State of New Mexico

TOWN OF VAUGHN

FOR YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2019

ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT

RICE & ASSOCIATES

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TOWN OF VAUGHN

AUDIT REPORT

For The Year Ended June 30, 2019 (with Auditor's Report Thereon)

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Official Roster Year Ended June 30, 2019

TOWN BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Name
Title

Mr. Roman Garcia
Mayor

Mr. Billy Lucero
Trustee

Mr. Paul Lucero
Trustee

Mr. Rudy Martinez
Trustee

Mr. Jack Props
Trustee

Village Administration

Ms. Shaline Lopez Clerk/Treasurer

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Mr. Brian Colón
New Mexico State Auditor
and
Honorable Mayor and Town Council
Town of Vaughn
Vaughn, New Mexico

Report on Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information, and the budgetary comparisons for the General, Fire Protection, Streets and Lodgers Tax Funds of the Town of Vaughn, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2019, and the related notes to the financial statements which collectively comprise the Town of Vaughn's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. We also have audited the financial statements of each of the Town of Vaughn's non-major governmental funds and non-major enterprise 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, 2019 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

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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.

Except for the matter described in the "Basis of Disclaimer of Opinion on Business-Type Activities and Joint Utility Funds paragraph, we believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Summary of Opinions

Opinion Unit	Type of Opinion
Governmental Activities	Unmodified
Business-Type Activities	Disclaimer
General Fund	Unmodified
Fire Protection Fund	Unmodified
Streets Fund	Unmodified
Landfill Closure Fund	Unmodified
Ambulance Fund	Unmodified
Joint Utility Fund	Disclaimer
Aggregate Remaining Fund Information	Unmodified

Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion on the Joint Utility, General and Government Wide Financial Statements

The financial statements of the Joint Utility Fund could not be separated into Water, Sewer and Solid Waste Funds so they could be audited individually. The beginning balances were also unauditable as the prior years opinion was a disclaimer.

Because of the circumstances above this also rendered Government Wide Financial Statements (Business-Type Activities) unauditable.

Disclaimer of Opinion

Because of the significance of the matter described in the "Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion on the Joint Utility and Government Wide Financial Statements" paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion on the financial statements of the Joint Utility and Government Wide Financial Statements (Business-Type Activities) of the Town of Vaughn. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on these financial statements.

Unmodified Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Vaughn, as of June 20, 2019, and the respective changes in financial position and, where applicable, cash flows thereof for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Management has omitted the MD&A which is required to be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such missing information, although not a part of the basic financial statements is required by GASB 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.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require the Schedules I, II and III and the notes to the Required Supplementary Information be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquires 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 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 Town of Vaughn financial statements, the combining and the individual fund financial statements, and the budgetary comparisons. The schedules required by 2.2.2 NMAC are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The other schedules required by 2.2.2 NMAC 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 required by 2.2.2 NMAC 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 September 14, 2020 on our consideration of the Town of Vaughn's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards in considering the Town of Vaughn's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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Albuquerque, New Mexico September 14, 2020 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

		nmental vities		iness Type tivities		Total
ASSETS	12/2				_	
Current Assets						
Cash	\$	650,160	S	372,752	\$	1,022,912
Accounts receivable (net						
of uncollectible accounts)		46,230		79,206		125,436
Due from other funds		71,101	-		1	71,101
Total current assets	-	767,491		451,958	-	1,219,449
Non-current assets						
Restricted assets (cash)		57,437		34,470		91,907
Customer Meter Deposits		-	-	21,620	·	21,620
Total non-current assets	-	57,437	-	56,090	_	113,527
Land		171,465		135,582		307,047
Land improvements	5,	600,839		29,022		5,629,861
Buildings and improvements	2	348,193		34,159		2,382,352
Vehicles		264,099		23,403		287,502
Heavy equipment	1	322,093		710,153		2,032,246
Equipment		262,040		216,964		479,004
Plant/Infrastructure	-	959,770	_	6,662,207	-	7,621,977
Total capital assets	10	928,499		7,811,490	_	18,739,989
Less accumulated depreciation	(5	776,891)		(4,979,750)		(10,756,641)
Total capital assets (net of						
accumulated depreciation)	5	151,608		2,831,740	_	7,983,348
Deferred outflows of resources						
related to pension	-	72,701	-		1	72,701
Total assets	\$ 6	,049,237	\$	3,339,788	\$	9,389,025

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

	Governmental Activities	Business Type Activities	Total
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			Total
Current Liabilities			
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$ 230,401	\$ 230,401
Current portion of bonds payable		9,000	9,000
Current portion of loan payable	22,722	498	23,220
Customer meter deposits payable			
from restricted assets	-	21,620	21,620
Due to other funds		71,101	71,101
			0.
Total current liabilities	22,722	332,620	355,342
Non-Current Liabilities			
Compensated absences payable	9,134	1,274	10,408
Bonds payable	3/231	412,000	412,000
Loan payable	187,158	11,284	198,442
Net pension liability	258,287	11/204	258,287
Landfill closure	-	73,270	73,270
		13/2/0	13,210
Total non-current liabilities	454,579	497,828	952,407
Total liabilities	477,301	830,448	1,307,749
Deferred Inflows			
Deferred inflows of resources			
related to pension	19,889		19,889
Total deferred inflows	19,889		19,889
Net Position			
Net investment in capital assets	4,941,728	2,410,740	7,352,468
Restricted for:	4.0.234.0.20	24 52 56 - 15 2	7,552,400
State mandated cash balance	56,792		56,792
Special revenue fund	681,471	<u></u>	681,471
Capital outlay	256		256
Debt service	389	28,420	28,809
Landfill		(79,002)	(79,002)
Unrestricted	(128,589)	149,182	20,593
Total net position	5,552,047	2,509,340	8,061,387
Total liabilities and net position	\$ 6,049,237	\$ 3,339,788	\$ 9,389,025

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Statement of Activities Year Ended June 30, 2019

Parliary government: Governmental activities: General quovernment			zea1	r Ended June 30,	2019					
Part Propertions Property taxes Pr			Program Revenues							
Sourcemental activities: Section		Expenses		Grants and	Grants and			Total		
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Depreciation - unallocated 441,643 (441,643) (Culture and recreation	71.450	6.922	29 832		124 6061		101.000		
Therest 1,714 - (1,714) -			0,022	25,032	10	The second secon		(34,696 (441,643		
Total governments activities	Interest	1,714	-	-				(1,714		
Business-type activities: Joint utilities					-	350,522		171,174		
Joint utilities	Total governmental activities	1,247,557	68,466	209,998	208,760	(760,333)		(760, 333		
Joint utilities	Business-type activities:									
Landfill closure 8,940 1 - 6,8400 (Ambulance 55,441 19,412 58,335 - 22,306 2 Cemetary 1,526 725 - 6801) Total business-type activities 564,893 317,092 124,397 140,484 - 17,070 1 Total all activities \$ 1,812,450 \$ 385,558 \$ 334,385 \$ 349,244 (760,333) 17,070 (74) Ceneral Revenues: Property taxes	1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 - 1880 -	100 006	206 055	56 050	240 754		F 262			
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	Restatement					(124,545)	124,545			
	Net position - beginning of year - re	estated				5,829,438	2,487,529	8,316,967		
Net position - ending \$ 5,552,047 \$ 2,509,340 \$ 8,061	Net position - ending					\$ 5,552,047	\$ 2,509,340	\$ 8,061,387		

Statement 3

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Balance Sheet Governmental Funds June 30, 2019

	General	Fire	Protection Fund	- 19	Streets Fund	Lo	dgers Tax Fund		Other ernmental Fund	Gov	Total ernmental Funds
ASSETS	12 505	.5.	\$2003.0.2		100000000000000000000000000000000000000						
Cash on deposit	\$ 97,866	\$	61,042	\$	282,278	\$	214,632	ş	51,779	\$	707,597
Accounts receivable	27,641				4,544		7,119		6,926		46,230
Due from other funds	71,009	-	31,137	-	14,455	-		-	19,580	-	136,181
Total assets	\$ 196,516	\$	92,179	\$	301,277	\$	221,751	ş	78,285	\$	890,008
LIABILITIES											
Accounts payable	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	Ş	4	\$	-	\$	
Due to other funds	53,704	_		_		Æ	10,945	-	431		65,080
Total liabilities	53,704	-				_	10,945		431		65,080
FUND BALANCE											
Restricted for:											
Fire protection			91,534				-		11,186		102,720
Highways and streets			-		301,277		-				301,277
Corrections	-		-		-				26,510		26,510
Recreation services	5		-		-		210,806		30,538		241,344
Public safety	8		-		-				9,620		9,620
Reserves	56,792		-		-		-				56,792
Capital outlay	-		256		-		-		+		256
Debt service	4		389		-		-		-		389
Committed	-		-		-		*		-		-
Assigned			0.00		8		-		-		
Unassigned	86,020	-		-		5-		_	-	5	86,020
Total fund balance	142,812	_	92,179	_	301,277	-	210,806	_	77,854		824,928
Total liabilities											
and fund balance	\$ 196,516	\$	92,179	\$	301,277	\$	221,751	\$	78,265	\$	890,008

Statement 4

Reconciliation of the Balance Sheet - Governmental Funds to the Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

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

Total fund balances - governmental funds

824,928

Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported as assets in governmental funds

The cost of capital assets
Accumulated depreciation

10,928,499

(5,776,891)

5,151,608

Long-term and certain other liabilities, including bonds payable, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore are not reported as liabilities in the funds. Long-term and other liabilities at year-end consist of:

Loans payable

(209,880)

Compensated absences

(9, 134)

(219,014)

Some liabilities, including net pension obligations, are not due and payable in the current period and therefore, are not reported in the funds

Net pension liability

(258, 287)

Deferred outflows and inflows or resources related to pensions are applicable to future periods and therefore, are not reported in the funds

52,812

Net position of governmental activities

5,552,047

Governmental Funds Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances For the year endod June 30, 2019

	Gen	eral	Fire	Protection Fund	S	treets Fund	Lod	gers Tak Fund	Gov	Other ernmental Funds	Gov	Total ernmental Funds
REVENUES									-			
Taxes	S	63,315	3	-	\$	-	基	-	4		9	63,315
Lodgers tax		- 8		8		-		56,103		3		56,103
Franchise tames		- 0		-				-		-		100
Gas tam				-		53,596		~				53,596
MVD		751				-		-				751
Charges for services		1,925		2-		-		=		6,922		8,847
Fines and forfeitures		45,179						-		13,540		58,719
Licenses and permits		900		140						100		900
Local sources		66,732		1,420		-		32		10,500		78,684
State sources		08,520		85,914		845		-		41,037		235,471
Federal sources		88,564		,		1.4				6,039		194,603
State shared taxes		18,781				3		-		150,150		218,781
- eren summer course	-	10, 101		394				-		2		396
Earnings from investments	-		_	234					-		-	
Total revenues	6	94,667		87,728	_	53,596		56,135	_	78,040	_	970,166
EXPENDITURES												
Current:												
General government	5	64,664		_				-		515		565,179
Highways and streets		-				65,996		-				65,996
Public safety		-		64,432				-		16,030		80,462
Culture and recreation		-		W-1 0-1-		-				34,981		34,981
Capital outlay	1	87,331		0		=		36,469		100		223,800
NMFA principal	-			21,859		-				-		21,859
NMFA interest				1,714)÷		-	_			1,714
		50. 2.5				27.00				0. 300		***
Total expenditures	7	51,995	-	88,005	-	65,996	-	36,469	-	51,526	-	993,991
Excess (deficiency) of revenue												
over expenditures		57,328)	_	(277)	_	(12,400)	_	19,666		26,514		(23, 825)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)												
Transfers in		_		-		100		-		-		100
Transfers out		-		30-				-		-		*
Loan proceeds		-		-			_	_==	_			
Total other financing sources	_		_		_	-	_		_		_	
Net change in fund balances		(57,328)		(277)	-	(12,400)	-	19,666	-	26,514	_	(23, 825)
Fund balance beginning of year	2	00,140		92,456		313,677		191,140		175,885		973,298
Restatement	_	3		5+			_	-		(124, 545)		(124,545)
Fund balance beginning of year, restated	2	00,140	_	92,456	_	313,677	_	191,140	_	51,340		848,753
Fund balance end of year	\$ 1	42,812	\$	92,179	\$	301,277	\$	210,806	\$	77,854	5	824,928

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Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances - Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities For the Year Ended June 30, 2019

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds

(23,825)

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

Capital outlays to purchase or build capital assets are reported in governmental funds as expenditures. However, for governmental activities those costs are shown in the statement of net assets and allocated over their estimated useful lives as annual depreciation expenses in the statement of activities. This is the amount by which depreciation exceeds capital outlays expense in the period.

Depreciation expense Capital outlays

(441,643)

187,331

Excess of capital outlay over depreciation expense

(254, 312)

Governmental funds report pension contributions as expenditures. However, in the Statement of Activities, the cost of pension benefits earned net of employee contributions is reported as pension expense.

Pension contributions Pension expense 14,889

(33,160)

The issuance of long-term debt (e.g. loans) provides current financial resources to governmental funds while the repayment of the principal of long-term debt consumes the current financial resources of governmental funds.

Loan proceeds

Repayment of long-term debt

21,859

21,859

In the Statement of Activities, certain operating expenses are measured by the amount incurred during the year. In the fund financial statements however, expenditures are measured by the amount of financial resources used (essentially the amounts actually paid). The (increase) decrease in the liabilities for the year were:

Compensated absences payable

(2,842)

Change in net position of governmental activities

(277,391)

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TOWN OF VAUGHN

General Fund

Statement of Revenues and Expenditures Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) Year Ended June 30, 2019

		Original Budget		Final Budget	_	Actual	F	'ariance avorable favorable)
REVENUES								
Taxes	\$	68,620	\$	68,620	\$	63,170	ş	(5,450)
Franchise taxes				-	4.	-		457 1457
Gas taxes		<u>-</u> ,-						-
MVD		1,793		1,793		751		(1,042)
Charges for services		4,800		5,650		1,925		(3,725)
Fines and forfeitures		37,000		57,122		47,036		(10,086)
Licenses and permits		1,250		1,250		900		(350)
Local sources		74,458		93,488		55,787		(37,701)
State sources		153,584		153,584		108,520		(45,064)
Federal sources		-		÷		128,931		128,931
State shared taxes		253,533		253,533		234,929		(18,604)
Earnings from investments			<u></u>		-		_	-
Total revenues	\$	595,038	\$	635,040	\$	641,949	\$	6,909
EXPENDITURES								
General government	\$	680,501	\$	734,322	\$	751,994	\$	(17,672)
Public safety				-				
Highways & Streets		-				1.		-
Culture and recreation	-		-	÷	-		_	
Total expenditures	\$	680,501	\$	734,322	\$	751,994	\$	(17,672)
BUDGETED CASH BALANCE	\$	195,345	\$	199,747				

Special Revenue - Fire Protection Fund Statement of Revenues and Expenditures -Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) Year Ended June 30, 2019

		Original Final Budget Budget			3	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)	
REVENUES								
Local sources	\$	-	\$		\$	1,420	\$	1,420
State sources		58,584		65,005		85,914		20,909
Earnings from investments			-	-	-	394	_	394
Total revenues	\$	58,584	\$	65,005	\$	87,728	\$	22,723
EXPENDITURES								
Public safety		58,584		86,857		64,432		22,425
Loan principle		-		-		21,859		(21,859)
Loan interest	_		-	~~~	=	1,714	-	(1,714)
Total expenditures	\$	58,584	\$	86,857	\$	88,005	\$	(1,148)
BUDGETED CASH BALANCE	\$		\$	21,852				

Special Revenue - Streets Fund Statement of Revenues and Expenditures Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
REVENUES				
Gas taxes	\$ 2,000	\$ 75,750	\$ 53,679	\$ (22,071)
Total revenues	\$ 2,000	\$ 75,750	\$ 53,679	\$ (22,071)
EXPENDITURES				
Highways and streets	\$ 242,795	\$ 294,292	\$ 65,996	\$ 228,296
Total expenditures	\$ 242,795	\$ 294,292	\$ 65,996	\$ 228,296
BUDGETED CASH BALANCE	\$ 240,795	\$ 218,542		

Special Revenue - Lodgers Tax Fund Statement of Revenues and Expenditures Budget and Actual (Non-GAAP Budgetary Basis) Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Original Budget		Final Budget		Actual		Variance Favorable (Unfavorable	
REVENUES								
Lodgers tax	\$	55,000	\$	55,000	\$	59,034	\$	4,034
Local sources			-		1	6,024	-	6,024
Total revenues	\$	55,000	\$	55,000	\$	65,058	\$	10,058
EXPENDITURES								
Culture and recreation	\$	87,694	\$	104,928	\$	36,469	\$	68,459
Total expenditures	\$	87,694	\$	104,928	\$	36,469	\$	68,459
BUDGETED CASH BALANCE	\$	32,694	\$	49,928				

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Proprietary Funds Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

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	Joint Utilitie	Landfill s Closure Fund	Ambulance Fund	Other Enterprise Funds	Total
ASSETS					
Current Assets					
Cash on deposit	\$ 231,59	8 \$ -	\$ 136,026	\$ 5,128	\$ 372,752
Accounts receivable (net) Due from other funds	78,39	2 -	814 4,082		79,206 4,082
Total Current Assets	309,99		140,922	5,128	456,040
Non-Current Assets					
Restricted Assets (Cash)	28,42	6,050	÷	9	34,470
Customer meter deposits	21,62				21,620
Total Non-Current Assets	50,04	6,050			56,090
Capital Assets					
Land	135,58	2 -	=	-	135,582
Land improvements	29,02	2 -		-	29,022
Buildings and Improvements	34,15	9 -	-	-	34,159
Equipment	216,96	4	-	4	216,964
Vehicles	23,40	3 -	-	-	23,403
Heavy equipment	710,15	3 +	-	-	710,153
Plant/infrastructure	6,662,20	7 -	(-	-	6,662,207
Accumulated depreciation	(4,979,75	0) =	((4,979,750)
Total Capital Assets	2,831,74				2,831,740
Total Assets	\$ 3,191,77	\$ 6,050	\$ 140,922	\$ 5,128	\$ 3,343,870

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Proprietary Funds Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

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	Joi	nt Utilities Fund		andfill Closure Fund	A	mbulance Fund	Ent	Other erprise Funds		Total
LIABILITIES										
Current Liabilities										
Accounts payable	\$	230,401	\$	14	\$	4	\$	-	\$	230,401
Current portion loan payable		-		498				100		498
Current portion revenue bonds payable		9,000				-		-		9,000
Customer meter deposits										
payable from Restricted Assets		21,620		(+				-		21,620
Due to other funds	-	75,183	-		-		1		-	75,183
Total Current Liabilities	_	336,204		498	_		5=-		_	336,702
Long-Term Liabilities										
Compensated absences payable		1,274								1,274
Loan payable		-		11,284		7.0		100		11,284
Landfill post closure liabilities				73,270		-		1.3		73,270
Revenue bonds payable	-	412,000	-	-	-		-	-	_	412,000
Total Long-Term Liabilities	_	413,274	,	84,554	_	<u>~</u>	_	-	_	497,828
Total Liabiliites	-	749,478	-	85,052	_		-	= 04	_	834,530
NET POSITION										
Net investment in capital assets		2,410,740		-		-		-		2,410,740
Restricted for debt service		28,420		-		~		4		28,420
Restricted for capital outlay		1		*		-		- 8		100
Restricted for landfill closure		-		(79,002)				1.1.4.		(79,002)
Unrestricted	-	3,132	_		-	140,922	_	5,128	-	149,182
Total Net Position	-	2,442,292	_	(79,002)	-	140,922	-	5,128	-	2,509,340
Total Liabilities and										
Net Position	\$	3,191,770	\$	6,050	\$	140,922	\$	5,128	\$	3,343,870

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Proprietary Funds

Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position For the Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Joint Utility Fund	Landfill Closure Fund	Ambulance Fund	Other Enterprise Funds	Total	
OPERATING REVENUES						
Sales and services	\$ 296,955	5 -	\$ 19,412	\$ 725	\$ 317,092	
Local sources	66,052		58,335		124,387	
State sources	_		_		-	
Federal sources	140,484	2	+	- L	140,484	
State shared taxes	4,718		- 6		4,718	
Total operating revenue	508,209		77,747	725	586,681	
OPERATING EXPENSES						
Personal services	19		8	(A)	1 -	
Maintenance and operations	177,390	8,649	55,441	1,526	243,006	
Major contractual services		-				
Depreciation	302,290			-	302,290	
Total operating expenses	479,680	8,649	55,441	1,526	545,296	
Operating income (loss)	28,529	(8,649)	22,306	(801)	41,385	
NON-OPERATING REVENUE (EXPENSE)						
Investment income		23	-	· ·	23	
Investment expense	(19,305)	(291)	-	-	(19,596)	
Transfers in	-	777	(2)	.2	777	
Transfers out	(778)	-	=		(778)	
Total Non-Operating Revenue (Expense)	(20,083)	509			(19,574)	
			300.34	The same of the sa		
Change in Net Position	8,446	(8,140)	22,306	(801)	21,811	
Net position, beginning of year	2,433,846	(70,862)	9	1-1	2,362,984	
Restatement	8		118,616	5,929	124,545	
Net position, beginning of year - restated	2,433,846	(70, 862)	118,616	5,929	2,487,529	
Net position, end of year	\$ 2,442,292	\$ (79,002)	\$ 140,922	\$ 5,128	\$ 2,509,340	

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Proprietary Funds Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Joint Utility Fund		indfill losure Fund	A	mbulance Fund	Ent	Other erprise Funds		Total
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		7	-	C 1					- 6 14.00
Cash received from customers	\$	\$		\$	81,038	ş	725	\$	81,763
Cash received from local sources	7		-				-		42.40
Cash received from state sources Cash received from state shared takes			- 5		17,517		- 61		17,517
	-		-				-		_
Cash payments to employees and to suppliers for goods and services		_		-	(55,664)		(1,526)	-	(57,190)
Net cash provided by operating activities				_	42,891		(801)	-	42,090
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND									
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES:									
Loan proceeds	9		-		-		-		0.00
Principal paid	÷		(485)		-				(485)
Acquisition of capital assets	-				-		-		100
Investment empense	-	-	(291)	-		-	- 1	-	(291)
Net cash provided (used) by capital									
and related financing activities		-	(776)	-	-	-	~	-	(776)
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL									
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:									
Operating transfers from other funds	2		777		-				777
Operating transfers to other funds	-	-	3	-		_	-	_	
Net cash provided (used) by									
noncapital financing activities		-	777	_		_		-	777
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:									
Investment income	-	-	23	-		_	-	-	23
Net cash provided by investing									
activities		-	23	-		_	-	_	23
Net increase (decrease) in cash			24		42,891		(801)		42,114
Cash, beginning of year	4	_	6,026		93,135		5, 929	_	105,090
Cash, end of year	\$ -	3	6,050	\$	136,026	\$	5,128	\$	147,204
PECONCILIATION OF OPERATING						,,,,,,			
INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED									
BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:									
Operating income (loss)		s	(8,649)	\$	22,306	- 8	(901)	4	12,856
Adjustments to reconcile operating		-	(0)-13/	7	22,000	- T	1002/	7.	12,000
income to net cash provided by									
operating activities:									
Depreciation Changes in assets and liabilities:					1.4		-		-
그는 그들은					20 505				20 505
(Increase) decrease in receivables Increase (decrease) in accounts payable			8,649		20,585		S		20,585 8,649
Increase (decrease) in compensated									
absences	-		3		10		7		
Increase (decrese) in unapplied credits		_		-		-			
Not cash provided (used) by operating activities	8 -	. 8	-		42,891	8	(801)	\$	42,090

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

Statement of Fiduciary Assets and Liabilities - Agency Funds June 30, 2019

ASSETS	Agency Funds
Cash Accounts receivable	\$ 468 1,116
Total Assets	\$ 1,584
LIABILITIES	
Due to other agencies	\$ 1,584
Total Liabilities	\$ 1,584

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended June 30, 2019

1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Town of Vaughn is incorporated under Section 3, Article 2, New Mexico State Statutes Annotated 1978 Compilation operating under a Mayor-Council form of government and provides the following services as authorized: public safety (police and fire), highways and streets, sanitation, health and social services, culture-recreation, public improvements, planning and zoning and general administrative services.

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

A. Reporting Entity

In evaluating how to define the government, for financial reporting purposes, management has considered all potential component units. The decision to include a potential component unit in the reporting entity was made by applying the criteria set forth in GAAP. The basic-but not the only-criterion for including a potential component unit within the reporting entity is the governing body's ability to exercise oversight responsibility. The most significant manifestation of this ability is financial interdependency. Other manifestations of the ability to exercise oversight responsibility include, but are not limited to, the selection of governing authority, the designation of management, the ability to significantly influence operations, and accountability for fiscal matters. A second criterion used in evaluating potential component units is the scope of public service. Application of this criterion involves considering whether the activity benefits the government and/or its citizens, or whether the activity is conducted within the geographic boundaries of the government and is generally available to its citizens. A third criterion used to evaluate potential component units for inclusion or exclusion from the reporting entity is the existence of special financing relationships, regardless of whether the government is able to exercise oversight responsibilities. Based upon the application of these criteria, the Town had no component units.

B. Government-wide and fund financial statements

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

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

Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements.

C. <u>Measurement focus</u>, 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, as are the proprietary fund financial statements. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are billed. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized as soon as they are both measurable and available. Revenues are considered to be available when they are collectible within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 30 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, as well as expenditures related to compensated absences and claims and judgements, are recorded only when payment is due.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

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

Expenditure-driven grants are recognized as revenue when the qualifying expenditures have been incurred and all other grant requirements have been met and susceptible to accrual criteria have been met.

The government reports the following major governmental funds:

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

The Fire Protection Fund (Special Revenue Fund) is to account for the operations and maintenance of the Fire Department. It is financed by a specific allotment from the State Fire Marshall's Office. The authority is NMSA 59A-53-1.

The Streets Fund (Special Revenue Fund) is to account for the receipt and expenditure of special gasoline taxes which are restricted for use in repairing and maintaining roads and streets within Town limits. The Fund was created by the authority of State Statute 7-1-16.9 and 7-13-1 to 18 NMSA 1978.

The Lodgers Tax Fund (Special Revenue Fund) is to account for the administration of a Town promotional effort. Funds are derived from a lodger's tax imposed on motel rentals. (Authority is NMSA 3-38-13).

The Town reports the following Proprietary Fund types:

<u>Enterprise Fund - Water/Sewer Fund - To account for the provision of water and sewer services to the residents of Magdalena, New Mexico. All activities necessary to provide these services are accounted for in this fund.</u>

<u>Enterprise Fund - Solid Waste Fund</u> - To account for the revenue and expenditures for the maintenance of the solid waste operations. All activities necessary to provide these services are accounted for in this fund.

<u>Enterprise Fund - Ambulance Fund - To account for the operations of the Town's ambulance services.</u>

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

<u>Enterprise Fund - Cemetary Fund</u> - To account for revenues from the sales of lots and donations to be used for cemetary improvements. Funding is authorized by NMSA 58-17-4.

The Town also reports additional Governmental funds as non-major.

<u>Special Revenue Funds</u> - These funds are used to account for the proceeds of specific revenue sources that are legally restricted to expenditures for specified purposes.

The Town also reports Fiduciary Funds.

Agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not present results of operations or have a measurement focus. Agency funds are accounted for using the modified accrual basis of accounting. These funds are used to account for assets that the Town holds for others in an agency capacity.

As a general rule the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements.

Program revenues included in the Statement of Activities derive directly from the program itself or from parties outside the Town's taxpayers or citizenry, as a whole; program revenues reduce the cost of the function to be financed from the Town's general revenues. Program revenues include: 1) charges for services to taxpayers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from the goods or services provided by the given function 2) program-specific operating grants and contributions and 3) program specific capital grants and contributions including special assessments.

Internally dedicated resources are reported as general revenues rather than as program revenues. Likewise, general revenues include all taxes.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating revenues and expenses from nonoperating items. 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 enterprise fund is charged to customers for sales and services. The enterprise fund also recognized as operating revenue the portion of tap fees intended to recover the cost of connecting new customers to the system. Operating expenses for 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 nonoperating revenues and expenses.

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

D. <u>Budgets and Budgetary Accounting</u>

The Town follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

- 1. Prior to June 1, the Town Clerk-Treasurer submits to the Town Council a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing the following July 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them based on previous year's history. Public hearings are conducted at the Town Hall to obtain taxpayer comments. Prior to July 1, the budget is legally enacted through passage of an ordinance.
- 2. The Town Clerk-Treasurer is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts between departments within any fund; however, any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any funds must be approved by the Town Council and New Mexico State Department of Finance, Division of Local Governments. The original budget that was adopted in July, 1998 was amended during the fiscal year in a legally permissible manner.
- 3. Formal budgetary integration is employed as a management control device during the year for the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, and Capital Project Funds.

4. Encumbrances are not reported in the budgets or financial

statements.

- 5. The level of classification detail in which expenditures of expenses may not legally exceed appropriations for each budget is in fund total. Appropriations lapse at year end.
- 6. Budgets for the General and Special Revenue Funds are adopted on a basis not consistent with generally accepted accounting principals. Throughout the year the accounting records are maintained on the Non-GAAP basis of cash receipts and disbursements. Accordingly, certain revenues and the related assets are recognized when paid rather than when the obligation is incurred. The financial statements are presented on the modified accrual basis of accounting. Budgetary comparisons presented for General and Special Revenue Funds in this report are on the Non-GAAP budgetary basis and actual (cash basis). The budget of the Enterprise Fund is adopted on a Non-GAAP cash basis.

E. <u>Cash and Investments</u>

Cash includes amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity of six months from the date acquired by the government. State statutes authorize the government to invest in obligations of the U.S. Treasury, interest bearing accounts with local financial institutions and the State Treasurer Pool.

New Mexico Statutes require that financial institutions with public monies on deposit pledge collateral, to the owners of such monies, in an amount not less that 50% of the public monies held on deposit. Collateral pledged is held in safekeeping by other financial institutions, with safekeeping receipts held by the Town. The pledged securities remain in the name of the financial institution.

F. Inventories

Inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market, using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method.

The cost of inventories are recorded as expenditures when purchased rather than when consumed.

G. <u>Deferred Inflows of Resources</u>

In addition to liabilities, the balance sheet reports a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. Revenue must be susceptible to accrual (measurable and available to finance expenditures of the current fiscal period) to be recognized. If assets are recognized in connection with a transaction, but those assets are not yet available to finance expenditures of the current fiscal period, then the assets must be offset by a corresponding deferred inflow of resources. The Town has two types of items, which arise due to the implementation of GASB and the related net pension liability. Accordingly, the items, net difference between expected and actual earnings and change in assumptions, are reported on the Statement of Net Position. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available.

H. <u>Deferred Outflows of Resources</u>

In addition to assets, the balance sheet reports a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a use of net position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expenditure) until that time. The Town has two types of items that qualify for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the items, change in proportion and employer contributions subsequent to measurement date, are reported in the Statement of Net Position. These amounts are deferred and recognized as outflows of resources the next period.

I. Capital Assets

Capital assets, which include property, plant, equipment, and infrastructure assets (e.g., roads, bridges, sidewalks, and similar items), are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities columns in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial, individual cost of more than \$5,000 (amount not rounded) and an estimated useful life in excess of one year. This is an increase from the \$1,000 threshold reported in prior years. This is a change in accounting estimate. All previously reported Capital Assets that do not meet the updated amount will be depreciated currently and in future periods until they are fully depreciated. Donated Capital Assets are recorded at their estimated fair value at the date of donation. Additions, improvements and other capital outlays that significantly extend the useful life of an asset are capitalized. Pursuant to the implementation of GASB Statement No. 34, the historical cost of infrastructure assets, (retroactive to 1979) are included as part of the governmental capital assets reported in the government wide statements. The cost of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend assets lives are not capitalized.

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.

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

<u>Assets</u>	Years
Land improvements Buildings Building improvements Public domain infrastructure System infrastructure Vehicles Equipment Heavy equipment	20 20 25 25 5 5

The Town does not capitalize computer software or software developed for internal use (if applicable) unless it exceeds the \$5,000 threshold.

J. Compensated Absences

It is the policy of the Town of Vaughn to permit certain employees to accumulate a limited amount of earned but unused vacation, which will be paid to employees upon separation from the Town's service. All vacation pay is accrued when incurred in the government-wide financial statements. A liability for these amounts is reported in the governmental funds only if they have matured, for example, as a result of employee resignations or retirements.

Sick pay does not vest and is recorded as an expenditure when it is paid.

K. Long-Term Obligations

In the government-wide financial statements, and proprietary fund types in the fund financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the applicable governmental activities, business-type activities, or proprietary fund type statement of net assets. Bond premiums and discounts, as well as issuance costs, 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.

L. Taxes

<u>Franchise Taxes</u> - By authority of Chapter 3, Article 42, NMSA 1978 and various ordinances, the Town imposes a franchise tax on certain public utilities operating within the municipality.

Motor Vehicle Registration Fees - Under the provisions of Chapter 66, Article 6, NMSA 1978, the State of New Mexico collects various fees for the registration and regulation of motor vehicles in the state. Of the amount collected, certain specified amounts are distributed to various governmental agencies with the State, including; the Motor Vehicle Division, State Road fund, municipalities, and counties. After certain priority payments, as detailed in 66-6-23 NMSA 2978 have been made, a portion of the remaining fees held in the motor vehicle

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suspense fund are distributed as required in 66-6-23 B (4) and 66-6-23 B (5). These distributions are commonly referred to as the 10% and 15% motor vehicle tax distributions.

Gasoline Tax - The State of New Mexico, by authority of Chapter 7, Article 13 NMSA 1978, imposed an excise tax on \$0.17 on each gallon of gasoline received in New Mexico. Of the total gasoline taxes received, a portion is distributed to the various municipalities within the State pursuant to Chapter 7, Article 1-6.9 NMSA 1978 and Chapter 7, Article 1-6.27 NMSA 1978.

Municipal Gross Receipts Tax - Under authority of Chapter 7, Articles 19 and 19D, NMSA 1978, the Town adopted gross receipts taxing through ordinance. Said ordinances provide for the imposition of gross receipts taxes on all non-exempt persons engaging in business in the municipality. The tax is collected by the State of New Mexico and remitted to the Town after deducting certain administrative costs.

State Gross Receipts Tax - Under authority of Chapter 7, Article 1, NMSA 1978, the State of New Mexico imposes a gross receipts tax on all businesses within the State. Of the total collected, 1.225% of the taxable gross receipts are distributed to the municipality reporting the taxable receipts.

M. Restricted Assets

Certain long-term assets in the proprietary funds are classified as restricted assets on the balance sheet because their use is limited to payments for debt service or other purpose such as "deposits held in trust for others".

N. <u>Net Position</u>

The governmental activities and business-type activities financial statements utilize a net position presentation. Net Position are categorized as follows:

Net investment in capital assets - This category reflects the portion of net assets that are associates with capital assets less outstanding capital asset related debt.

Restricted net position - This category reflects the portion of net assets that have third party limitation on their use.

<u>Unrestricted net position</u> - This category reflects net assets of the Town not restricted for any project or other purposes.

O. <u>Fund Balance</u>

Fund balance is divided into five classifications based primarily on the extent to which the Town is bound to observe constraints imposed upon the use of the resources in the governmental funds. The classifications are as follows:

Nonspendable - The nonspendable fund balance category includes amounts that cannot be spent because they are not in spendable form, or legally or contractually required to be maintained intact. The "not in spendable form" criterion includes items that are not expected to be converted to cash. It also includes the long-term amount of interfund loans.

Restricted - Fund balance is reported as restricted when constraints placed on the use of resources are either externally imposed by creditors (such as through debt covenants), grantors, contributors, or laws or regulations of other governments or is imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation (Town ordinances).

Enabling legislation authorizes the Town to assess, levy, charge, or otherwise mandate payment of resources (from external resource providers) and includes a legally enforceable requirement that those resources be used only for the specific purposes stipulated in the legislation. Legal enforceability means that the Town can be compelled by an external party - such as citizens, public interest groups, or the judiciary to use resources created by enabling legislation only for the purposed specified by the legislation.

Committed - The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes imposed by formal action (ordinance or resolution) of the Town Council. Those committed amounts cannot be used for any other purpose unless the Town Council removes or changes the specified use by taking the same type of action (ordinance or resolution) it employed to previously commit those amounts. In contrast to fund balance that is restricted by enabling legislation, committed fund balance classification may be redeployed for other purposes with appropriate due process. Constraints imposed on the use of committed amounts are imposed by the Town Council, separate from the authorization to raise the underlying revenue; therefore, compliance with these constraints are not considered to be legally enforceable.

Committed fund balance also incorporates contractual obligations to the extent that existing resources in the fund have been specifically committed for use in satisfying those contractual requirements.

Assigned - Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the Town for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as restricted or committed. In governmental funds other than the General Fund, assigned fund balance represents the remaining amount that is not restricted or committed. In the General Fund, assigned amounts represent intended uses established by the Town Council or a Town official delegated that authority by the Town Council or ordinance.

Unassigned - Unassigned fund balance is the residual classification for the General Fund and includes all spendable amounts not contained in the other classifications. In other governmental funds, the unassigned classification is used only to report a deficit balance resulting from overspending for specific purposes for which amounts have been restricted, committed, or assigned.

The Town applies restricted resources first when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which either restricted or unrestricted (committed, assigned, and unassigned) amounts are available. Similarly, within unrestricted fund balance, committed amounts are reduced first followed by assigned, and then unassigned amounts when expenditures are incurred for purposes for which amounts in any of the unrestricted fund balance classifications could be used.

P. Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

Q. Risk Management

The Town 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 Town carries commercial insurance for these risks of loss, including workers' compensation and employee health and accident insurance. Settled claims resulting from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in the current fiscal year.

R. <u>Surety Coverage</u>

The officials and certain employees of the Town are covered by a surety bond as required by Section 12-6-7 NMSA 1978 Compilation and the New Mexico State Auditor Rule NMAC 2.2.

S. Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Public Employees Retirement Association (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.

DEPOSITORY COLLATERAL

According to the Federal Deposit Insurance Authority, public unit deposits are funds owned by the Town's Time deposits, savings deposits and interest bearing NOW accounts of a public unit in an institution in the same state will be insured up to \$250,000 in aggregate and separate from the \$250,000 coverage for public unit demand deposits at the same institution.

The following is the Cash on Deposit at each financial institution.

Everyone's Credit Union	Cemetary	Checking	\$ 5,128
Everyone's Credit Union	Recreation	Checking	1,973
Everyone's Credit Union	LEPF	Checking	9,585
Everyone's Credit Union	EMS	Checking	50
Everyone's Credit Union	Seniors	Checking	24,194
Everyone's Credit Union	Fire/Wildland	Checking	11,186
Everyone's Credit Union	Lodgers Tax	Checking	214,632
Everyone's Credit Union	Landfill	Checking	6,050
Everyone's Credit Union	Fire Fund	Checking	65,694
First National Bank	CDBG	Checking	431
Wells Fargo	Streets Fund	Checking	282,306
Wells Fargo	Corrections	Checking	4,450
Everyone's Credit Union	Ambulance	Checking	136,949
Wells Fargo	General	Checking	99,617

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Wells Fargo Everyone's Credit Union Wells Fargo Everyone's Credit Union	Water Joint Utility Water/Sewer Imp. Meter Fund	Checking Checking Checking Checking	2	7,366 28,350 28,420 21,620
			\$1,14	18,001
New Mexico Finance Author	ity		\$	645
Total amount on de Deposit in transit Outstanding checks	L and			18,646 -1,739)
Total per financia				6,907
The following schedu Fargo and the pledge	ule details the pub	blic money h ded for the 1	eld b Fown f	y Wells
12 - 2 1 12 12 12	Sm. of 22			
Cash on deposit at a Less <u>FDIC</u>	June 30		\$ 4:	22,158 50,000)
Uninsured funds Funds needing collat	teralization		1	72,158
at 50% (required by	State Law)			86,079
Pledged collateral a	at June 30		-	95,755
Excess of Pl	edged Collateral		\$	9,676
The following schedule det Bank and the pledged coll	tails the public mor ateral provided for	ney held by F r the Town fo	ollows First	National S: National Bank
Cash on deposit at a Less <u>FDIC</u>	June 30		\$	431 (431)
Uninsured funds Funds needing collat at 50% (required by	teralization State Law)			
Pledged collateral a	at June 30			
Excess of Pl	edged Collateral		\$	
The following schedule d Credit Union and the plede	etails the public ged collateral prov	money held lided for the	Town f	Eollows:
Cash on deposit at Less <u>FDIC</u>	June 30			25,412 50,000)
Uninsured funds Funds needing colla	teralization		4	75,412

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at 50% (required by State Law)	237,706
Pledged collateral at June 30	500,000
Excess of Pledged Collateral	\$ 262,294

Custodial Credit Risk - Deposits - Custodial Credit Risk is the risk that in the event of bank failure, the Town's deposits may not be returned to it. The Town does not have a deposit policy for custodial credit risk. As of June 30, \$647,569 of the Town's bank balance \$1,148,000 was exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

A. B.	Uninsured and Uncollateralized Uninsured and collateralized	\$ 76,403
2.	with securities held by the pledging banks trust department, but not in the Town's name	<u>571,166</u>
	Total	\$ 647,569

NM State Statutes require collateral pledged for deposits in excess of the federal deposit insurance to be delivered, or a joint safekeeping receipt be issued, to the cooperative for at least one half of the amount on deposit with the institution.

The types of collateral allowed are limited to direct obligations of the United States Government and all bonds issued by any agency, district or political subdivision of the State of New Mexico. The collateral pledged is shown as follows:

Wells Fargo Bank of New York Mellon	Maturity Date	<u>Fair Market Value</u>
FNMA #3138YLN80	4-1-30	\$ 95,755
Everyone's Credit Union- Tucumcari	Maturity Date	Fair Market Value
Fed Home Loan #3134GBL26 FNMA #3136G4LP6 FHLMC #3133EHQ61	9-28-20 8-28-20 4-15-22	\$ 100,000 300,000 100,000
		\$ 500,000

The amount held at the New Mexico Finance authority totaling \$645 is collateralized within the NMFA guidelines. This information is not available by the individual Agency but he financial statements for the NMFA are available by writing to New Mexico Finance Authority, 207 Shelby Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501.

3. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLES

Receivables as of June 30, including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

	nmental <u>vities</u>	Business-Type <u>Activities</u>		
Receivables from customers Less allowance for uncollectible accounts	\$ 	\$	35 , 725	
Subtotal	=		35,725	
Gross receipts taxes receivable Property taxes receivable Lodger's tax Gas tax Intergovernmental Fines & forfeitures	 18,293 145 7,119 4,544 4,446 11,683	_	43,481	
Total	\$ 46,230	\$	79,206	

4. PROPERTY TAX

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Property tax rates for the year are set no later than September 1 each year by the Secretary of Finance and Administration. The rates of tax are then used by County Assessors to develop the property tax schedule by October 1. Taxes are payable in equal semi-annual installments by November 10 and April 10 of the subsequent year. Taxes are collected on behalf of the Town by the County Treasurer, and are remitted to the Town in the month following collection. Because the Treasurer for the county in which the Town is located is statutorily required to collect taxes as an intermediary agency for all forms of government, distribution of taxes are made through the applicable County to the Town.

The Town is permitted to levy taxes for general operating purposes based on taxable value for both residential and nonresidential property, taxable value being defined as one-third of the fully assessed value. In addition, the Town is allowed to levy taxes for payments of bond principal and interest in amounts approved by voters of the Town.

The Town accounts for its share of property taxes in the General Fund. Only those collections received are recorded as revenues. The Town has no means of determining the amount of delinquent taxes, and no delinquent taxes are recorded on the Towns financial records.

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5. LONG-TERM LIABILITIES

A. <u>Changes in Long-Term Liabilities</u>

Governmental Funds

During the year ended June 30, the following changes occurred in the liabilities reported in the Governmental Funds:

	Balance June 30, 2018		Additions		Deletions		Balance June 30, 2019		Due Within One Year	
Compensated absences payable NMFA loan payable	\$	6,292 231,739	\$	2,842	\$	21,859	\$	9,134 209,880	\$	22,722
	\$	238,031	\$	2,842	\$	21,859	\$	219,014	\$	22,722

The compensated absences payable will be liquidated by the General Fund.

The Town entered into a loan agreement with the New Mexico Finance Authority evidencing a special limited obligation of the Town to pay a principal amount of \$81,739 and interest for the purpose of defraying the cost of new Fire equipment. The yearly payments are to be redirected from the Town's State Fire Allotment. The Maturity date is May 1, 2022. The interest rate is 0.980% to 1.290%.

<u>Year</u>	Pr.	incipal	Int	erest	 <u> Total</u>
2020 2021 2022	\$	22,722 22,968 14,190	\$	702 456 184	\$ 23,424 23,424 14,374
	<u>\$</u>	59,880	\$	1,342	\$ 61,222

The Town entered into a loan agreement with the New Mexico Finance Authority evidencing a special limited obligation of the Town to pay a principal amount of \$150,000 and interest for the purpose of defraying the cost of a new Fire Truck. The yearly payments are to be redirected from the Town's State Fire Allotment. The maturity date is May 1, 2028. The interest rate is 0.100%.

Year	Princi	pal_	Int	erest	 Total
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025-2028	\$ 9 23 23 94	,051 ,433 ,456 ,060	\$	150 150 150 141 118 235	\$ 150 150 9,201 23,574 23,574 94,295
	\$ 150	,000	\$	944	\$ 150,944

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Enterprise Fund

During the year ended June 30, the following changes occurred in certain long-term liabilities reported in the Enterprise Fund:

	Balance June 30, 2018		Additions		Deletions		Balance June 30, 2019		Due Within One Year	
Compensated absences payable RIP Loan Revenue bonds payable	\$ 2,882 12,268 429,000	\$	<u></u>	\$	1,608 486 8,000	\$	1,274 11,782 421,000	\$	498 9,000	
	\$ 444,150	\$		\$	10,094	\$	434,056	\$	9,498	

The Town issued revenue bonds for the purpose of improving the waste water treatment systems. The bonds are to be retired from the income from operations of the utility system. The original issue was for \$510,000, dated July 23, 2004. The interest rate is 4.5%. The maturity date is July 23, 2044.

The debt service requirement to maturity, including interest is as follows:

Year	Principal	<u> Interest</u>	Total
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025-2029 2030-2034 2035-2039 2040-2044 2044	\$ 9,000 9,000 10,000 10,000 59,000 75,000 93,000 115,000	18,540 18,140 17,690 17,240 64,140 64,180 45,730 22,960	\$ 27,950 27,540 28,140 27,690 27,240 123,140 139,180 138,730 137,960 32,400
	\$ 421,000	\$ 288,970	\$ 709,970

The Town entered into a RIP Loan of \$12,238 to help defray the costs of the continual monitoring of the Landfill. The maturity date is 2038. The interest rate is 2.375%.

<u>Year</u>	Prin	cipal	_Interest_		V-	<u> </u>
2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025-2029 2030-2034 2035-2038	\$	498 510 522 534 547 2,936 3,301 2,934	\$	280 268 256 244 231 953 587 176	\$	778 778 778 778 778 3,889 3,888 3,110
	\$	11,782	\$	2,995	\$	14,777

6. <u>CAPITAL ASSETS</u>

The amount of property, plant and equipment in the Business-Type Activities consists of the following:

Business type activities:	Balance July 1, 2018	Additions	Deletions	Balance June 30, 2019
Land	\$ 135,582	<u>\$</u> _	<u>\$</u>	\$ 135,582
Total not being depreciated	135,582			135,582
Land Improvements	29,022	- 2	-	29,022
Buildings and improvements	34,159	1 E.		34,159
Heavy equipment	710,153	L	-	710,153
Machinery and equipment	216,964	=	-	216,964
Vehicles	23,403		-	23,403
Infrastructure	6,345,817	316,390		6,662,207
Total	7,359,518	316,390		7,675,908
Less accumulated depreciation for:	n			
Land improvements	(10,448)	(1,161)	1	(11,609)
Buildings and improvements	(20, 495)		-	(21,861)
Heavy equipment	(551,870)	(19,786)	19	(571,656)
Machinery and equipment	(196, 643)	(13, 489)		(210, 132)
Vehicles	(23, 403)		-	(23, 403)
Infrastructure	(3,874,601)	(266, 488)		(4,141,089)
Total accumulated depreciation	(4 677 460)	/202 2001		/4 000 000
depreciation	(4,677,460)	(302,290)		(4,979,750)
Total capital assets being depreciated	2,682,058	14,100		2,696,158
Net capital assets	\$ 2,817,640	\$ 14,100	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 2,831,740

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The amount of the property, plant and equipment in the Governmental-Type Activities consists of the following:

Governmental activities:	Balance July 1, 2018	Additions	<u>Deletions</u>	Balance June 30, 2019
Land	\$ 171,465	s -	\$ ~	171,465
Total not being depreciated	171,465			171,465
Land Improvements	5,420,162	180,676	-	5,600,838
Buildings and improvements	2,348,193	100,070		2,348,193
Heavy equipment	1,322,093		-	1,322,093
Machinery and equipment	255,385	6,655		262,040
Vehicles	264,098	39.75 <u>Z</u> .,	-	264,098
Infrastructure	959,770	وفيست		959,770
Total	10,569,701	187,331	- 4	10,757,032
Less accumulated depreciation for:	on			
Land improvements	(2,430,973)	(222,582)	10-10	(2,653,555)
Buildings and improvements	(1, 202, 652)	(92,626)	-	(1,295,278)
Heavy equipment	(928, 825)	(47,912)	5-	(976,737)
Machinery and equipment	(203, 189)	(15, 189)) J="	(218, 378)
Vehicles	(195,756)	(24,943)		(220,699)
Infrastructure	(373,853)	_(38,391)		(412,244)
Total accumulated				
depreciation	(5,335,248)	(441,643)		(5,776,891)
Total capital assets being				
depreciated	5,234,453	(254,312)	4,890,141
Net capital assets	\$ 5,405,918	\$ (254,312	<u>s -</u>	\$ 5,151,606

7. TRANSFERS

There were no transfers between funds during the year.

8. RECONCILIATION OF BUDGETARY BASIS TO GAAP BASIS STATEMENTS

Revenues	General Fund	Fire Protection Fund	Streets Fund	Lodger's Tax Fund		
Accrual basis Budget basis	\$ 694,667 641,949	\$ 87,728 87,728	\$ 53,596 \$ 53,679	56,135 65,058		
Increase (decrease) in receivables/or (increase) decrease in due from or to other funds	<u>\$ 52,718</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>\$ (83</u>) <u>\$</u>	8,923		
<u>Expenditures</u>						
Accrual basis Budget basis Depreciation Principal paid Interest paid Capital outlay	\$ 751,995 751,995 -	\$ 88,005 88,005 -	\$ 65,996 \$ 65,996 \$	36,469 36,469		
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences/payables	<u>s -</u>	<u>s -</u>	<u>s -</u> <u>s</u>			

9. RETIREMENT PLAN

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

Benefits provided - Benefits are generally available at age 65 with five or more years of service or after 25 years of service regardless of age for TIER I members. Provisions also exist for retirement between ages 60 and 65, with varying amounts of service required. Certain police and fire members may retire at any age with 20 or more years of service for Tier I members. Generally, the amount of retirement pension is based on final average salary, which is defined under Tier I as the average of salary for the 36 consecutive months of credited service producing the largest average; credited service; and the pension factor of the applicable coverage plan. Monthly benefits vary depending upon the plan under which the member qualifies, ranging from 2% to 3.5% of the member's final average salary per year of service. The maximum benefit that can be paid to a retiree may not exceed a range of 60% to 90% of the final average salary, depending on the division. Benefits for duty and non-duty death and disability and for post-retirement survivor's annuities are also available.

TIER II - The retirement age and service credit requirements for normal retirement for PERA state and municipal general members hired increased effective July 1, 2013 with the passage of Senate Bill 27 in the 2013 Legislative Session. Under the new requirements (Tier II), general members are eligible to retire at

any age if the member has at least eight years of service credit and the sum of the member's age and service credit equals at least 85 or at age 67 with 8 or more years of service credit. General members hired on or before June 30, 2013 (Tier I) remain eligible to retire at any age with 25 or more years of service credit. Under Tier II, police and firefighters in Plans 3, 4 and 5 are eligible to retire at any age with 25 or more years of service credit. State police and adult correctional officers, peace officers and municipal juvenile detention officers will remain in 25-year retirement plans, however, service credit will no longer be enhanced by 20%. All public safety members in Tier II may retire at age 60 with 6 or more years of service credit. Generally, under Tier II pension factors were reduced by .5%, employee Contribution increased 1.5% and effective July 1, 2014 employer contributions were raised .05%. The computation of final average salary increased as the average of salary for 60 consecutive months.

Contributions - See PERA's compressive annual financial report for Contribution provided description

PERA Contributi	Employee Contribution Percentage	ก	Employer Contribution Percentage	Pension Fac of Service	Pension Maximum as a	
	Annual Salary less than \$20,000	Annual Salary greater than \$20,000		Tier 1	Tier 2	Percenta ge of the Final Average Salary
		STATEP	LAN	1	·	
State Plan 3	7.42%	8.5%	7.4%	2.0%	2.0%	90%
	MUN	ICIPAL PI	LANS 1-4			
Municipal Plan 1 (plan open to new employers)	7.0%	8.5%	7.4%	2.0%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Plan 2 (plan open to new employers)	9.15%	10.65%	9.55%	2.5%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Plan 3 (plan closed to new employers 6/95)	13.15%	14.65%	9.55%	3.0%	2.5%	90%
Municipal Plan 4 (plan closed to new employers 6/00)	15.65%	17.15%	12.05%	3.0%	2.5%	90%
	MUNICIP		EPLANS 1-5			
Municipal Police Plan 1	7.0%	8.5%	10.4%	2.0%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Police Plan 2	7.0%	8.5%	15.4%	2.5%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Police Plan 3	7.0%	8.5%	18.9%	2.5%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Police Plan 4	12.35%	13.85%	18.9%	3.0%	2.5%	90%
Municipal Police Plan 5	16.3%	17.8%	18.9%	3.5%	3.0%	90%
			PLANS 1-5			
Municipal Fire Plan 1	8.0%	9.5%	11.4%	2.0%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Fire Plan 2	8.0%	9.5%	17.9%	2.5%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Fire Plan 3	8.0%	95%	21.65%	2.5%	2.0%	90%
Municipal Fire Plan 4	12.8%	14.3%	21.65%	3.0%	2.5%	50%
Municipal Fire Plan 5	16.2%	17.7%	21.65%	3.5%	3.0%	90%
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Municipal Detention Officer Plan 1	16.65%	18.15%	17.05%	3.0%	3.0%	90%
STATE POLICE	AND ADUL	CORRE	CTIONAL OFFI	CER PLANS,	EIC.	
State Police and Adult Correctional Officer Plan 1	7.6%	9.1%	25.50%	3.0%	3.0%	90%
State Plan 3 - Peace Officer	7.42%	8.92%	16.99%	3.0%	3.0%	90%
Juvenile Correctional Officer Plan 2	4.78%	6.28%	26.12%	3.0%	3.0%	90%

Pension Liabilities, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions: Municipal General Division at June 30, 2019, the Town of Vaughn reported a liability of \$258,287 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2018, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2017. The total pension liability was rolled-forward from the valuation date to the plan year ending June 30, 2018 using generally accepted actuarial principles. Therefore, the employer's portion was established as of the measurement date of June 30, 2018. There were no significant events or changes in benefit provision that required an adjustment to the roll-forward liabilities as of June 30, 2018. The Town of Vaughn's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Town of Vaughn's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating entities, actuarially determined. At June 30, 2018, the Town of Vaughn's proportion was 0.0162%, which was decreased 0.0009% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2017.

For the year ended June 30, 2019, the Town of Vaughn recognized pension expense of \$33,160. At June 30, 2019 the Town of Vaughn reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

		eferred tflows of esources	Deferred Inflows of Resources			
Changes of assumptions	\$	23,417	\$	1,485		
Experience versus actual		7,465		6,781		
Difference between projected and actual earnings on pension plan investments		19,156		_		
Change in proportion		7,805		11,623		
Town of Vaughn's contributions subsequent to the measurement date	_	14,858				
Total	\$	72,701	\$	19,889		

\$14,858 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions resulting from Town of Vaughn's contributions subsequent to the measurement date will be recognized as a reduction of the net pension liability in the year ended June 30, 2019. 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 June 30:

2021	\$ 30,071
2022	7,188
2023	(237)
2024	932
2025	

Actuarial assumptions. The total pension liability in the June 30, 2018 actuarial valuation was determined using the following significant actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

PERA

Actuarial valuation date Actuarial cost method Amortization method Amortization period

Asset valuation method Actuarial assumptions:

- Investment rate of return
- Projected benefit payment
- Payroll growth
- Projected salary increases
- Includes inflation at
- Mortality assumption

-Experience Study Dates

June 30, 2017
Entry age normal
Level percentage of pay
Solved for based on statutory
rates
4 Year Smoothed Market Value

7.25% annual rate, net of investment expense 100 years

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3.25% to 13.50% annual rate 2.50% - 2.75% all other years The mortality assumptions are based on the RPH-2014 Blue Collar mortality table with female ages set forward one Future improvement in year. mortality rates is assumed using 60% of the MP-2017 projection scale generationally. For non-public safety groups, 25% of service deaths are assumed to be duty related and 35% are assumed to be duty-related for public safety groups. July 1, 2008 to June 30, 2017 (demographic) and July 1, 2010

June 30,

2018

The total pension liability, net pension liability, and certain sensitivity information are based on an actuarial valuation performed as of June 30, 2017. The total pension liability was rolled-forward from the valuation date to the plan year ended June 30, 2018. These assumptions were adopted by the Board use in the June 30, 2017 actuarial valuation.

through

(economic)

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method 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 allocation and best estimates of arithmetic real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Target Allocation	Long-Term Expected Real Rate of Return
Global Equity	43.50%	7.48%
Risk Reduction & Mitigation Credit Oriented Fixed Income		2.37% 5.47%
Real Assets to include Real Estate Equity	20.00%	6.48%
Total	100.00%	

Discount rate: A single discount rate of 7.25% was used to measure the total pension liability as of June 30, 2018. This single discount rate was based on a long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.25%, compounded annually, net of expense. Based on the stated assumptions and the projection of cash flows, the plan's fiduciary net position and future contributions were projected to be available to finance all projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all period of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

The projections of cash flows used to determine this single discount rate assumed that plan member and employer contributions will be made at the current statutory levels.

Sensitivity of the Town of Vaughn's proportionate share of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate. The following presents the Town of Vaughn's proportionate share of net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.25%, as well as what the Town of Vaughn's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.25%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.25%) than the current rate:

PERA Fund Municipal	Current						
General Division	1% Decrease	Discount Rate	1% Increase				
	(6.25%)	(7.25%)	(8.25%)				

Town of Vaughn's proportionate share of the net pension liability

\$ 398,004 \$ 258,287 \$ 142,789

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

10. RETIREE HEALTH CARE ACT CONTRIBUTIONS

The Town has elected not to participate in the Retiree Health Care Act of New Mexico's retiree health care program.

11. DEPOSITS HELD FOR OTHERS, ENTERPRISE FUND

Deposits in the Water and Wastewater Utility Enterprise Fund consist of the following:

Hydrant Meter deposits

\$ 21,620

Water meter deposits are charged to new customers and consist of the following:

Residential properties Commercial properties \$ 100 \$ 200

12. FUND BALANCES CLASSIFIED

Fund balance is classified as nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned and/or unassigned upon the use of the resources in the government funds. The constraints placed on fund balance for the major governmental funds and all other governmental funds are presented here.

	General	Fire Protection	Streets	Lodgers Tax	Other Sovernmental	
Fund Balances	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Funds	Totals
Nonspendable:						
Inventory	<u> </u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u> </u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>s -</u>	\$ -
Total conspendable			4	·		
Restricted for:						
Fire protection	10, 4	91,534	-	7-5	11,186	102,720
Fublic safety	_	10 m (10 <u>1</u> 0	-	_	9,620	9,620
Highways streets	-	-	301,277		-	301,277
Recreation services	-	- 6	1	210,806	30,538	241,344
Corrections	4	-	-	_	26,510	26,510
State mandated cash						
reserves	56,792		_	1 -	19	56,792
Capital outlay	4	256	-	-	_	256
Debt service		389	=			399
Total restricted	56,792	92,179	301,277	210,806	77,854	738,908
Committed to:						
Other purposes				-		
Total committed						
Unassigned:	86,020					86,020
Total Fund Balances	\$142,812	\$ 92,179	\$301,277	\$ 210,806	\$ 77,854	\$824,928

13. LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS

Appropriation	Term	Appropriated <u>Amount</u>	Remaining <u>Balance</u>		
Laws of 2018, Chapter 80 Section 32, Subsection 38	February 13, 2019 to June 30, 2022	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000		

14 RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Town paid \$1,495 for electrical work to SGM Electric which is owned by Elias Aragon who is related to the Mayor, Roman Garcia. Assistant Clerk, Mary Aragon is related to the Mayor, Roman Garcia by marriage. The Seniors Director Alice Martinez is the daughter-in-law of Rudy Martinez, the Mayor Pro-Tem. The EMS Director Peggy Gallegos is related to an EMT, Richard Gallegos. The Mayor, Mayor Pro-Tem and EMT Director are not the direct supervisors of these employees and do not perform any performance evaluations. The Village Clerk, Shaline Lopez performs those duties.

15. CLOSURE AND POST CLOSURE COSTS

State and federal laws and regulations require the Town to place a final cover on its landfill site when it stops accepting waste and to perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the site for thirty years after closure. Although closure and post closure care costs will be paid only near or after the date that the landfill stops accepting waste, the Town reports a portion of the closure and post closure care costs of \$73,270 at June 30, 2019 represents the cumulative amount reported to date based upon approximately 29% of the usable capacity of the landfill. The liability is based upon an estimate performed in March 2003. The estimate current year accrual of the future closure and post-closure care costs amounted to \$4,310. The actual cost of closure and post closure care may be higher, of course, due to inflation, or changes in technology.

The Town is required by state and federal laws and regulations to make annual contributions to finance closure and post closure care. The Town does not have any restricted cash to fund the current accrued liability.

The State of New Mexico Environment Department has issued an administrative order requiring compliance and assessing a civil penalty in the amount of \$214,100 to the Town of Vaughn for violations of the municipal landfill. The liability has been recorded as a payable in the financial statements.

The Town entered into a contract with the Estancia Valley Solid Waste Authority for the collection and disposal of waste. The Town is no longer accepting waste into the landfill.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

16. RESTATEMENT OF NET POSITION AND FUND BALANCE

The Town had a restatement in the Business Activities and the Governmental Type Activities in the amount of \$124,545 to reflect the Cemetary Fund and the Ambulance Fund as Proprietary Funds.

17. MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

The Town has an MOU with Estancia Valley Solid Waste Authority to provide a piece of land to be used for the construction and demolition and asbestos monofill landfill. The EVSWA has the permit to operate this landfill. The EVSWA has sole authority and responsibility for the operation of the landfill.

18. TAX ABATEMENTS

The Town has evaluated GASB 77 with regard to tax abatements and has determined that the Town is not a party to any agreements that abate taxes.

NON-MAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS

ALL FUNDS - All funds were created by management directive.

LAW ENFORCEMENT PROTECTION FUND - To account for grants received from state sources for the purpose of buying equipment for the Village Police department. (Authority is NMSA 29-13-3)

RECREATION FUND - To account for the operation and maintenance of recreational facilities in the Town. Funding is provided by a specific annual cigarette tax levy. Funding is authorized by NMSA 7-12-1 & 7-12-15.

EMS (EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES) FUND - To account for the operations of emergency services. Financing is provided from the State of New Mexico pursuant to the Emergency Medical Services Act (Authority is NMSA 24-10A-1).

FIRE/WILD LAND FUND - To account for funds used to provide services to fight wild land fires. Financing is from the State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department of Forestry Division.

CDBG FUND - To account for resources received from a CDBG grant.

SENIORS FUND - To account for program income and expenditures related to the Senior Citizens program. The funding is authorized by NMSA 1978 9-2-5 to 9-2-15.

CORRECTIONS FUND - To account for the fines collected on local violations by the Town Court to be used for the costs associated with housing Town prisoners. (Authority is NMSA 35-14-11)

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Non-Major Special Revenue Funds Combining Balance Sheet June 30, 2019

	Law Enforcement Protection Fund		Recreation Fund		EMS Fund		Fire/ Wild Land Fund		Ambulance Fund	
ASSETS										
Cash on deposit	\$	9,585	\$	1,973	\$	35	\$	11,186	\$	~
Accounts receivable		-		-		-		-		- 2
Due from other funds	-	=	-		-		d 		_	
Total assets	\$	9,585	\$	1,973	\$	35	\$	11,186	\$	
LIABILITIES										
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	~	\$	34	\$		\$	-
Due to other funds	-		-		-		-		-	=====
Total Liabilities								- (=	>	9
FUND BALANCE										
Restricted	-	9,585	=	1,973	ć	35	-	11,186	-	
Total fund balance	>	9,585	-	1,973)÷	35	-	11,186	_	
Total fund balance and										
liabilities	\$	9,585	\$	1,973	\$	35	\$	11,186	\$)+

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

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Non-Major Special Revenue Funds Combining Balance Sheet June 30, 2019

	CDBG Fund		Seniors Fund		Corrections Fund		Cemetary Fund		Total	
ASSETS										
Cash on deposit	\$	431	\$	24,119	\$	4,450	\$	-	\$	51,779
Accounts receivable		-		4,446		2,480		-		6,926
Due from other funds	-)—		-	19,580	-		-	19,580
Total assets	\$	431	\$	28,565	\$	26,510	\$	1 7	\$	78,285
LIABILITIES										
Accounts payable	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	
Due to other funds	-	431	-		-	- 3	-	1		431
Total Liabilities	_	431	_	- 3	4		4		=	431
FUND BALANCE										
Restricted	-		-	28,565	-	26,510	-	-	-	77,854
Total fund balance	-	9	_	28,565	-	26,510	_			77,854
Total fund balance and										
liabilities	\$	431	\$	28,565	\$	26,510	\$		\$	78,285

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

Non-Major Special Revenue Funds Combining Statement of Revenues, Empenditures and Changes in Fund Balances Year Ended June 30, 2019

Law Enforcement Fire/ Protection Recreation EMS Wild Land Ambulance Fund Fund Fund Fund Fund REVENUES Charges for services Licenses and permits Fines and forfeitures Local sources 500 State sources 20,600 5,000 Federal sources Earnings from investments Total revenues 20,600 5,000 500 EXPENDITURES Current: General government 515 Highways and streets Public safety 11,040 4,990 Culture and recreation Capital outlay NMFA principal NMFA interest 4,990 515 Total empenditures 11,040 Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures 9.560 (15) OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out Loan proceeds Total other financing sources (uses) Net change in fund balance 9,560 10 (15) Fund balance, beginning of year 25 1,973 25 11,201 118,616 Restatement (118, 616) Fund balance, beginning of year, restated 25 1,973 11,201 25

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Fund balance, end of year

1,973

35

11,186

9,585

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

Non-Major Special Revenue Funds Combining Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances

Year Ended June 30, 2019

	CDBG Fund	Seniors Fund	Corrections Fund	Cemetary Fund	Totals
REVENUES		- Cuita	rang	- runu	TOLAIS
Charges for services	\$ -	\$ 6,922	ş -	8 -	\$ 6,922
Licenses and permits	0.00				
Fines and forfeitures	~	-	13,540	-	13,540
Local sources	W	10,000			10,500
State sources	-	15,437	-		41,037
Federal sources	1,676	4,363			6,039
Earnings from investments			2		2
Total revenues	1,676	36,722	13,542		78,040
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					
General government		-	-		515
Highways and streets	(3)		~		1.00
Public safety	~			2	16,030
Culture and recreation		34,981	_	21	34,981
Capital outlay	-		-	-	20,702
NMFA principal		-	-	-	
NMFA interest	- 8				-
Total empenditures		34,981			51,526
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over					
empenditures		1,741	13,542		24,838
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)					
Transfers in	-		5	9	-
Transfers out			-		-
Loan proceeds				· 2	
Total other financing					
sources (uses)			-		
Net change in fund balance	1,676	1,741	13,542		26, 514
Fund balance, beginning of year	(1,676)	26,824	12,968	5,929	175,885
Restatement		8		(5, 929)	(124,545
Fund balance, beginning of year, restated	(1,676)	26,824	12,968		51,340
Fund balance, end of year		\$ 28,565	\$ 26,510		§ 77,854

NON-MAJOR PROPRIETARY FUNDS

CEMETARY FUND - To account for revenue from the Sales of lots and donations to be used for cemetary improvements. Funding is authorized by NMSA 58-17-4.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Non-Major Proprietary Funds Statement of Net Position June 30, 2019

		Cemetary Fund			
ASSETS			Fund		
Current Assets					
Cash on deposit		\$	5,128		
Accounts receivable (net)		7			
Total Current Assets			5,128		
27-V27-V210-2					
Capital Assets					
Land			-		
Land improvements			_		
Buildings and Improvements Equipment			~		
Vehicles			-		
Heavy equipment			+		
Plant/infrastructure			-		
Accumulated depreciation			-		
Wednigtated debiectation		-			
Total Capital Assets					
10101 dapital Abbelo		-			
Total Assets		\$	5,128		
LIABILITIES					
Current Liabilities					
Accounts payable		-2			
Due to other funds		\$	-		
Current portion loan payable			-		
Customer meter deposits					
payable from Restricted Assets					
Total Current Liabilities			÷		
Long-Term Liabilities					
Compensated absences payable			-		
NMFA loan payable					
Total Long-Term Liabilities					
Total Bond form Highliffies		_			
Total Liabiliites		-	- 48		
NET POSITION					
Net investment in capital assets			I Q		
Restricted for capital outlay			-		
Restricted for debt service			4		
Unrestricted			5,128		
Total Net Position			۵.000		
rocar wer Position		-	5,128		
Total Liabilities and					
Net Position		\$	5,128		

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

Non-Major Proprietary Funds
Statement of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Fund Net Position
For the Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Cemetary Fund
OPERATING REVENUES	
Sales and services	\$ 725
Local source	, , , ,
State shared taxes	1 2
Total operating revenue	725
OPERATING EXPENSES	
Personal services	-
Maintenance and operations	1,526
Major contractual services	_
Depreciation	-
Total operating expenses	1,526
Operating income (loss)	(801)
NON-OPERATING REVENUE (EXPENSE)	
Investment income	i de
Investment expense	
Transfers in	<u>-</u>
Transfers out	re.
State grant	-
Federal grant	- - -
Total Non-Operating Revenue	
(Expense)	
Change in Net Position	(801)
Total net position, beginning of year	5,928
Total net position, end of year	\$ 5,128

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

Non-Major Proprietary Funds Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended June 30, 2019

	Cemetary Fund
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	
Cash received from customers	\$ 725
Cash received from local sources	3
Cash received from state sources Cash payments to employees and to	
suppliers for goods and services	(1,526)
supplies for goods and services	
Net cash provided by operating activities	(803)
activities	(801)
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND	
RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	
Loan proceeds	
Principal paid	
Acquisition of capital assets	-
Investment expense	
Net cash provided (used) by capital	
and related financing activities	
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL	
FINANCING ACTIVITIES:	
Cash received from state grants	+
Cash received from federal grants	· ·
Temporary transfers	-
Operating transfers from other funds	-
Operating transfers to other funds	<u> </u>
Net cash provided (used) by	
noncapital financing activities	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:	
Investment income	
Net cash provided by investing	
activities	
Net increase (decrease) in cash	(801)
Cash, beginning of year	5,929
Cash, end of year	\$ 5,128
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING	
INCOME TO NET CASH PROVIDED	
BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	0 1/4 1/4
Operating income (loss)	\$ (801)
Adjustments to reconcile operating	
income to net cash provided by	
operating activities:	
Depreciation	-
Changes in assets and liabilities:	
(Increase) decrease in receivables	-
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	
Increase (decrease) in compensated absences	
	e an
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$ (801)

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

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

SCHEDULE OF THE EMPLOYER'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE

NET PENSION LIABILITY OF PERA FUND MUNICIPAL GENERAL DIVISION Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan

Last 10 Fiscal Years*

Fiscal Year		2019	2018		2017		2016	2015
Measurement Date	_	2018	 2017	_	2016	_	2015	 2014
Town of Vaughn's								
<pre>proportion of net pension liability (asset)</pre>		0.01620%	0.01710%		0.01770%		0.01490%	0.01490%
Town of Vaughn's								
proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset)	\$	258,287	\$ 234,968	ş	282,787	\$	151,918	\$ 116,236
Town of Vaughn's								
covered-employee payroll	\$	200,779	\$ 175,961	\$	198,558	\$	194,585	\$ 165,633
Town of Vaughn's proportionate share of the net pension								
liability (asset) as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		71.13%	74.89%		70.21%		78.07%	70.18%
Plan fiduciary net position as a								
percentage of the total pension liability		77.73%	73.74%		69.18%		76.99%	81.29%

*Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 68 requires ten years of historical information be presented; however, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, the statement only requires presentation of information for those years that information is available. Complete information for the Town of Vaughn is not available prior to fiscal year 2015, the year the statement's requirements became effective.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

TOWN OF VAUGHN

SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER'S CONTRIBUTIONS

Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) Plan

PERA Municipal General Division

Last 10 Fiscal Years*

		2019		2018		2017		2016		2015	
Contractually required contribution	\$	14,858	ş	13,016	\$	14,694	\$	14,399	\$	23,275	
Contributions in relation to the contractually required contribution	_	(14,858)	-	(13,016)	-	(14,694)		(14,399)	_	(23,275)	
Contribution deficiency (excess)	\$		\$	-	\$		\$		\$		
Town of Vaughn's covered-employee payroll	\$	200,779	\$	175,961	\$	198,558	\$	194,585	\$	165,633	
Contributions as a percentage of covered-employee payroll		7.4%		7.4%		7.4%		7.4%		12.3%	

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN Notes to Required Supplementary Information June 30, 2019

Changes of benefit terms: The PERA and COLA and retirement eligibility benefits changes in recent years are described in Note 1 of the PERA's CFAR. http://www.saaonm.org

Assumptions: The Public Employees Retirement Association of New Mexico Annual Actuarial Valuation as of June 2017 report is available at http://www.nmpera.org/

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

STATE OF NEW MEXICO TOWN OF VAUGHN

Schedule of Changes in Assets and Liabilities - All Agency Funds Year Ended June 30, 2019

	BalancesJune 30, 2018Additions		De	letions	Balances June 30, 201			
ASSETS								
Cash	\$	936	\$	4,977	\$	5,445	\$	468
Accounts receivable			_	1,116	-		-	1,116
Total assets	\$	936	\$	6,093	\$	5,445	\$	1,584
LIABILITIES								
Due to other agencies (AOC)	\$	624	\$	4,062	\$	3,630	\$	1,056
Due to other agencies (JEC)		312	-	2,031	-	1,815	-	528
Total liabilities	\$	936	\$	6,093	\$	5,445	\$	1,584

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and
Honorable Mayor and Town Council
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In connection with our engagement to audit the financial statements of the Town of Vaughn, we considered the Town of Vaughn, State of New Mexico's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Town of Vaughn's internal control.

Our consideration of 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 have not been 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.

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A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less sever than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiencies described in the accompanying status of findings and responses to be significant deficiencies. DFA Report Incorrect (2016-002), Late Audit Report (2017-001), Revenue Resources for Post-Closure Costs of Landfill (2017-007), Environmental Gross Receipts Tax not Posted to the Books of Record (2017-009), Deposits Posted/Deposited to the Wrong Fund (2017-010), Ambulance Services (2017-014), Agreement for Ambulance Service Billing and Accounts Receivable Services (2017-015), Outstanding Utility Receivables (2017-016), Salary Budgets (2017-025), Lodgers Tax Receipts (2017-029) Lodgers Tax (2017-025), Lodgers Tax Receipts (2017-029) Lodgers Tax Expenditures (2017-030), Corrections Fees Not Deposited/Recorded in the Corrections Fund (2017-031), Amounts Collected on Behalf of the State (2017-032), Court Fees not Remitted to the State (2017-033), Outstanding (Unpaid) Citations (2017-034), Citations Reported on Required AOC and JEC Reports (2017-035) and Citations Received but not Reported on AOC or JEC Reports (2017-036), Numerous Amounts Due to/from Other Funds Created (2018-002), PERA not Calculated Correctly (2018-009), PERA not Deducted and Remitted (2018-011) and PERA Deduction for Police Officer Incorrect (2018-012) Outstanding Traffic Citation Receivable (2019-002), Reconciling Items on Bank Reconciliation (2019-003), Bank Account Ends Before End of Month (2019-004) and Ambulance Service Revenues/Expenditures (2019-006).

Compliance and Other Matters

In connection with our engagement to audit the financial statements of the Town of Vaughn, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards* and which are described in the accompanying status of findings and responses as items Accounts Receivable and Accounts Payable (2010-003), Purchase Orders Required (2016-003), Transactions Made by Third Parties Not Recorded on Books of Record (2017-004), Allowance For Doubtful Accounts (2017-017), Budget Overruns (2017-038), Penalties and Interest Charges (2017-041), Employee Files Not Complete (2017-043), Lodgers Tax Audit (2017-046), Travel Issues (2018-001), Water Conservation Fee (2018-007), Department of Workforce

Solutions Reports Filed Incorrectly (2018-010), Seniors Cafeteria Inventory (2019-001), Revenues Posted Incorrectly (2019-005), Food Items Purchased Incorrectly (2019-006), Bank Analysis Fee (2019-008), Accrued Leave Carryforwards (2019-009), Pledged Collateral (2019-010), Memorandum of Understanding not Signed by Both Parties (2019-011) and Lodgers Tax Receipts (2019-012).

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

Purpose of this Report

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

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Albuquerque, New Mexico September 14, 2020

STATUS OF FINDINGS AND RESPONSES

Prior Year Audit Findings:

- 1. Accounts Receivable and Accounts Payable (2010-003) Repeated
- 2. Travel Expenditures (2014-001) Resolved
- 3. DFA Report Incorrect (2016-002) Repeated
- 4. Purchase Orders Required (2016-003) Repeated
- 5. Financial Statements and Disclosures (2016-004) Repeated
- 6. Late Audit Report (2017-001) Repeated
- 7. Town Accounting Software not Adequate to Create Financial Statements (2017-002) Repeated
- 8. Fund Classifications in Audit Report Different from DFA Report (2017-003) Resolved
- 9. Transactions Made by Third Parties Not Recorded on Books of Record (2017-004) Repeated
- 10. State of New Mexico Environment Department Lawsuits (2017-005) Repeated
- 11. Revenue Resources for Post-Closure Costs of Landfill (2017-007) Repeated
- 12. Financial Cost Estimate for the Closure and Post-Closure of the Landfill (2017-008) Repeated
- 13. Environmental Gross Receipts Tax not Posted to the Books of Record (2017-009) Repeated
- 14. Deposits Posted/Deposited to the Wrong Fund (2017-010) Repeated
- 15. Water/Solid Waste Ordinance (2017-011) Repeated
- 16. Outstanding or Uncleared Items on Bank Reconciliations (2017-012) Resolved
- 17. Credit Card Charges (2017-013) Resolved
- 18. Ambulance Services (2017-014) Repeated
- 19. Agreement for Ambulance Service Billing and Accounts Receivable Services (2017-015) Repeated
- 20. Outstanding Utility Receivables (2017-016) Repeated

Prior Year Audit Findings continued:

- 21. Allowance for Doubtful Accounts (2017-017) Repeated
- 22. Water Meter Deposits (2017-018) Repeated
- 23. Meter Deposit Bank Account (2017-019) Repeated
- 24. Checks Written Out of Sequence or Manually Typed (2017-020) Resolved
- 25. Contracts/Service Agreements Unsigned or Approved by the Mayor (2017-021) Resolved
- 26. Salary Budgets (2017-025) Repeated
- 27. Lodger's Tax Receipts (2017-029) Repeated
- 28. Lodger's Tax Expenditures (2017-030) Repeated
- 29. Corrections Fees Not Deposited/Recorded in the Corrections Fund (2017-031) Repeated
- 30. Amounts Collected on Behalf of the State (2017-032) Repeated
- 31. Court Fees Not Remitted to the State (2017-033) Repeated
- 32. Outstanding (Unpaid) Citations (2017-034) Repeated
- 33. Citations Reported on Required AOC and JEC Reports (2017-035)
 Repeated
- 34. Citations Received but not Reported on AOC and JEC Reports (2017-036) Repeated
- 35. Budget Overruns (2017-038) Repeated
- 36. Penalties and Interest Charges (2017-041) Repeated
- 37. Employee Files Not Complete (2017-043) Repeated
- 38. Receipt Books (2017-045) Resolved
- 39. Lodger's Tax Audit (2017-046) Repeated
- 40. Travel Issues (2018-001) Repeated
- 41. Numerous amounts Due to/from Other Funds not Being Paid Back (2018-002) Repeated
- 42. Transfers Between Bank Accounts Recroded as Transfers In/Out (2018-003) Resolved

Prior Year Audit Findings continued:

- 43. Capital Asset Listing/Depreciation Schedule (2018-004) Resolved
- 44. Cash Balances for the Water/Sewer/Solid Waste Funds (2018-005) Repeated
- 45. Missing Documents (2018-006) Resolved
- 46. Water Conservation Fee (2018-007) Repeated
- 47. Anti-Donation Violations (2018-008) Resolved
 - 48. PERA not Calculated Correctly (2018-009) Repeated
 - 49. Department of Workforce Solutions Reports Filed Incorrectly (2018-010) Repeated
 - 50. Public Employees Retirement Association benefits not withheld or remitted (2018-011) Repeated
 - 51. PERA Deduction for Police Officer Incorrect (2018-012) Repeated
 - 52. Drug Test Listing (2018-013) Resolved

Current Year Audit Findings:

- 1. Seniors Cafeteria Inventory (2019-001)
 - 2. Outstanding Traffic Citation Receivables (2019-002)
 - 3. Reconciling Items on Bank Reconciliations (2019-003)
 - 4. Bank Account Ends Before the End of the Month (2019-004)
 - 5. Revenues Posted Incorrectly (2019-005)
 - 6. Ambulance Service Revenues/Expenditures (2019-006)
 - 7. Food Items Purchased Incorrectly (2019-007)
- 8. Bank Analysis Fee (2019-008)
- 9. Accrued Leave Carryforwards (2019-009)
 - 10. Pledged Collateral (2019-010)
 - 11. MOU not Signed by Both Parties (2019-011)
 - 12. Lodger's Tax Receipts (2019-012)
 - 13. Payroll Liabilities (2019-013)

Summary of Audit Results:

Type of auditor's report issued:

Multiple

Internal control over financial
reporting:

Material weakness(es) identified

Financial Statements and Disclosures (2016-004), Town Accounting Software not Adequate to Create Financial Statements (2017-022), State of New Environment Department Lawsuit (2017-005), Financial Cost Estimate for the Closure and Post-Closure of the Landfill (2017-008), Water/Solid Waste Ordinance (2017-011), Water Meter Deposits (2017-018), Meter Deposit Bank Account (2017-019), Cash Balances for the Water/Sewer Solid Waste Funds (2018-008), Payroll Liabilities (2019-013).

 Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses

DFA Reports Incorrect (2016-002), Late Report (2017-001), Revenue Audit Resources for Post-Closure Costs of Landfill (2017-007), Environmental Gross Receipts Tax not Posted to the Books of (2017-009), Record Deposits Posted/Deposited to the Wrong Fund (2017-010), Ambulance Services (2017-014), Agreement for Ambulance Service Billing and Accounts Receivable Services (2017-015), Outstanding Utility Receivables (2017-016), Salary Budgets (2017-025), Lodgers Tax Receipts (2017-029), Lodgers Tax Expenditures (2017-030), Corrections Fees not Deposited/Recorded in the Corrections Fund (2017-031), Amounts Collected on Behalf of the State (2017-032), Court Fees not Remitted to the State (2017-033), Outstanding (Unpaid) Citations (2017-034), Citations Reported on Required AOC and JEC Reports (2017-035), Citations Received but not Reported on AOC or JEC reports (2017-036), Amounts not Being Paid Back Between Funds (2018-002), PERA not Calculated Correctly (2018-009), PERA not Deducted and Remitted (2018-011), PERA Deduction for Police Officer Incorrect (2018-012) Outstanding Traffic Citation Receivables (2019-002), Reconciling Items on Bank Reconciliations (2019-003), Bank Account Ends Before the End of the Month (2019-004). Ambulance Service Revenues/ Expenditures (2019-006)

Noncompliance material to financial statements noted

Travel Issues (2018-001), Department of Workforce Solutions Reports Filed Incorrectly (2018-010)

Accounts Receivable and Accounts Payable - Other Matter (2010-003)

CONDITION

The Town was unable to prepare a complete and accurate listing of accounts receivable and accounts payable for any funds. Town Management has made no progress in completing this listing.

CRITERIA

According to 2011 Government Auditing Standards Section 3.40 as well as 6.20.2.13(D) NMAC, the Town is required to prepare accurate account balances for financial presentation.

CAUSE

Management has not taken proper steps to ensure these amounts are prepared.

EFFECT

Accounts receivable and accounts payable balances would be understated for various funds.

RECOMMENDATION

The Town should review all outstanding receipts and expenditures at year end to ensure they are added to the list of accounts receivable or accounts payable as necessary.

RESPONSE

The Clerk is developing internal policies and procedures to review all outstanding receipts and expenditures to determine whether or not they need to be added to the list of accounts receivable or accounts payable. The billing clerk will research and resolve debts on the utility billing aged balance list. The Programs Coordinator will RFP for a new ambulance billing service, including requirements for regular, accurate statements in the scope of work. The Town plans to complete this by December 2020.

<u>DFA Report Incorrect - Significant Deficiency</u> (2016-002)

CONDITION

The DFA Report is not being prepared correctly. Examples are:

- 1. Adjustments shown are not supported or do not agree to the audit report.
- Certain beginning cash balances could not be verified as correct.
- 3. The Ambulance and Cemetary Funds are included in the 500 Series but are reported as Special Revenue Funds in the audit report.
- 4. Ending cash balances could not be verified.

Management has made no progress in correcting/preparing the DFA quarterly reports.

CRITERIA

The DFA report must agree to and be supported by the underlying books of record.

CAUSE

Management is not ensuring these reports are prepared correctly.

EFFECT

The amounts reported on the DFA report are incorrect

RECOMMENDATION

Current management should obtain proper training and knowledge on how to prepare this report.

RESPONSE

The Town has worked closely with DFA to ensure that the reports are prepared correctly. The Clerk has made significant efforts to improve record-keeping so that appropriate backup documentation is maintained. The governing body has requested that the Ambulance and Cemetery funds be classified as 500 series funds in the audit report going forward. Town personnel has worked to align our internal chart of accounts with the DFA chart of accounts, and this will enable us to provide accurate documentation and backup to support our DFA reports. This issue will be resolved for the FY 2020 Audit.

<u>Purchase Orders Required - Other Matter</u> (2016-003)

CONDITION

Purchase Order violations occurred in several areas. The are as follows:

- 1. An invoice was not present one out of fourteen times.
- Purchase orders were written after the invoice date in four out of fourteen times.

Management has made no progress in ensuring purchase orders are prepared correctly.

CRITERIA

The New Mexico Procurement Code (13-1-28 to 13-1-199) NMSA 1978 require a purchase order to initiate a purchase and it should be approved by management prior to any purchases. This document is used to ensure the Town not only has budget or budget authority, but cash to purchase the item. This document is also used to provide guidance as to which fund and account can and will be used.

Also, Purchase order internal controls include:

- 1. All purchase orders are to be kept and properly filed for review.
- 2. All payments must be made from an invoice.
- Purchase orders are written before the good/service is obtained.

CAUSE

Management did not ensure these procedures were in place and followed.

EFFECT

NM Procurement Code is not being followed.

Also, the lack of enforcing this requirement may result in non-authorized purchases and/or purchases that exceed available resources.

Also, goods and/or services could be paid for without actually receiving them.

RECOMMENDATION

Management should implement controls to ensure purchase orders are issued before an item/service is purchased.

Also, Management should implement procedures to ensure the conditions above are not continued.

RESPONSE

The Clerk has developed internal policies and procedures requiring that a PO be created before any goods or services are obtained. The Clerk will begin reviewing the Assistant Clerk's work to ensure that purchase orders are generated before invoices are received, and will review invoice filing regularly to ensure that all invoices are present. This issue should be resolved for FY 2020.

<u>Financial Statements and Disclosures - Material Weakness</u> (2016-004)

CONDITION

The Town relies upon their independent auditor prepare the financial statements accordance with generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). The accounting staff lacks the knowledge to prepare such statements, as well as the ability to detect the accuracy and/or completeness of all required notes that explain financial activity contained in the financial statements. The Town requires the independent auditor to gather all necessary information to convert their cash basis information accounting into financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

Auditing standards adopted in the United States of America in particular Statement on Auditing Standards (SAS) 115, paragraph 3 states the following: "Internal control is a process - effected by those charged with governance, management, and other personneldesigned 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 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."

CAUSE

The Town's staff lacks the proper ability to prepare financial statements and associated disclosures. 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 SAS 115, 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.

EFFECT

Since the Town personnel lack the ability to prepare, and did not prepare, the financial statements, there is an increased risk that a misstatement of the Town's financial statements, that is more than inconsequential, will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis." SAS 115 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."

RECOMMENDATION

Since the town has hired a new Town Clerk and a consultant to prepare, review and provide financial statements to the auditors and to the general public at hand it is recommended that the process continue and be reviewed by the Council periodically.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk will obtain training during 2020 to learn how to prepare the necessary financial statements, and will work with the DGFA budget analyst to ensure accuracy. The Clerk will present financial reports to the Governing Body on a regular basis.

<u>Late Audit Report - Significant Deficiency</u> (2017-001)

CONDITION The audit report was not submitted to the

State Auditors Office by the required deadline of December 15, 2019. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA The State Audit Rule requires all Municipal

audits to be submitted by the December 15

deadline.

CAUSE The contract to audit the fiscal year ending

June 30, 2019 was not initiated until July,

2020.

EFFECT The SAO Rule has not been followed.

Subsequently the Town has been included in "At Risk" lists created by the State Auditors

Office.

RECOMMENDATION The Town has a new Town Clerk and Consultant

helping resolve issues and restore the books to an auditable state. This process should continue to ensure all future audits are

submitted by the required deadline.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk has kept careful documentation

during the 2019 and 2020 fiscal years to ensure that the audit can be completed promptly. The Governing Body and office staff have set a goal to complete the FY 19 audit as soon as possible and submit an accurate FY 20 audit in a timely manner. The Town is on track to complete and submit the FY 20 audit before

the deadline.

Town Accounting Software not Adequate to Create Financial Statements - Material Weakness

(2017 - 002)

CONDITION

Financial statements that are supported by the documents. such underlying reconciliations could not be obtained for each fund. The Water, Sewer and Solid Waste Funds were not kept and maintained separately. Checks were issued and cleared the bank but not posted to the general ledger. The Water, Sewer and Solid Waste billings do not interface with the accounting software. It is So it appears that the a separate system. accounting software used by the Town inadequate to properly prepare financial statements that can be useful for management, taxpayers, audit purposes and decision making purposes. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

The Town needs to be able to provide financial statements so sound financial decisions and reporting can be made.

CAUSE

Prior management was not trained properly on how to use the current accounting software. Also, the current accounting software is not a fund based system.

EFFECT

Proper financial statements could not be provided to ensure an audit could be completed without any issues.

RECOMMENDATION

Management should obtain a fund based accounting software that can also prepare and track all utility billings as soon as possible.

RESPONSE

The Town has been researching different fund-based accounting systems. The Town would like to obtain software that integrates utility billing with the rest of the accounting system. The Town of Vaughn is a small entity and the cost of a new accounting system is prohibitive. The Town will research possible funding sources. In the meantime, The Clerk and Financial Consultant have overhauled the way the current accounting system is used, making it more appropriate to the Town's needs. For the FY 20 audit the Town will be able to use the software to produce a financial statement that separates the Water, Sewer and Solid Waste funds.

<u>Transactions Made by Third Parties</u> Not Recorded on Books of Record - Other Matter (2017-004)

CONDITION Funds held at New Mexico Finance Authority were

never recorded on the Town's books of record. These included cash balances, loan payments and interest earned. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA All transactions whether actually made by

management or outside parties needs to be posted/recorded to the entity's books of

record.

CAUSE Prior management was not aware of this

requirement.

EFFECT Cash balances and interest income were

understated on the Town's books of record. Adjustments had to be made to adjust certain trial balances so these amounts were included.

RECOMMENDATION Management should ensure all amounts/

transactions are posted/recorded to the

entity's books of record.

RESPONSE The information regarding the Environmental GRT

intercept payments (the transactions in question) has been obtained as of September 14, 2020. This information will be recorded and reconciled in the Town's books of record, resolving this issue for the current fiscal

year.

State of New Mexico Environment Department Lawsuit - Material Weakness

(2017 - 005)

CONDITION

The New Mexico State Environment Department sued the Town of Vaughn. The following are the alleged violations.

- 1. Failure to submit a Permit Application or a Plan for Closure and Post-Closure.
- 2. Failure to Implement a Ground Water Monitoring Program with an Approved Ground Water Monitoring System Plan.
- 3. Failure to apply daily cover.
- 4. Failure to Prevent Unauthorized Access.
- 5. Failure to remove Recyclable Materials in a Timely Manner.
- 6. Failure to Implement a Routine Methane Monitoring Program.
- 7. Failure to Control Litter.

Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

The alleged violations do not adhere to the following Statutes.

- 1. SWA, NMSA 1978, Sections 74-9-20(A) and 74-9-31(A)(3) and the SWR, 20.9.2.10.A(5) and 20.9.3.8.B NMAC.
- 2. SWR, 20.9.9.8.A(2) NMAC
- 3. SWR, 20.9.5.9.N NMAC
- 4. SWR, 20.9.5.9.D NMAC
- 5. SWR, 20.9.5.9.P(2) NMAC
- 6. SWR, 20.9.5.9.C NMAC
- 7. SWR, 20.9.5.9.L NMAC

CAUSE

The cause is unknown.

EFFECT

The assessed Settlement of the Compliance Order (upheld by the NM Court of Appeals) was \$214,100.

RECOMMENDATION

Management of the Town needs to comply with the Compliance Order as soon as possible.

RESPONSE

The Town of Vaughn will establish a contact person within the State of New Mexico Environment Department. Town personnel will work with the Environment Department to determine exactly what has or hasn't been completed with regard to the compliance order, and we will endeavor to comply with anything that hasn't been completed by the end of 2021.

Revenue Resources for Post-Closure Costs of Landfill - Significant Deficiency

(2017 - 007)

CONDITION

The Town is responsible for providing a financial mechanism to pay for all post-closure costs associated with the landfill. The Town has not obtained any resources to date to help with any post-closure costs. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

The Town is responsible for providing resources to pay for post-closure costs of the landfill. This is to ensure that if the town goes bankrupt that there is still a financial mechanism for the State to use to finish and maintain the post-closure procedures. This is established in SWR, 20.9.10.9.A, 20.9.10.9.B, 20.9.10.10.A and 20.9.10.10.B NMAC.

CAUSE

The Town was sued by the New Mexico Environment Department of which one of the items cited was "Failure to Establish Financial Assurance for the Costs of Closure and Post-Closure Care."

EFFECT

The Town has not followed New Mexico Environment Department Solid Waste Procedures for closure and post-closure requirements.

RECOMMENDATION

The Town should start investigating all resources from which revenues can be obtained to ensure all post-closure costs can be paid for, especially if the Village becomes bankrupt.

RESPONSE

Per Resolution 2017-1, The Town of Vaughn created a restricted reserve account for this purpose in February of 2017, with a deposit of \$6,000. As of September 14, 2020 the account had a balance of \$6081.14. Section 5 of the resolution states that "Additional funding of the reserve fund shall commence, on an annual basis, upon permit issuance of the Vaughn Construction and Demolition Landfill permit and will be in conformance with the formulas specified for trust funds in 20.9.10.14 NMAC, or as otherwise mutually agreed by the parties." The Clerk will research to determine what the additional annual funding should be, and will bring the Town into compliance with this requirement by the end of FY 2021.

Financial Cost Estimate for the Closure and Post-Closure of the Landfill - Material Weakness

(2017 - 008)

CONDITION

Resolution #2017-1 states that "as required by 20.9.10.10 NMAC the Town is to develop and annually submit an updated written financial cost estimate that shall account for the total costs of conducting closure and post closure care of the Vaughn Landfill". This has not been done. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

All Resolutions of the Town must be completed and carried out as provided by said resolution.

CAUSE

Management has not made this requirement a priority.

EFFECT

The Town is not following its own Resolution. Also, there is no current liability reported on the financial statements in the Solid Waste Fund for the amount required. This figure could be significant, thus, the payables are understated in this fund.

RECOMMENDATION

Management should make this resolution a priority as soon as possible.

RESPONSE

The Town of Vaughn will work with the New Mexico Environment Department to determine whether or not the annual financial cost estimate is a requirement. If it is, we will comply. If it is not a state requirement, we will consider updating our Resolution to align with the State requirement. The Clerk plans to complete this by the end of 2021.

Environmental Gross Receipts Tax not Posted to the Books of Record - Significant Deficiency (2017-009)

CONDITION

The Town receives Environmental Gross Receipts Taxes. These amounts are not being recorded on Also, these taxes are the books of record. pledged to the Estancia Valley Solid Waste Authority to pay a loan. The agreement is with the New Mexico Finance Authority (EVSWA) and several other entities. The Town has agreed to these monies being intercepted and provided to EVSWA on a monthly basis. These revenues, however, are property of the Town. these monthly intercepts are being recorded in the Town's books and records as revenues and expenditures (payments to EVSWA). Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

All transactions whether actually made by management or outside parties needs to be posted/recorded to the Town's books of record.

CAUSE

The cause is unknown.

EFFECT

The revenues and expenditures of the Solid Waste Fund were understated by \$4,718. The revenues and expenditures of the General Fund were overstated by \$4,718 before they were corrected.

RECOMMENDATION

The new management should delegate an employee to post these amounts as soon as the monthly Taxation and Revenue Reports are received.

RESPONSE

As addressed in the response to (2017-004) the information regarding the Environmental GRT intercept payments has been obtained as of September 14, 2020. This information will be recorded and reconciled in the Town's books of record, resolving this issue for the current fiscal year.

Deposits Posted/Deposited to the Wrong Fund -Significant Deficiency

(2017 - 010)

CONDITION

Management of the Town (in fiscal year 2017) deposited/posted \$19,669 of Fire Fund monies to the General Fund, not the Fire Fund. amount still has not been transferred to the Fire Fund so it can be used. The Water Fund now owes the Fire Fund \$11,468 that was deposited into the wrong bank account in June, 2019. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

The Fire Fund was established by the State Statute NMSA 59A-53-1. The allotment by the State Fire Marshall's Office is used only in fighting fires. Thus, these revenues belong to the Fire Fund. Also, this instance does not follow NMAC 1978 Section 3-37-4.

CAUSE

The cause is unknown.

EFFECT

The General Fund now owes the Fire Fund \$19,669. The Water Fund owes \$11,468.

RECOMMENDATION

Management needs to transfer these monies as soon as possible so the Fire Fund can use these resources.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk has transferred these funds during the 2021 fiscal year, correcting the deficiency. The Clerk is working with the state to change our ACH deposits so that they are deposited into the correct account, eliminating the need for transfers in the future. The Clerk plans to complete this during the 2021 fiscal year.

Water/Solid Waste Ordinance - Material Weakness (2017-011)

CONDITION The Town does not have an Ordinance that

reflects what amounts will be charged for water after the first 3,000 gallons is consumed. The Town does not have an Ordinance reflecting the amount charged for Commercial garbage either. Management has made no progress in this area.

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An Ordinance must be passed by the Town Council to ensure the correct amount is charged for services provided and to ensure the charges can

be enforced legally.

CRITERIA

CAUSE Management was unaware of this oversight.

EFFECT These charges cannot be enforced legally.

RECOMMENDATION The Town Council should amend the Water and

Solid Waste Ordinances as soon as possible.

RESPONSE A draft of an updated ordinance was taken

before the Governing Body in July 2018. It was tabled indefinitely pending engaging a third party to do a cost analysis and set our fees. Town personnel will present an updated Ordinance to the Governing Body again by the end of 2020 and emphasize the importance of

resolving this issue.

Ambulance Services - Significant Deficiency (2017-014)

CONDITION

There are no procedures in place to ensure that all ambulance "runs" are accounted for, billed correctly and payments remitted to the Town. Also, there is no way of determining the accounts receivable for Ambulance Services. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

Proper procedures are needed to ensure all charges are billed, amounts received are supported and correctly accounted for and any outstanding amounts still owed are properly pursued and obtained.

CAUSE

Prior management did not ensure procedures were in place to accurately process Ambulance Services.

EFFECT

Management cannot enforce collections of overdue balances if their reporting/accounting for these balances is inadequate. Management cannot properly determine whether the "runs" were billed or billed correctly.

RECOMMENDATION

Management needs to properly institute policies and procedures to ensure all ambulance "runs" are accounted for billed and the resources received.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk has had difficulty working with our third-party Ambulance billing service to obtain statements and invoices to adequately reconcile Ambulance billing. The Town's Programs Coordinator will request proposals for this service, including our need for regular receipt of detailed statements and documentation in the scope of work by the end of 2020.

Agreement for Ambulance Service Billing and Accounts Receivable Services - Significant Deficiency (2017-015)

CONDITION According to the Director of Medical Practice

Solutions an agreement exists whereby MPS is to credential, bill and obtain accounts receivable for the Town of Vaughn. However, the Town does not have a current contract on hand. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA All agreements/contracts entered into by the

Town of Vaughn should be updated periodically

and a signed copy kept on hand.

CAUSE Management did not ensure this contract was

available.

EFFECT The Town could be paying for services that were

not agreed to.

RECOMMENDATION A new signed contract should be obtained

immediately.

RESPONSE As stated in 2017-14, the Town plans to seek

proposals for Ambulance billing, with the Programs Coordinator assigned to create an RFP. A new contract will be established accordingly,

by the end of 2020.

Outstanding Utility Receivables - Significant Deficiency (2017-016)

CONDITION

The aged account receivable report has \$8,393. in overdue balances being reported as over 90 days old for Town accounts. However, these amounts cannot be substantiated. Also, the aged accounts receivable cannot be separated as to what amounts belong to Water, Sewer or Solid Waste. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

Aged receivable reports should be updated and completed on a daily basis. These reports should also provide the detail as to which amounts belong to which utility.

CAUSE

The Town does not have a proper system to provide an aged receivable report for management to use and enforce outstanding balances due.

EFFECT

Management cannot enforce collections of overdue balances if their reporting/accounting for these balances is inadequate.

RECOMMENDATION

Town management needs to correctly report receivables for the utilities charged by the Town.

RESPONSE

The Utility Billing Clerk will research and resolve outstanding receivables by the end of the 2021 fiscal year.

Allowance for Doubtful Accounts - Other Matter (2017-017)

CONDITION The current financial statements do not include

any amounts determined to be an allowance for doubtful accounts as of June 30, 2019. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA Town management should review the aged accounts

receivable periodically and determine if and at what amount an allowance should be determined.

CAUSE Prior management could not determine this as

the aged accounts receivable is unusable.

EFFECT Management may be overstating their

receivables.

RECOMMENDATION Management should obtain an accurate aged

receivable report and determine if an allowance

is conceivable.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk will work with the Assistant

Clerk to develop and implement new policies and procedures to resolve this matter by the end of

the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>Water Meter Deposits - Material Weakness</u> (2017-018)

CONDITION The Town is not reconciling their monthly water

meter deposit each month. Currently, the Town has no list. Management has made no progress

in this area.

CRITERIA The monthly meter deposit list should be

reconciled each month. This complies with good

accounting practices.

CAUSE The cause is unknown.

EFFECT Errors or omissions could occur since an

accurate list is not being prepared monthly.

RECOMMENDATION Management should designate an employee to

perform this duty each month, identify

differences and resolve those differences.

RESPONSE The Clerk has obtained a list of all current

meter deposits. The Clerk will assign an employee to compare the list to the currently active accounts. This will enable the Town to determine if any deposits are missing, and determine if the reconciled amount in our bank account is adequate. This will be completed by

the end of the 2021 fiscal year.

Meter Deposit Bank Account - Material Weakness (2017-019)

CONDITION

Deposits made to the meter deposit bank account could not be verified. It is unknown at this time if the bank account has enough monies to cover all meter deposits owed. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

All meter deposits are owed to the residents that paid that deposit. These amounts should be kept separate to ensure the funds are available to be paid and not budgeted for.

CAUSE

Management was not aware of this requirement.

EFFECT

DFA could possibly include this amount in the budget process incorrectly. Also, deposits could be posted/deposited to another fund incorrectly.

RECOMMENDATION

Management needs to create a meter deposit list as soon as possible. This total then needs to be reconciled to the bank account. If the bank account is short, then the Water Fund must cover the difference.

RESPONSE

As stated in the response to 2017-018, the Clerk has obtained the needed information and has planned a method to determine the accuracy of the meter deposit list. This will be complete by the end of the 2021 fiscal year. After the Town has determined the accuracy and completeness of the meter list, we can reconcile the Meter Deposit List to the bank account to ensure that the bank account has adequate funds. This will be completed by the end of the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>Salary Budgets - Significant Deficiency</u> (2017-025)

CONDITION Eleven out of twenty-five employees tested were

paid more than the amount budgeted for in the DFA budget report approved by the Council and DFA. Management has made no progress in this

area.

CRITERIA All positions are budgeted at the beginning of

the fiscal year. All employees in those positions must be paid within those approved

budgets.

CAUSE The cause is unknown.

EFFECT Employees were paid \$23,631 over the budget

approved at the beginning of the year.

RECOMMENDATION Management should ensure that all payroll

records are available and reviewed periodically to ensure no positions are paid over the

approved budgeted amount.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk will compare budgeted salaries

to actuals on a monthly basis to ensure that all salaries remain within the budget. This

will be resolved for the 2020 FY audit.

<u>Lodgers Tax Receipts - Significant Deficiency</u> (2017-029)

CONDITION

Management of the Town could not provide documentation for two Hotels/Motels for several months as to why there were no lodgers taxes received. Also, \$7,119 were receivable as of June 30, 2019 which were owed from February, 2019 to June, 2019. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

All payments due for Lodgers Tax are to be received at the Town the month following after the tax was received by the Hotel/Motel. This is according to Ordinance #408 Section 7-D which states "Each vendor shall make a report and shall submit the proceeds to the Municipality".

CAUSE

The cause is unknown.

EFFECT

Resources due the Town are not being received in a timely basis.

RECOMMENDATION

Management of the Town should establish procedures for when Lodgers Taxes are not received timely.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk has created a spreadsheet to ensure that all relevant businesses submit their Lodgers Tax receipts on a monthly basis. The Assistant Clerk will check the spreadsheet on a monthly basis and will send businesses a letter if needed, reminding them that a receipt must be prepared and submitted each month even if there is no remittance for that month. This issue will be resolved by the end of 2020.

<u>Lodgers Tax Expenditures - Significant Deficiency</u> (2017-030)

CONDITION The Lodgers Tax Fund spent only 5% of the total

proceeds on advertising. Also, these reports do not reflect the actual amounts received for the 18-19 fiscal year. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA According to State Statute 3.20.030(C) "not

less than one half of proceeds shall be used

for advertising".

CAUSE The cause is unknown.

EFFECT Management is not following the requirements of

the State Statute.

RECOMMENDATION Management should review and evaluate all

purchases from the Lodgers Tax Fund to ensure

this requirement is complied with.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk and Governing Body will review

Lodgers Tax Expenditures on a quarterly basis to ensure that we are compliant with the requirement. The Clerk is investigating new ways to purchase advertising for the Town. The Clerk plans to resolve this finding by the end

of the 2021 Fiscal Year.

Corrections Fees not Deposited/Recorded in the Corrections Fund Significant Deficiency (2017-031)

CONDITION

All of the traffic tickets issued were deposited into the General Fund. None of the paid citations had a portion deposited/posted to the Corrections Fund. This includes \$2,620 for fiscal year 2017, \$5,900 for fiscal year 2018 and \$11,060 for 2019. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

According to NMSA 35-14-11B(1), 35-14-11D and 35-14-11D(3) a municipal judge shall collect \$20 from each citation to be deposited in a special fund to be used for paying the cost of housing municipal prisoners.

CAUSE

Management was not aware of this requirement.

EFFECT

The Corrections Fund revenues were understated by at least \$19,580. There is a receivable for this amount in the audit report.

RECOMMENDATION

Management needs to transfer \$11,060 for the 18-19 fiscal year, \$5,900 for the 17-18 fiscal year and \$2,620 for the 16-17 fiscal year to the Corrections Fund from the General Fund as soon as possible.

RESPONSE

The required transfers will be completed during the current fiscal year. Corrections Fee deposits are being accurately recorded as of FY 20, and the Clerk will ensure that all transfers are made in a timely manner for the 2021 fiscal year, completely resolving this issue.

Amounts Collected on Behalf of the State -Significant Deficiency

(2017 - 032)

CONDITION The Town is including Court Automation Fees and

Judicial Education Fees as revenues and expenditures in their General Fund. These are collections made on behalf of the State and should be kept separate in an Agency Fund in the books of record and the DFA report. Management has made no progress in this area.

All amounts collected on behalf of another CRITERIA

entity should be collected, disbursed and

reported in an Agency Fund.

CAUSE Management was not aware of this requirement.

These amounts are incorrectly included as EFFECT

revenue and expenditures for budget purposes for the General Fund. Also, any cash left in the bank at June 30, could be mistakenly

budgeted for in the General Fund.

RECOMMENDATION Management should separate these receipts and

> disbursements in an Agency Fund as soon as possible, not only on the DFA report but on the

books of record.

The Town Clerk will begin recording these RESPONSE

> amounts as trust/agency fuinds instead of incomes and expenditures. This will be resolved

for the FY 21 audit.

Court Fees Not Remitted to the State Significant Deficiency (2017-033)

CONDITION The Town Court is not remitting the \$6

Automation Fee or \$3 Education correctly at the end of each month. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA According to NMSA 35-14-11G and H: All

automation and education fees should be remitted to the state at the end of each month.

CAUSE Management is not ensuring this is done

correctly and timely.

EFFECT State Statute NMSA 35-14-11G is not being

followed.

RECOMMENDATION Management needs to add internal controls to

ensure these reports are submitted accurately

and timely.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk and Municipal Court Clerk have

worked diligently to resole this issue. The Court Clerk was not able to complete the reports in a timely manner due to family emergencies. The Town will cross train some of our office staff so that we can still fulfill the requirement if needed. The Town Clerk will institute policies and procedures to ensure that these reports are being prepared and submitted on a monthly basis. The goal is to

resolve this by the end of 2020.

Outstanding (Unpaid) Citations - Significant Deficiency (2017-034)

CONDITION

The Judges Department of the Town are not keeping a record of every traffic complaint, traffic citation or other form of traffic charges. This situation prevents a list of outstanding citations (amount) due. It also prevents the Judges department from notifying the Motor Vehicle Department of any outstanding citations "from which the decision of no appeal or review is successfully taken."

CRITERIA

According to NMSA 1978 Section 66-8-135A "Every trial court judge shall keep a record of every traffic complaint, uniform traffic citation and other form of traffic charge filed in the judge's court or its traffic violations bureau and every official action and disposition of the charge by that court." Management has made no progress in this area.

CAUSE

The Judge's department was not aware of this requirement.

EFFECT

NMSA Section 66-8-135A is not being followed. Which Section 66-8-135G states "Willful failure or refusal of any judicial officer to comply with this section is misconduct in office and grounds for removal."

RECOMMENDATION

The Judges department should implement procedures to comply with Section 66-8-135 immediately.

RESPONSE

The Town's new Court Clerk has taken measures to comply with this requirement, submitting outstanding citations to the Motor Vehicle Department as required. She will also begin filing citations by date instead of only alphabetically, so that the Court department can ensure that all citations are resolved.

Citations Reported on Required AOC and JEC Reports Significant Deficiency (2017-035)

CONDITION

The fiscal year 17-18 had nine citations that were "supposedly paid" on the report of the Automated Office of the Court and Judicial Education Fee report submitted monthly, however, there were nine traffic citations that could not be verified as paid or traced to an actual deposit made for each of the nine citations. Management has not gone back and investigated and corrected this situation. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

According to NMSA 1978 Section 35-14-11(2) and (3) fees are to be collected and remitted to the State Treasurer monthly. These reports need to be supported by actual documents that can confirm that these citations have been paid and that the monies have been deposited in the correct bank account and posted to the correct fund.

CAUSE

Neither Management nor the Judges department are ensuring that these procedures are being completed.

EFFECT

Monies may not be collected or monies may not be deposited correctly.

RECOMMENDATION

Management and the Judges department need to work together to establish procedures to ensure all documentation is available and attached to the correct traffic citation, deposit slip or reports submitted to ensure all monies owed to the Town have been collected and deposited.

RESPONSE

The Town's Court Clerk is working with the business office to ensure that accurate files and documentations are kept This will help us verify transactions in the future. This should be resolved for the 2020 fiscal year.

<u>Citations Received but not Reported on AOC or JEC Reports - Significant Deficiency</u>

(2017 - 036)

CONDITION

The Town received payment for sixty two traffic citations in July, 2017. However, only fifteen of these citations were reported on the AOC/JEC report submitted. Management has not gone back and investigated and corrected this situation. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

According to NMSA 1978 Section 35-14-11(2) and(3) fees are to be collected and remitted to the State Treasurer monthly. These reports need to be supported by actual documents that can confirm that these citations have been paid and that the monies have been deposited.

CAUSE

Neither Management nor the Judges department have implemented procedures to ensure all information is obtained and accurately included so the JEC/AOC reports can be submitted correctly and timely.

EFFECT

The Town still owes the State Treasurer for Court Automation Fees and Judicial Education Fees. Also, internal controls have not been implemented to ensure these reports are submitted accurately and timely.

RECOMMENDATION

Management and the Judges department need to work together to establish procedures to ensure all documentation is available and attached to the AOC/JEC reports.

RESPONSE

There was some confusion due to a lengthy process moving the Municipal Court offices to a new location. The Town Clerk is working with the Court Clerk to improve documentation and ensure timeliness with the AOC and JEC reports. This should be resolved for the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>Budget Overruns - Other Matter</u> (2017-038)

CONDITION

The Town overspent the final approved budgets of several funds. The Fire/Wildland Fund was overspent by \$362. The Fire Fund was overspent by \$1,148 and the Seniors Fund was overspent by \$1,489. The Water, Sewer and Solid Waste Funds could not be separated so could not be audited. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

NMSA 1978 Section 22-8-11 B requires all funds to be spent within the established guidelines set for budgets.

CAUSE

Management did not ensure budget adjustment requests were obtained from DFA by the required deadline.

EFFECT

The Town had the adequate cash to pay the overruns but not the required budget authority from DFA.

RECOMMENDATION

Management should review its budget quarterly (at a minimum) and request all budget adjustments at that time to ensure budget overruns do not occur.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk is working closely with our DFA Budget Analyst to ensure that we do not exceed budget authority. Water, Sewer and Solid Waste are separated on the books of record for the 2020 fiscal year. This issue will be resolved for the FY 20 audit.

<u>Penalties and Interest Charges - Other Matter</u> (2017-041)

CONDITION

The Town is being charged \$300 in penalties and \$27 in interestinterest for late filing of all four quarters (2018-2019) Department of Labor Reports. Also, the Town was charged \$118 in penalties and \$18 in interest for late filing of CRS-1 reports. The June, 2019 CRS-1 reports were not filed until October, 2019. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

All Department of Labor Reports are due by the end of the first month after the quarter. All CRS-1 reports are due by the 25th of the following month.

CAUSE

The cause is unknown.

EFFECT

The Town paid \$156 and \$302 in penalties and interest that were not budgeted for and would not be required if the reports were submitted timely.

RECOMMENDATION

All future Department of Labor Reports and CRS-1 Reports should be filed timely to avoid all penalties and interest charges.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk will institute procedures to ensure that all reports are filed in a timely, accurate manner to avoid future penalty and interest charges. This should be resolved by the end of 2020.

Employee Files Not Complete - Other Matter (2017-043)

CONDITION All six employee files did not have wage rate

approval documentation included. Also, a form I-9 was either missing or incomplete for all five employee files. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA Employee files need to have complete wage rate

documentation verifying wage increases during the year. Also, form I-9's are required by the

Department of Homeland Security.

CAUSE Management is not ensuring these documents are

being obtained and included in the employee

files.

EFFECT Good internal controls are not being followed.

RECOMMENDATION Management needs to ensure these forms are

completed and included in each employee's file.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk has received updated I9 forms

for all employees currently employed by the Town of Vaughn. The Clerk will work with the Governing Body to develop wage rate approval documents for all employees and keep them appropriately updated. These documents should

be in place for the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>Lodgers Tax Audit - Other Non-Compliance</u> (2017-046)

CONDITION Town management did not perform a random audit

of hotels/motels during the 2017-2018 or 2018-2019 fiscal year. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA According to Ordinance #408, Section 13A and B

"the governing body shall conduct random audits to verify full payment of occupancy tax receipts." "The Governing body shall determine each year the number of hotels/motels within

the municipality to audit."

CAUSE It is unknown why the governing body did not

ensure this Ordinance was followed.

EFFECT The Town is not complying with its own

Ordinance.

RECOMMENDATION The governing body needs to comply with this

Ordinance as soon as possible.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk and Governing Body will review

the ordinance. The Town will conduct a Lodgers Tax Audit as soon as possible, ideally by the

end of 2020.

<u>Travel Issues - Material Non-Compliance</u> (2018-001)

CONDITION Ten out of ten travel vouchers tested were not

approved before the travel was taken. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA According to DFA regulations all travel must be

approved before it is taken.

CAUSE Management is not ensuring this procedure is

being followed.

EFFECT Travel could be taken that was not authorized.

RECOMMENDATION All travel forms should be approved before the

travel is taken.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk has updated the Per Diem form to

reflect the pre-approval of all travel requests

as of November 2019. This is resolved.

Amounts not Being Paid Back Between Funds - Significant Deficiency (2018-002)

CONDITION

Management has created \$140,263 worth of amounts due between funds. These have been created from deposits being reported/posted in the wrong funds. These amounts need to be paid back. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

All resources received should be posted in the correct fund.

CAUSE

Deposits are continually being reported/posted to the wrong funds.

EFFECT

Management owes \$140,263 in resources to various funds.

RECOMMENDATION

1. Management needs to have a commitment or strategy to pay back these monies. 2. Management should create a plan and time frame to pay back these amounts and also discontinue the practice of reporting/posting resources to the wrong funds.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk will review and verify the amounts specified by the auditor, and work to correct them by the end of 2020. Several of the amounts due have already been corrected as of September 14, 2020. The Clerk is working with the State to ensure that direct deposits are deposited to the correct bank accounts, eliminating the need for transfers in the future. This will be resolved for the 2021 fiscal year.

Cash Balances for the Water/Sewer/Solid Waste Funds Material Weakness

(2018 - 005)

CONDITION The cash balances shown on the DFA report for

each of the Utility Funds could not be tested or verified because they are not separate in the general ledger. Management has made no

progress in this area.

CRITERIA The DFA report must be adequately supported

by the underlying books of record.

CAUSE Management has not ensured these Funds are

separated in the accounting software.

EFFECT The Utility Funds could not be audited.

RECOMMENDATION Management should separate these funds

immediately.

RESPONSE This is resolved as of the 2020 fiscal year.

The Town Clerk and Financial Consultant have worked to implement a detailed chart of accounts within the accounting software, and we are recording our utility funds separately

within the books of record.

Water Conservation Fee - Other Non-Compliance (2018-007)

CONDITION

The State of New Mexico Taxation and Revenue charges a conservation fee on all public water supply systems. This fee is to be on the amount of water "produced." The Village is calculating the fee on the amount of water "billed" each month. Also, only three out of twelve Water Conservation Reports were submitted (July, August, September of 2017). None were calculated and submitted for the whole fiscal year 2018-2019. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

The State of New Mexico Taxation and Revenue charges a conservation fee on all public water supply systems.

CAUSE

Management was not aware of this requirement

EFFECT

The Town is not calculating the fee on the amount of water "produced." Also, the required reports are not being filed.

RECOMMENDATION

Management should start calculating all conservation fees on the amount of water produced and submit the reports as soon as possible.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk will train the Assistant Clerk to begin preparing the reports based on produced water rather than billed water. The Clerk will institute new policies and procedures to ensure that past reports are submitted accurately and current reports are submitted on a timely basis. This should be resolved for the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>PERA not Calculated Correctly - Significant Deficiency</u> (2018-009)

CONDITION An employee did not have their PERA deducted

from their paycheck correctly in the fiscal year 2018. Management has not gone back and corrected this situation. The Town still owes \$349 which will include penalties and interest. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA According to PERA regulations, all full-time

employees must contribute at the specified

rate.

CAUSE An outside consultant (CPA) prepared the

payroll each pay period. The withholding was

not calculated.

EFFECT The Town owes \$349 for both the employer and

employee portion back to the employee.

RECOMMENDATION Management should implement procedures to

ensure all full-time employees benefits are

calculated correctly.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk now prepares payroll in-house.

The Clerk reviews payroll deductions on a regular basis to ensure that they are being calculated correctly. The 2018 discrepancy will be researched and corrected by the Town Clerk

by the end of 2020.

<u>Department of Workforce Solutions Reports Filed Incorrectly - Material Non-Compliance</u> (2018-010)

CONDITION

The Town filed their Department of Workforce Solutions reports omitting \$21,923 in gross salaries for the fiscal year. Also, the 2017-2018 fiscal year Department of Workforce Solutions reports were never corrected for the \$13,648 gross salaries that were omitted. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

Employers are required to submit a quarterly wage report (Form ES-903A) listing wages paid to all workers and pay a tax at the applicable rate.

CAUSE

The cause is unknown.

EFFECT

The Town did not include all wages in quarterly unemployment reports which may have resulted in an underpayment of unemployment tax.

RECOMMENDATION

The Town needs to amend these reports and pay the applicable taxes, penalties and interest immediately. All future report submissions need to agree to the total payroll paid for the quarter.

RESPONSE

The Town Clerk will research these discrepancies and correct them. We have had some difficulty with inaccurate reports from our accounting software, and the Town Clerk will work with the support department to resolve these reporting issues. The Clerk will also double-check the FY 2020 Workforce Solutions reports to ensure that they were done correctly. This will be resolved by the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>PERA not Deducted and Remitted - Significant Deficiency</u> (2018-011)

CONDITION Two employees did not have PERA deducted from

their paycheck and have it submitted to PERA. Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA According to PERA regulations, all full-time

employees will have to contribute to PERA.

CAUSE Management has not included these two employees

on the PERA deduction in the accounting system and ensured all required deductions have been

made.

EFFECT The Town owes \$3,049 for both the employer and

employee portion of PERA for the fiscal year 2018. As for fiscal year 2019 the Town owes \$7,687 for both the employer and employee

portion of PERA.

RECOMMENDATION Management should implement procedures to

ensure all full-time employees benefits are

reviewed and deducted correctly each month.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk is working closely with PERA to

correct this matter. The Clerk will review payroll on a regular basis to ensure that all full-time employees are contributing to PERA.

This will be resolved by the end of 2020.

PERA Deduction for Police Officer Incorrect -Significant Deficiency (2018-012)

CONDITION

Town Council did not pass a resolution stating the Police Officer would have PERA deducted at the Municipal Divisions rate not the Police Officers rate. The difference in the two is \$618 that could potentially be

owed for 2018 and \$1,321 for 2019.

Management has made no progress in this area.

CRITERIA

PERA has Municipal Divisions Plans for regular employees and Police Division Plans for Police Officers. They are not withheld

at the same rate.

CAUSE Management of the Town were not aware of this

situation.

EFFECT The Town could be liable for \$1,939.

RECOMMENDATION The Town was told by PERA to pass a

resolution that explained the Police Officers PERA would be withheld at the Municipal rate

not the Police Officers rate.

RESPONSE As instructed by PERA, on July 10, 2019 the

Governing Body passed resolution #1 (2019-20) affirming that police officers employed by the Town of Vaughn will be withheld at the

Municipal Rate.

<u>Seniors Cafeteria Inventory - Other Matter</u> (2019-001)

CCNDITION The Seniors Program is not taking an inventory

of all food and non-food items at the end of

each month.

CRITERIA The Non-Metro Area Agency on Aging requires an

inventory be completed each month.

CAUSE Management is not ensuring this procedure is

complete.

EFFECT Management is not complying with AAA

requirements.

RECOMMENDATION Management should train the cafeteria staff on

how to prepare and take inventory each month.

RESPONSE This delinquency happened due to a high

turnover of cafeteria staff in a short period of time. The staff has stabilized as of September 14, 2020, and is being trained to comply with all requirements in terms of record keeping as well as food safety. This will be

resolved for the 2021 fiscal year.

Outstanding Traffic Citation Receivables - Significant Deficiency (2019-002)

CONDITION Management had \$12,799 worth of citations that

were paid through NCourt, however were not reviewed and received into the bank account

until six weeks later.

CRITERIA All amounts due and receivable to the Town

should be received and posted immediately.

CAUSE The employee that took over this duty was out

for several weeks due to an illness.

EFFECT Management had \$12,799 that had been collected

on their behalf but not received, posted and

deposited into the Town's bank accounts.

RECOMMENDATION Management should ensure all duties are

completed including when employees are out on

leave for an extended period of time.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk has obtained access to the

NCourt payment reporting software, and will work with the Court Clerk to cross-train office employees so that these duties can be completed in the absence of the Court Clerk. This will be

resolved for the 2020 fiscal year.

Reconciling Items on Bank Reconciliations Significant Deficiency (2019-003)

CONDITION Management is including payroll liabilities as

a reconciling item on several bank reconciliations. These items are incorrect as they are being carried forward from a prior year, or should not exist since no payroll is

being paid out of these funds.

CRITERIA Bank reconciliations should include only

deposits in transit, outstanding checks or adjustments that can be adequately supported.

CAUSE The cause is unknown.

EFFECT Bank reconciliations for certain funds are

incorrect.

RECOMMENDATION Bank reconciliations should only include any

and all relevant reconciling items.

RESPONSE The Clerk is working with the auditor and

financial consultant to eliminate these items that have been carried over from prior years. These should not have been carried over and will be eliminated for the 2020 fiscal year.

Bank Account Ends Before the End of the Month - Significant Deficiency (2019-004)

CONDITION The Water/Sewer Improvements Bank Account cuts

off at the 22^{nd} of the month, not the 30^{th} . A deposit made into the account after the 22^{nd} was not recorded or shown on the bank

reconciliation.

CRITERIA All of the Towns bank accounts need to have the

same cut-off date.

CAUSE The cause is unknown.

EFFECT A deposit of \$27,950 was not recorded on the

bank reconciliation or the books of record.

RECOMMENDATION Management should change the cut-off date for

this bank account as soon as possible.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk was not aware that it was

possible to change the date of a bank statement. The Clerk will contact the bank and

request the change by the end of 2020.

Revenues Posted Incorrectly Other Matter (2019-005)

CONDITION The client received \$4,148 worth of revenues

that were posted in the general ledger and the DFA report to the wrong fund. It should have

been posted to the General Fund.

CRITERIA All amounts received should be investigated and

reported in the correct fund.

CAUSE Management did not understand their accounting

system when this amount was posted.

EFFECT Journal entries were required to post the

amount in the correct fund.

RECOMMENDATION Management needs to understand their accounting

software and how it works. Possible further

training in this area may benefit staff.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk will seek to obtain further

training to be able to better use the accounting software. This will be resolved for

the 2020 fiscal year.

Ambulance Service Revenues/Expenditures ~ Significant Deficiency (2019-006)

CONDITION Management is not recording the fees associated

with the collections of revenues for the

Ambulance Fund.

CRITERIA Financial statement amounts should not be shown

"Net". The accounting standards state they should be shown "Gross". Thus, all revenues

and expenditures should be recorded.

CAUSE Management was not aware of this requirement.

EFFECT The financial statements did not reflect \$2.847

in revenues and \$2,847 in expenditures.

RECOMMENDATION Management should start recording these

transactions as soon as possible.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk will work with the Assistant

Clerk to ensure that deposits are booked as gross instead of net going forward, and that the fee is recorded as an expenditure. This

will be corrected for the FY 21 audit.

Food Items Purchased Incorrectly Other Matter (2019-007)

CONDITION

The Fire/Wildland Fund states that its purpose is to provide services to fight Wildland Fires. A purchase of \$362 for meals was paid out of this fund. This purchase should not have been posted to this fund as it was not an expenditure to fight Wildland Fires.

CRITERIA

Only those expenditures allowed by the particular fund should be paid and posted to that fund.

CAUSE

Management was not aware of the purpose for this fund.

EFFECT

An expenditure of \$362 was paid out of the wrong fund.

RECOMMENDATION

Management should review each fund, its purpose and what can be paid from those fund before payment is made.

RESPONSE

The Wildland Fire Fund is described inaccurately in the audit report. The account is funded solely by donations, and therefore should be eligible to purchase food for training events, but the audit report describes the fund as being funded by state monies. The Clerk will work with the auditor to correct this matter before the FY 2021 audit.

Bank Analysis Fee - Other Matter (2019-008)

CONDITION The Town is being charged a bank analysis fee

that is not being charged by the other banks.

CRITERIA Management should ensure that any fees that are

charged could be possibly waved because the

Town is a government entity.

CAUSE Management was not aware that this fee could be

waved.

EFFECT The Town is paying fees that could be waved.

RECOMMENDATION Management should look into having these fees

waved, or possibly move their monies to the other banking institutions that do not charge

an analysis fee.

RESPONSE The Clerk will consult with bank

representatives to determine what services are obtained via this fee, and determine whether or not the fee can be waived. This will be

resolved by the 2021 fiscal year.

<u>Accrued Leave Carryforwards - Other Matter</u> (2019-009)

CONDITION The employee leave records were not up to date.

The balances at June 30, 2018 were not verified and carried forward correctly to the 2019

fiscal year.

CRITERIA The accounting software used should provide a

report that calculates and reports leave accrued, leave used, beginning leave balances

and ending balances.

CAUSE Management did not ensure this report was

completed and printed.

EFFECT Employees could be paid for leave that was not

available for payment. Employee leave used

could not be verified.

RECOMMENDATION Management should verify and correct all leave

balances on the Leave Plan Summary.

RESPONSE The Clerk will monitor leave balances to ensure

they are correct, and will begin running a report at the end of the fiscal year as of the

2021 fiscal year.

<u>Pledged Collateral - Compliance Matter</u> (2019-010)

CONDITION Management is not receiving and reviewing the

pledged collateral report from Everyone's Federal Credit Union each month to ensure the

Town was adequately collateralized.

CRITERIA According to NMAC 2.2.2.10 N (4) (b) requires

entities to obtain pledged collateral from financial institutions in the amount of 50% of deposits exceeding the \$250,000 FDIC

insurance.

CAUSE Management did not ensure that any of their

bank accounts met the requirement of the

State Statute.

EFFECT Management did not comply with the required

State Statute.

RECOMMENDATION Management should request these reports each

month and review them and their cash balances

to ensure the Town is adequately

collateralized each month.

RESPONSE The Town Clerk has established a contact person

at EFCU as of September 14, 2020, and will request these reports on a monthly basis, and check them against the Town's cash balances to

ensure accuracy.

Memorandum of Understanding not Signed by Both Parties - Other Matter

(2019-011)

CCNDITION The Town has an MOU with the Estancia Valley

Solid Waste Authority, however, it has not

been signed by both parties.

CRITERIA For MOU's to be valid and legal both parties

need to have signed the agreement.

CAUSE Management is not ensuring they keep a copy

that is signed by both parties.

EFFECT The agreement may not be legally enforceable.

RECOMMENDATION Management needs to obtain a singed copy as

soon as possible.

RESPONSE The Clerk will contact EVSWA and obtain a

signed copy of the MOU by the end of 2020.

<u>Lodgers Tax Receipts - Non-Compliance Matter</u> (2019-012)

CONDITION The Lodger's Tax Fund has over \$200,000 in

cash. This amount should have been used for

advertising within the last two years.

CRITERIA According to NMSA 1978 3.20.030E, "proceeds

from the occupancy tax are required to be used to advertise, publicize and promote tourist-related attractions within two

years."

CAUSE Management was not aware of this requirement.

EFFECT The Town has not complied with NMSA 1978

3.20.030E.

RECOMMENDATION Management needs to start using their Lodgers

Tax monies as soon as possible to comply with

NMSA 1978 3.20.030E.

RESPONSE As discussed in the response to 2017-030, the

Clerk is investigating new ways to purchase advertising for the Town. With the assistance of the Governing Body, the Clerk plans to resolve this finding by the end of the 2021

Fiscal Year.

<u>Payroll Liabilities - Material Weakness</u> (2019-013)

CONDITION The trial balances provided include payroll

liabilities that were brought forward from 2008. These liabilities have not been reported in the last six audit reports.

CRITERIA Management is to use the audited balances in

their accounting records.

CAUSE Management is not using the audited balances

in their financial records.

EFFECT Numerous journal entries and additional

procedures are needed to eliminate these amounts and correct the trial balances

provided by the Town.

RECOMMENDATION Management should correct the trial balances

to reflect the audited balances as soon as

possible.

RESPONSE The Clerk plans to obtain training to create

trial balances before the 2021 fiscal year, eliminating the need for an outside consultant to assist with this. The Clerk will work with the Financial Consultant to ensure that the trial balances reflect the audited balances for

the 2020 fiscal year audit.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT PREPARATION

The combining and individual fund financial statements and notes to the financial statements for the year ended, June 30, 2019 were prepared by Rice & Associates, CPA, based on managements chart of accounts and trial balances including any adjusting, correcting or closing entries approved by management. These services are allowable under SAS 115.

EXIT CONFERENCE

An exit conference was held at the Town on September 14, 2020, to discuss the current audit report. In attendance were Mr. Roman Garcia, Mayor, Ms. Shaline Lopez, Clerk/Treasurer and Ms. Pamela A. Rice, CPA, Contract Auditor.