property excluded or exempted by law) at a rate of 6mills per \$1,000. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2007, ad valorem taxes accruing to the benefit of the District amounted to \$45,513.

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June 30, 2007

Net Assets

Net assets represent the difference between assets and liabilities. Net assets invested in capital assets, net of related debt consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvements of those assets, and adding back unspent proceeds. Net assets are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

Restricted Net Assets

For the government-wide statement of net assets, net assets are reported as restricted when constraints placed on net assets use are either:

Externally imposed by creditors (such as debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments;

Imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

When an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net assets are available it will first be applied to restricted resources.

NOTE B: CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The District is required by New Mexico State Statute (Section 6-10-17) to be 50% collateralized. Following is a schedule calculating the requirement and disclosing the pledged securities.

City Bank

Name of Account	Balance Per Bank 6/30/07	Reconciled Balance	Type
Sun Valley Water & Sanitation District	\$ 1,307	\$ 1,307	Checking
Sun Valley Water & Sanitation District	85,194	85,194	Checking
TOTAL Deposited	86,501	\$ 86,501	
Less: FDIC Coverage	(86,501)		
Uninsured Amount	0		
50% collateral requirement	0		
Pledged securities	0		
Over (Under) requirement	\$ 0		

Cash reported on the Statement of Net Assets includes \$50 of petty cash.

Custodial Credit Risk-Deposits

Depository Account	Bank Balance
Insured	\$ 86,501
Collateralized:	
Collateral held by the pledging bank in District's name	0
Uninsured and uncollateralized	0
Total Deposits	\$ 86,501

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Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the government's deposits may not be returned to it. The government does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2007 none of the District's bank balance of \$86,501, was exposed to custodial credit risk.

NOTE C: ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

The accounts receivable are shown net of the allowance for bad debts. The reserve for uncollectible accounts for June 30, 2007 is \$0.

NOTE D: RECEIVABLES

Receivables as of June 30, 2007, were as follows:

Receivables	Total
Accounts Receivable (Net of Allowance for Uncollectible Accounts)	\$ 5,743
Taxes	3,171
	\$ 8,914

NOTE E: CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital Assets Balances and Activity for the Year Ended June 30, 2007, is as follows:

	Balance 6/30/06	Additions	Deletions	Balance 6/30/07
Business-type Activity				
Capital Assets not being Depreciated				
Land	\$ 9,159	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 9,159
Other Capital Assets				
Utility System	558,817	36,782	0	595,599
Office Equipment	2,517	0	0	2,517
Total Capital Assets at Historical Cost	570,493	36,782	0	607,275
Accumulated Depreciation				
Utility System	180,781	22,734	0	203,515
Office Equipment	916	435	0	1,351
	181,697	23,169	0	204,866
Capital Assets, net	\$ 388,796	\$ 13,613	\$ 0	\$ 402,409

NOTE F: PREPAID EXPENSE

Prepaid expenses are insurance premiums.

NOTE G: RECONCILIATION OF BUDGETARY BASIS TO GAAP BASIS STATEMENTS

The Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances - Budget and Actual - all Governmental Fund Types is presented on the budgetary basis to provide a comparison of actual results with the budget. The major differences between the budget basis and GAAP (Generally Accepted Accounting Principles) basis are that:

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 June 30, 2007

A. Revenues are recorded when received in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when susceptible to accrual (GAAP basis).

B. Expenditures are recorded when paid in cash (budget basis) as opposed to when the liability is incurred (GAAP basis).

The adjustments necessary to convert the results of operations for the year from GAAP basis to the budget basis for the governmental funds are as follows:

Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Sources Over Expenditures and Other Uses:

Revenues over Expenditures Budgetary Comparison Statements-Budgetary Basis	\$ <u>6,108</u>
Adjustments:	
Depreciation	(23,169)
Capital Outlay	36,782
Increase(decrease) in:	
Accounts Receivable	1,908
Property Taxes Receivable	43
Inventory	86
Prepaid Expenses	(179)
Accounts Payable	779
Taxes Payable	<u>32</u>
	<u>16,282</u>
Net Change in Net Assets	\$ <u><u>22,390</u></u>

NOTE H: RISK MANAGEMENT

Commercial insurance covers all losses. There have been no significant reductions in insurance coverage. Settlement amount have not exceeded insurance coverage for the current year of the three prior years. There are no claim liabilities at year end.

NOTE I: SURETY BONDS

The Directors and Contract Laborers of the District are covered by a surety bond as required by Section 12 6-7, NMSA, 1978 Compliance and State Auditor's Rule 89-1.

NOTE J: RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Directors on the Board of the District are recipients of water sales and services. These transactions are correctly considered arm's-length transactions since these related parties are subject to the same installation, invoicing, payment expectations, and late payment procedures as all the District customers.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Cash Balance -
 Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis)
 For the Year Ended June 30, 2007

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual (Budgetary Basis)	Variances Positive (Negative) Final to Actual
	Original	Final		
Revenues				
Sales & Services	\$ 63,970	\$ 63,970	\$ 60,791	\$ (3,179)
Water Tap Fee	3,000	3,000	3,000	0
Transfer Fee	500	500	1,250	750
Late Fee	1,000	1,000	782	(218)
Misc Fee	0	0	459	459
Property Taxes	41,702	41,702	45,470	3,768
Interest	1,000	1,000	2,418	1,418
Other	0	0	35	35
Total Revenues	<u>111,172</u>	<u>111,172</u>	<u>114,205</u>	<u>3,033</u>
Expenditures				
Contract Services	50,820	50,820	51,829	(1,009)
Water Conservation Fee	250	250	174	76
Insurance	3,000	3,000	2,446	554
Dues	150	150	140	10
Bank Charges	0	0	6	(6)
Tax Collection Fees	417	417	459	(42)
Legal & Accounting	5,500	5,500	1,006	4,494
Office Storage Rent	6,000	6,000	2,460	3,540
Copies	0	0	4	(4)
Postage	0	0	744	(744)
Office Supplies	0	0	514	(514)
News Letter Expense	0	0	296	(296)
Telephone	0	0	1,050	(1,050)
Election Expense	0	0	887	(887)
Education & Training	650	650	112	538
Repairs & Maintenance	4,500	4,500	5,591	(1,091)
Supplies & Pipe	500	500	475	25
Utilities	3,600	3,600	3,122	478
Capital Outlay				
Phase-1	17,892	17,892	12,741	5,151
Phase-2	17,893	17,893	24,041	(6,148)
Total Expenditures	<u>111,172</u>	<u>111,172</u>	<u>108,097</u>	<u>3,075</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	0	0	6,108	6,108
Cash Balance Beginning of Year	<u>80,443</u>	<u>80,443</u>	<u>80,443</u>	<u>0</u>
Cash Balance End of Year	<u>\$ 80,443</u>	<u>\$ 80,443</u>	<u>\$ 86,551</u>	<u>\$ 6,108</u>

The notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this statement.



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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*

Mr. Hector H. Balderas
State Auditor of the State of New Mexico
Board Members of the SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT

Mr. Balderas and Members of the Board

We have audited the basic financial statements of the business-type activities of the SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT (District) as of and for the year ended June 30, 2007 and have issued our report thereon dated October 2, 2008. We have also audited the budget comparisons presented as supplementary information. 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.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit, we considered the District's internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing the auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the District's internal control over financial reporting.

A control deficiency 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 misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, a combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the District's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the District's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the District's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the District's internal control.

Our consideration of the internal control over financial reporting was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in the internal control that might be significant deficiencies and, accordingly, would not necessarily disclose all significant deficiencies or material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over financial reporting that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the District's financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of 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 the audit, and that, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed one instance of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under Government Auditing Standards and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as item 2006-1.

The District's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. We did not audit the District's response and accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the administration, the board members, the Office of the State Auditor, the New Mexico State Legislature and its committees, and the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

De'Ann Willoughby CPA PC

October 2, 2008

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
SUN VALLEY WATER & SANITATION DISTRICT
Findings and Responses
June 30, 2007

Prior Year Audit Findings

Status

2006-1 Late Audit Report

Repeated

Current Year Audit Findings

2006-1 Late Audit Report

Condition

The audit report for Sun Valley Water and Sanitation District was required to be filed on or before December 1, 2007 and was not received at the State Auditors Office till 10/08/08.

Criteria

According to the NMAC Audit Rule 07 2.2.2.9.A the audit report due date for the District is December 1.

Cause

Auditor has a new staff which is making it difficult to meet the deadline.

Effect

The users of the financial statements such as legislators, creditors, bondholders, state and federal grantors, etc., do not have timely audit reports and financial statements for their review. Late audit report could have an effect on state and federal funding.

Recommendation

We will make sure all staff is properly trained so we are more diligent to file it in the future.

Response

The audit will be filed timely in the future.

Financial Statement Preparation

The financial statements were prepared by De'Aun Willoughby CPA. However, they are the responsibility of management.

Exit Conference

An exit conference was held on October 2, 2008. Those present were Charles Britten-Treasurer, Carolyn Stephens-President and De'Aun Willoughby, CPA.