FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

JUNE 30, 2016

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Directory of Officials June 30, 2016

ELECTED OFFICIALS

Judy LeDoux Mayor
Ron Hickman Mayor Pro-Tem
Phillip Salazar Councilor
Leo R. Martinez
Anita LeDoux
Karen Gates Municipal Judge
DEPARTMENT HEADS
Karen M. Cahill Clerk-Administrator
Lee O. Ferguson
Anthony Martinez Fire Chief
Nate Lay Ambulance Director
Damian Casias

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Independent Auditors' Report

Timothy Keller, State Auditor and Mayor and Village Council Village of Cimarron Cimarron, 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 Village of Cimarron (Village), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements which collectively comprise the Village's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. We also have audited the financial statements of each of the Village's nonmajor governmental funds, and the budgetary comparison for the major capital projects and enterprise funds and all nonmajor funds presented as supplementary information, as defined by the Government Accounting Standards Board, in the accompanying combining and individual fund financial statements as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, 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 auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Summary of Opinions

Opinion Unit	Type of Opinion
Governmental Activities	Qualified
Business-Type Activities	Qualified
General Fund	Unmodified
Capital Outlay Fund	Unmodified
Law Enforcement Fund	Unmodified
Water and Sewer Fund	Qualified
Solid Waste Fund	Unmodified
Ambulance Fund	Qualified
Housing Authority Fund	Qualified
Aggregate Remaining Fund Information	Unmodified
Combining and Individual Non-Major Governmental Funds	Unmodified
General Fund Budgetary Comparison	Unmodified
Capital Outlay Fund Budgetary Comparison	Unmodified
Law Enforcement Fund Budgetary Comparison	Unmodified
Major Enterprise Funds Budgetary Comparison	Unmodified
All Non-Major Governmental Fund Budgetary Comparison	Unmodified

Basis for Qualified Opinions

The Village has not maintained a complete capital asset subsidiary ledger to support reported capital assets reported in the financial statements. Additionally, the Village has not performed a physical inventory to reconcile assets on hand and those recorded in the subsidiary ledger. Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that governmental entities report all capital assets including, but not limited to, general infrastructure assets. Further, government entities are required to depreciate appropriate assets owned and maintained. As a result of poorly maintained capital assets subsidiary ledger, we were unable to ascertain the completeness and proper recording of transactions and depreciation that affect the financial statements.

Qualified Opinions

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matter described in the "Basis for Qualified Opinions" paragraphs, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Village, as of June 30, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position and where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Unmodified Opinions

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the combining and individual nonmajor governmental funds of the Village, as of June 30, 2016, and the respective changes in financial position, thereof, and the respective budgetary comparisons for the general, major special revenue, major capital projects, and major enterprise funds, and all nonmajor funds for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

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

Other Matters (continued)

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requested that the schedule of the Village's proportionate share of the net pension liability and the schedule of the Village's contributions on page sixty-two through sixty-six 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 Village's financial statements, the combining and individual fund financial statements, and the budgetary comparisons. The other schedules (schedules of cash accounts, pledged collateral, changes in assets and liabilities and the financial data schedule), are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The other schedules, are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relates 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 other schedules, are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 20, 2017 on our consideration of the Village'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 Village's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Fierro & Fierro, P.A. Las Cruces. New Mexico

Juno + France, P.A.

July 20, 2017



GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2016

			Prima	ry Government				
					siness-Type Activities Total			
Assets:								
Current assets:	Φ.	007.074	Φ.	004 540	•	000 547		
Cash Receivables, net	\$	667,971 84,186	\$	321,546 64,267	\$	989,517 148,453		
Prepaid expenses		-		2,657		2,657		
Total current assets		752,157		388,470		1,140,627		
Noncurrent assets:								
Restricted cash		95,274		49,086		144,360		
Internal balances		77,971		(77,971)		-		
Capital assets: Land and construction in progress		117,880		76,600		194,480		
Other capital assets, net of depreciation		2,720,722		3,508,529		6,229,251		
Total capital assets		2,838,602		3,585,129		6,423,731		
Total noncurrent assets		3,011,847		3,556,244		6,568,091		
Deferred Outflows of Resources:								
Pension related		30,564		8,169		38,733		
Total assets and deferred outflows of resources	\$	3,794,568	\$	3,952,883	\$	7,747,451		
Liabilities:								
Current liabilities:								
Accounts payable	\$	68,013	\$	24,219	\$	92,232		
Accrued salaries		9,815		302		10,117		
Accrued payroll liabilities		1,204		52		1,256		
Accrued interest payable Deposits payable		624		5,943 43,324		6,567 43,324		
Unearned revenue		-		45,524		45,324		
Note payable		33,631		22,776		56,407		
Bonds payable		-		8,700		8,700		
Compensated absences		7,272		1,993		9,265		
Total current liabilities		120,559		107,783		228,342		
Noncurrent liabilities:								
Note payable		236,443		74,634		311,077		
Bonds payable		-		223,925		223,925		
Compensated absences		3,116		498		3,614		
Net pension liability		241,955	-	88,984		330,939		
Total noncurrent liabilities		481,514		388,041	-	869,555		
Total liabilities		602,073		495,824		1,097,897		
Deferred Inflows of Resources:								
Pension related		27,909		11,983		39,892		
Net Position:								
Net investment in capital assets Restricted for:		2,568,528		3,187,522		5,756,050		
Debt service		83		1,493		1,576		
State mandated per statutes		167,921		-		167,921		
Unrestricted		428,054		256,061		684,115		
Total net position		3,164,586		3,445,076		6,609,662		
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of	•	0.70 / 700	*	0.050.000	•			
resources and net position	\$	3,794,568	\$	3,952,883	\$	7,747,451		

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

			Program Revenues		Net (Expenses) Revenues and Changes in Net Position				
Functions/Programs	Expenses	Charges for Services	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Contributions	Governmental Activities	Business- Type Activities	Total		
Primary Government: Governmental activities: General government Public safety Highway and streets Culture and recreation Health and welfare	\$ 236,765 357,625 164,069 19,476 8,788	\$ 14,561 29,722 - - 3,897	\$ 178,511 111,236 - -	\$ - - - -	\$ (43,693) (216,667) (164,069) (19,476) (4,891)	\$ - - - -	\$ (43,693) (216,667) (164,069) (19,476) (4,891)		
Interest on long-term debt	3,755				(3,755)		(3,755)		
Total governmental activities	790,478	48,180	289,747	-	(452,551)	-	(452,551)		
Business-type activities: Water Wastewater Solid waste Ambulance Public housing Interest on long-term debt	292,747 81,524 171,676 101,855 105,518 10,934	182,864 73,987 144,094 80,953 26,062	12,200 51,367	33,717	- - - - -	(109,883) (7,537) (27,582) (8,702) 5,628 (10,934)	(109,883) (7,537) (27,582) (8,702) 5,628 (10,934)		
Total business-type activities	764,254	507,960	63,567	33,717		(159,010)	(159,010)		
Total primary government	\$ 1,554,732	\$ 556,140	\$ 353,314	\$ 33,717	(452,551)	(159,010)	(611,561)		
	Lodgers' taxes Franchise taxes Public service ta Interest income Donations Miscellaneous	axes levied for general p			411,670 56,659 19,757 24,956 35,382 2,219 290 13,192 6,755 (90,000)	6,631 - - - 377 300 337 - 90,000	418,301 56,659 19,757 24,956 35,382 2,596 590 13,529 6,755		
	Total g	eneral revenues, s	pecial item and tran	sfers	480,880	97,645	578,525		
	Chang	e in net position			28,329	(61,365)	(33,036)		
	Net position, begin	nning of year			2,818,949	2,716,635	5,535,584		
	Restatements				317,308	789,806	1,107,114		
	Net position, begin	nning of year, resta	ted		3,136,257	3,506,441	6,642,698		
	Net position, end	of year			\$ 3,164,586	\$ 3,445,076	\$ 6,609,662		



BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

ASSETS	 General Fund	 Capital Outlay Fund	En	Law forcement Fund	Go	Other vernmental Funds	Go	Total vernmental Funds
Cash Receivables, net Due from other funds Restricted:	\$ 388,638 78,328 249,005	\$ - - -	\$	20,199 - -	\$	259,134 5,858 -	\$	667,971 84,186 249,005
Cash held by fiscal agent	-	 -		95,191		83		95,274
Total assets	\$ 715,971	\$ -	\$	115,390	\$	265,075	\$	1,096,436
LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES AND FUND BALANCES								
Liabilities:							_	
Accounts payable	\$ 49,987	\$ 17,414	\$	-	\$	612	\$	68,013
Accounts salaries	9,815	-		-		-		9,815
Accrued payroll liabilities Due to other funds	1,204	171,034		-		-		1,204 171,034
Due to other fullus	 	 171,034						171,034
Total liabilities	61,006	188,448		-		612		250,066
Deferred Inflows of Resources:								
Unavailable property tax revenue	371	-		-		-		371
Fund Balances:								
Nonspendable:								
Interfund advances	249,005	-		-		-		249,005
Restricted for:								
Debt service	-	-		-		83		83
State mandated per statutes	-	-		-		114,031		114,031
State mandated budget reserve	53,890	=		=		=		53,890
Committed for:								
Subsequent years' expenditures	-	-		115,390		-		115,390
Assigned	- -	-		-		150,349		150,349
Unassigned	 351,699	 (188,448)						163,251
Total fund balances	 654,594	 (188,448)		115,390		264,463		845,999
Total liabilities, deferred inflows								
of resources and fund balances	\$ 715,971	\$ -	\$	115,390	\$	265,075	\$	1,096,436

RECONCILIATION OF THE BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION JUNE 30, 2016

Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net position are different because:

Total fund balance governmental funds (page seven)	\$ 845,999
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and, therefore, are not reported in the funds.	2,838,602
Recognition of property tax revenue is reflected on full accrual basis within the statement of net assets. Governmental funds recognize property tax on the modified accrual basis.	371
Deferred outflows of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and are not reported in the funds.	30,564
Certain accrued interest expense is not due and payable in the current period and, therefore, is not reported in the governmental funds.	(624)
Long-term liabilities are not due and payable in the current period and, therefore are not reported in the funds.	(522,417)
Deferred inflows of resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and are not reported in the funds.	 (27,909)
Net position of governmental activities (page five)	\$ 3,164,586

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	General Fund	Capital Outlay Fund		En	Law Enforcement Fund		Other ernmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds	
Revenues:									
Gross receipts taxes	\$ 389,559	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	389,559
Property taxes	66,973		-		-		-		66,973
Franchise taxes	24,956		-		-		-		24,956
Lodgers' taxes	-		-		-		19,757		19,757
Public service taxes	57,493		-		-		-		57,493
Intergovernmental:									
State	180,595		-		21,800		77,852		280,247
Local	-		-		-		9,500		9,500
Charges for services	12,867		-		-		3,897		16,764
Fines and forfeitures	-		-		-		29,147		29,147
Interest	1,996		-		191		32		2,219
Miscellaneous	18,805		-		-		1,001		19,806
Total revenues	753,244		-		21,991	<u> </u>	141,186		916,421
Expenditures:									
Current:									
General government	196,311		-		-		=		196,311
Public safety	253,448		-		6,478		49,717		309,643
Highways and streets	90,811		-		-		-		90,811
Culture and recreation	-		-		-		14,610		14,610
Health and welfare	7,562		-		-		608		8,170
Capital outlay	72,608		126,307		-		-		198,915
Debt service:									
Principal	=		-		-		17,080		17,080
Interest and other charges	 -				717		4,231		4,948
Total expenditures	620,740		126,307		7,195		86,246		840,488
Excess (deficiency) revenues									
over expenditures	132,504		(126,307)		14,796	54 940	54,940		75,933
	102,004		(120,007)		14,700		04,040		70,000
Other Financing Sources (Uses):									
Transfers in	21,523		-		-		-		21,523
Transfers (out)	(90,000)		-		-		(21,523)		(111,523)
Loan proceeds	 -				95,718		-		95,718
Total other financing									
sources (uses)	(68,477)		_		95,718		(21,523)		5,718
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Special Item:									
Proceeds from sale of assets	 6,755		-		-		-		6,755
Net change in fund balances	70,782		(126,307)		110,514		33,417		88,406
Fund balance, beginning of year	604,476		(62,141)		4,876		231,046		778,257
Restatements	(20,664)								(20,664)
Fund balances, beginning of year, restated	583,812		(62,141)		4,876		231,046		757,593
Fund balance, end of year	\$ 654,594	\$	(188,448)	\$	115,390	\$	264,463	\$	845,999
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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, 2016

Amounts reported governmental funds are different from the statement of activities because:

Net change in fund balances total governmental fund (page nine)	\$ 88,406
Governmental funds report capital outlay as expenditures in the amount of \$198,915; however, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives and reported as depreciation expense in the amount of \$172,519.	26,396
Some of the Village's property taxes will be collected after year-end, but are not available soon enough to pay for the current period's expenditures and, therefore, are reported as deferred inflows of resources in the funds. The property taxes earned and payable are reflected in the statement of activities, regardless when the taxes are received.	(10,314)
The issuance of long-term debt (notes, bonds) provides current 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.	
Note proceeds received Note obligation principal payments	(95,718) 17,080
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities do not require the use of current financial resources and, therefore, are not reported as expenditures in the governmental funds:	
Change in compensated absences	(1,468)
Change in accrued interest payable Pension expense	1,193 2,754
Net change in net position - statement of activities (page six)	\$ 28,329

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	 Budgeted Original	l Amour	Amounts Final		Actual on Budgetary Basis		udget to GAAP ferences	Actual on GAAP Basis		Vari Fin	etary Basis ance With al Budget er (Under)
	 Original		i iiiai		Dasis		iciciiccs		Dasis		i (Ollder)
Revenues: Gross receipts taxes Property taxes Franchise taxes	\$ 384,001 65,000 24,000	\$	384,001 65,000 24,000	\$	369,915 56,771 24,546	\$	19,644 10,202 410	\$	389,559 66,973 24,956	\$	(14,086) (8,229) 546
Public service taxes Intergovernmental: Federal	41,600		41,600		54,866 4,347		2,627 (4,347)		57,493 -		13,266 4,347
State Charges for services Fines and forfeitures Interest	153,500 4,750 70,000 800		153,500 4,750 70,000 800		191,297 12,764 - 1,996		(10,702) 103 -		180,595 12,867 - 1,996		37,797 8,014 (70,000) 1,196
Miscellaneous	7,400		7,400		38,839		(20,034)		18,805		31,439
Total revenues	751,051		751,051		755,341		(2,097)		753,244		4,290
Expenditures: Current:											
General government Public safety Public works Health and welfare Capital outlay	306,210 289,957 44,009 10,000		306,210 289,957 44,009 10,000		221,590 262,153 90,645 10,779 29,500		(25,279) (8,705) 166 (3,217) 43,108		196,311 253,448 90,811 7,562 72,608		84,620 27,804 (46,636) (779) (29,500)
Total expenditures	650,176		650,176		614,667		6,073		620,740		35,509
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures	100,875		100,875		140,674		(8,170)		132,504		39,799
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Transfers in Transfers (out)	 (60,000)		(85,000)		21,523 (90,000)		- -		21,523 (90,000)		21,523 (5,000)
Total other financing sources (uses)	 (60,000)		(85,000)		(68,477)				(68,477)		16,523
Special Item: Proceeds from sale of assets	 -		<u>-</u>		6,755		<u>-</u>		6,755		6,755
Net change	40,875		15,875		78,952	\$	(8,170)	\$	70,782		63,077
Cash balance, beginning of year	430,190		430,190		430,190						-
Restatement					804						804
Cash balance, beginning of year, restated	430,190		430,190		430,994						804
Cash advanced to other funds	-		-		(121,308)						(121,308)
Cash balance, end of year	\$ 471,065	\$	446,065	\$	388,638					\$	(57,427)
Explanation of Differences: Change in receivables Change in accounts payable Change in accrued salaries Change in accrued payroll taxes Change in unavailable revenues						\$	1,713 (24,692) 368 4,127 10,314				
						\$	(8,170)				

LAW ENFORCEMENT FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

		Budgeted	l Amour	nts	ctual on udgetary		dget to	ctual on GAAP	Va	getary Basis riance With nal Budget
	0	riginal		Final	 Basis	Diffe	erences	 Basis	٥١	er (Under)
Revenues: Intergovernmental: State Interest	\$	21,800	\$	21,800	\$ 21,800 191	\$	- -	\$ 21,800 191	\$	- 191
Miscellaneous		6,020		6,020	 -		-	 <u>-</u>		(6,020)
Total revenues		27,820		27,820	21,991		-	21,991		(5,829)
Expenditures: Current:										
Public safety		6,700		6,700	7,358		(880)	6,478		(658)
Debt service: Principal Interest and other charges		15,100 -		15,100	 - 717		<u>-</u>	 - 717		15,100 (717)
Total expenditures		21,800		21,800	8,075		(880)	7,195		13,725
Excess of revenues over expenditures		6,020		6,020	13,916		880	14,796		7,896
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Loan proceeds					 95,718			 95,718		95,718
Net change in cash balance		6,020		6,020	109,634	\$	880	\$ 110,514		103,614
Cash balance, beginning of year		5,756		5,756	 5,756					<u>-</u>
Cash balance, end of year	\$	11,776	\$	11,776	\$ 115,390				\$	103,614
Explanation of Differences: Change in accounts payable						\$	880			

PROPRIETARY FUNDS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

	Enterprise Funds									
	Water and Sewer Fund		,	Solid Waste		mbulance		Housing Authority		-
Assets:	Fund	<u> </u>		Fund		Fund		Fund		Total
Current assets:										
Cash	\$ 5	57,095	\$	27,807	\$	182,966	\$	53.678	\$	321,546
Receivables, net		20,208	Ψ	10,987	Ψ	15,072	Ψ	18,000	Ψ	64,267
Prepaid expenses		-		-		-		2,657		2,657
Total current assets	7	77,303		38,794		198,038		74,335		388,470
Noncurrent assets:										
Restricted assets:										
Cash	2	14,064		-		1,493		3,529		49,086
Capital assets:	_									
Land	5	58,000		-		-		18,600		76,600
Buildings		-		-		-		867,096		867,096
Distribution and collection systems	·	21,537		-		-				6,621,537
Vehicles, equipment and other assets		39,961		-		434,129		72,542		946,632
Less accumulated depreciation	(3,89	93,249)		-		(418,040)		(615,447)		(4,926,736)
Total capital assets, net	3,22	26,249	-	-		16,089	-	342,791		3,585,129
Total noncurrent assets	3,27	70,313		-		17,582		346,320		3,634,215
Deferred Outflows of Resources:										
Pension related		7,387				<u> </u>		782		8,169
Total assets and deferred										
outflows of resources	\$ 3,35	55,003	\$	38,794	\$	215,620	\$	421,437	\$	4,030,854
Liabilities:										
Current liabilities:										
Accounts payable	\$	4,550	\$	15,695	\$	2,782	\$	1,192	\$	24,219
Accounts payable Accrued salaries	Φ	302	φ	15,095	φ	2,702	φ	1,192	φ	302
Accrued payroll liabilities		52		_		_		_		52
Accrued interest payable		5,806		_		137		_		5,943
Deposits payable	4	10,739		_		-		2,585		43,324
Unearned revenues		-		_		_		474		474
Current maturities of liabilities:										
Notes payable	1	14,679		_		8,097		-		22,776
Bonds payable		8,700		-		-		-		8,700
Compensated absences		1,993								1,993
Total current liabilities	7	76,821		15,695		11,016		4,251		107,783
Noncurrent Liabilities:										
Due to other funds	7	77,971		-		-		-		77,971
Notes payable	3	39,755		-		34,879		-		74,634
Bonds payable	22	23,925		-		-		-		223,925
Compensated absences		498		-		-		-		498
Net pension liability	8	30,466		-		-		8,518		88,984
Total noncurrent liabilities	42	22,615				34,879		8,518		466,012
Total liabilities	49	99,436		15,695		45,895		12,769		573,795
Deferred Inflows of Resources:										
Pension related	1	10,836		-		-		1,147		11,983

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

			Enterprise Funds		
	Water	Solid		Housing	
	and Sewer	Waste	Ambulance	Authority	
	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Total
Net Position: Net investment in capital assets	2,844,731			342,791	3,187,522
Restricted debt service	-	-	1,493	-	1,493
Unrestricted		23,099	168,232	64,730	256,061
Total net position	2,844,731	23,099	169,725	407,521	3,445,076
Total liabilities, deferred inflows of resources and net position	\$ 3,355,003	\$ 38,794	\$ 215,620	\$ 421,437	\$ 4,030,854

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

					Ente	rprise Funds				
		Nater					F	lousing		
	and	d Sewer	So	lid Waste	Ar	mbulance	Α	uthority		
		Fund		Fund		Fund		Fund		Total
Operating Revenues:										
Charges for services	\$	256,851	\$	144,094	\$	80,953	\$	26,062	\$	507,960
Ga. goo .o. oooo	*	200,00	*	,	*	33,333	Ψ	20,002	Ψ	33.,333
Operating Expenses:										
Personnel services		81,059		-		-		2,508		83,567
Utilities		18,334		-		4,548		6,025		28,907
Contractual services		116		166,859		5,511		14,619		187,105
Professional services		9,129		1,800		556		2,500		13,985
Repairs and maintenance		9,350		27		1,593		27,066		38,036
General operating		48,712		2,386		34,110		16,357		101,565
Fuel		1,523		_		5,020		-		6,543
Insurance claims and expenses		12,885		604		12,969		6,654		33,112
Depreciation		193,163		-		37,548		29,789		260,500
Total operating expenses	-	374,271		171,676		101,855		105,518		753,320
	-									
Operating (loss)		(117,420)		(27,582)		(20,902)		(79,456)		(245,360)
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):										
Gross receipts taxes		-		6,631		-		-		6,631
Intergovernmental revenues		-		-		12,200		85,084		97,284
Miscellaneous revenues		-		-		300		337		637
Interest income		200		-		7		170		377
Interest expense and other charges		(10,040)				(894)				(10,934)
Total non-operating										
revenues (expenses)		(9,840)		6,631		11,613		85,591		93,995
revenues (expenses)	•	(3,040)		0,031		11,013		00,001		33,333
Income (loss) before transfers		(127,260)		(20,951)		(9,289)		6,135		(151,365)
Transfers:										
Transfers in		60,000		51,157		-		-		111,157
Transfers (out)		(21,157)		-		-		-		(21,157)
Total tranfers		38,843		51,157						90,000
Change in net position		(88,417)		30,206		(9,289)		6,135		(61,365)
Net position, beginning of year		2,164,810		(7,107)		179,014		379,918		2,716,635
	•			(1,101)		170,014		•		
Restatement		768,338		-		-		21,468		789,806
Net position, beginning of year, restated		2,933,148		(7,107)		179,014		401,386		3,506,441
Net position, end of year	\$	2,844,731	\$	23,099	\$	169,725	\$	407,521	\$	3,445,076

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

			Enterprise Funds		
	Water and Sewer Fund	Solid Waste Fund	Ambulance Fund	Housing Authority Fund	Total
Cash Flows From Operating Activities: Cash received from customers Cash payments to suppliers for goods and services Cash payments to employees for services	\$ 263,949 (111,577) (108,430)	\$ 145,683 (170,435)	\$ 78,388 (85,956)	\$ 26,173 (71,778) (10,622)	\$ 514,193 (439,746) (119,052)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	43,942	(24,752)	(7,568)	(56,227)	(44,605)
Cash Flows From Non-Capital and Related Financing Activities: Cash received from gross receipts taxes Intergovernmental Miscellaneous Transfers	- - - - 60,000	7,014 - - - 30,000	12,200 300	93,639 337	7,014 105,839 637 90,000
Net cash provided by non-capital and related financing activities	60,000	37,014	12,500	93,976	203,490
Cash Flows from Capital and Related Financing Activities: Purchase of capital assets Principal payment on capital debt Interest and related debt charges	(22,898) (12,732)	- - -	(7,910) (908)	(10,135) - -	(10,135) (30,808) (13,640)
Net cash (used) by capital and related financing activities	(35,630)	-	(8,818)	(10,135)	(54,583)
Cash Flows From Investing Activities: Interest income	200		7_	69	276
Net increase (decrease) in cash	68,512	12,262	(3,879)	27,683	104,578
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	47,182	15,545	188,338	29,524	280,589
Restatement	(14,535)				(14,535)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year, restated	32,647	15,545	188,338	29,524	266,054
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$ 101,159	\$ 27,807	\$ 184,459	\$ 57,207	\$ 370,632
Displayed as: Cash Restricted cash	\$ 57,095 44,064	\$ 27,807	\$ 182,966 1,493	\$ 53,678 3,529	\$ 321,546 49,086
	\$ 101,159	\$ 27,807	\$ 184,459	\$ 57,207	\$ 370,632

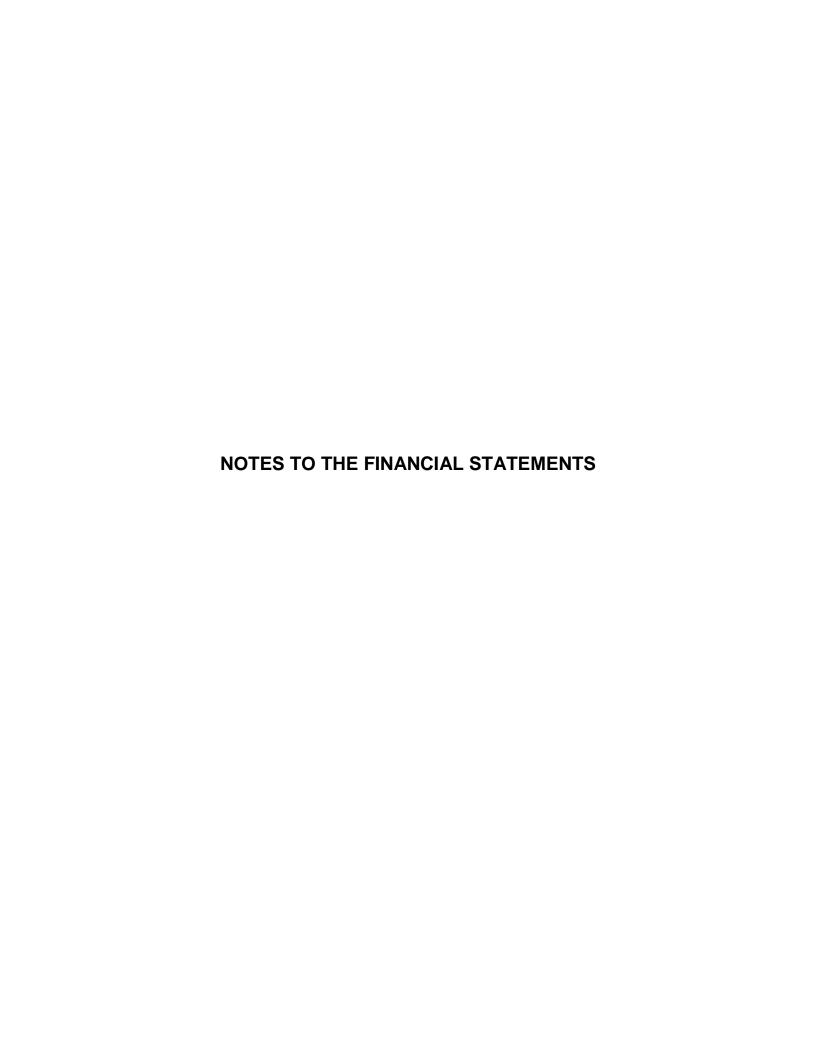
STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS (CONCLUDED) FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

					Ente	rprise Funds				
	а	Water nd Sewer Fund		Solid Waste Fund	Ar	mbulance Fund		Housing Authority Fund		Total
Reconciliation of Operating Income (Loss) to Net										
Cash Provided by Operating Activities:	•	(4.47.400)	•	(07.500)	•	(00,000)	•	(70.450)	•	(0.45,000)
Operating (loss)	\$	(117,420)	\$	(27,582)	\$	(20,902)	\$	(79,456)	\$	(245,360)
Adjustment to Reconcile Operating (Loss) to										
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:		100 100				07.540		00.700		000 500
Depreciation		193,163		-		37,548		29,789		260,500
Bad debts		1,965		1,534		25,879		(1,055)		28,323
Change in Assets and Liabilities:		(4.040)				(00.444)		4.500		(00.770)
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		(1,916)		55		(28,444)		1,529		(28,776)
Decrease in interfund receivable		7,075		-		-		-		7,075
Decrease in inventory		-		-		-		3,247		3,247
(Increase) in prepaid expenses		- (4.700)		-		-		(38)		(38)
(Increase) decrease in deferred outflows of resources		(1,763)		-		(4.4.57.4)		500		(1,263)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(5,782)		1,241		(14,574)		(1,538)		(20,653)
(Decrease) in accrued salaries		(1,666)		-		-		-		(1,666)
(Decrease) in accrued payroll liabilities		(1,318)		-		(= 0==)		(474)		(1,792)
(Decrease) in interfund payable		(4,253)		-		(7,075)		(205)		(11,328)
Increase (decrease) in customer deposits payable		1,212		-		-		(225)		987
(Decrease) in accrued liabilities		-		-		-		(228)		(228)
(Decrease) in unearned revenue		-		-		-		(138)		(138)
Increase in compensated absences		332		-		-		-		332
(Decrease) in deferred inflows of resources		(22,103)		-		-		(3,866)		(25,969)
(Decrease) in net pension liability		(3,584)		<u>-</u>		-		(4,274)		(7,858)
Total adjustments		161,362		2,830		13,334		23,229		200,755
Net cash provided (used) by										
operating activities	\$	43,942	\$	(24,752)	\$	(7,568)	\$	(56,227)	\$	(44,605)



STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUND JUNE 30, 2016

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Assets: Cash	\$ 400
Liabilities: Due to bond holders Due to others	\$ 300 100
Total liabilities	\$ 400



NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

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

A. Reporting Entity

The Village of Cimarron, a political subdivision of the state of New Mexico, operates under the council-treasurer form of government. The Village provides the following authorized services: public safety, public works, water, sanitation, health and welfare, culture and recreation, public improvements, planning and zoning, and general administrative services. The Village's basic financial statements include all activities and accounts of the Village's *financial reporting entity*. The financial reporting entity consists of the primary government, and any another organization 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.

The definition of the reporting entity is based primarily on the notion of financial accountability. A primary government is financially accountable for the organizations that make up its legal entity. It is also financially accountable for legally separate organizations if its officials appoint a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and either it is able to impose its will on that organization, or there is a potential for the organization to provide specific financial benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens, on the primary government. A primary government may also be financially accountable for governmental organizations that are fiscally dependent on it.

A primary government has the ability to impose its will on an organization if it can significantly influence the programs, projects, activities, or level of services performed or provided by the organization. A financial benefit or burden relationship exists if the primary government (a) is entitled to the organization's resources; (b) is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the obligation to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or (c) is obligated in some manner for the debt of the organization.

Based upon the application of these criteria, the Village of Cimarron Housing Authority financial statements should be included with the reporting entity of the Village. Effective July 1, 2014, the Village assumed the fiduciary responsibility for the low income housing subsidized by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). The Authority is a separate, legal entity governed by the Village council. The financial statements of the housing authority have been included in the Village's financial statements as a *blended* component unit. As such, the activity is reported as a separate fund and treated like other funds. The Housing Authority fund is a proprietary enterprise fund.

There are no other entities or organizations that should be considered a component unit. Further, the Village is not considered a component unit or another governmental agency.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The basic financial statements include both government-wide (based on the Village as a whole) and fund financial statements. The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the 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 on 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.

The government-wide statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a function category (general government, public safety, etc.) or activity are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with specific function or activity. 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 activity, 2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational requirements of a particular function or activity and 3) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the capital requirements of a particular function or activity. Taxes and other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenues.

The net cost (by function of governmental-type activity) is normally covered by general revenues (property, sales, franchise, public service taxes, interest income, etc.). The Village does not allocate indirect costs. Depreciation expense is specifically identified by function and is included in the direct expense of each function. Interest on general long-term is considered an indirect expense and is reported separately on the Statement of Activities. Separate fund based 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 government funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. GASB Statement No. 34 sets forth minimum criteria (percentage of assets, liabilities, revenues or expenditures/expenses of either fund category for the governmental and enterprise combined) for the determination of major funds. The nonmajor funds are combined in a column in the fund financial statements. The nonmajor funds are detailed in the combining section of the statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

B. Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements (continued)

The Village's fiduciary fund (which has been refined and narrowed in scope) is presented in the fund financial statements by type. Since, by definition, these assets are being held for the benefit of a third party (other than state and local governments), and cannot be used to address activities or obligations of the government; this fund is not incorporated in the governmental-wide statements.

The government-wide focus is more on the sustainability of the Village as an entity and the change in aggregate financial position resulting from the activities of the fiscal period. The focus of the fund financial statements is on the major individual funds of the governmental and business-type categories. Each presentation provides valuable information that can be analyzed and compared to enhance the usefulness of the information.

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

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the *economic resources measurement focus* and the *accrual basis of accounting*. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Non-exchange transactions, in which the Village gives (or receives) value without directly receiving (or giving) equal value in exchange, include property taxes, grants, entitlements, and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants, entitlements, and donations is recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund level financial statements are reported using the *current financial resources measurement focus* and the *modified accrual basis of accounting*. The focus of the governmental funds' measurement (in the fund statements) is upon determination of financial position and changes in financial position (sources, uses, and balances of financial resources) rather than upon net income. 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. For this purpose, the Village considers revenues to be available if they are collected within sixty days of the end of the current fiscal period.

Generally, intergovernmental revenues and grants are recognized when all eligibility requirements are met and the revenues are available. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences, claims and judgments, are recorded only when payment is made.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting,

C. and Financial Statement Presentation (continued)

In addition to assets, the statement of position will, at time, report a separate section of deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred outflows of resources*, represents a consumption of net position that applies to a future reporting period(s); therefore, is not recognized as an outflow of resources (expense) until then.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of position will, at times, report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, *deferred inflows of resources*, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future reporting period(s); therefore, will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time.

Property, franchise, sales, and public service tax revenues associated with the current fiscal period are recognized under the susceptible to accrual concept. Licenses and permits, charges for services, fines and forfeitures, contributions, and miscellaneous revenues are recorded as revenues when received in cash, as the resulting receivable is immaterial. Investment earnings are recorded as earned since they are measurable and available.

In applying the susceptible to accrual concept to intergovernmental revenues, the legal and contractual requirements of the numerous individual programs are used as guidance. There are, however, essentially two types of these revenues. In one, monies must be expended for the specific purpose or project before any amounts will be paid to the Village; therefore, revenues are recognized based upon the expenditures recorded. In the other, monies are virtually unrestricted as to purpose of expenditure and are usually revocable only for failure to comply with prescribed compliance requirements. These resources are reflected as revenues at the time of receipt or earlier if the susceptible to accrual criteria are met.

Business-type activities and all proprietary funds are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, all assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the balance sheet. Proprietary fund-type operating statements present increases (e.g., revenues) and decreases (e.g., expenses) in net total assets. Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses generally result from providing services and producing and delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations.

The principal operating revenues of the Village's water and sewer, solid waste, ambulance and public housing funds are charges to customers for sales and services. Operating expenses for the enterprise funds include the cost of sales and services, administrative expenses, and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating revenues and expenses.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

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

The Village reports the following major governmental funds:

The *general fund* is the Village's primary operating fund. It accounts for all the financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund. Revenues are provided through property, sales and other taxes, federal sources, state sources, charges for services, licenses and fees, and other miscellaneous recoveries and revenues. Expenditures include all costs associated with the daily operation of the Village, except for items included in other funds.

The *capital outlay* fund is a capital project fund that accounts for receipts and disbursements for infrastructure and improvements. Financing is provided from federal and state grants.

The *law enforcement protection fund* is a special revenue fund that accounts for state grants used for the repair and/or replacement of law enforcement equipment, according to state law Section 29-13.1 through 29-13.9, NMSA, 1978. The fund was established by local ordinance to comply with state statutes. Section 29-13-17A, NMSA 1978 limits distributions from the fund for law enforcement related expenditures, including, but not limited to, the purchase of equipment, expenses associated with advanced law enforcement planning and training.

The Village maintains five other individual governmental funds that are considered non-major funds. A description of each non-major governmental fund is as follows:

Special Revenue Funds

The *fire protection fund* accounts for proceeds of the state fire allotment, and the expenditures for public safety therefrom. New Mexico state law requires these funds be used to help maintain the fire department. The fund was established by local ordinance and in accordance with state law Section 59A-53-1, NMSA 1978. Section 59A-53-8 of the code restricts the use of the funds for only the maintenance of the Village's fire department.

The *recreation fund* accounts for receipts, which is restricted use in recreational areas only. Originally, the funding source of revenues was from one-third of the cigarette tax. Currently, the majority of revenues are from charges for services from concession sales and rentals. The fund was established by local ordinance. The cigarette tax was imposed and collected as authorized by Section 7-12-1 through 7-12-17, NMSA 1978.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting,

C. and Financial Statement Presentation (continued)

The *cemetery fund* accounts for the operation and maintenance of the Village cemetery. Financing is provided through lot sales and fees for services. The funding is authorized by Section 3-40-1 through 3-40-9, NMSA 1978.

The *lodgers'* tax fund accounts for funds received from a special local lodgers' tax that is to be used for promotion of the Village. The fund was established by local ordinance authorized by Section 3-38-13 through 3-38-24, NMSA 1978. Section 3-38-(E), NMSA 1978, restricts the use of the tax for advertising, publicizing and promoting, establishing and operating tourist-related attractions, facilities and events.

The *corrections fund* accounts for the fees collected by the municipal judge, which are legally restricted to expenditure for jail related costs. The fund was established by local ordinance in order to comply with Section 35-14-11, NMSA 1978.

The Village reports the following major business-type funds:

The water and sewer fund is used to account for the provision of water and sewer services to the residents of the Village. 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, billing and collection.

The *solid waste fund* is used to account for the provisions of solid waste disposal for the residents of the Village. All activities necessary to provide such services are accounted for in this fund.

The ambulance fund accounts for the receipts and disbursements of the Village's emergency ambulance services. The majority of revenues are from insurance and customer billings.

The function of the *housing authority fund* is to administer the Housing and Urban Development (HUD) programs to provide housing for qualified individuals in the Village of Cimarron area. The funding is provided through various HUD grant programs and charges for services from the tenants. The Housing Authority is a blended component unit of the Village and is accounted for as a proprietary fund under the HUD UFRS guidelines.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

D. Budgets

Village

Budgets for all village funds are prepared by management and approved by the Village Council and the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration. The clerk-administrator is responsible for preparing the budget from requests submitted by department heads. The appropriated budget is prepared by line item within object class, program, department and fund; revenues expected to be available are estimated to provide for balanced budgeting. The comprehensive budget package is brought before the Village Council for approval by resolution.

The proposed budget is then submitted by June 1st to the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration Local Government Division (DFA) for approval. DFA certifies a pending budget by July 1st with final certification of the budget by the first Monday of September. The expenditure section of the budget, once adopted, is legally binding. Based on the final certified budget submitted, DFA certifies the allowable tax rates for property taxes in September.

These budgets are prepared on the non-GAAP cash basis, excluding encumbrances, and secure appropriation of funds for only one year. Carryover funds are reappropriated in the budget of the subsequent fiscal year. The budget process in the state of New Mexico requires that the beginning cash balance be utilized to fund deficit budgets appropriated in the budget of the subsequent fiscal year. Such appropriated balance is presented as a committed portion of fund balance.

Actual expenditures may not exceed the budget on a fund basis. Budgets may be amended in two ways. If a budget transfer is necessary within a fund, this may be accomplished with only local Council approval. If a transfer between "funds" or a budget increase is required, approval must be obtained from the NM Department of Finance and Administration. The budgetary information presented in these financial statements has been amended in accordance with the above procedures.

Housing Authority

The Authority follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary process:

- Management and the fee accountant prepare the budget in accordance with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) guidelines.
- 2. HUD reviews the proposed budget and makes corrections, revisions, and amendments as necessary.
- 3. Management submits the budget to the Village council for approval.
- 4. The Authority does not budget depreciation expense; therefore, the budget is not prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. The budget is a guideline to operations and is not a legally enforceable document. The Authority's level of budgetary control is at the total fund level.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity

1. Cash

New Mexico State Statutes provide authoritative guidance regarding the deposit of cash and idle cash. Deposits of funds may be made in interest or non-interest bearing checking accounts in one or more bank or savings and loan associations within the geographical boundaries of the Village. Deposits may be made to the extent that they are insured by an agency of the United States of America or by collateral deposited as security or by bond given by the financial institution.

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.

Idle cash may be invested in a wide variety of instruments, including money market accounts, certificates of deposit, the New Mexico State Treasurer's investment pool, or 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.

2. Receivables and Payables

Activity between funds, that are representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year, are referred to as interfund balance. Long-term advances between funds, reported in the fund financial statements are considered noncurrent, are offset by a nonspendable fund balance in applicable governmental funds to indicate that they are not available for appropriation and are not expendable available financial resources.

3. Prepaid Items

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both government-wide and fund financial statements.

4. Restricted Assets

Certain assets are classified as restricted assets on the balance sheet because their use is limited to payments for debt service or other purposes such as *deposits held in trust for others*.

5. Interfund Activity

Interfund activity is reported as loans, services provided, reimbursements or transfers. Loans are reported as interfund balance as appropriate and are subject to elimination upon consolidation.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (continued)

5. Interfund Activity (continued)

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 reimbursement. All other interfund transactions are treated as transfers. Transfers between governmental funds are netted as part of the reconciliation to the government-wide financial statements.

6. Capital Assets

Property, plant, and equipment purchased or acquired are carried at historical cost or estimated cost. Contributed capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the time received. The Village does not capitalize library books as the cost of the library books are generally under the capitalization threshold. Purchased computer software is recorded at historical cost. Infrastructure capital assets consisting of roads, curbs and gutters, streets and sidewalks, drainage systems and lighting systems have been recorded at estimated historical cost. The Village defines capital assets as assets with an estimated useful life in excess of one year and costing greater than \$5,000. 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 when material.Net revenue bond interest cost incurred during construction is capitalized as part of the construction project.

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

<u>Assets</u>	<u>Years</u>
Infrastructure	20-50
Water and sewer utility system	7-40
Buildings and other improvements	20-50
Machinery and equipment, including computer software	5-15

7. Compensated Absences

Village employees may accumulate limited amounts of vacation pay which are payable to the employee upon termination or retirement. For governmental funds, expenditures are recognized during the period in which vacation costs become payable from available, expendable resources. A liability for amounts earned is reported in the government-wide financial statements.

Village employees do not accumulate sick leave that is paid upon termination or retirement.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (continued)

8. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

Deferred outflows of resources represent consumption of resources of net assets that is applicable to future reporting periods that are reported in a separate section after assets in the statement of financial position.

Deferred inflows of resources represent acquisition of net assets by the Village that is applicable to a future reporting period. The deferred inflows are reported in the separate section after liabilities in the statement of financial position.

9. Short-Term Obligations

No short-term debt occurred during the current fiscal year.

10. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide and proprietary fund type financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental or business-type activities within a statement of net position.

Bond premiums and discounts, are deferred and amortized over the life of the bonds using the effective interest method. Bonds payable are reported net of the applicable bond premium or discount. Bond issuance costs are expensed in the year of acquisition.

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

11. Net Position

The government-wide financial statements utilize a net position presentation. Net position is categorized as follows:

Net investment in capital assets – This category reflects the portion of net position that is associated with capital assets less outstanding capital asset related debt.

Restricted net position – This category reflects the portion of net position that has third party limitations on their use.

Unrestricted net position – This category reflects net position of the Village, not restricted for any project or other purpose.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

E. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Position or Equity (continued)

12. Fund Equity Reservation and Designations

In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report aggregate amounts for five classifications of fund balances based on the constraints imposed on the use of these resources. The nonspendable fund balance classification includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form – prepaid items or inventories; or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

The spendable portion of the fund balance comprises the remaining four classifications: restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned.

Restricted fund balance – This classification reflects the constraints imposed on resources either (a) externally by creditors, grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments; or (b) imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Committed fund balance – These amounts can only be used for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal resolutions or ordinances of the Village council – the government's highest level of decision making authority. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Village council removes the specified use by taking the same type of action imposing the commitment. This classification also includes contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

Assigned fund balance – This classification reflects the amounts constrained by the Village's "intent" to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. The Village Council has the authority to assign amounts to be used for specific purposes. Assigned fund balances include all remaining amounts (except negative balances) that are reported in governmental funds, other than the general fund, that are not classified as nonspendable and are neither restricted nor committed.

Unassigned fund balance – This fund balance is the residual classification for the general fund. It is also used to report negative fund balances in other governmental funds.

When both restricted and unrestricted resources are available for use, it is the Village's policy to use externally restricted resources first, then unrestricted resources – committed, assigned, and unassigned – in order as needed.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

F. Other Matters

1. Presentation

Certain reclassifications of prior year information have been made to conform to current year presentation.

2. Cash Flows

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, the Village considers all highly liquid investments, including restricted cash with maturity of three months or less when purchased, to be cash equivalents.

3. Use of Estimates

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

2. CASH

The amounts reported as cash within the financial statement is displayed as:

Statement of Net Position: Cash Restricted cash Statement of Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities	\$ 989,517 144,360 400
Total cash reported on financial statements	\$ 1,134,277
Cash at various locations:	
Cash held at International Bank Cash held at New Mexico	\$ 1,037,510
Finance Authority	96,767
Total cash	\$ 1,134,277

Cash Deposited with Financial Institution

The Village maintains cash deposits in one financial institution within Cimarron, New Mexico. The Village's deposits are carried at cost. The Federal Depository Insurance Corporation (FDIC) insures the cash accounts at the financial institution.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

2. CASH (continued)

Cash Deposited with Financial Institution (continued)

As of June 30, 2016, the amount of cash reported on the financial statements differs from the amount on deposit with the institution because of transactions in transit and outstanding checks. The location and amounts deposited are as follows:

	Pe	Per Institution		econciling Items	er Financial Statements
International Bank Village of Cimarron Housing Authority	\$	1,011,385 63,377	\$	(31,082) (6,170)	\$ 980,303 57,207
	\$	1,074,762	\$	(37,252)	\$ 1,037,510

Except for items in transit, the carrying value of deposits by the respective depositories equated to the carrying value by the Village. All deposits are collateralized with eligible securities, as described by New Mexico State Statute, in amounts equal to at least 50% of the Village carrying value of the deposits (demand and certificates of deposit). Such collateral, as permitted by the state statutes is held in each respective depository bank's collateral pool at a Federal Reserve Bank, or member bank other than the depository bank, in the name of the respective depository bank and pledged as a pool of collateral against all of the public deposits it holds with the exception of deposit insurance provided by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

	International Bank				
	Village of Cimarron	Housing Authority			
Total deposits in bank Less FDIC coverage	\$ 1,011,385 (250,000)	\$ 63,377 (63,377)			
Uninsured public funds	761,385	\$ -			
Pledged collateral held by pledging bank's agent, but not in the Village's name	399,916				
Uninsured and uncollateralized public funds	\$ 361,469				
Total pledged collateral 50% pledged collateral requirement per state statute	\$ 399,916 (380,693)				
Over (under) collateralization	\$ 19,223				

A detailed listing of the pledged collateral is contained in the supplemental financial information section of this report.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

2. CASH (continued)

Cash Deposited with Financial Institutions (continued)

Custodial Credit Risk – Deposits – 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 Village does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, 2016, \$761,385 of the Village's bank balance of \$1,074,762 was exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

	Int	ernational
		Bank
Uninsured and collateralized held by pledging bank's trust department or agent not in the Village's name.	\$	761,385

Restricted Cash

The amounts reported as restricted cash for the Village within the financial statements are displayed as:

	Government Activities		ness-Type ctivities	Total
Statement of Net Position: Restricted - cash Restricted - held by fiscal agent	\$	- 95,274	\$ 49,086	\$ 49,086 95,274
	\$	95,274	\$ 49,086	\$ 144,360
Purpose of the Restriction: Held by fiscal agent for debt service Utility meter deposits Housing tenant deposits	\$	95,274 - -	\$ 1,493 44,064 3,529	\$ 96,767 44,064 3,529
	\$	95,274	\$ 49,086	\$ 144,360

Cash Held by Fiscal Agent

The Village has entered into various note agreements with the New Mexico Finance Authority. The agreements have various provisions that include cash to be retained for future debt requirements. The Village considers such amounts as restricted cash within the financial statements.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

3. RECEIVABLES, NET

Receivables, net of allowance for doubtful accounts, at June 30, 2016, consisted of the following:

	Governmental Activities			siness-Type Activities
Accounts receivable:				
Charges for services	\$	138	\$	167,543
Court fines		1,857		-
Allowance for doubtful accounts		-		(121,370)
Total		1,995		46,173
Taxes receivable:				
Gross receipts taxes		55,932		687
Property taxes		11,792		-
Franchise taxes		5,570		-
Lodgers' taxes		4,001		-
Public service taxes		5,078		-
Allowance for doubtful accounts		(182)		
Total		82,191		687
Intergovernmental receivables:				
Housing and Urban Development - operating		-		3,968
Housing and Urban Development - capital				13,335
Total		-		17,303
Interest receivable				104
Total	\$	84,186	\$	64,267

The Village's policy is to provide for uncollectible amounts based upon expected defaults.

4. PROPERTY TAX

Property taxes attached as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1st. Property tax rates for the year are set no later than September 1st each year by the New Mexico Secretary of Finance and Administration. The rates of tax are then used by the Colfax County Assessor to develop the property tax schedule by October 1st. Tax notices are sent by the Colfax County Treasurer to property owners by November 1st of each year.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

4. PROPERTY TAX (continued)

Taxes are payable in equal semiannual installments by November 10th and April 10th of the subsequent year. Thirty days later the bill becomes delinquent and the county treasurer assesses penalties and interest. Taxes are collected on behalf of the Village by the county treasurer, and are remitted to the Village in the month following collection. The Colfax County treasurer is statutorily required to collect taxes as an intermediary agency for all governments within the county. Distribution of taxes collected is made through the county treasurer's office.

The Village is permitted to levy taxes for general operating purposes up to an amount determined by a formula based upon each \$1,000 of taxable value for both residential and nonresidential property, taxable value being defined as one third of the fully assessed value. In addition, the Village is allowed to levy taxes for payments of bonds principal and interest in amounts approved by voters of the Village. The Village's total tax rate to finance general government services for the tax year 2015, was \$7.650 per \$1,000 for non-residential and \$5.159 for residential property. In the year 2015, there was no tax rate established for payment of bonds principal and interest.

5. CAPITAL ASSETS

Governmental activities capital assets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016

		Balance 06/30/15		Increases		Decreases		Adjustments		Balance 06/30/16	
Governmental Activities: Capital assets, not being depreciated: Land	\$	117,880	\$	_	\$		\$	_	\$	117,880	
Construction in progress		62,141	Ψ	<u>-</u>		(62,141)	<u> </u>		Ψ	-	
Total capital assets,											
not being depreciated		180,021		-		(62,141)		-		117,880	
Other capital assets, being depreciated:											
Buildings and improvements		1,720,371		-		-		-		1,720,371	
Infrastructure		2,193,682		231,556		-		-		2,425,238	
Vehicles		860,204		29,500		-		-		889,704	
Equipment		478,436		-		-		-		478,436	
Total other capital assets		5,252,693		261,056		-		-		5,513,749	
Less accumulated depreciation for:											
Buildings and improvements		(1,013,514)		(49,417)		-		118,545		(944,386)	
Infrastructure		(986,051)		(68,777)		-		219,427		(835,401)	
Vehicles		(555,302)		(38,391)		-		-		(593,693)	
Equipment		(403,613)		(15,934)		-		-		(419,547)	
Total accumulated depreciation		(2,958,480)		(172,519)				337,972		(2,793,027)	
Other capital assets, net		2,294,213		88,537		-		337,972		2,720,722	
Total capital assets, net	\$	2,474,234	\$	88,537	\$	(62,141)	\$	337,972	\$	2,838,602	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

5. CAPITAL ASSETS (continued)

Depreciation expense was charged to functions (programs) as follows:

Governmental Activities:	
General government	\$ 41,719
Public safety	52,606
Highway and streets	72,710
Health and welfare	618
Culture and recreation	 4,866
	\$ 172,519

Business-type activities capital assets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016:

	Balance 06/30/15 Increases Dec		Decre	Decreases Adjustments			Balance 06/30/16		
Business-Type Activities: Capital assets, not being depreciated:									
Land	\$	76,600	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	76,600
Other capital assets, being depreciated:									
Buildings		856,961	10,135		-		-		867,096
Water and sewer utility system	6	621,537	-		-		-		6,621,537
Equipment		593,309	-		-		-		593,309
Heavy equipment		59,800	-		-		-		59,800
Vehicles		293,523	 -		-		-		293,523
Total other capital assets	8	425,130	10,135		-		-		8,435,265
Less accumulated depreciation for:									
Buildings	((513,116)	(29,789)		-		-		(542,905)
Water and sewer utility system	(4	049,699)	(191,452)		-		782,873		(3,458,278)
Equipment	((566,813)	(8,609)		-		-		(575,422)
Heavy equipment		(59,800)	-		-		-		(59,800)
Vehicles		259,681)	 (30,650)		-		-		(290,331)
Total accumulated depreciation	(5	449,109)	 (260,500)				782,873		(4,926,736)
Other capital assets, net	2	976,021	 (250,365)				782,873		3,508,529
Total capital assets, net	\$ 3	052,621	\$ (250,365)	\$		\$	782,873	\$	3,585,129

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS

Governmental Activities Debt

Changes in governmental activities loan activity during the year ended June 30, 2016, were as follows:

	Balance 06/30/15	Д	additions	D	eletions	Balance 06/30/16	Du	mounts le Within ne Year
Notes payable Compensated absences	\$ 191,436 8,920	\$	95,718 9,271	\$	17,080 7,803	\$ 270,074 10,388	\$	33,631 7,272
Total	\$ 200,356	\$	104,989	\$	24,883	\$ 280,462	\$	40,903

Note Payable – New Mexico Finance Authority PP-3230

On December 5, 2014, the Village borrowed \$191,436 from the New Mexico Finance Authority for the purpose of financing the costs of purchasing a Class A fire pumper for the use by the Village. The loan is to be repaid solely from the distribution of fire protection fund revenues distributed by the state treasurer, pursuant to Village resolution no. 2015-9, adopted on October 22, 2014. The note matures May 1, 2025. The annual payment is approximately \$21,312 and accrues interest at a blended rate of 1.870392%. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the note:

Due in the fiscal year ending June 30:

	F	Principal	I	nterest	 Total
2017	\$	18,388	\$	2,924	\$ 21,312
2018		18,519		2,793	21,312
2019		18,696		2,615	21,311
2020		18,926		2,385	21,311
2021		19,208		2,103	21,311
2022-2025		80,619		4,628	85,247
	\$	174,356	\$	17,448	\$ 191,804

Note Payable - New Mexico Finance Authority PP-3325

On January 22, 2016, the Village borrowed \$95,718 from the New Mexico Finance Authority for the purpose of financing the purchasing three police vehicles for the use by the Village. The loan is to be repaid solely from the distribution of Law Enforcement Protection fund revenues distributed by the state treasurer, pursuant to Village Resolution No. 2016-16, adopted on December 9, 2015. The note matures May 1, 2022. The annual payment is approximately \$16,844 and accrues interest at a blended rate of 1.462147%. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the note:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (continued)

Note Payable - New Mexico Finance Authority PP-3325 (continued)

	P	rincipal	Ir	Interest		Total		
2017	\$	15,243	\$	1,601	\$	16,844		
2018		15,710		1,134		16,844		
2019		15,868		976		16,844		
2020		16,061		783		16,844		
2021		16,287		557		16,844		
2022		16,549		295		16,844		
	\$	95,718	\$	5,346	\$	101,064		

Compensated Absences

A liability for unused vacation for all full-time employees is calculated and reported in the government-wide statements. For financial reporting, the following criteria must be met to be considered as compensated absences:

- leave or compensation is attributable to services already rendered.
- leave or compensation is not contingent on a specific event (such as illness).

Per GASB Interpretation No. 6, liabilities for compensated absences are recognized in the fund statements to the extent the liabilities have matured (i.e., are due for payment). Compensated absences are accrued in the government-wide statements. The compensated absences liability attributable to the governmental activities will be liquidated primarily by the general fund.

Business-Type Activities Debt

Changes in business-type activities loan activity during the year ended June 30, 2016, were as follows:

	-	3alance 06/30/15	Ad	Iditions	<u>D</u>	eletions	_	3alance 06/30/16	Du	mounts e Within ne Year
Business-Type Activities:										
Bonds payable	\$	241,225	\$	-	\$	8,600	\$	232,625	\$	8,700
Notes payable		119,618		-		22,208		97,410		22,776
Compensated absences		2,159		4,791		4,459		2,491		1,993
Total	\$	363,002	\$	4,791	\$	35,267	\$	332,526	\$	33,469

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (continued)

1985 Water and Sewer Revenue Bonds

In January 1987, the Village authorized the issuance of the Village of Cimarron, New Mexico Water and Wastewater System Improvement Revenue bonds in the principal amount of \$151,000 at par, and at an interest rate of 5.00% per annum for the purpose of financing improvements to the Village's wastewater system. The bonds are payable and collectible solely from net revenues derived from the operation of the Village's wastewater system. The bonds mature on January 1, 2025. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the bonds:

Due in the fiscal year ending June 30:

	P	rincipal	 nterest	Total
2017	\$	6,000	\$ 3,350	\$ 9,350
2018		6,000	3,050	9,050
2019		7,000	2,750	9,750
2020		7,000	2,400	9,400
2021		7,000	2,050	9,050
2022-2025		34,000	 4,350	 38,350
	\$	67,000	\$ 17,950	\$ 84,950

2004 Water System Revenue Bonds

On September 29, 2004, the Village authorized the issuance of the Village of Cimarron, New Mexico, Water System Improvement Revenue Bonds in the principal amount of \$188,125 at par, and at an interest rate of 4.75% per annum for the purpose of financing improvements to the Village's water system. The bonds are payable and collectible solely from net revenues derived from the operation of the Village's water system. The bonds mature on September 29, 2044. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the bonds:

Due in the fiscal year ending June 30:

	Principal		 Interest		Total	
2017	\$	2,700	\$ 7,128	\$	9,828	
2018		2,800	7,006		9,806	
2019		2,900	6,879		9,779	
2020		3,100	6,743		9,843	
2021		3,200	6,603		9,803	
2022		3,400	6,454		9,854	
2023-2027		19,500	30,700		50,200	
2028-2032		24,600	24,873		49,473	
2033-2037		31,000	18,687		49,687	
2038-2042		39,100	10,877		49,977	
2043-2045		33,325	1,717		35,042	
	\$	165,625	\$ 127,667	\$	293,292	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (continued)

Note Payable – NM Environmental Department #93-04 - Water Utility System Improvements

In May 1994, the Village borrowed \$180,932 from the New Mexico Environmental Department for the purpose of financing the cost of replacing water distribution lines, complete the improvements to the existing filter plant, replacing pipes at the transmission line and to make improvements to the sewer lagoons. The loan is to be repaid with annual payments to be made by the Village. The annual payment is approximately \$13,742 and accrues interest at 3.00%. The note matures November 27, 2017. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the note:

Due in the fiscal year ending June 30:

	P	Principal		nterest	 Total		
2017 2018	\$	12,953 13,342	\$	789 400	\$ 13,742 13,742		
	\$	26,295	\$	1,189	\$ 27,484		

Note Payable – New Mexico Finance Authority WTB-0210

On May 11, 2012, the Village borrowed \$35,000 from the New Mexico Finance Authority for planning and design for construction of a zero discharge water reused system. The loan is to be repaid from net system revenues as defined in the Village resolution no. 2012-34 adopted March 28, 2012. The note matures June 1, 2032. The annual payment is approximately \$1,796, does not accrue interest but does carry an administrative fee of .25%. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the note:

Due in the fiscal year ending June 30:

			Admi	inistrative			
	P	rincipal		Fee	Total		
				_			
2017	\$	1,726	\$	70	\$	1,796	
2018		1,730		66		1,796	
2019		1,735		62		1,797	
2020		1,739		58		1,797	
2021		1,743		53		1,796	
2022-2026		8,782		200		8,982	
2027-2032		10,684		94_		10,778	
	\$	28,139	\$	603	\$	28,742	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

6. LONG-TERM OBLIGATIONS (continued)

Note Payable - New Mexico Finance Authority EJP PP-2623

On November 4, 2011, the Village borrowed \$81,200 from the New Mexico Finance Authority for the purchase of an ambulance for use by the Village. The loan is to be repaid from the monthly distribution of the fifth increment of municipal gross receipts tax. The note matures May 1, 2021. The annual payment is approximately \$9,090, and accrues interest at a blended interest rate of 1.705%. The following is a schedule of the annual payments required for the note:

Due in the fiscal year ending June 30:

	P	rincipal	Interest		Total	
0047	•	2 227	•	201		
2017	\$	8,097	\$	821	\$	8,918
2018		8,314		709		9,023
2019		8,563		571		9,134
2020		8,845		407		9,252
2021		9,157		216		9,373
	\$	42,976	\$	2,724	\$	45,700

7. INTERFUND BALANCES AND TRANSFERS

Interfund Balances

The composition of interfund balances as of June 30, 2016, is as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	 Amount
General General	Water & Sewer Capital Projects	\$ 77,971 171,034
		\$ 249,005

These balances resulted from the time lag between the transactions and the receipt of revenue to offset the expenditures an advances of pooled cash between funds. The Village has not established a plan for repayment of the funds. At the present time, \$249,005 is considered noncurrent.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

7. INTERFUND BALANCES AND TRANSFERS (continued)

Transfers

		Tra	ansfers In			
	Seneral Fund		Water Fund	,	Solid Waste Fund	Total
Transfers (Out): General Fund Water Fund Non-major Governmental Fund	\$ - - 21,523	\$	60,000	\$	30,000 21,157	\$ 90,000 21,157 21,523
	\$ 21,523	\$	60,000	\$	51,157	\$ 132,680

The Village uses transfers to move unrestricted revenues collected in the general fund to finance various programs accounted for in other funds in accordance with budgetary authorizations.

8. DEFICIT FUND BALANCE

The capital outlay fund has a deficit fund balance of \$188,448 as of June 30, 2016. The Village anticipates the receipt of grant revenues and/or transfers from the general fund to eliminate the deficit.

9. RESTATEMENT OF NET POSITION

The Village has discovered errors within the prior years' financial statements. The following describes the changes made to the beginning net position and fund balances:

A description and the effect of the changes are as follows:

	Government-Wide				
		vernmental Activities		siness-Type Activities	 ndividual Funds
Government-Wide Financial Statements Net capital assets understated		337,972			
Major Funds					
General Fund Cash understated Interfund receivables overstated		804 (21,468)			\$ 804 (21,468)
Total general fund					\$ (20,664)
Water and Sewer Fund Cash overstated Net capital assets understated Total water and sewer fund			\$	(15,887) 784,225	\$ (15,887) 784,225 768,338
Housing Authority Fund Interfund payable was overstated				21,468	\$ 21,468
Total Government-Wide Financial Statements	\$	317,308	\$	789,806	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

10. PENSION PLAN - PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

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 New Mexico Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) and additions to/deductions from PERA's fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by PERA, 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.

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/Audit 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), and the Educational 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 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, 2015 that can be obtained at:

http://osanm.org/media/audits/366 Public Employees Retirement Association 2015.pdf.

Contributions - The contribution requirements of defined benefit plan members and the Village of Cimarron are established in state statute 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 31 and 32 of the PERA FY15 annual audit report which can be located at the following internet address:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

10. PENSION PLAN – PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (continued)

General Information About the Pension Plan (continued)

http://osanm.org/media/audits/366_Public_Employees_Retirement_Association_2015.pdf.

The PERA coverage options that apply to Village of Cimarron are: Municipal General and Municipal Police. Statutorily required contributions to the pension plan from the Village of Cimarron were \$18,065 for the year ended June 30, 2016.

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pension - 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 employer's portion was established as of the measurement date June 30, 2015.

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.

The Village of Cimarron's 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, 2015. Only employer contributions for the pay period end dates that fell within the period of July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2015 were included in the total contributions for a specific employer. Regular and any adjustment contributions that applied to FY15 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.

PERA Fund Municipal General Division - At June 30, 2016, the Village of Cimarron reported a liability of \$196,780 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. At June 30, 2015, the Village of Cimarron's proportion was .0193 percent, which was unchanged from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2014, due to the insignificance of the difference.

For the year ended June 30, 2016, the Village of Cimarron recognized PERA Fund Municipal General Division pension expense of \$11,281. At June 30, 2016, the Village of Cimarron reported PERA Fund Municipal General Division deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows or resources related to pensions from the following sources:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

10. PENSION PLAN – PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (continued)

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pension (continued) -

	Ou	eferred atflows of esources	 Deferred Inflows of Resources
Changes of assumptions	\$	-	\$ 76
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		-	622
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan experience		-	4,359
Changes in proportion		-	21,445
Village of Cimarron contributions subsequent to the measurement date		18,065	
	\$	18,065	\$ 26,502

\$18,065 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Village of Cimarron's contributions subsequent to the measurement date June 30, 2015 will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2016. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended	
2017	\$ 5,212
2018	5,212
2019	5,212
2020	(10,578)
2021	-
Thereafter	-

PERA Fund Municipal Police Division - At June 30, 2016, the Village of Cimarron reported a liability of \$134,159 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. At June 30, 2015, the Village of Cimarron's proportion was .0279 percent, which was an increase of zero from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2014, due to the insignificance of the difference.

For the year ended June 30, 2016, the Village of Cimarron recognized PERA Fund Municipal Police Division pension expense of \$11,294. At June 30, 2016, the Village of Cimarron reported PERA Fund Municipal Police Division deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows or resources related to pensions from the following sources:

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

10. PENSION PLAN – PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (continued)

PERA Fund Municipal Police Division (continued)

	Ou	eferred atflows of esources	Deferred Inflows of Resources			
Changes of assumptions	\$	-	\$	5,550		
Net difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		-		372		
Changes in proportion		-		7,468		
Village of Cimarron contributions subsequent to the measurement date		20,668				
	\$	20,668	\$	13,390		

\$20,668 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Village of Cimarron's contributions subsequent to the measurement date June 30, 2015 will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2016. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year Ended	
2017	\$ 1,142
2018	1,142
2019	1,142
2020	(6,879)
2021	-
Thereafter	_

Actuarial assumption - As described above, the PERA Fund member group pension liabilities and net pension liabilities are based on actuarial valuations performed as of June 30, 2014 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, 2015 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, 2015. These actuarial methods and assumptions were adopted by the Board for use in the June 30, 2015 actuarial valuation.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

10. PENSION PLAN – PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (continued)

PERA Fund Municipal Police Division (continued)

Actuarial valuation date June 30, 2014 Actuarial cost method Entry age normal Amortization method Level percentage of pay, open Solved for based on statutory rates Amortization period Asset valuation method Fair value Actuarial assumptions: Investment rate of return 7.75% annual rate, net of investment expense Projected benefit payment 100 years 3.50% annual rate Payroll growth • Projected salary increases 3.50% to 14.25% annual rate Includes inflation at 3.00% annual rate RP-2000 Mortality Tables (combined table for Mortality Assumption healthy post-retirements, Employee Table for active members, and Disabled table for disabled retirees before retirement age) with projection to 2018 using Scale AA. Experience Study Dates July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2013

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
US Equity	21.10%	5.00%
International Equity	24.80%	5.20%
Private Equity	7.00%	8.20%
Core and Global Fixed Income	26.10%	1.85%
Fixed Income Plus Sectors	5.00%	4.80%
Real Estate	5.00%	5.30%
Real Assets	7.00%	5.70%
Absolute Return	4.00%	4.15%
Total	100.00%	

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

10. PENSION PLAN – PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (continued)

PERA Fund Municipal Police Division (continued)

Discount rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.75 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 7.75% 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.

Sensitivity of the Village of Cimarron'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 the Village of Cimarron's net pension liability in each PERA Fund Division that Village of Cimarron participates in, under the current single rate assumption; as if it were calculated using a discount rate one percentage point lower (6.75%) or one percentage point higher (8.75%) than the single discount rate.

	1%	6.75%	Disc	current count Rate 7.75%	1% Increase 8.75%		
PERA Fund Municipal General Division							
City of Bayard proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	335,039	\$	196,780	\$	81,828	
PERA Fund Municipal General Division							
City of Bayard's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	221,555	\$	134,159	\$	62,464	

Pension plan fiduciary net position - Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued FY14 Restated PERA financial report. The report is available at:

 $\frac{http://www.nmpera.org/assets/uploads/downloads/comprehensive-annual-financial-reports/CAFR-2015.pdf}{\\$

11. BAD DEBT EXPENSE – ENTERPRISE FUNDS

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, the Village recorded changes to allowance for doubtful accounts for the enterprise funds. The recording of an allowance for doubtful accounts is performed only for financial reporting purposes. The change in the allowance is based on historical experiences regarding the collection of accounts. The Village maintains historical records of outstanding receivables owed to the Village.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

11. BAD DEBT EXPENSE - ENTERPRISE FUNDS (continued)

The following changes in the allowance have been posted to each fund, thereby increasing or decreasing charges for services revenues recorded on the income statement:

Water and Sewer Fund \$ (1,965) Solid Waste Fund \$ (1,534) Ambulance Fund \$ (25,879) Housing Authority Fund \$ 1,055

12. HOUSING AUTHORITY FUND BUDGET

For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, budget expenses for the Housing Authority Fund were established at \$67,960. During the fiscal year, the Housing Authority Fund incurred expenses in the amount of \$83,369, thereby exceeding the authorized budget by \$15,409.

13. POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

The Retiree Health Care Act (Chapter 10, Article 7C, NMSA 1978) provides comprehensive group health insurance for persons who have retired from certain public service in New Mexico. The purpose is to provide eligible retirees, their spouses, dependents, and surviving spouses and dependents with health insurance consisting of a plan, or optional plans, of benefits that can be purchased by funds flowing into Retiree Health Care Fund and by copayments or out-of-pocket payments to eligible retirees. The Village has elected not to participate in the post-employment health insurance plan.

14. RISK MANAGEMENT

The Village is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to, and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The Village has joined together with other local governments in the state, and obtained insurance through the New Mexico Self Insured Fund, a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management and insurance program for local governments. The Village pays an annual premium to New Mexico Self Insured Fund for its general insurance coverage, and all risk of loss is transferred.

15. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011, the Village of Cimarron presented an invoice to the Cimarron Housing Authority requesting reimbursement of \$62,437 in legal fees in connection to the Gruver Settlement. The Housing Board agreed to reimburse the Village for \$32,000 of this amount, in a minimum annual payment of \$3,000 without interest, until paid in full. The balance due to the Village from the Housing Authority at June 30, 2015 was \$21,468.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2016

15. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (continued)

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, the Village did not receive any additional reimbursements from the Housing Authority. The Village continues to seek reimbursement, however; the likelihood of collections is remote. For financial reporting purposes, the Village has removed the receivable from its financial statements and will continue the effort to collect the amount owed.

Amounts received or receivable from grantor agencies are subject to audit and adjustments by grantor agencies, principally the federal and agencies of the state governments. Any disallowed claims, including amounts already collected, may constitute a liability of the applicable funds. The amounts, if any, of expenditures, which may be disallowed by the grantor, cannot be determined at this time although the Village expects such amounts, if any, to be immaterial.

16. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

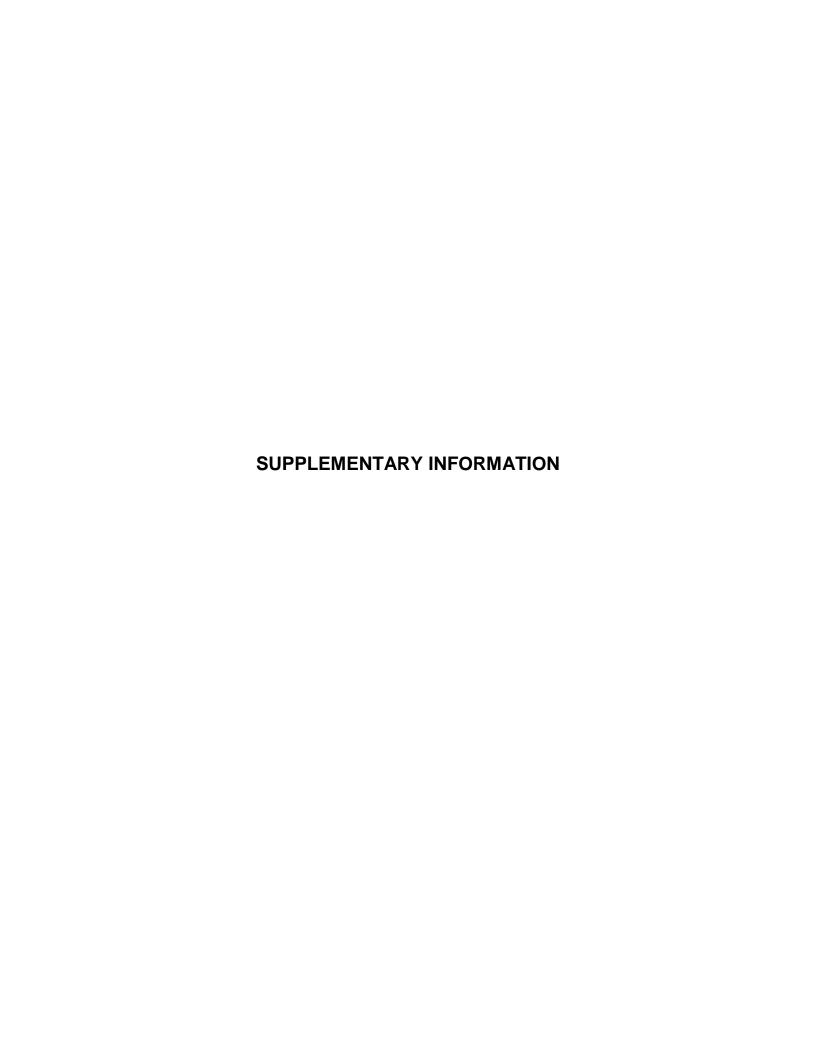
Housing Authority

On December 9, 2015, the Village passed Resolution 2016-17 authorizing Northern Regional Housing Authority (NRHA) to accept permanent ownership of the housing program and properties. On March 29, 2016, the Department of Housing and Urban Development approved the transfer of ownership. The Village has reported all financial activity of the Housing Authority for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016.

On July 1, 2016, the Village completed the transfer of all assets, liabilities, and equity to NRHA.

Other Matters

Subsequent events were evaluated through July 20, 2017, which is the date of the independent auditors' report.



COMBINING AND INDIVIDUAL OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS JUNE 30, 2016

Special Revenue Funds Total Lodgers' Fire Other Protection Recreation Cemetery Tax Corrections Governmental Fund Fund Fund Fund Fund Funds **ASSETS** 134,374 Cash and cash equivalents \$ 105,953 \$ 286 \$ 13,832 \$ 4,689 \$ 259,134 Receivables, net 4,001 1,857 5,858 Restricted: Cash held by fiscal agent 83 83 Total assets 106,036 \$ 286 13,832 \$ 8,690 136,231 265,075 **LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES** Liabilities: Accounts payable \$ 315 \$ 297 612 Fund Balances: Restricted for: Debt service 83 83 State mandated per statutes 105,638 8,393 114,031 Assigned 13,832 136,231 150,349 286 Total fund balances 136,231 105,721 286 13,832 8,393 264,463 Total liabilities and fund balances 286 13,832 136,231 265,075 106,036 8,690

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

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OTHER GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

Specia	Revenue	Func	ls
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		Special Revenue Funds											
	F	Fire Protection Fund		Recreation Fund		Cemetery Fund		Lodgers' Tax Fund		Corrections Fund		Total Other vernmental Funds	
Revenues:													
Lodgers' taxes	\$	=	\$	-	\$	-	\$	19,757	\$	-	\$	19,757	
Intergovernmental:													
State		77,852		-		-		-		-		77,852	
Local		9,500		-		-		-		-		9,500	
Charges for services		-		-		3,897		-		-		3,897	
Fines and forfeitures		-		-		-		-		29,147		29,147	
Interest		32		-		-		-		-		32	
Miscellaneous		1,001		-								1,001	
Total revenues		88,385		-		3,897		19,757		29,147		141,186	
Expenditures: Current:													
Public safety		47,462		_		-		-		2,255		49,717	
Culture and recreation		-		-		-		14,610		· -		14,610	
Health and welfare		-		-		608		-		-		608	
Debt service:													
Principal		17,080		-		-		-		-		17,080	
Interest and other charges		4,231		-		-		-		-		4,231	
Total expenditures		68,773		_		608		14,610		2,255		86,246	
Excess revenues over expenditures		19,612		-		3,289		5,147		26,892		54,940	
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Transfers out						<u> </u>				(21,523)		(21,523)	
Net change in fund balances		19,612		-		3,289		5,147		5,369		33,417	
Fund balances, beginning of year		86,109		286		10,543		3,246		130,862		231,046	
Fund balances, end of year	\$	105,721	\$	286	\$	13,832	\$	8,393	\$	136,231	\$	264,463	
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

OTHER SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS BUDGETARY COMPARISON STATEMENTS

FIRE PROTECTION FUND

	Bud	geted Amo		Actual on Budgetary		Budget to GAAP		Actual on GAAP		etary Basis ance With al Budget
	Original		Final	 Basis	Dif	ferences		Basis	Over (Under)	
Revenues:										
Intergovernmental:										
State	\$ 74,5	87 \$	74,587	\$ 77,852	\$	-	\$	77,852	\$	3,265
Local	92,5	52	92,552	9,500		-		9,500		(83,052)
Interest		-	-	32		-		32		32
Miscellaneous		<u> </u>	-	 1,001		-		1,001		1,001
Total revenues	167,1	39	167,139	88,385		-		88,385		(78,754)
Expenditures:										
Current:										
Public safety	100,4	00	100,400	52,959		(5,497)		47,462		47,441
Capital outlay	40,0	00	40,000	28,968		(28,968)		-		11,032
Debt service:										
Principal		-	-	17,080		-		17,080		(17,080)
Interest and other charges		<u> </u>	-	 4,231		<u> </u>		4,231		(4,231)
Total expenditures	140,4	00	140,400	103,238		(34,465)		68,773		37,162
Net change	26,7	39	26,739	(14,853)	\$	34,465	\$	19,612		(41,592)
Cash balance, beginning of year	120,8	89	120,889	 120,889						
Cash balance, end of year	\$ 147,6	28 \$	147,628	\$ 106,036					\$	(41,592)
Explanation of Differences: Change in accounts payable					\$	34,465				

RECREATION FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts Original Final		Budo	ial on getary asis	Budg GA/ Differe	ΑP	Actua GA/ Bas	\ P	Budgetary Basis Variance With Final Budget Over (Under)		
Revenues: Charges for services	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
Expenditures: Current: Culture and recreation		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>		-		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>
(Deficiency) of revenues over expenditures		-	-		-		-		-		-
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Transfers in					<u>-</u>						
Net change		-	-		-	\$	-	\$			-
Cash balance, beginning of year		286	 286		286						
Cash balance, end of year	\$	286	\$ 286	\$	286					\$	

Explanation of Differences:

None.

CEMETERY FUND

	0	Budgeted riginal	s Final	Bu	Actual on Budgetary Basis		lget to AAP rences	GAAP		Varian Final	ary Basis ace With Budget (Under)
Revenues: Charges for services	\$	600	\$ 3,928	\$	3,897	\$	-	\$	3,897	\$	(31)
Expenditures: Current: Health and welfare		500	657		627		(19)		608		30
Net change		100	3,271		3,270	\$	19	\$	3,289		(1)
Cash balance, beginning of year		10,562	 10,562		10,562						
Cash balance, end of year	\$	10,662	\$ 13,833	\$	13,832					\$	(1)
Explanation of Differences: Change in accounts payable						\$	(19)				

LODGERS' TAX FUND

	 Budgeted Original	d Amount	ts Final	Bu	ctual on Idgetary Basis	Budget to GAAP Differences		Actual on GAAP Basis		Varia Fina	etary Basis ance With al Budget er (Under)
	 nigiriai	FIIIdi		Dasis		Dilicicnocs			Dasis		(Orider)
Revenues:		_		_		_		_		_	
Lodgers' taxes Miscellaneous	\$ 20,000 509	\$	20,000 509	\$	18,743 -	\$	1,014	\$	19,757 -	\$	(1,257) (509)
Total revenues	20,509		20,509		18,743		1,014		19,757		(1,766)
Expenditures: Current:											
Culture and recreation	18,000		18,000		16,839		(2,229)		14,610		1,161
Net change	2,509		2,509		1,904	\$	3,243	\$	5,147		(605)
Cash balance, beginning of year	2,785	•	2,785		2,785					-	
Cash balance, end of year	\$ 5,294	\$	5,294	\$	4,689					\$	(605)
Explanation of Differences: Change in receivables Change in accounts payable						\$	1,014 2,229				
						\$	3,243				

CORRECTIONS FUND

	 Budgeted	nts	Actual on Budgetary		Budget to GAAP		Actual on GAAP		Vari	etary Basis ance With al Budget	
	Original		Final		Basis	Differences		Basis		Ove	er (Under)
Revenues: Fines and forfeitures	\$ 82,000	\$	82,000	\$	27,590	\$	1,557	\$	29,147	\$	(54,410)
Expenditures: Current:											
Public safety	82,000		82,000		2,255		-		2,255		79,745
Excess of revenues over expenditures	-		-		25,335		1,557		26,892		25,335
Other Financing Sources (Uses): Transfer out	 		<u> </u>		(21,523)	,			(21,523)		(21,523)
Net change	-		-		3,812	\$	1,557	\$	5,369		3,812
Cash balance, beginning of year	 130,562		130,562		130,562						
Cash balance, end of year	\$ 130,562	\$	130,562	\$	134,374					\$	3,812
Explanation of Differences: Change in receivables						\$	1,557				

CAPITAL PROJECT FUND BUDGETARY COMPARISON STATEMENT

CAPITAL OUTLAY FUND

	Bu Original	dgeted A	eted Amounts Final			actual on udgetary Basis	G	dget to AAP erences	 Actual on GAAP Basis	Va Fi	lgetary Basis iriance With nal Budget ver (Under)
Revenues: Intergovernmental: Federal State	\$ 4,695 824	000 135	\$	4,695,000 824,135	\$	- -	\$	- -	\$ - -	\$	(4,695,000) (824,135)
Total revenues	5,519	135		5,519,135		-		-	-		(5,519,135)
Expenditures: Capital outlay Net change	5,519	135 <u> </u>		5,519,135		121,308		4,999 (4,999)	 126,307 (126,307)		5,397,827
Cash balance, beginning of year		-		-		-		(, , , , , ,	(/- /		-
Cash advanced from general fund		<u> </u>				121,308					(121,308)
Cash balance, end of year	\$	<u> </u>	\$	-	\$					\$	(121,308)
Explanation of Differences: Change in accounts payable							\$	(4,999)			

MAJOR ENTERPRISE FUNDS BUDGETARY COMPARISON STATEMENTS

WATER AND SEWER FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts Original Final			Actual on Budget to Budgetary GAAP Basis Differences				Actual on GAAP	Budgetary Basis Variance With Final Budget		
Operating Povenues		Original		Final	 Basis	D	ifferences		Basis		Over (Under)
Operating Revenues: Charges for services	\$	276,650	\$	276,650	\$ 263,858	\$	(7,007)	\$	256,851	\$	(12,792)
Operating Expenses:											
Personnel services		137,100		137,100	108,430		(27,371)		81,059		28,670
Utilities		13,750		13,750	18,474		(140)		18,334		(4,724)
Contractual services		2,500		2,500	5,878		(5,762)		116		(3,378)
Professional services		7,100		7,100	5,529		3,600		9,129		1,571
Repairs and maintenance		13,450		13,450	9,638		(288) (8,742)		9,350		3,812
General operating Fuel		57,700 7,400		57,700 7,400	57,454 1,719		(8,742)		48,712 1,523		246 5,681
Insurance claims and expenses		11,500		11,500	12,885		(190)		12,885		(1,385)
Depreciation				-	-		193,163		193,163		- (1,000)
Total operating expenses		250,500		250,500	 220,007		154,264		374,271		30,493
Operating income (loss)		26,150		26,150	43,851		(161,271)		(117,420)		17,701
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):											
Miscellaneous income		-		-	91		(91)		-		91
Interest income		50		50	200		-		200		150
Debt service - principal		(30,000)		(30,000)	(22,898)		22,898		-		7,102
Interest expense and other charges		(15,000)		(15,000)	 (12,732)		2,692		(10,040)		2,268
Total non-operating revenues (expenses)		(44,950)		(44,950)	 (35,339)		25,499		(9,840)		9,611
Income (loss) before transfers		(18,800)		(18,800)	8,512		(135,772)		(127,260)		27,312
Transfers: Transfers in Transfers (out)		30,000		40,000	60,000		- (21,157 <u>)</u>		60,000 (21,157)		20,000
Total transfers		30,000		40,000	60,000		(21,157)		38,843		20,000
Net change		11,200		21,200	68,512	\$	(156,929)	\$	(88,417)		47,312
Cash balance, beginning of year		47,182		47,182	47,182			-			_
Restatement		(14,535)		(14,535)	(14,535)						_
Cash balance, beginning of year,			-		 					-	
restated	-	32,647		32,647	 32,647					_	
Cash balance, end of year	\$	43,847	\$	53,847	\$ 101,159					\$	47,312
Explanation of Differences: Change in receivables Change in interfund receivable Change in deferred outflow of resources Change in accounts payables Change in accrued salaries Change in accrued payroll liabilities Change in accrued interest payable Change in interfund payable Change in customer deposits payable Change in compensated absences Change in deferred inflows of resources Change in net pension liability Payment of long-term debt Bad debts expense Depreciation expense						\$	1,916 (7,075) 1,763 5,782 1,666 1,318 2,692 4,253 (1,212) (332) 16,147 (11,617) 22,898 (1,965) (193,163)				

SOLID WASTE FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual on Budgetary		Budget to GAAP		Actual on GAAP		Budgetary Basis Variance With Final Budget		
	 Original	7 111100	Final	_	Basis		ferences		Basis		er (Under)
Operating Revenues:	 										(
Charges for services	\$ 180,000	\$	180,000	\$	145,683	\$	(1,589)	\$	144,094	\$	(34,317)
Operating Expenses:											
Personnel services	38,789		38,789		-		-		-		38,789
Contractual services	170,000		170,000		167,418		(559)		166,859		2,582
Professional services	1,800		1,800				1,800		1,800		1,800
Repairs and maintenance	500		500		27		-		27		473
General operating	4,550		4,550		2,386		-		2,386		2,164
Fuel	1,500		1,500		-		-		-		1,500
Insurance claims and expenses	 1,500		1,500		604				604		896_
Total operating expenses	218,639		218,639		170,435		1,241		171,676		48,204
Operating (loss)	(38,639)		(38,639)		(24,752)		(2,830)		(27,582)		13,887
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):											
Gross receipts taxes	 12,000		12,000		7,014		(383)		6,631		(4,986)
(Loss) before transfers	(26,639)		(26,639)		(17,738)		(3,213)		(20,951)		8,901
Transfers:											
Transfers in	 30,000		45,000		30,000		21,157		51,157		(15,000)
Net change	3,361		18,361		12,262	\$	17,944	\$	30,206		(6,099)
Cash balance, beginning of year	 15,545		15,545		15,545						<u>-</u>
Cash balance, end of year	\$ 18,906	\$	33,906	\$	27,807					\$	(6,099)
Explanation of Differences: Change in receivables Change in payables Change in deferred inflows of resources Change in net pension liability Bad debts expense						\$	(438) (1,241) 5,956 15,201 (1,534) 17,944				

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

AMBULANCE FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts		Actual on Budgetary		Budget to GAAP		Actual on GAAP		Budgetary Basis Variance With Final Budget		
		Original	Final		Basis	Dif	ferences		Basis		er (Under)
Operating Revenues:	_										
Charges for services	\$	230,846	\$ 230,846	\$	78,388	\$	2,565	\$	80,953	\$	(152,458)
Operating Expenses:											
Utilities		7,000	7,000		4,626		(78)		4,548		2,374
Contractual services		8,000	8,000		5,722		(211)		5,511		2,278
Professional services		8,800	8,800		2,356		(1,800)		556		6,444
Repairs and maintenance		13,000	13,000		1,888		(295)		1,593		11,112
General operating		48,500	48,500		53,093		(18,983)		34,110		(4,593)
Fuel		9,000	9,000		5,302		(282)		5,020		3,698
Insurance claims and expenses		14,000	14,000		12,969		` -		12,969		1,031
Depreciation							37,548		37,548		
Total operating expenses		108,300	 108,300		85,956		15,899		101,855		22,344
Operating income (loss)		122,546	122,546		(7,568)		(13,334)		(20,902)		(130,114)
Non-Operating Revenues											
(Expenses):											
Intergovernmental		7,200	7,200		12,200		-		12,200		5,000
Miscellaneous revenues		3,500	3,500		300		-		300		(3,200)
Interest income		-	-		7		-		7		7
Capital outlay		(43,048)	(43,048)		-		-		-		43,048
Debt service - principal		-	-		(7,910)		7,910		-		(7,910)
Interest expense		-			(908)		14		(894)		(908)
Total non-operating											
revenues (expenses)		(32,348)	 (32,348)		3,689		7,924		11,613		36,037
Net change		90,198	90,198		(3,879)	\$	(5,410)	\$	(9,289)		(94,077)
Cash balance, beginning of year		188,338	188,338		188,338						<u>-</u>
Cash balance, end of year	\$	278,536	\$ 278,536	\$	184,459					\$	(94,077)
Explanation of Differences:											
Change in receivables						\$	28,444				
Change in accounts payable							14,574				
Change in accrued interest payable							14				
Retirement of interfund payable							7,075				
Retirement of long-term debt							7,910				
Bad debts expense							(25,879)				
Depreciation expense							(37,548)				
						\$	(5,410)				
						Ψ	(3,710)				

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

HOUSING AUTHORITY FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES AND CHANGES IN CASH BALANCE BUDGET (NON-GAAP BUDGETARY BASIS) AND ACTUAL ON BUDGETARY BASIS WITH RECONCILIATION TO GAAP FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	Budgeted Amounts			ctual on udgetary	Budget to GAAP		ctual on GAAP	Budgetary Basis Variance With Final Budget			
		Original	.,	Final	_	Basis	fferences		Basis		er (Under)
Operating Revenues:			-								(0110101)
Charges for services	\$	26,440	\$	22,860	\$	26,062	\$ -	\$	26,062	\$	3,202
Operating Expenses:											
Personnel services		9,790		10,550		10,148	(7,640)		2,508		402
Utilities		3,330		3,230		6,025	-		6,025		(2,795)
Contractual services		14,570		14,540		14,619	-		14,619		(79)
Professional services		5,600		5,600		2,500	-		2,500		3,100
Repairs and maintenance		22,190		20,040		27,066	-		27,066		(7,026)
General operating		9,140		8,640		16,357	-		16,357		(7,717)
Insurance claims and expenses		6,400		5,360		6,654	-		6,654		(1,294)
Depreciation		-		-		-	 29,789		29,789		-
Total operating expenses		71,020		67,960		83,369	 22,149		105,518		(15,409)
Operating (loss)		(44,580)		(45,100)		(57,307)	(22,149)		(79,456)		(12,207)
Non-Operating Revenues (Expenses):											
Intergovernmental revenues		44,190		51,145		85,084	-		85,084		33,939
Miscellaneous revenues		760		440		337	-		337		(103)
Interest		130		230		170	 -		170		(60)
Total non-operating											
revenues (expenses)		45,080	-	51,815		85,591	 -	-	85,591		33,776
Net change		500		6,715		28,284	(22,149)		6,135		21,569
Net position, beginning of year		379,918		379,918		379,918	-		379,918		-
Restatement		21,468		21,468		21,468	 -		21,468		-
Net position, beginning of year, restated		401,386		401,386		401,386			401,386		
					\ <u>-</u>		 				
Net position, end of year	\$	401,886	\$	408,101	\$	429,670	\$ (22,149)	\$	407,521	\$	21,569
Explanation of Differences: Changes in deferred outflows pension rel Changes in net pension liability Changes in deferred inflows pension rela Depreciation expense							\$ (500) 4,274 3,866 (29,789)				
							\$ (22,149)				

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

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION	

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILITY OF PERA FUND MUNICIPAL GENERAL DIVISION PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (PERA) PLAN LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS*

	2015			2016
Village of Cimarron's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)		0.0229%		0.0193%
Village of Cimarron's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$	178,645	\$	196,780
Village of Cimarron's covered-employee payroll	\$	170,667	\$	195,990
Village of Cimarron's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		104.67%		100.40%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		81.29%		76.99%

^{*}The amounts presented were determined as of June 30th. This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years; however, until a full 10-year trend is complied, the Village of Cimarron will present information for those years for which information is available.

SCHEDULE OF PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE NET PENSION LIABILILTY OF PERA FUND MUNICIPAL POLICE DIVISION PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (PERA) PLAN LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS*

	2015	2016
Village of Cimarron's proportion of the net pension liability (asset)	0.0309%	0.0279%
Village of Cimarron's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$ 100,731	\$ 134,159
Village of Cimarron's covered-employee payroll	\$ 120,618	\$ 94,679
Village of Cimarron's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll	83.51%	141.70%
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	81.29%	76.99%

^{*}The amounts presented were determined as of June 30th. This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years; however, until a full 10-year trend is complied, the Village of Cimarron will present information for those years for which information is available.

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (PERA) PLAN PERA FUND MUNICIPAL GENERAL DIVISION LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS*

	2015	2016	
Contractually required contribution	\$ 16,707	\$ 18,065	
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	16,707	18,065	
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 	
Village of Cimarron's covered-employee payroll	\$ 170,667	\$ 195,990	
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	9.78%	9.22%	

^{*}This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years; however, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the Village of Cimarron will present information for those years for which information is available.

SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION (PERA) PLAN PERA FUND MUNICIPAL POLICE DIVISION LAST 10 FISCAL YEARS*

	2015	2016
Contractually required contribution	\$ 8,439	\$ 11,294
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	 8,439	11,294
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$ 	\$
Village of Cimarron's covered-employee payroll	\$ 120,618	\$ 94,679
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	6.99%	11.93%

^{*}This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years; however, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the Village of Cimarron will present information for those years for which information is available.

NOTES TO REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

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 report. That report is available at:

http://www.saonm.org/media/audits/366_Public_Employees_Retirement_Association_FY20_15.pdf

Changes of assumption - The Public employees Retirement Association (PERA) of New Mexico Annual Actuarial Valuation Report as of June 30, 2015, is available at:

http://www.nmpera.org/assets/uploads/downloads/retirement-fund-valuation-reports/6-30-2015-PERA-Valuation-Report-FINAL.pdf

The summary of key findings for the PERA fund (on page 2 of the report) states, based on recent experience study for the five-year period ending June 30, 2014, the economic and demographic assumptions were updated for this valuation. The changes in assumptions resulted in an increase of \$410.0 million to fund liabilities and a decrease of 0.90% to the funded ratio. For details about changes in the actuarial assumptions, see Appendix B on page 53 of the report.

SCHEDULE OF CASH ACCOUNTS JUNE 30, 2016

Financial Institution/ Account Description	Type of Account	li	inancial nstitution Balance	Re	econciling Items	econciled Balance
International Bank						
P.O. Box 417						
31062 Hwy 64						
Cimarron, New Mexico 87714						
Village of Cimarron:						
General	Checking	\$	867,691	\$	(8,734)	\$ 858,957
Payroll	Checking		2,802		(7,080)	(4,278)
Sewer	Checking		21,708		(386)	21,322
Solid Waste	Checking		21,232		(13,722)	7,510
RUS Water	Checking		48		-	48
Water	Checking		17,927		(852)	17,075
Water Meter Deposit	Checking		31,291		(254)	31,037
Municipal Court Escrow	Checking		2,092		(54)	2,038
Municipal Court	Checking		400		-	400
Certificate of Deposit	CD		23,485		-	23,485
Certificate of Deposit	CD		9,682		-	9,682
Certificate of Deposit	CD		13,027			13,027
Sub-total			1,011,385		(31,082)	980,303
Village of Cimarron Housing Authority:						
Operating Account	Checking		39,081		(6,003)	33,078
Tenant Security Deposit	Checking		3,696		(167)	3,529
Savings	Savings		399		· -	399
Certificate of Deposit	CD		20,201			20,201
			63,377		(6,170)	 57,207
		\$	1,074,762	\$	(37,252)	\$ 1,037,510

SCHEDULE OF PLEDGED COLLATERAL JUNE 30, 2016

International Bank P.O. Box 417 31062 Hwy 64 Cimarron, New Mexico 87714

Security	CUSIP	Maturity		Value
FNMA 1.200 12/20/18'13	3136G12K4	12/20/18	\$	99,990
FHLB 1.460 12/13/19'13	313381DN2	12/13/19		149,963
FHLB 1.460 12/13/19'13	313381DN2	12/13/19		149,963
		Total	\$	399,916

The holder of the security pledged by International Bank is Bankers Bank of the West, 1099 18th Street, Suite 2700, Denver, Colorado 80202.

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES FOR THE AGENCY FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

	 Balance 06/30/15		Increases/ Receipts		reases/ rsements	Balance 06/30/16		
Municipal Court Bonds Assets: Cash	\$ 400	\$	400	\$	400	\$	400	
Liabilities: Due to bond holders Due to others	\$ 300 100	\$	400 -	\$	400	\$	300 100	
Total liabilities	\$ 400	\$	400	\$	400	\$	400	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO VILLAGE OF CIMARRON PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY

FINANCIAL DATA SCHEDULE AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

Line Item	Description	Total Projects		
111 114	Cash - unrestricted Cash - tenant security deposits	\$	34,421 2,585	
100	Total cash		37,006	
122-010 122-020	Accounts receivable - HUD other projects - Operating Subsidy Accounts receivable - HUD other projects - Capital Fund		3,968 13,335	
122	Accounts receivable - HUD other projects		17,303	
126 126.1 129	Accounts receivable - tenants Allowance for doubtful accounts - dwelling rent Accrued interest receivable		1,137 (544) 104	
120	Total receivables, net of allowance for doubtful accounts		18,000	
131 142	Investments - unrestricted Prepaid expenses and other assets		20,201 2,657	
150	Total current assets		77,864	
161 162 163 164 166	Land Buildings Furniture, equipment and machinery - dwellings Furniture, equipment and machinery - administration Accumulated depreciation		18,600 867,096 35,791 36,751 (615,447)	
160	Total capital assets, net of a/d		342,791	
200	Deferred outflow of resources		782	
290	Total assets	\$	421,437	
312 341 342	Accounts payable <=90 days Tenant security deposits Unearned revenues	\$	1,192 2,585 474	
310	Total current liabilities		4,251	
357	Accrued pension and OPEB liabilities		8,518	
	Total noncurrent liabilities		8,518	
300	Total liabilities		12,769	
400	Deferred inflows of resources		1,147	
508.1 512.1	Net investment in capital assets Unrestricted net assets		342,791 64,730	
513	Total equity		407,521	
600	Total liabilities and equity	\$	421,437	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO VILLAGE OF CIMARRON PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY

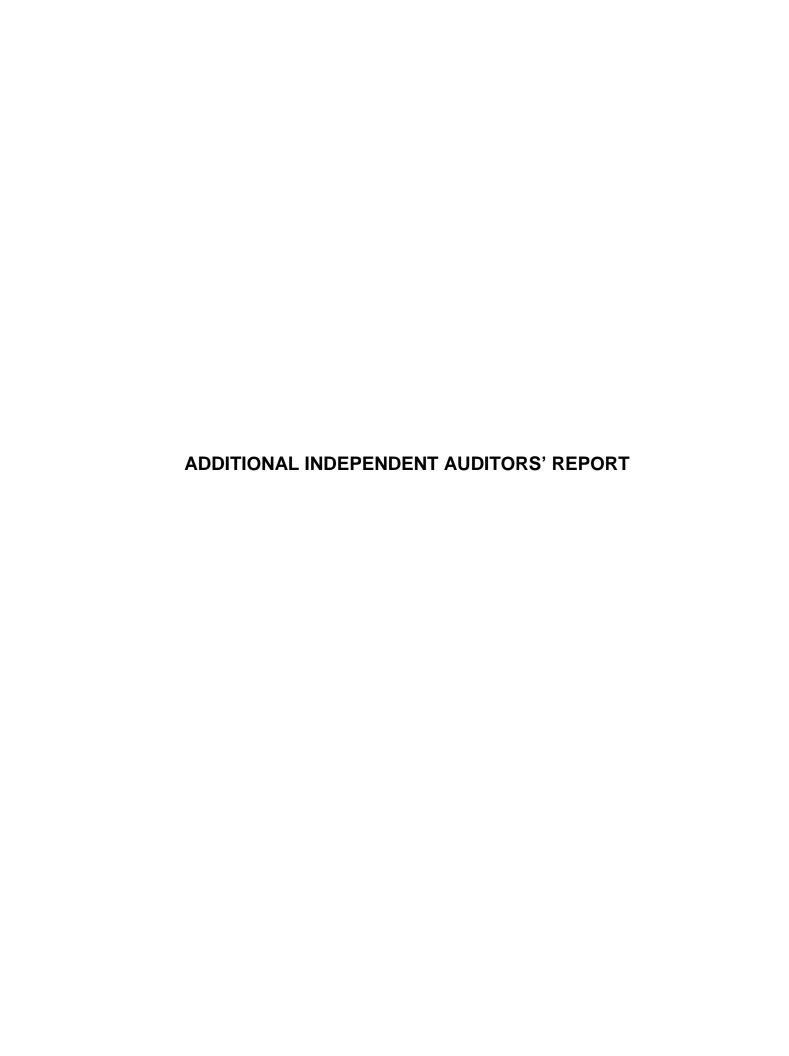
FINANCIAL DATA SCHEDULE AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

Line Item	Description		Low Rent 14.850		Capital Fund Program 14.872		Total	
70300	Net tenant rental revenue	\$	24,717	\$		\$	24,717	
70400	Tenant revenue - other	·	289				289	
70500	Total tenant revenues		25,006		-		25,006	
70600	HUD other projects - Operating Subsidy		32,285		19,082		51,367	
70610	Capital grants		-		10,135		10,135	
71100	Investment income - unrestricted		170		-		170	
71500	Other revenue		1,393		-		1,393	
70000	Total revenues		58,854		29,217		88,071	
91200	Auditing fees		2,500		-		2,500	
91300	Management fees		9,800		2,200		12,000	
91310	Bookkeeping fees		2,305		-		2,305	
91600	Office expenses		11,113		-		11,113	
91800	Travel		155		-		155	
91900	Other		3,629				3,629	
91000	Total operating - administrative		29,502		2,200		31,702	
93100	Water		485		-		485	
93200	Electricity		1,662		-		1,662	
93300	Gas		836		-		836	
93600	Sewer		177		-		177	
93000	Total utilities		3,160		=		3,160	
94100	Ordinary maintenance and operations - labor		8,605		-		8,605	
94200	Ordinary maintenance and operations - materials and other		17,126		_		17,126	
94300-080	Ordinary maintenance and operations contracts -							
94300-090	garbage and trash removal contracts		382		-		382	
94300-090	Ordinary maintenance and operations contracts - heating and cooling contracts		258		_		258	
94300-100	Ordinary maintenance and operations contracts -		230		-		250	
94300-100	janitorial contracts		145		_		145	
94300-120	Ordinary maintenance and operations contracts -		143				143	
34300 120	miscellaneous contracts		347		-		347	
94300	Ordinary maintenance and operations contracts		1,132		-		1,132	
94500	Employee benefit contribution - ordinary maintenance		(6,097)		-		(6,097)	
94000	Total maintenance		20,766				20,766	
34000	i otai maintenance		20,700		-		20,700	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO VILLAGE OF CIMARRON PUBLIC HOUSING AUTHORITY

FINANCIAL DATA SCHEDULE AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

Line Item	Description	Low Rent 14.850	F	pital Fund Program 14.872	Total
96110	Property insurance	3,222		-	3,222
96120	Liability insurance	613		-	613
96130	Workmen's compensation	2		-	2
96140	All other insurance	 2,817		-	2,817
96100	Total insurance premiums	 6,654		-	 6,654
96900	Total operating expenses	 60,082		2,200	62,282
97000	Excess revenues over operating expenses	(1,228)		27,017	25,789
97400	Depreciation expense	 29,733		56	29,789
90000	Total expenses	 89,815		2,256	92,071
10010	Operating transfers in	16,882		-	16,882
10020	Operating transfers out	-		(16,882)	(16,882)
10100	Total other financing sources (uses)	 16,882		(16,882)	 _
	Excess (deficiency) of revenues over (under) expenses	\$ (14,079)	\$	10,079	\$ (4,000)
11030	Beginning equity	\$ 379,918	\$	-	\$ 379,918
11040-010	Restatement	\$ 21,468	\$	-	\$ 21,468
11040-070	Equity transfers	10,079		(10,079)	
11190	Unit months available	192		-	192
11210	Unit months leased	189		-	189
11620	Building purchases	-		10,135	10,135



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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*

Independent Auditors' Report

Timothy Keller, State Auditor and Mayor and Village Council Village of Cimarron Cimarron, New Mexico

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, the aggregate remaining fund information, the budgetary comparisons of the general fund and major special revenue fund, of the Village of Cimarron (Village), as of and for the year ended June 30, 2016, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Village's basic financial statements, along with the combining and individual nonmajor governmental funds and related budgetary comparisons of the Village, presented as supplemental information, and have issued our report thereon dated July 20, 2017. Our report for the governmental activities, business-type activities, water and sewer, ambulance and Housing Authority funds financial statements was qualified because of incomplete capital asset subsidiary ledgers.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

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

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses listed as items 2015-001, 2015-002, 2015-003 and 2015-004 to be material weaknesses.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting (continued)

A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses listed as items 2003-006, HA 2006-003, HA 2014-001, 2014-002, 2014-003, 2015-005, and HA 2016-001 to be significant deficiencies.

Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Village's financial statements are free of 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 test disclosed instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses as items 2002-002, 2008-003, 2012-007, 2014-005, 2014-006, 2014-007, 2014-008, 2014-009, 2015-006, 2015-007, 2015-008, 2015-009, 2015-011, 2015-012, HA 2015-013, 2015-014, 2016-001, 2016-002, 2016-003, 2016-004, and HA 2016-002.

The Village's Responses to Findings

The Village's responses to the findings identified in our audit are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and responses. The Village's responses were not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on them.

Purpose of this Report

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

Fierro & Fierro, P.A. Las Cruces, New Mexico

Juno + France, P.A.

July 20, 2017

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

<u>Item 2002-002 - Compliance - Submission of Audit Report</u>

Statement of Condition – The audit report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, was due to the New Mexico State Auditor's office by December 15, 2016. The audit report was submitted on July 28, 2017. This is a repeat finding as management failed to implement their prior year corrective action plan. This audit finding was reported in the prior year's audit report and is repeated. In the prior year, the Village stated they would resolve the finding by submitting the June 30, 2017 audit report on a timely basis.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 12-6-12 requires the state auditor to promulgate reasonable regulations necessary to carry out the duties of the office. New Mexico Administrative Code Title 2, Chapter 2, Part 2, *Audits of Governmental Entities Requirements for Contracting and Conducting Audits of Agencies* and Audit Rule 2016, requires that the Village submit its audit report by December 15th following the end of each fiscal year at June 30th.

Effect – Delays in submission of the audit report affect the reporting of financial information to other state agencies and local governments.

Cause – The audit for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014 was not completed and approved for public release until August 2016, which delayed the start of the audit for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2016. In addition, the Village Clerk/Treasurer and the Village Utility Clerk left their employment in December 2016.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village develop a working schedule of reconciliations and deliverables to enable the submission of a timely audit report to the New Mexico State Auditor's Office. The schedule should be developed during the engagement process, such that the Village and their independent public auditing firm can plan accordingly.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2003-006 - Significant Deficiency - Imprest Bank Account</u>

Statement of Condition – The payroll imprest bank account is not being reconciled correctly. The monthly reconciled balance is not the same each month. It is not clear what amount remains in the payroll imprest bank account after each pay period, as the amount varies from month to month. The Village requested the assistance from the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) to reconcile the bank account balance. This audit finding was reported in the prior year's audit report and is repeated in the current year. The Village hoped to resolve the audit finding during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2017.

Criteria – An imprest payroll account is a separate account held by an entity that contains funds strictly for employee payroll use. Since this account is only for payroll, the funding is unavailable for use other than with payroll so the deposits entered in by the entity are equal to the expected pay of the workers. An imprest payroll account is precise, and relies on the entity's knowledge of payroll expenditure in order to function.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

<u>Item 2003-006 – Significant Deficiency – Imprest Bank Account (continued)</u>

Criteria (continued) – The entity deposits funds for the exact amount of the total net payroll into the imprest account. This usually takes place directly before payroll distribution, which means that the money in the account is not kept there for any extended period. Once the funds are expensed to employees, the account funds should be at or near zero, until the next payroll date comes due.

An imprest account offers better control over the payroll of the entity, especially if the main payments are checks or direct deposit. Because the amount is equal to the expected amount of payroll, an imprest account aids in preventing payroll fraud, as no employee is able to withdraw funds and charge it to the payroll account. The separate account also allows the entity to accurately track the amount spent in payroll each period. Although an imprest payroll account helps track payroll and prevent theft, it is not for every entity. Smaller entities with fewer employees may find it unnecessary, as payroll funding is easier to track. In addition, larger entities who use it must have an understanding on how much pay will be going out each pay date.

Section 7-8A of the New Mexico State Statutes, *The Uniform Unclaimed Property Act (1995)*, sets forth the processes and requirements of a holder of property (Village) to report to the administrator annually by November 1st for the prior period ending July 1st of that year. It also specifies the notification requirements to the property owner.

Effect – If the imprest account deposit is insufficient to match the employee payroll, an additional deposit must be made immediately to avoid overdrawing on the account. Whereas, depositing too much will leave funds sitting in an account that could be put to use elsewhere in the Village.

Cause – While the bank account was reconciled monthly, no effort was placed in establishing a minimum or maximum amount that should remain once the payroll has been completed. In addition, no effort was placed in addressing stale dated checks.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village re-evaluate the advantages and disadvantages of a payroll imprest bank account. If the Village decides to move forward with the account, it should establish procedures that would set a minimal amount to be retained in the bank account once payroll has been completed. Any excess funds should be returned to the general operating bank account.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2008-003 – Other Matter – Enterprise Fund Debt</u>

Statement of Condition – The Enterprise funds (Water/Sewer and Solid Waste) have been borrowing monies from the general fund, and has received transfers, to pay for operations and capital acquisitions. The continual use of general fund resources is having a negative financial impact upon the general fund. This is a repeat finding. Management anticipates a June 30, 2018 date to resolve the problem.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2008-003 – Other Matter – Enterprise Fund Debt (continued)</u>

Criteria – Enterprise funds are self-sustaining activities whose reporting focus is on the determination of operating income, changes in capital assets (cost recovery or depreciation), financial position and cash flows. Enterprise funds (1) may be used to report any activity for which a fee is charged to external users for goods and services and, (2) are required to be reported as enterprise funds if any one of the following criteria is met. Governments generally apply each of these criteria in the context of the activity's principal revenue sources:

- a) The activity is financed with debt that is secured solely by a pledge of the net revenues from fees and charges of the activity.
- b) Laws or regulations require that the activity's costs of providing services, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service), be recovered with fees and charges, rather than with taxes or similar revenues.
- c) The pricing policies of the activity establish fees and charges designed to recover its costs, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service).

Common examples of activities of state and local government enterprise funds include: public utilities (water, wastewater, sewer, electricity, natural gas, trash and garbage), public transportation systems, hospitals, recreation facilities, airports, EMS/ambulance, public housing, toll roads and bridges.

Effect – An obvious reason for the borrowing and transfers from the general fund is insufficient rates and fees charged to customers that would allow the fund to be self-sustaining. Ultimately, this may lead to deficiencies in meeting its debt obligations.

Cause – The Village has not adequately increased user rates and fees over the years. The Village has not performed an analysis to gain an understanding of the problem.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village re-evaluate the costs of operating its water, sewer, and solid waste activities. Serious consideration must be given to the appropriateness of the current user rates and fees of the enterprise funds. In addition, procedures should be established for a periodic review of the net operating activity of these funds. Adjustments to user rates and fees should occur on an as needed basis.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2012-007 – Other Matter - Bank Reconciliation Municipal Escrow Account</u>

Statement of Condition – The management of the Village is not reconciling the municipal escrow bank account based on the information provided by the Municipal Court. There were \$26 of yearend deposits that were not reconciled to the records maintained by the Municipal Court. The Village requested the assistance from the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) to reconcile the bank account balance.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item 2012-007 - Other Matter - Bank Reconciliation Municipal Escrow Account (continued)

Statement of Condition (continued) – This is a repeat finding. Management anticipates a June 30, 2017 completion date to resolve the audit finding.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 6-6-3 provides that every local body shall keep all the books, records, and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration. Within Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 5, *Public Finance Accounting by Governmental Entities* of the New Mexico Administrative Code, the Department of Finance and Administration requires all accounting systems, including subsidiary systems, record transactions timely, completely, and accurately.

Effect – Without accurate full reconciliations to the records maintained by the Municipal Court, errors could occur and not be detected on a timely basis. Incorrect decisions, such as budget creation and or adjustments that require the use of cash reserves, may occur as a result of erroneous information.

Cause - Unknown.

Recommendation – We recommend that the management of the Village expedite the establishment and maintenance of the appropriate internal controls concerning the reconciliation and recording of activity maintained by the Municipal Court. Because of the small size of the financial staff, it is recommend that reconciliation be presented to those charged with governance in the monthly presentation of the finance department report.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2014-002 - Significant Deficiency - Accounting Activity</u>

Statement of Condition – The Village released its Village administrator of her duties in December 2016. Shortly thereafter, the Village contracted with a clerk-treasurer from another municipality to assist with getting the financial records up to date. The Village has also requested the assistance from the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) to review and correct deficiencies regarding the Village's accounting activity. DFA spent approximately one full month reconciling and posting two hundred and forty-four (244) journal entry corrections to the general ledger so as to enable a financial audit to be conducted. This is a repeat finding. Management anticipates a June 30, 2017 completion date to resolve the audit finding.

Criteria – Section 6-6-3(A) NMSA 1978 requires that every local body shall "keep all the books, records and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the local government division" of the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration. This requires the Village maintain accounting records in such a manner as to allow the preparation of financial statements and accurate reports for other governmental agencies. Further, the general ledger must be able to substantiate detail as to the financial activity of the Village.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item 2014-002 – Significant Deficiency – Accounting Activity (continued)

Criteria (continued) – Auditing standards adopted in the United States of America in particular AU Section 325 Communicating Internal Control Related Matters Identified in an Audit, paragraph .03 states the following: "Internal control is a process – effected by those charged with governance, management, and other personnel – designed to provide reasonable assurance about the achievement of the entity's objectives with regard to reliability of financial reporting, effectiveness and efficiency of operations, and compliance with laws and regulations. Internal control over safeguarding of assets against unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition may include control relating to financial reporting and operations objectives." Appropriate internal controls over financial reporting include the ability to understand the key components financial statements in accordance with GAAP. Underlining this premise is the requirement that the Village will maintain the accounting records in such a manner as to allow the preparation of financial statements.

Effect – Since the Village personnel failed to reconcile and/or record key components of the financial statements, there is an increased risk that a misstatement of the Village's financial statements, that is more than inconsequential, will not be prevented or detected. Further, since the Village financial clerk and staff lacks the proper knowledge or training regarding some aspects of the conditions noted, there is more than a remote possibility that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected. The general ledger, with numerous posting errors, is incapable of producing reliable fund financial data needed for governmental financial reporting.

Cause – The Village's administrative staff maintains cash basis accounting records and lacks the necessary accounting skills to recognize all the key components of the financial statements that are prepared on the economic resources measurement focus (which includes the accrual basis of accounting) and the current financial resources measurement focus (which includes the modified accrual basis of accounting). The Village administrator failed to record prior years audit adjustments which would have affected account balances going forward.

Recommendation – The Village should employ an individual who has accounting experience to perform the required accounting duties. This employee should have a working knowledge of governmental fund accounting. Alternately, the Village could choose to consult with a separate and independent accounting firm prior to and during the audit process that would assist the Village in the gathering of key components of the financial statements and the related notes.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2014-003 – Significant Deficiency – Interfund Balances</u>

Statement of Condition – The management of the Village has recorded a general fund receivable in the amount of \$77,971, and the corresponding payable in the water/sewer enterprise fund. These interfund balances were created to support the operations and debt obligations of the water and sewer activities. Because of the lack of adequate sources of revenues in the water/sewer fund, the prior year corrective action related to this repeat finding has not been completed.

Criteria – As per Government Accounting Standards Board Codification Section 2300.106(o) and 2300.126, there is a disclosure requirement for interfund balances, including amounts due from other funds by individual major fund, nonmajor governmental funds in the aggregate, nonmajor enterprise funds in the aggregate, internal service funds in the aggregate, and fiduciary fund type; the purpose for those balances; and the amounts that are not expected to be repaid within one year. It is the responsibility and fiduciary duty of management and those charged with governance to establish and oversee the strategic direction of the entity and the obligations related to the accountability of the entity.

Effect – Without a solid strategic plan for repayment, these interfund balances are no more than a subsidy transfer in substance. Further, if the subsidies are being used to service the debt requirements of the water/sewer fund, then the general fund is in essence servicing debt obligations which may be in violation of bond covenants.

Cause – The Village has not placed priority on adequately addressing the repayments of these interfund balances.

Recommendation – We recommend that those charged with governance work closely with the management of the Village to establish a strategic plan to clear these interfund balances within a reasonable time frame. Further, any future subsidies in the form of transfers should be clearly earmarked to cover operating obligations of the water/sewer fund and not debt obligations.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2014-005 - Compliance - Cash Reconciliation of DFA Report

Statement of Condition – The quarterly Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) reports were not reconciled to the accounting books of record. In addition, the report for the quarter ending December 31, 2015 could not be located. This finding was reported in the prior year and is repeated. In the prior year, the Village stated they would continue to resolve the matter and hoped to be current with the June 30, 2017 report.

Criteria – As per Section 6-6-2(F) NMSA 1978, local public bodies must submit periodic financial reports, on a quarterly basis, to the Department of Finance and Administration, Local Government Division (LGD). Furthermore, Section 6-6-2(K) NMSA 1978, authorizes LGD to prescribe the form for all budgets, books, records, and accounts for local public bodies.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item 2014-005 - Compliance - Cash Reconciliation of DFA Report (continued)

Criteria (continued) – To meet these requirements, LGD has developed the quarterly financial report forms which include revenues and expenditures that were recognized/received and disbursed from the local government's coffers. The format also includes the most current approved budget figures to allow for a comparison of actuals to budget.

Effect – These financial reports are invaluable, as they provide the financial status of an entity to be utilized in numerous ways by LGD. Erroneous financial information may have a negative effect on decisions made by such parties as the Governor's office, DFA Cabinet Secretary, and for members of the state's legislative bodies. In addition, these reports are used for public information requests, as well as providing compliance for funding such as legislative appropriations and several loan/grant programs. Incorrect and or incomplete information may mislead the user of the reports.

Cause – The Village has not followed through on procedures to review and correct the erroneous financial information within the accounting records of which these reports are derived from.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village establish procedures to ensure that there is an adequate reconciliation and review process of the general ledger postings, monthly, so that complete and accurate DFA quarterly reports are submitted timely. It is further recommended that these procedures include a review and approval process by those charged with governance.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2014-006 – Other Matter – Service Agreement Accounting

Statement of Condition – The Cimarron Chamber of Commerce did not provide a required written accounting to the Village for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2014, 2015 and 2016. In addition, the Village could not locate the service agreement for review and/or testing for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. This audit finding was included in the previous year's audit report and has not been resolved. In the previous year, the Village stated that payments to the Chamber would be suspended until a full and adequate accounting was received. The Village did not suspend payments to the Chamber and did not receive a report detailing purpose of expenditures. In the prior year, the Village hoped to resolve the finding by September 2017.

Criteria – The service agreement details the twelve month budget for the expenditures of lodgers' tax funds in furtherance of the Chamber's program goals and objectives. The Chamber receives funds from the Village under a cost reimbursement arrangement. As per Section B. 2), the Chamber shall render to the Village a written final accounting on or before the 30th day of June.

Effect – Without a final accounting, the Village has no means of ensuring that the budget has been exhausted under its intended purpose.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

<u>Item 2014-006 – Other Matter – Service Agreement Accounting (continued)</u>

Cause – The Chamber did not comply with the terms of the agreement, and the Village did not pursue the reporting.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village establish procedures to ensure that service agreement conditions and requirements are adhered to on a timely basis. We further recommend that all contracts and agreements are filed in a manner that enables the Village staff to retrieve documents.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2014-007 - Compliance - Water Conservation Fee

Statement of Condition – The Village is incorrectly calculating the water conservation fee on the amount of water that is "billed and or used" and not on the amount of water "produced" each month. The error was first discovered in the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014, and continued until the Village received proper training from New Mexico Taxation and Revenue Department. The first report the Village filed correctly was for the month of April 2016. In addition, the reports for September 2014 through January 2016 were filed in February 2016. For the year ended June 30, 2016, six of the twelve months reports had no supporting documents on file to substantiate the amounts reported. In the prior year's audit report, the Village stated they were working on resolving the problem by June 2017.

Criteria – The State of New Mexico Taxation and Revenue Department imposes, on every person who operates a public water supply system, a water conservation fee in the amount equal to three cents (\$0.03) per thousand gallons of water produced. Water is produced for purposes of the water conservation fee, when that water is extracted from any surface or subsurface source by or for a public water supply system. A public water supply system produces water when another person, not a public water supply system, extracts water under contract with, or as agent for, the public water supply system. Water is produced only once.

Effect – Incorrect calculation of the water conservation fee results in under reporting to the state of New Mexico. Filing late reports subjects the Village to unnecessary penalties.

Cause – The management of the Village was not aware of the correct method for calculating the water conservation fee. It is unknown why the reports were filed late.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village review its current procedures to ensure that the water conservation fee is calculated correctly, and remitted timely, regardless of the staff currently in place.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2014-008 – Other Matter – Service Agreement Compliance</u>

Statement of Condition – Historically, the service agreement with the Chamber of Commerce provided that 75% of collected tax revenues should be remitted to the Chamber. For the year ended June 30, 2016, the Village collected \$18,743 in lodgers' tax and remitted \$14,757 to the Chamber, which is 78.7%. Because the Village could not locate the service agreement for review and/or testing for the year ended June 30, 2016, it could not be determined if the amounts remitted to the Chamber were in accordance with the service agreement. This is a repeat finding. In the prior year's audit report, the Village stated they would resolve the audit finding by September 30, 2017.

Criteria – All agreements and contracts entered into by the Village should be followed according to the terms of the agreement.

Effect – Any amount of overpayments to an agreed amount reduces the amount available to the Village for its own promotional advertising and marketing.

Cause – It could not be determined with certainty how management was calculating the amounts remitted to the Cimarron Chamber of Commerce.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village establish procedures to ensure that service agreement conditions and requirements are adhered to. We further recommend that all contracts and agreements, and reports thereof, are filed in a manner that lends to easy access.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2014-009 – Other Matter – Lack of Clarity With the Service Agreement

Statement of Condition – The 2013-2014 service agreement with the Cimarron Chamber of Commerce (Chamber) was incomplete as it relates to the following:

- 1) It does not state how all of the Lodger's Tax receipts will be spent (by the Chamber), and
- 2) The agreement appears to allow up to \$37,950 to be given to the Chamber; however, the DFA approved the Village budget of \$24,000 in expenditures.

At best, the Village has an ambiguous, incomplete document governing its agreement with the Chamber. Further, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, the Village could not locate the service agreement for review and/or testing.

In addition, the Chamber is remitting \$50 a month to the Village as a reimbursement of a scenic view project. The Village could not locate the agreement associated with this payment and it could not be determined what the appropriate receivable, if any, was at June 30, 2016.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

<u>Item 2014-009 – Other Matter – Lack of Clarity With the Service Agreement (continued)</u>

Statement of Condition (continued) – This is a repeat finding. In the prior year, the Village stated they would resolve the matter by September 30, 2017.

Criteria – All agreements and contracts entered into by the Village must clearly state the responsibilities of each party.

Effect – The lack of clearly defined responsibilities could lead to problems and misunderstandings between the parties of the agreement.

Cause – The activities between the Chamber and the Village were loosely managed at best.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village establish procedures to ensure that service agreement conditions, requirements, and responsibilities of each party are clearly defined within the agreement document.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2015-001 – Material Weakness – Financial Statements and Disclosures</u>

Statement of Condition – The Village relies upon their independent auditor to prepare the financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The finance/accounting staff lacks the knowledge to prepare such statements, as well as the ability to detect accuracy and completeness of all required notes that explain financial activity contained in the financial statements. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, DFA provided limited assistance to the auditing firm in gathering some of the necessary information in order to convert their cash basis accounting information into financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP. The Village must display a level of expertise on its own regarding financial reporting in accordance with GAAP in order to reduce the deficiency noted in internal controls regarding financial reporting. This is a repeat audit finding. The Village anticipated that the audit finding would be resolved by June 30, 2018.

Criteria – Auditing standards adopted in the United States of America in particular AU Section 325 Communicating Internal Control Related Matters Identified in an Audit, paragraph .03 states the following: "Internal control is a process – effected by those charged with governance, management, and other personnel – designed to provide reasonable assurance about the achievement of the entity's objectives with regard to reliability of financial reporting, effectiveness and efficiency of operations, and compliance with laws and regulations. Internal control over safeguarding of assets against unauthorized acquisition, use, or disposition may include control relating to financial reporting and operations objectives. Generally, controls that are relevant to an audit of financial statements are those that pertain to the entity's objective of reliable financial reporting."

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-001 – Material Weakness – Financial Statements and Disclosures (continued)</u>

Criteria (continued) – Appropriate internal control procedures over financial reporting include the ability to prepare financial statements in accordance with GAAP or at a minimum, management should have the ability to comprehend the requirements for financial reporting. Financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP include all required statements of financial position, statements of changes in financial position, changes in cash flow, and notes.

AU Section 325 paragraph .05 provides an explanation of a deficiency in internal control as either a deficiency in design or in operation. Paragraph .06 states "A material weakness is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis." AU Section 325 paragraph .15 provides a list of indicators of a material weakness in internal control. One such example is "Ineffective oversight of the entity's financial reporting and internal control by those charged with governance."

Effect – Since the Village's financial clerk staff lacks the ability to understand and prepare, and did not prepare, GAAP financial statements, there is an increased risk that a misstatement of the Village's financial statements, that is more than inconsequential, will not be prevented or detected. Further, there is more than a remote possibility that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected.

Cause – When audit services are sought, there is a requirement that the auditor will prepare the financial statements. In the past this may have been sufficient; however, the accounting profession by issuance of AU Section 325, now requires recognition and reporting of significant deficiencies in internal control when there is an ineffective oversight of the financial reporting and internal control by those charged with governance.

Recommendation – The Village should give serious consideration to the employment of a qualified individual to serve in the position of director of finance. This employee should have the ability to prepare governmental financial statements in accordance with GAAP. Alternately, the Village could chose to consult with a separate accounting firm prior to and during the audit process that would assist the Village in the preparation of financial statements and the related notes.

Notwithstanding the above recommendations, the Village should place proper financial resources in training the administrative staff that would include at a minimum, accounting courses that would instruct the staff of GAAP considerations in regards to government financial reporting.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-002 – Material Weakness - Cash Reconciliations to the General Ledger

Statement of Condition – The Village uses one general operating bank account along with seven other individual bank accounts and one imprest account for payroll.

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SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

<u>Item 2015-002 – Material Weakness - Cash Reconciliations to the General Ledger (continued)</u>

Statement of Condition (continued) – While the Village does prepare monthly bank reconciliations using the accounting software, they did not thoroughly review the reconciliations for obvious errors and they did not reconcile the bank balances to the cash balances, per fund, as listed in the general ledger. The Village received assistance from the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration to reconcile and correct the balances for the year ended June 30, 2016. This is a repeat audit finding, as it was reflected in the previous year's audit report. Management hopes to resolve this finding by June 30, 2017.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 6-6-3 provides that every local body shall keep all the books, records, and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration. Within Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 5, *Public Finance Accounting by Governmental Entities* of the New Mexico Administrative Code, the Department of Finance and Administration requires all accounting systems, including subsidiary systems, record transactions timely, completely, and accurately.

Effect – Without accurate cash reconciliations to the general ledger, errors could occur and not be detected on a timely basis. Incorrect decisions, such as budget creation and/or adjustments that require the use of cash reserves, may occur as a result of erroneous information.

Cause – Currently, it is the practice of the Village, that the Administration Clerk prepare a monthly cash allocation reconciliation. The allocation for the year ended June 30, 2016, was not prepared prior to the Administration Clerk leaving the employment of the Village in December 2016. In addition, the bank reconciliations contained numerous errors that affected the general fund balances among funds.

Recommendation – We recommend that Village officials expedite the establishment and maintenance of the appropriate internal controls concerning the reconciliation and recording of cash balances. These procedures must include proper reconciliation of differences between the bank and general ledger balances. Due to the small size of the financial staff, we recommend that the reconciled bank balances be presented to those charged with governance in the monthly presentation of the finance department report.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions - Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2015-003 – Material Weakness – Utility Department Discrepancies</u>

Statement of Condition – While reviewing and testing the internal controls related to the utility department operations, we noted the following discrepancies:

 While testing the utility billing, we noted an instance where the commercial account's water bill was set to charge the minimum amount only, regardless of the actual usage. The sample size was forty customer bills.

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SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

Item 2015-003 - Material Weakness - Utility Department Discrepancies (continued)

Statement of Condition (continued) -

- We noted some instances where late penalties were removed from account balances. There are various opinions as to what constitutes a payment as "received." Some in the Village office believe that a post mark is received, while others believe that by placing it in the Village drop box means it has been received.
- The meter deposit listing was not updated and/or reconciled for the year ended June 30, 2016. As such, true and accurate meter deposit balances could not be determined at year end.
- Billing adjustments were reviewed using the transaction register generated from the software program. There was a total of \$7,611.43 of billing adjustments done during the period of July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016. Of that amount, \$5,568.45 or 73% were identified as adjustments for meter reading errors. The other adjustments were labeled as correct billing error, removal of penalties, reconnection fee, disconnect charge, or simply "adjustment." Overall, there is a lack of procedures to: 1) document in writing the support for the adjustment, and 2) acquire management or board approval for billing adjustments.
- The Village has inadequate cash handling and data recording procedures. The utility clerk controls all cash payments received. The duties of the office also require the clerk to record the meter readings in the system, review the billings prior to creation of the actual bills, make adjustments to the accounts as deemed necessary, create the daily utility deposit worksheet for the bank deposit, at times make the actual deposit, and post the payments to the customers' accounts. Most of these duties are carried out without management's review or approval. It was further discovered that there is no procedure or accountability for the daily reconciliation of the cash on hand.

This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year's audit report, the Village hoped to resolve all matters, with the exception of the meter deposits, by June 30, 2017. The Village hoped to resolve the water meter deposits by June 30, 2018.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 6-6-3 provides that every local body shall keep all the books, records, and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration. Within Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 5, *Public Finance Accounting by Governmental Entities* of the New Mexico Administrative Code, the Department of Finance and Administration requires all accounting systems, including subsidiary systems, record transactions timely, completely, and accurately.

The Village approved Resolution 2014-34, a resolution establishing rates, charges and fees for water, sewer, and solid waste provided pursuant to Ordinance No. 255 on May 21, 2014.

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SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

<u>Item 2015-003 – Material Weakness – Utility Department Discrepancies (continued)</u>

Effect – Without full and accurate review of meter readings prior to release of the billings, errors are occurring and are not being detected on a timely basis. Incorrect transactions, such as unwarranted refunds **and/**or other adjustments, may occur as a result of erroneous information. Without supporting documents for billing adjustments, and without the necessity to obtain management approval, the utility clerk and/or the administrative clerk, can adjust a consumer's account at will. Without regular, meaningful, and timely reconciliation of consumer meter deposits, incorrect transactions, such as unwarranted refunds **and/**or other adjustments, may occur as a result of erroneous information. This may also create unnecessary delays in returning deposits to customers. Finally, without a daily reconciliation of the cash on hand, amounts could go missing and not be detected by management on a timely basis.

Cause – The administrative/finance and utility staff is very small. Poor internal controls, which should have included reviews and approvals, lead to procedures not always followed correctly and/or management override of established procedures.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village implement administrative procedures to ensure compliance with New Mexico State Statutes, and with its own resolutions and ordinances. The Village must give adequate consideration to the internal controls, such that no one employee can execute a transaction without the approval of a supervisor or board member, if necessary. Furthermore, we recommend the meter deposit listing be reconciled monthly to ensure accurate information is being recorded in the accounting records. Finally, the Village should consider clarifying the meaning of "received" for late penalty calculations.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-004 – Material Weakness - Capital Asset Subsidiary Records and Depreciation Expense

Statement of Condition – The Village acquired and disposed of various capital assets during the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. The Village did not adjust their capital asset subsidiary records to reflect these new acquisitions and disposals. This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year, management stated the problem would be resolved by June 30, 2018.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 12-6-10 directs the general services department to promulgate regulations to state agencies for the accounting and control of fixed assets owned by government agencies. The New Mexico State Administrative Code, Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 1, *Accounting and Control of Fixed Assets of State Government, Accounting for Acquisitions and Establishing Controls* issued by the general services department, requires that the Village implement a systematic and well documented system for accounting of fixed assets. The information to be recorded and maintained must include, at a minimum, the following:

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<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item 2015-004 – Material Weakness - Capital Asset Subsidiary Records and Depreciation Expense (continued)

Criteria (continued) -

- 1) Agency name.
- 2) Fixed asset number.
- 3) A description using words meaningful for identification.
- 4) Location.
- 5) Manufacturer's name.
- 6) Model number or model name.
- 7) Serial number or vehicle identification number.
- 8) Estimated useful life.
- 9) Date acquired.
- 10) Cost.
- 11) Fund and organization that purchased the asset.

The accounting system must be capable of generating lists of capital assets in sequences useful for managing them. The system must track all transactions, including acquisitions, depreciation, improvements and dispositions. The system must generate all necessary accounting entries to the Village's general ledger.

Effect – The Village is not in compliance with New Mexico State Administrative Code 2.20.1. Non-compliance with New Mexico State Statutes and the Administrative Code subjects the governing board and management to penalties and punishment defined by State statute. Inadequate subsidiary capital asset records could allow assets to be lost or stolen, and the missing asset would not be detected in a timely manner. Further, material variances between the financial statements/general ledger and subsidiary ledgers can occur and the ability to reconcile the variances is quickly lost. The inability to maintain adequate subsidiary capital assets has contributed to the modified opinion on the governmental activities of the Village.

Cause – It was not the priority of the Village financial clerk to address maintenance of the subsidiary accounting system for capital assets, owned by the Village, on a timely basis.

Recommendations – We recommend that the Village establish a capital asset accounting system that meets the criteria established by the New Mexico Administrative Code 2.20.1. In addition, it is recommend a procedure be established immediately that would require the capital assets subsidiary records to be reconciled on a quarterly basis.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-005 – Significant Deficiency – Credit Card Transactions</u>

Statement of Condition – During our testing of the documentation regarding the purchase of fuel with a credit card, we could not determine if the Village maintain all the documentation to support amounts reflected on the statements. Our audit sample was six credit card payments that totaled \$8,255.25 for 228 individual transactions. The Village maintains the individual receipts in a separate manila folder. Prior to its monthly payment, the Village does not attempt to match the receipts to the statement. There was no indication that the Village thoroughly reviewed the statement by other means prior to payment. Further, there was one instance where the Village paid on a year-to-date statement amount of \$421.61. The monthly charge was only \$161.24. There was no indication in the file where the error was subsequently discovered and an appropriate credit of \$260.37 was requested. While the specifics may have changed somewhat, this is a repeat finding. In the prior year, management anticipated a June 30, 2017 completion date for the prior year corrective action.

Criteria – Section 6-6-3(A) NMSA 1978 requires every local public body shall "keep all the books, records and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the local government division" of the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration. This would require the municipality to maintain accounting records such as cancelled invoices or receipts which provides substantiation for the expenditure of public funds in order to be in compliance with New Mexico State Statutes.

Effect – The validity of the purchase and payment could be called into question without a thorough review which should include matching the vendor invoices to the individual receipts.

Cause – Village staff assumed the credit card statement would provide sufficient documentation to support the purchase. This is a prime example of poor record keeping practices.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village retain all original invoices and receipts paid with a credit card. For vehicle gasoline purchases, we recommend that a description of the vehicle in which the fuel was purchased, and the mileage, be recorded on the purchase invoice or receipt. Further, we recommend the maintenance of separate logs to indicate when gasoline was purchased for each vehicle, along with the odometer reading, thereby allowing management to monitor potential misuse of the fuel purchases.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-006 - Compliance - Official Board Minutes

Statement of Condition – During the review of the Village Council board minutes, we noted several official minutes for the regular meetings could not be located and/or provided for review. In addition, the board minutes are, at times, vague as to discussion and lacked detail in the action taken. It is the practice of the Village to retain an original signed copy of the official minutes, and a separate packet of the supporting documents from the meeting. This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year, management anticipated a June 30, 2017 completion date to resolve the audit finding.

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<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-006 – Compliance – Official Board Minutes (continued)</u>

Criteria – Section 10-15-1G NMSA 1978 (Open Meetings Act) requires that the Village have available a complete, accurate and detailed draft copy of the minutes within ten working days after a public meeting. These draft minutes should be approved, amended or disapproved at the next meeting where a quorum is present. Once approved the minutes must be retained and available for public inspection. This audit finding was reported in the prior year's audit report and is repeated. In the prior year, the Village hoped to resolve the finding by June 30, 2017.

Effect – Noncompliance with the New Mexico State Statutes could subject officials and employees to penalties and fines.

Cause – Unknown. Upon discovery of the missing minutes, the auditors requested the minutes; however they were not located.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village implement administrative procedures to ensure compliance with New Mexico State Statutes. Furthermore, we recommend the Village Attorney provide training to the Village Council and staff concerning the requirements of the Open Meetings Act

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-007 - Compliance - Per Diem and Mileage Act

Statement of Condition – During the course of the audit, we performed tests of travel and per diem expenditures. Our sample size was forty transactions, which were selected throughout the fiscal year. This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year, management anticipated to resolve the audit finding by June 30, 2017. The audit test sample contained the following discrepancies:

- There were twenty-two instances that lacked a signature by the employee on the travel form. The Village does not require the employee to certify the completion and authenticity of the travel upon their return.
- There were thirty-seven instances that lacked a supervisor or management approval for the travel.
- There were thirty-four instances where the partial day (where overnight lodging is required) reimbursements were miscalculated. The overpayments totaled \$2,456.
- There was two instances where the mileage reimbursements were miscalculated. The employees were overpaid by \$45.60.
- There was one instance in which the employee was given an 80% advance for travel of \$287.58 on October 21, 2015. The travel was to occur on October 28, 2015. The employee did not do the travel and reimbursed the Village on November 18, 2015, twenty-seven days after the initial advance was given to the employee.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-007 – Compliance – Per Diem and Mileage Act (continued)</u>

Statement of Condition (continued) -

- An employee traveled to Albuquerque for an EMS conference but was not paid per diem. The employee would have been entitled to \$255.
- Three board members attended the newly elected officials institute in Albuquerque. The travel was for one overnight stay however, they were paid for a two (2) night stay. The board members were over paid by \$85.00 each
- There were two instances in which the employee was reimbursed for mileage for Village related business; however, there was no travel forms on file. The total reimbursements were \$198.86.
- One employee received an advance of 83%. The advance was \$492.44 and was given to the employee 20 days prior to the actual start of the travel.
- The Village does not have a policy that states how far out a travel advance can be given. Advances varied from 2 days prior to travel to 32 days.

Criteria – The New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration (DFA) has issued regulations in the form of Title 2, Chapter 42, Part 2, *Travel and Per Diem Regulations Governing the Per Diem and Mileage Act* of the New Mexico Administrative Code. The rule was issued in accordance with Section 10-8-1 to 10-8-8 NMSA 1978. Travel vouchers and supporting schedules and documents should conform to the policies and procedures manuals issued by the financial control of the department of finance.

Section 2.42.2.8B(2) of the Travel and Per Diem regulation states, "Overnight travel: Regardless of the number of hours traveled, travel for public officers and employees where overnight lodging is required shall be reimbursed as follows:

(a) In state areas \$85.00 (b) In state special areas \$135.00 (c) Out of state areas \$115.00;

(d) Or actual lodging and meal expenses under 2.42.2.9 NMAC.

Section 2.42.2.8B(3) "Return from overnight travel: On the last day of travel when overnight lodging is no longer required, partial day reimbursement shall be made. To calculate the number of hours in the partial day, begin with the time the traveler initially departed. Divide the number of hours travel by 24. The hours remaining constitute the partial day which shall be reimbursed as follows:

- (e) For less than 2 hours, none;
- (f) For 2 hours, but less than 6 hours, \$12.00;
- (g) For 6 hours or more, but less than 12 hours, \$20.00;
- (h) For 12 hours or more, \$30.00;

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-007 – Compliance – Per Diem and Mileage Act (continued)</u>

Criteria (continued) – Upon written request accompanied by a travel voucher, agency heads and governing boards of local public bodies or their authorized designees may approve a public officer's or employee's request to be advanced up to 80% of per diem and mileage cost or for the actual cost of lodging and meals pursuant to 2.42.2.8 NMAC and 2.42.2.9 NMAC and for other travel expenses that may be reimbursed under 2.42.2.12 NMAC.

Effect – Non-compliance with the state of New Mexico's Per Diem and Mileage Act subjects officials and employees to penalties as required by state statutes.

Cause – The Village staff does not have a complete understanding of the Per Diem and Mileage Act. Further, thorough reviews by management of the travel requests prior to payment were not done.

Recommendation – We recommend the administrative staff review the Per Diem and Mileage Act, and the administrative code to ensure compliance with the Act. Further, we recommend Village staff re-evaluate their internal control procedures over the calculation and reimbursement amounts for employee travel and per diem. The Village's travel form should be modified to include the necessary information to ensure completeness and accuracy.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-008 - Compliance - Grant Requirements

State of Condition – In an effort to test for grant compliance, the auditors requested all federal and state grant files. No such files were provided. After a limited search of some filing cabinets, the auditors were able to locate only a few of the state of New Mexico Department of Transportation original grants. Federal grant files could not be located, in particular the files concerning grant awards from Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year's audit report, management anticipated a June 30, 2017 completion date to resolve the audit finding.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 6-6-3 provides that every local body shall keep all the books, records, and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration. Within Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 5, *Public Finance Accounting by Governmental Entities* of the New Mexico Administrative Code, the Department of Finance and Administration requires all accounting systems, including subsidiary systems, record transactions timely, completely, and accurately.

Effect – Without the supporting documents, the auditors could not determine if the Village was in compliance with the requirements of any material grants.

Cause – Unknown.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-008 – Compliance – Grant Requirements (continued)</u>

Recommendation – We recommend the Village establish proper procedures to organize and maintain grant files that are easily accessible for review.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2015-009 – Compliance - Procurement Violations</u>

Statement of Condition – During our testing of the Village's adherence to the New Mexico procurement code, we discovered the following violations. The nature of the violations have changed from the prior year, nonetheless the finding is repeated. In the prior year's audit report, management anticipated that the audit finding would be resolved by June 30, 2017.

- The Village awarded two separate sealed bids for road and bridge related projects.
- The Village awarded the sealed bid for audit services.
- The Village awarded a bid for chip seal.
- For the four awards as listed above, the Village was unable to locate and/or provide the original bid documents for testing.
- The Village does not have a designated Chief Procurement Officer.

Criteria – The Procurement Code, Sections 13-1-28 through 13-1-199 NMSA 1978, is aimed at providing a fair and equitable public procurement process and maximizing the purchasing value of public funds. Specifically, Section 13-1-102 NMSA 1978 states that all procurement shall be by competitive sealed bid except for procurements via competitive sealed proposals; small purchases; sole source; emergency procurements; existing procurements; and antipoverty program businesses. Section 13-1-125 NMSA 1978 states that procurements requirements shall not be artificially divided so as to constitute a small purchase.

The New Mexico Administrative Code Section 1.4-1-50 states, that a state agency may procure services, construction or items of tangible personal property having a value not exceeding twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000) by issuing a direct purchase order to a contractor based upon the best obtainable price and in accordance with any procedures or processes set forth by the state purchasing agent. Further, section 1.4.1-51 states, insofar as it is practical for small purchases of nonprofessional services, construction or items of tangible personal property having a value exceeding twenty (\$20,000) but not exceeding sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000), and in accordance with any procedures or processes set forth by the state purchasing agent, no fewer than three businesses shall by solicited via written requests containing the specifications for the procurement to submit written quotations that are recorded and placed in the procurement file. If three written quotes cannot be obtained, the agency shall document the reasons and include the document in the procurement file.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-009 – Compliance – Procurement Violations (continued)</u>

Criteria (continued) –The inspection of public records is governed by the Inspection of Public Records Act, Sections 14-2-1 through 14-2-12 NMSA1978. Every person has a right to inspect public records and each public body shall designate at least one custodian of public records who shall have the responsibility to make public records available for inspection. This includes, but is not limited to, having proper procedures in place to ensure public records are safeguarded against improper use, loss or misplacement. Further, as per the New Mexico Administrative Code section 1.4.1.45B, after the award; the bid proposal shall be open to public inspection subject to any continuing prohibition on the disclosure of confidential data.

Pursuant to NMSA 1978, Section 13-1-95.2, state agencies and most public bodies are required to designate a Certified Procurement Officer (CPO) who is certified by the General Services Department. The CPO is responsible for the control of procurement of items of tangible personal property, services or construction.

Effect – Any person, firm, or corporation that knowingly and willfully violates any provision of the Procurement Code is subject to civil penalty of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for each procurement in violation of any provision of the Procurement Code [Sections 13-1-28 to 13-1-199 NMSA 1978]. If the Village is circumventing procurement rules, the risk of fraud, waste and abuse is increased. Further because the Village has not properly retained original documents they are in violation of the Public Records Act. Violations may lead to civil penalties.

Cause – Unknown. The Village administrator who managed the bid process at the time is no longer employed with the Village.

Recommendation – We recommend that the Village officials expedite the establishment of procedures and controls that will provide a complete understanding and total assurance of compliance with the Procurement Code. The procedures should include provisions for the retention of records. Until the Village is able to add staff, the financial officer should complete the certification program to become the Chief Procurement Officer.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-011 - Compliance - Annual Inventory of Capital Assets

Statement of Condition – The Village did not conduct an annual physical inventory of its capital assets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior fiscal year, management anticipated that the audit finding would be resolved by July 31, 2017.

Criteria – According to the Administrative Code, Title 2, Public Finance, Chapter 20, *Accounting by Governmental Entities, Part 1, Accounting and Control of Fixed Assets of State Government, Accounting for Acquisitions and Establishing Controls*, 2.20-1.16, *Annual Inventory*, the Village shall conduct a physical inventory of its capital assets consisting of those costs of \$5,000 or more, under the control of the Village.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-011 – Compliance - Annual Inventory of Capital Assets (continued)</u>

Effect – Non-performance of a physical inventory of all capital assets owned by the Village could allow errors to occur in the capital assets subsidiary records and financial statements. These errors would not be detected on a timely basis. Further, dishonest employees could remove items, and the theft would not be detected on a timely basis.

Cause – The management have not placed high priority or resources on the accounting and reporting of capital assets.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village adhere to the administrative order regarding the performance of a complete and accurate annual inventory. Procedures must be established to ensure that Village personnel are given clear and concise direction as to what constitutes a capital asset when conducting the annual physical count.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-012 – Compliance – Public Employees Retirement Act (PERA) Wages and Contributions

Statement of Condition – As the result of our PERA testing indicated the following:

• The Village did not report correct PERA wages. The total PERA wages as reported were \$315,290.11. These wages included exempt overtime wages and wages in excess of an 80 hour pay period. The correct PERA wages should have been \$290,668.92.

The prior year audit finding has been updated and modified to reflect the current situation. In the prior year, management stated the finding would be resolved by June 30, 2017.

Criteria – PERA is a 401(a) qualified government plan governed by the New Mexico Public Employees Retirement Act. A public employer affiliated with PERA must deduct employee contributions each pay period from the employee's wages. These contributions are paid into the PERA member contribution fund. The employer also must pay employer contributions into the PERA employer's accumulation fund each pay period. The amount of employee contribution is a percentage of the employee's base salary as determined by the coverage plan provided by the current employer. It is the responsibility of the employer to accurately report PERA wages and contributions.

Effect – PERA wages are used in the calculation of net pension liability. The reporting of erroneous information impacts the calculations of the net pension liability.

Cause – The computer software is not properly programmed to reported PERA wages and the Village did not verify the wages prior to remitting the monthly reports.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

Item 2015-012 – Compliance – Public Employees
Retirement Act (PERA) Wages and Contributions (continued)

Recommendation – We recommend the Village management establish procedures to ensure compliance with PERA regulations. These procedures should include a semi-annual verification of contributions rates and a thorough review of the reporting prior to submittal to PERA to verify accuracy.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2015-014 - Other Matters - IPA Recommendation and Contract to State Auditor

Statement of Condition – The Village did not deliver the fully completed and signed IPA Recommendation Form for Audits and the completed audit contract to the state auditor by May 15, 2016. This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year, management stated the audit finding would be resolved by May 15, 2017.

Criteria – As per Section 2.2.2.8(G)(6)(c) of the 2.2.2 NMAC Audit Rule 2016, the agency shall deliver the fully completed and signed IPA recommendation Form for Audits and the completed audit contract to the state auditor by May 15, 2016.

Effect – Non-compliance with the NMAC Audit Rule 2016 delays the efforts of the state auditor's office to execute timely audit contracts.

Cause – Unknown.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village management establish procedures to ensure compliance with the 2.2.2 NMAC Audit Rule.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item 2016-001 – Other Matters – Vendor Payment Process</u>

Statement of Condition – During the course of the audit, we performed tests of controls for the payment of goods and services. Our sample size was forty transactions, which were selected throughout the fiscal year, and contained the following discrepancies:

 The financial clerk who processed the invoices for payments did not obtain management approval on eight consecutive payments in June 2016 and on one payment in February 2016. The financial clerk was also one of the individuals who actually signed the checks. The other check signer was a board member. The nine checks totaled \$5,648.52 and were payable to various vendors.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

<u>Item 2016-001 – Other Matters – Vendor Payment Process (continued)</u>

Statement of Condition (continued) -

- Three transactions did not have management approval.
- The Village pays for meals for various training sessions and meetings. The total amount that came to our attention was \$676.73 for four separate occasions.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 6-6-3 provides that every local body shall keep all the books, records, and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration. Within Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 5, *Public Finance Accounting by Governmental Entities* of the New Mexico Administrative Code, the Department of Finance and Administration requires all accounting systems, including subsidiary systems, record transactions timely, completely, and accurately.

New Mexico Constitution Article IX, Section 14 states, "neither the state, nor any county, school district, or municipality, except as otherwise provided in this constitution, shall directly or indirectly lend or pledge its credit, or make any donation to or in aid of any person, association or public or private corporation. A donation within the meaning of this provision is a "gift", an allocation or appropriation of something of value, without consideration." The Village is prohibited for paying meals for various in-house training sessions and/or meetings.

Effect – Non-compliance with the New Mexico Constitution, New Mexico State Statutes and the Department of Finance and Administration rules could subject officials and employees to penalties and fines. In addition, errors may occur and not be detected by employees on a timely basis.

Cause - Unknown.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village officials expedite the establishment and maintenance of the appropriate internal controls to provide assurance of compliance with state and laws and regulations.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

Item 2016-002 - Other Matters - Segregation of Duties

Statement of Condition – The Village is a small local government body in the state of New Mexico. There are three positions that control all the financial processes for the Village. Due to limited Village financial staff, there is a lack of segregation of duties.

Criteria – Segregation of duties is a key internal control intended to minimize the occurrence of errors or fraud by ensuring that no employee has the ability to both perpetrate and conceal errors or fraud in the normal course of their duties. Generally, the primary incompatible duties that need to be segregated are:

- Authorization or approval
- Custody of assets
- Recording transactions
- Reconciliation/Control Activity

Some examples of incompatible duties are:

- Authorizing a transaction, receiving and maintaining custody of the asset that resulted from the transaction
- Receiving funds (checks or cash) and approving write-off of receivables
- Reconciling bank statements/accounts and booking entries to general ledger
- Depositing cash and reconciling bank statements
- Approving time cards and having custody of pay checks

If internal control is to be effective, there needs to be an adequate division of responsibilities among those who perform accounting procedures or control activities and those who handle assets. Ideally, separate employees will perform each of the four major duties. In general, the flow of transaction processing and related activities should be designed so that the work of one individual is either independent of, or serves to check on, the work of another. Such arrangements reduce the risk of undetected error and limit opportunities to misappropriate assets or conceal intentional misstatements in the financial statements.

Effect – Without proper segregation of duties there is little or no oversight and review to identify errors. In addition, the risk that fraud or theft could occur is greater because it only requires two people to collude in order to hide a transaction. Without a separation in key processes, fraud and error risks are far less manageable.

Cause – Unknown.

Recommendation – We recommend that when duties cannot be sufficiently segregated due to the small size of the financial staff, it is important that mitigating controls, such as a detailed supervisory review of the activities, be put in place to reduce risks. Until the funding becomes available to hire additional staff, we recommend the board remain active in its duty of financial oversight.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2016-002 – Other Matters – Segregation of Duties (continued)</u>

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2016-003 - Compliance - Calculation of New Mexico Gross Receipts

Statement of Condition – While reviewing the reporting of governmental gross receipts we discovered the following deficiencies:

- When the Village was preparing the payment to New Mexico Taxation & Revenue Department for governmental gross receipts, the Village was applying a rate of 5.125% to its utility receipts. The correct New Mexico government gross receipt rate is 5.00%.
- The Village did not maintain supporting documentation for its calculations for five months of the fiscal year. It could not be determined when the documents were misplaced.
- Seven month of the fiscal year were filed late causing unnecessary penalties and interest of \$1,865.47.
- The Village filed and paid gross receipts twice for the month of January 2016. The error remained undetected by the Village financial staff.

Criteria – The state of New Mexico imposes a governmental gross receipts tax of 5.00% on the receipts of New Mexico state and local governments. Governmental gross receipts include:

- The sale of tangible personal property, other than water, from facilities open to the general public; refuse collection and/or disposal;
- Sewage services;
- The sale of water by a utility owned or operated by a county, municipality or other political subdivision of the state, and
- The renting of parking, docking, or tie-down spaces, or the granting of permission to park vehicles, tie-down aircraft, or dock boats (Section 7-9-3.2 NMSA 1978)

Effect – Non-compliance with New Mexico State Statutes could subject officials and employees to penalties and fines. In addition, errors may occur and not be detected by employees on a timely basis.

Cause - Unknown.

Recommendation – We recommend the Village officials expedite the establishment and maintenance of the appropriate internal controls to provide assurance of compliance with state and laws and regulations. The procedures should include a thorough review of any tax filings prior to their submissions.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION I – FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2016-003 – Compliance – Calculation of New Mexico Gross Receipts (continued)</u>

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item 2016-004 - Compliance - Sale of Public Property

Statement of Condition – At its board meeting on August 26, 2015, the board approved the sale of two tracts of land for \$6,475. The Village did not maintain documentation to support that the local Government Division of the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration had approved the sale.

Criteria – As per Section 13-6-2.D NMSA 1978, sale of disposition of real or tangible personal property having a current resale value of more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) may be made by a local public body if the sale or disposition has been approved by the local government division of the department of finance and administration.

Effect – Any person, firm, or corporation that knowingly and willfully violates any provision of the Procurement Code is subject to civil penalty of not more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for each procurement in violation of any provision of the Procurement Code [Sections 13-1-28 to 13-1-199 NMSA 1978].

Cause - Unknown.

Recommendation – We recommend that the Village officials expedite the establishment of procedures and controls that will provide a complete understanding and total assurance of compliance with the Procurement Code.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

SECTION II – HOUSING AUTHORITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

Item HA 2006-03 – Significant Deficiency – Capital Asset Subsidiary Records and Depreciation Expense

Statement of Condition – The Cimarron Housing Authority (Authority) has not maintained complete and accurate capital asset subsidiary records that detail all property and equipment owned by the Authority and purchased prior to July 1, 2005. Since the Authority does not have a detailed list of assets owned, the Authority is unable to calculate depreciation expense for such assets. The detail fixed asset records cannot be located in the Authority's records. This is a repeat audit. In the prior year, the Village stated they would correct the audit finding by June 30, 2018.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 12-6-10 directs the general services department to promulgate regulations to state agencies for the accounting and control of fixed assets owned by government agencies.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION II – HOUSING AUTHORITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item HA 2006-03 – Significant Deficiency – Capital Asset Subsidiary Records and Depreciation Expense (continued)

Criteria (continued) – The New Mexico State Administrative Code, Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 1, Accounting and Control of Fixed Assets of State Government, Accounting for Acquisitions and Establishing Controls issued by the general services department, requires that the Village's Housing Authority implement a systematic and well documented system for accounting of capital assets. The information to be recorded and maintained must include, at a minimum, the following:

- 1) Agency name.
- 2) Fixed asset number.
- 3) A description using words meaningful for identification and location.
- 4) Manufacturer's name.
- 5) Model number or model name.
- 6) Serial number or vehicle identification number.
- 7) Estimated useful life.
- 8) Date acquired.
- 9) Cost and for adjusted basis.

The accounting system must be capable of generating lists of capital assets in sequences useful for managing them. The system must track all transactions, including acquisitions, depreciation, improvements and dispositions.

Non-compliance with New Mexico State Statutes and the Administrative Code subjects the governing board and management to penalties and punishment defined by state statute. Inadequate subsidiary capital asset records could allow assets to be lost or stolen, and the missing asset would not be detected in a timely manner.

Effect – The Authority is not in compliance with New Mexico State Administrative Code 2.20.1.

Cause – The Authority experienced inconsistency in management personnel and fee accountant changes.

Recommendations – We recommend that the Authority continue to explore resources to reconstruct the details of capital assets purchased prior to July 1, 2005.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item HA 2014-001 - Significant Deficiency - Inadequate Internal Control over Cash Receipts

Statement of Condition – During our testing of cash receipting, we discovered the following discrepancies. This is a repeat audit finding. In the prior year's audit report, the Village stated the audit finding would be resolved by June 30, 2018.

• In the course of the fiscal year \$1,897.61 was received and deposited, but a receipt was not issued for these receipts.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION II – HOUSING AUTHORITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)

Item HA 2014-001 – Significant Deficiency – Inadequate Internal Control over Cash Receipts (cont.)

Statement of Condition (continued) -

- Even though the Housing Authority was issuing cash receipts in numerical sequence, there twenty receipts that were not issued. There was no documentation on file to indicate that these receipt numbers were voided.
- There were seven instances where the receipt date varied from the actual bank deposit date by more than three days.

Criteria – Cash receipts are supposed to be posted and deposited daily. A daily cash receipts report should be generated that details the date, receipt number, tenant name, amount collected and purpose of the payment. The total on this report should tie to the bank deposit. Detailed monthly tenant account receivable reports should tie to cash collections on the monthly accounts receivable, and security deposit summary reports. Bank deposits of receipts should occur within 24 hours of receipt.

Effect – It is difficult to determine whether all cash collected was deposited to the bank and posted to the proper account(s), as internal reports may not be entirely reliable. Errors or irregularities could occur and go undetected in this environment.

Cause – The Housing Authority's Executive Director was put on administrative leave at the end of November 2013, and terminated on June 30, 2014. At this time, the responsibilities were transferred to the Village of Cimarron, who was not monitoring the activities of the Authority even though they had requested help from the Raton Housing Authority.

Recommendation – We recommend that the governing board expiate the transfer of the Cimarron Housing Authority to the Northern Regional Housing Authority. Until the Cimarron Housing Authority has been completely transferred to the Northern Regional Housing Authority, we recommend the Village ensures proper cash handling and posting to the accounting software procedures are operating effectively.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

<u>Item HA 2015-013 – Compliance - Tenant Eligibility – Housing Authority</u>

Statement of Condition – During the course of our audit, we performed audit tests of the tenant files retained by the Cimarron Housing Authority. This prior year's audit finding has been modified and updated to reflect current year deficiencies. In the prior year, the Village stated the finding would be resolved by June 30, 2018. Our tests revealed the following matters:

 One occasion where the applicant did not fill out Form 214, Personal Declaration of Status correctly.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION II – HOUSING AUTHORITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item HA 2015-013 - Compliance - Tenant Eligibility - Housing Authority (continued)

Statement of Condition (continued) -

- Three occasions where the applicant did not fill out the Community Service/Self Sufficiency Policy form.
- Three occasions where the Authority did not fill out property inspection form.
- One occasion where the applicant failed to sign the property inspection form.
- One occasion where a representative of the Authority failed to sign the calculation tenant rent form.
- Two occasions where the Authority had left a reminder note in the file to get AR forms in the file. The authority did not follow through.
- Two occasions where the tenant was due a re-examination that was not completed and or documented in the file.
- One occasion where the tenant application was not included in the file.

Criteria – The Authority has established policies and procedures regarding the retention of tenant information in order to substantiate eligibility as required by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (24 CFR sections 5.230, 5.601, 5.609, 960.253, 960.255, and 960.259). 24 CFR section 5.230 states that 'as a condition of admission or continued occupancy, the Authority requires the tenant and other family members to provide necessary information, documentation, and releases for the PHA to verify income eligibility'. 24 CFR section 5.601 et seq. states that the Authority 'determines income eligibility and calculates the tenant's rent payment using the documentation from third party verification'. Furthermore, 24 CFR sections 960.253, 960.257, and 960.259 states that the Authority 'reexamine family income and composition at least once every 12 months and adjust the tenant rent and housing assistance payment as necessary using the documentation from third party verification'.

Furthermore, the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998 requires that 'all non-exempt public housing adult residents (18 or older) contribute eight (8) hours per month of community service (volunteer work) or participate in eight (8) hours of training, counseling, classes and other activities which help an individual toward self-sufficiency and economic independence. This is a requirement of the Public Housing Lease.'

Effect – Not complying with rules and regulations established by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development could jeopardize funding from the federal agency. Further, the agency may have penalties regarding noncompliance with their rules and regulations.

Cause – The governing board of the Cimarron Housing Authority dissolved in June 2014. The Village council assumed fiduciary responsibilities for the Housing Authority. To manage daily operations, the council entered into an agreement with the Northern Regional Housing Authority, to manage the housing units. During this time, there was a failure to review all tenant files for completeness and accuracy upon the tenant's initial entrance into the Authority, or the annual review of each of the tenant's files. The Authority failed to ensure that all necessary forms that needed to be signed by the tenant and/or by a representative of the Authority, were reviewed, completed, and signed.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION II – HOUSING AUTHORITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item HA 2015-013 – Compliance - Tenant Eligibility – Housing Authority (continued)

Recommendation — We recommend that Cimarron Housing Authority management team establish controls and procedures regarding the completion, updating and retention of tenant files to be in compliance with laws and regulations established by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item HA 2016-001 – Significant Deficiency – Inadequate Internal Control over Cash Disbursements

Statement of Condition – During the course of the audit, we performed tests of controls for the payment of goods and services. Our sample size was twenty five transactions, which were selected throughout the fiscal year, and contained the following discrepancies:

- There was no clear evidence that there was a documented management approval procedure in the processing vendor payments. All twenty-five transactions did not have evidence of management approval.
- There was one payment that did not have the vendor invoice in the file. The check amount
 was for \$333.55, written in February 2016. That check had not been presented to a
 financial institution for payment as of June 30, 2016. The file maintained by the fee
 accountant did not have notations that the check had been voided.

Criteria – New Mexico State Statutes Section 6-6-3 provides that every local body shall keep all the books, records, and accounts in their respective offices in the form prescribed by the Local Government Division of the Department of Finance and Administration. Within Title 2, Chapter 20, Part 5, *Public Finance Accounting by Governmental Entities* of the New Mexico Administrative Code, the Department of Finance and Administration requires all accounting systems, including subsidiary systems, record transactions timely, completely, and accurately.

Effect – Non-compliance with the New Mexico State Statutes and the Department of Finance and Administration rules could subject officials and employees to penalties and fines. In addition, errors may occur and not be detected by employees on a timely basis. The risk for fraud increases if management is not formally approving invoices for payment.

Cause – The Village of Cimarron Housing Authority was in a period of transition for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016. Once the management staff from the Northern Regional Housing Authority prepared the checks for payment, they were given to the Village for signature. Both parties may have made the assumption that the other party was approving the invoice prior to issuing the check or at the time the check was signed.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION II – HOUSING AUTHORITY FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS (continued)</u>

Item HA 2016-001 – Significant Deficiency – Inadequate Internal Control over Cash Disbursements (continued)

Recommendation – We recommend the Housing Authority establish and maintain the appropriate internal controls to provide assurance of compliance with state and laws and regulations. The procedures should include designated personnel authorized to approve invoices, prior to payment.

Views of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

Item HA 2016-002 - Compliance - Legal Compliance with Adopted Budget

Statement of Condition - The budgeted operating expenses for the Housing Authority were \$67,960. The actual expenses on the budgetary basis were \$83,369. The Housing Authority exceeded its respective approved budget by \$15,409.

Criteria - Sections 6-6-6 through 6-6-11 NMSA 1978 prohibits local governments from making expenditures in excess of the approved budget and make public officials liable for such expenditures. Village and Housing Authority officials and governing authorities have the obligation to follow applicable state statutes.

Effect - Noncompliance with New Mexico State Statutes could subject officials and employees to penalties and fines required by state statutes.

Cause – The ownership of the Housing Authority was in transition and not completely monitored.

Recommendation - We recommend procedures be established that include a comprehensive mid-year review of its budget. The review will allow management to examine fiscal performance and present budget adjustments, if needed, to those in charge of governance for approval. It should include a comparison of revenues and expenditures to date to the approved budget. Further, a review of planned activity for the last half of the fiscal year should also be made and compared to the approved budget. Based on the mid-year review, a resolution requesting adjustments should be submitted to the Department of Housing and Urban Development, if necessary.

View of Responsible Officials and Planned Corrective Actions – Management did not respond.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION III - PRIOR YEAR'S AUDIT FINDINGS - VILLAGE of CIMARRON

<u>Item 2002-002 – Compliance – Submission of Audit Report</u> – The prior fiscal year audit report was not submitted timely. The finding is not considered resolved and is repeated in the current year as item 2002-002.

<u>Item 2003-006 – Significant Deficiency – Imprest Bank Account</u> – In the prior year, the Village did not correctly reconcile the imprest payroll bank account. The finding is not considered resolved, has been modified and is repeated in the current year as item 2003-006.

<u>Item 2008-003 – Other Matter – Enterprise Fund Debt</u> – In the prior years, two enterprise (water/sewer and solid waste) funds had borrowed monies from the general fund to pay debt. The finding is not considered resolved, has been modified and is repeated in the current year as item 2008-003.

<u>Item 2012-007 – Other Matter – Bank Reconciliation Municipal Escrow Account</u> – In the prior year, the municipal escrow bank account had not been reconciled with information provided by the Municipal Judge's office. The finding is not considered resolved, has been modified and is repeated in the current year as item 2012-007.

<u>Item 2014-002 – Significant Deficiency – Accounting Activity</u> – In the prior year the Village had several issues during the year concerning the posting of transactions to certain funds. The Village has resolved some items; however, problems still exist. The audit finding is not considered resolved, and has been modified and is repeated in the current year as item 2014-002.

<u>Item 2014-003 – Significant Deficiency – Interfund Balances</u> – In the prior year, it was reported that the Village has inter-fund receivables and payables that have not been retired. The finding has not been resolved, and has been modified and repeated as 2014-003.

<u>Item 2014-005 – Compliance – Cash Reconciliation of DFA Report</u> – In the prior year, it was reported that the Village had not reconciled the fourth quarter DFA report to the books of record. The finding has been modified and is repeated as 2014-005.

<u>Item 2014-006 – Other Matter – Service Agreement Accounting</u> – In the prior year, Cimarron Chamber of Commerce had not provided a final accounting for the funds given to the Chamber. The finding has been modified and is repeated as 2014-006.

<u>Item 2014-007 – Compliance – Water Conservation Fee</u> – In the prior year, the Village was not calculating the water conservation fee correctly. The finding has not been resolved, has been modified, and is repeated as 2014-007.

<u>Item 2014-008 – Other Matter – Service Agreement Compliance</u> – In the prior year, Cimarron Chamber of Commerce was overpaid under the Service Agreement with the Village. The finding has been modified and is repeated as 2014-008.

<u>Item 2014-009 – Other Matter – Lack of Clarity with the Service Agreement</u> – In the prior year, the Service Agreement with the Village lacked clarity in regards to the how the lodgers' tax receipts were to be spent. The finding has been modified and is repeated as 2014-009.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

SECTION III - PRIOR YEAR'S AUDIT FINDINGS - VILLAGE of CIMARRON (continued)

<u>Item 2015-001 – Material Weakness – Financial Statements and Disclosures</u> – In the prior year, it was reported that the finance/accounting staff of the Village lacks the knowledge to prepare generally accepted accounting principles as well as the ability to detect accuracy and completeness of all required notes that explain financial activity contained in the financial statements. The finding was not addressed during the current fiscal year, and is thus repeated as item 2015-001.

<u>Item 2015-002 – Material Weakness – Cash Reconciliation to the General Ledger</u> – In the prior year, the Village had not reconciled the bank balances to the cash balances as listed in the general ledger. The Village sought out the assistance of DFA to reconcile the cash and bank balances for the year ended June 30, 2016. This was not intended to be the long-term solution. The finding has been updated and modified, and is repeated as item 2015-002.

<u>Item 2015-003 – Material Weakness – Utility Department Discrepancies –</u> In the prior year the Village utility department operations had several discrepancies involving internal control over billing, collection and reporting. The deficiencies noted in the finding were not corrected, and is repeated as item 2015-003.

Item 2015-004 – Material Weakness – Capital Asset

<u>Subsidiary Records and Depreciation Expense</u> — In the prior year the capital asset subsidiary records were not adjusted to reflect new acquisitions and disposals. The finding was not addressed by management, and is repeated as item 2015-004.

<u>Item 2015-005 – Significant Deficiency – Credit Card Transactions –</u> In the prior year the Village failed to properly maintain documentation to support credit card fuel transactions. The finding was not corrected by management, and is repeated as item 2015-005.

<u>Item 2015-006 – Compliance – Official Board Minutes –</u> In the prior year the Village could not locate board meeting minutes for the month May 2015. In addition, the minutes were vague and lacked detail. Similar problems were discovered for the current year. The audit finding has been modified, and is repeated as item 2015-006.

<u>Item 2015-007 – Compliance – Per Diem and Mileage Act –</u> In the prior year the Village had numerous discrepancies concerning the payment of travel in compliance with the NM Per Diem and Mileage Act. Similar problems were discovered for the current year. The audit finding has been modified, and is repeated as item 2015-007.

<u>Item 2015-008 – Compliance – Grant Requirements –</u> In the prior year the Village could not locate federal and state grant files for testing. The same condition existed for the current year. The audit finding has been modified, and is repeated as item 2015-008.

<u>Item 2015-009 – Compliance – Procurement Violation –</u> In the prior year the Village had made capital purchases that were subject to the NM Procurement Code. The Village did not maintain the appropriate documentation to support compliance with the Procurement Code. Similar deficiencies were noted in the current year. The audit finding has been modified, and is repeated as item 2015-009.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2016

<u>SECTION III - PRIOR YEAR'S AUDIT FINDINGS - VILLAGE of CIMARRON (continued)</u>

<u>Item 2015-010 – Compliance – Lodgers' Tax Audit –</u> It could not be determined if and when the Village last conducted a lodger's tax audit. A lodger's tax audit was conducted for the year ended June 30, 2015. The finding is considered resolved.

<u>Item 2015-011 – Compliance – Annual Inventory of Capital Assets –</u> In the prior year it could not be determined if the Village actually conducted an annual physical inventory of its capital assets. The finding has not been resolved and is updated, and is repeated as item 2015-011.

Item 2015-012 - Compliance - Public Employees

<u>Retirement Act (PERA) Wages and Contributions</u> – In the prior year, the Village was not using the correct employer contribution rates to determine the amount of employer contributions and they did not report the correct PERA wages. Similar errors were made in the current year. The audit finding has been updated and modified, and is repeated as item 2015-012.

Item 2015-014 - Other Matters - IPA

<u>Recommendation and Contract to State Auditor</u> – In the prior year, the Village was late in delivering a fully completed and signed IPA recommendation form for audits to the state auditor. In the current year, the Village did not resolve the finding. The finding was updated, and is repeated as item 2015-014.

SECTION IV - PRIOR YEAR'S AUDIT FINDINGS - CIMARRON HOUSING AUTHORITY

<u>Item 2015-015 – Other Matters – Presentation of Audit Report –</u> The audit report for the year ended June 30, 2014 was not presented to a quorum of the Village's governing authority. The audit report for the year ended June 30, 2015 was presented to the Village council. The finding has been resolved.

<u>Item 2006-003 – Significant Deficiency – Capital Assets for Cimarron Housing Authority</u> – In the prior year, Cimarron Housing Authority had not maintained a detailed listing of capital asset schedules for assets purchased prior to July 1, 2005. Management did not correct the deficiency in the current year, and the audit finding has been updated and is repeated as item HA 2006-003.

<u>Item 2014-001 – Significant Deficiency – Inadequate Internal Control over Cash Receipts</u> – In the prior year the Housing Authority has significant discrepancies between receipt/posting dates for tenant payments in the Housing Authority's accounting system and bank deposit dates. Similar discrepancies exist in the current year, and the finding has been modified and is repeated as HA 2014-001.

<u>Item 2015-013 – Compliance – Tenant Eligibility – Housing Authority</u> – In the prior year the Housing Authority had several deficiencies in their tenant files. The deficiencies in the tenant files were not cleared. The finding has not been resolved and the repeated finding is HA 2015-013.

EXIT CONFERENCE AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT PREPARATION JUNE 30, 2016

EXIT CONFERENCE

The audit report for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2016, was discussed during the exit conference held on July 26, 2017. Present for the Village was Leo R. Martinez, mayor; Laura Gonzales, councilor; and Matthew E. Gonzales, Village administrator. Present for the auditing firm was Rose Fierro, CPA.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT PREPARATION

The auditing firm of Fierro & Fierro, P.A., Certified Public Accountants, prepared the financial statements of the Village of Cimarron as of June 30, 2016. The Village's upper management has reviewed and approved the financial statements and related notes, and they believe that the Village's books and records adequately support them.