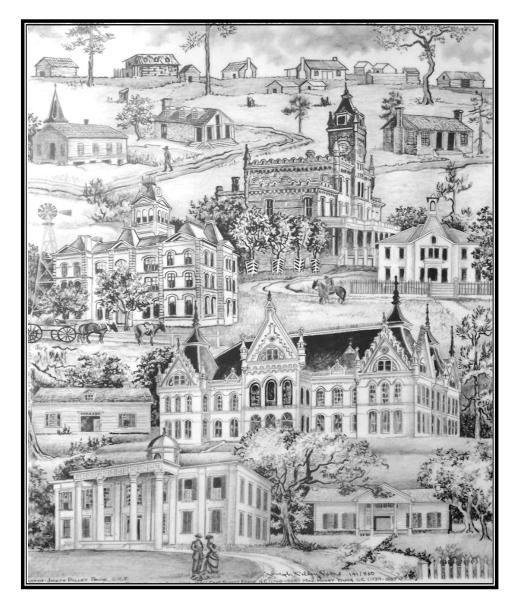


## Walker County, Texas



Annual Comprehensive Financial Report For the Year Ended September 30, 2022

## Shown on the cover and copied with permission of the artist, Mr. Joseph Polley Paine, is a reproduction of a lithograph he did for Huntsville's Bicentennial in 1976.

JOSEPH POLLEY PAINE'S "Early Architecture of Huntsville" is what the artist calls "Documentary art".

Across the top is a reproduction of Bollaert's sketch of Huntsville made in December, 1843. Englishman William Bollaert came to Texas, at General Sam Houston's invitation, to study the possibility of attracting immigrants. Bollaert's diary of his visit to Huntsville read, "Three miles brought us to Huntsville, situated on a pine height. This town was commenced in 1836, but made little progress until 1842 when Mr. MacDonald gave an impetus to building. On entering the town is observed a planter's exchange, Gibbs Grocery, Huntsville Hotel... Mr. MacDonald, besides a very large and comfortable residence, has built a brick store, the upper part devoted to a Masonic Lodge. A large brick building for girls and boys schools is now building and many other improvements going on."

Next in the artwork is the Cumberland Presbyterian Church erected in 1839. The Christian congregation purchased the property in 1868.

The third structure is MacDonald's (sometimes spelled McDonald's) brick store and Masonic Hall. It was redrawn from an 1844 map of the city.

The Huntsville Academy, also from the map of 1844, is right of the tower. The structure at the left is the third building used as the Walker County Courthouse. This building in 1888, was razed by fire.

The large building facing the right portion of the drawing is the original building in the state prison system. The building, along with several others in Huntsville, was "remodeled" or "modernized" and the tower was removed. This building was revamped in 1942.

At the right is Andrews Female College, a Methodist institution built in 1852, which later became public school property in 1879 and a frame building, was put on the same site.

Built in the 1840's, Henderson Yoakum's home at Shepherd's Valley was where Yoakum wrote his "History of Texas." The history was published in 1855. Dog run style houses had a hall through the center 20 feet wide. On each side of the open hall were two 20 by 20 foot rooms. The sills of the hand-hewn logs were sixty feet long and three feet thick.

Now known as Old Main, the Sam Houston Normal Institute was dedicated in 1890. (Lost to fire on February  $12,\,1982$ )

The Austin College building behind the Normal Institute was dedicated in 1851 as a Presbyterian school. The Bell Tower shown in Mr. Paine's Lithograph is now at the Austin College in Sherman, Texas and is rung at graduation there. This building was the main structure at Sam Houston Normal Institute from 1879 to 1890.

The final structure in the Bicentennial work is Sam Houston's home, "Woodlands", which was built in 1847.

Artist Paine was assisted in his research by Mrs. Josephine Bush, keeper of the books in the Thompson Room of Sam Houston State University Library.

# WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Prepared by:

County Auditor Department



#### **WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS**

#### ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT

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**INTRODUCTORY SECTION** 



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March 13, 2023

The Honorable District Judges of the 12<sup>th</sup> and 278<sup>th</sup> Districts The Honorable Commissioners' Court Walker County, Texas

#### Gentlemen:

The Annual Comprehensive Financial Report of Walker County, Texas, for the year ended September 30, 2022, is submitted herewith. This report was prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board and is in compliance with Vernon's Texas Codes Annotated (VTCA) Local Government Code. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the presented data and the completeness and fairness of the presentation including all disclosures rests with the County. I believe the data as presented is accurate in all material aspects and presented in a manner designed to fairly set forth the financial position and results of operations of Walker County as measured by the financial activity of its various funds. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain the maximum understanding of the County's financial activity have been included.

Walker County's financial statements have been audited by Pattillo, Brown & Hill, LLP. The goal of the independent audit was to provide reasonable assurance that the financial statements of Walker County for the year ended September 30, 2022 are free of material misstatement. The independent audit involved examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements; assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management; and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. The independent auditor concluded, based on the audit, that there was a reasonable basis for rendering an unmodified opinion that Walker County's financial statements for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2022 are fairly presented in conformity with GAAP. The independent auditor's report is presented as the first component of the financial section of this report.

The independent audit of the financial statements of Walker County was part of a broader, federally and/or state mandated "Single Audit" designed to meet the special needs of federal and/or state grantor agencies. The standards governing Single Audits engagements require the independent auditor to report not only on the fair presentation of the financial statements, but also on the audited government's internal control and compliance with legal requirements, with special emphasis on internal controls and legal requirements involving the administration of federal and/or state awards. The Single Audit report is in conformity with the provisions of the Single Audit Act Amendments of 1996, the U.S. Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principals, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, which superseded OMB Circular A-133 and other related documents, the Texas Uniform Grant Management Standards, and the State of Texas Single Audit Circular. Information related to this single audit, including a Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and/or State Awards, the independent auditors' reports on internal controls and compliance with applicable laws and regulations, and a Schedule of Findings are included in this report. GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. Walker County's MD&A can be found immediately following the report of the independent auditors.

#### **Profile of the Government**

Walker County, created in 1846, covers approximately 810 square miles in the rolling hills of the East Texas Pineywoods and according to 2021 Census Bureau serves a population of approximately 77,977. Walker County is located approximately 60 miles north of metropolitan Houston and 165 miles south of metropolitan Dallas/Fort Worth. Interstate 45 runs through the County.

The financial reporting entity of Walker County includes all the funds of the County. The County provides a full range of services including police protection, legal and judicial services, and maintenance of roads and bridges. The transactions of all elected county, district and precinct officers are also included. Although these officials are responsible solely to the electorate, the officials receive funding for the operation of their departments from the Commissioners' Court, which has discretion over those expenditures.

The County operates under the Commissioners' Court form of elected government and is a political subdivision of the State of Texas. The County is empowered to levy a property tax on both real and personal property located within its boundaries. Policy and decision making authority are vested in the Commissioners' Court, which consists of the County Judge and four Commissioners. This Court is responsible for adopting the budget, appointing committees, and overseeing the general business of the County. The Commissioners, as well as the Judge, are elected to four-year terms with alternate elections every two years so that the court will contain senior members.

In addition to law enforcement, judicial, and infrastructure expenditures, Walker County funds other services. Additional services include fire protection and comprehensive 911 dispatch operations. Dispatch operations are provided by interlocal agreements between Walker County and the City of Huntsville. Volunteer fire departments within the County also receive financial support from the County. In addition, Emergency Medical Services are provided.

#### **Local Economic Condition and Outlook**

Walker County provides access to the highly popular Sam Houston National Forest where rich vegetation and numerous lakes allow visitors to participate in activities such as fishing, camping, and hiking. Also, Walker County visitors and residents alike enjoy the scenery provided by the world's tallest statue of an American hero; the 67-foot high replica of Sam Houston known as *A Tribute to Courage*. The Sam Houston Memorial Museum, the Texas Prison Museum, and a variety of cultural and sporting events offered by Sam Houston State University are available. The H.E.A.R.T.S Veteran's Museum of Texas is located adjacent to Interstate 45.

The county seat is Huntsville, Texas. Two other municipalities located within the County include the City of New Waverly and the City of Riverside. Walker County has abundant wildlife and contains approximately 54,000 acres of the Sam Houston National Forest within its boundaries. Lake Livingston, a popular attraction, borders the County's eastern boundary while Lake Conroe rests on the southern boundary. The rural setting, with access to the outdoors, recreational facilities, and urban amenities, provides Walker County citizens and tourists with much enjoyment year round.

Walker County's estimated population is 77,977. State and local government are significant sources of employment for this area while additional hiring focuses on agribusiness, forest production, and timber industries due to the vast number of natural resources available.

The unemployment rate in the County for 2022 was 5.1%, compared with the state unemployment rate of 4.0% and national unemployment rate of 3.5%. This county rate compares to 7.7%, for the prior year according to information provided by the Texas Workforce Commission. Walker County has traditionally had very stable employment, due primarily to an economy based on employment at Sam Houston State University and Texas Department of Criminal Justice. The State's prison system is headquartered in Walker County with seven major facilities housing an estimated 13,213 inmates. Sam Houston State University, also located in Walker County, reported an enrollment of approximately 21,480 students for the fall of 2022 as compared to 21,612 for 2021.

In FY 21/22, building permits were up from the prior year and the trend continues thru the current date. Sales tax revenues were up during the fiscal year covered by this report and continues in to the current year. There is a stable enrollment rate at Sam Houston State University. Fund Balance for the County is strong. Walker County received a total of \$14,173,281 in American Rescue Funds over the last two years. Half of this amount was received in FY 21 with the remainder in July of FY 2022 and will be spent for designated purposes defined under the <u>State and Local Coronavirus Fiscal Recovery Funds</u> legislation, part of the American Rescue Plan Act.

The H.E.A.R.T.S Veteran's Museum of Texas, a local 501(c)(3) organization, has built a museum collection over the last 15 years to commemorate and honor U.S. military veterans from all branches of service. In order to provide a facility to house the collection, the State Legislature authorized an allocation to Walker County through the General Land Office. The 12,500 sq. ft. facility is adjacent to the County Storm Shelter project located on a five acre site located at 445 SH 75 S, in Huntsville, Texas.

**Long-term financial planning.** Walker County issued \$20,000,000 in Certificates of Obligation in 2012 for construction of a new jail facility. This followed several years of planning and discussion. A tax rate increase was necessary to pay the debt. The County is currently starting work on a strategic plan and funds are approved in the fiscal year budget starting October 1, 2023 to transfer to a Capital Projects budget.

Monies are also included in the budget for continuing improvements to bridges and water way crossings. The County intends to continue with improving roads and bridges. The Commissioners in a joint effort over the past several years have been able to procure equipment necessary to seal-coat roads with high traffic and high maintenance needs. This has improved the accessibility of property and decreased labor-intensive maintenance in these areas. The budget allocations for the last several years included funds to supplement the road maintenance funds.

Walker County continues to support the rural water supply programs throughout the County, which have greatly enhanced services to rural county residents. These projects are funded through federal community development pass-through grants.

Emergency planning and public safety. Walker County continues its focus on enhanced service related to public safety and a high level of preparedness for emergencies. An emergency notification system (Code Red) is in place as well as an updated public safety radio system, enhancing interoperability for all public safety/emergency management. The Code Red system allows for telephone notification of citizens about situations that may affect public safety. The County Judge acts as the Director of the Office of Emergency Management (OEM). He is assisted by an Emergency Management Coordinator, a Deputy Coordinator, a volunteer Director of Communications and a Donations Manager. The Emergency Operations Center (EOC), a joint operations center with the Cities of Huntsville, New Waverly and Riverside has been upgraded in many areas. The communications area of the EOC is at its highest level of inter-operability. Walker County EOC has a radio tower and radio system for contact with not only local jurisdictions but also state agencies. Walker County has adopted the NIMS system for running the EOC during an emergency.

Walker County is very proactive in searching for sources of revenues from granting agencies and monies available thru the state and federal government. Walker County is also very involved in several interagency public safety task forces and budgeting for grant match needs is a high priority budget item as is funding the personnel needed to address public safety concerns. The Sheriff's Department is very involved in the Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force (OCDETF), which is expanded even nationwide, to reduce the flow of illicit drugs and drug proceeds of major trafficking organizations. They also participate in the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas Program (HIDTA), which operates in areas determined to be critical drug trafficking regions of the United States. Walker County works with Montgomery County on the Automobile Burglary and Theft Prevention Authority (AutoTheft) to combat vehicle theft and burglary through enforcement, prevention and education initiatives. Walker County applies for funds through the Homeland Security Grant Program to purchase necessary equipment to help law enforcement achieve a National Preparedness Goal of a secure and resilient nation. The Sheriff Department also works with the City of Huntsville in sharing funds awarded through the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) for necessary equipment and software for law enforcement. The Walker County Sheriff's Office has been able to remain above the State average on crime clearance.

Walker County operates a shelter that was funded from FEMA and ORCA monies in previous years. Walker County continues to maintain and update information to Walker County maps for use by emergency medical services, fire departments, and communications providers among others. As this project progresses, the citizens of Walker County are expected to see more efficient emergency services due to the standardized addressing system as well as have access to updated and more accurate maps.

Internal Controls. Internal controls are management tools designed to help management meet its responsibilities and achieve its objectives. Basic objectives include meeting requirements of the offices as set out in state statute with effectiveness and efficiency (achieving the purpose of the department and county and making good use of the resources entrusted to Walker County elected officials and department heads). While management is primarily responsible for internal controls, the governing body plays a role in assisting management in fulfilling its duties. Commissioners Court, the governing body of the County, has adopted policies and procedures to aid in this process. An internal audit function is funded in the budget and regular internal audits are conducted with the focus on internal controls put in place by management/elected officials of the various departments of the County. Reports are regularly presented to the elected officials and/department heads and Commissioners Court. Inherent limitations are associated with internal controls. Cost considerations often prevent management from installing the most desirable system including budget limitations not allowing for the desired segregation of duties; internal controls are potentially subject to management and employee override; and the risk of collusion exists. In County government another limitation is that most department heads are elected officials and state statute grants limited authority to the governing body to direct procedures and operations of an elected official.

Financial Polices and impact on current period financial statements. The County has the policy of funding all on-going costs with revenues generated in the current year. During the budget process each year fund balances are reviewed and generally one-time and capital costs are funded from available funds (fund balance). Contingency is also historically funded from available funds. The budgeted collections rate in the budget for current property taxes in past years has been budgeted in the 96% range. Collections have historically been in the 97% plus range. In the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2022, as in previous years, one-time costs were funded with funds available in fund balance. In the fiscal year that begins October 1, 2022, a tax rate of \$0.4490 was adopted, a rate that exceeds the no-new-revenue tax rate by one cent. This rate is 3.18 cents less than the 2021 adopted tax rate. The total budget for FY 22/23 that began October 1, 2022 is \$56,942,594 compared to the original budget of \$43,227,189 for the FY 21/22 year covered by this report, an increase of \$13,715,405. The increase in the FY 2023 budget is primarily due to funding capital projects of \$5,500,000 with a \$5,500,000 transfer from the General Fund to the General Capital Projects Fund (total budget effect of \$11,000,000), and implementing recommendations from two major studies completed in FY 22, a comprehensive salary study and an IT assessment study and continuing services at the same level.

#### **Awards and Acknowledgements**

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to Walker County for its annual comprehensive financial report for the fiscal year ended September 30, 2021. This was the twenty sixth consecutive year that the government has achieved this prestigious award. In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a government must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized annual comprehensive financial report. This report must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements.

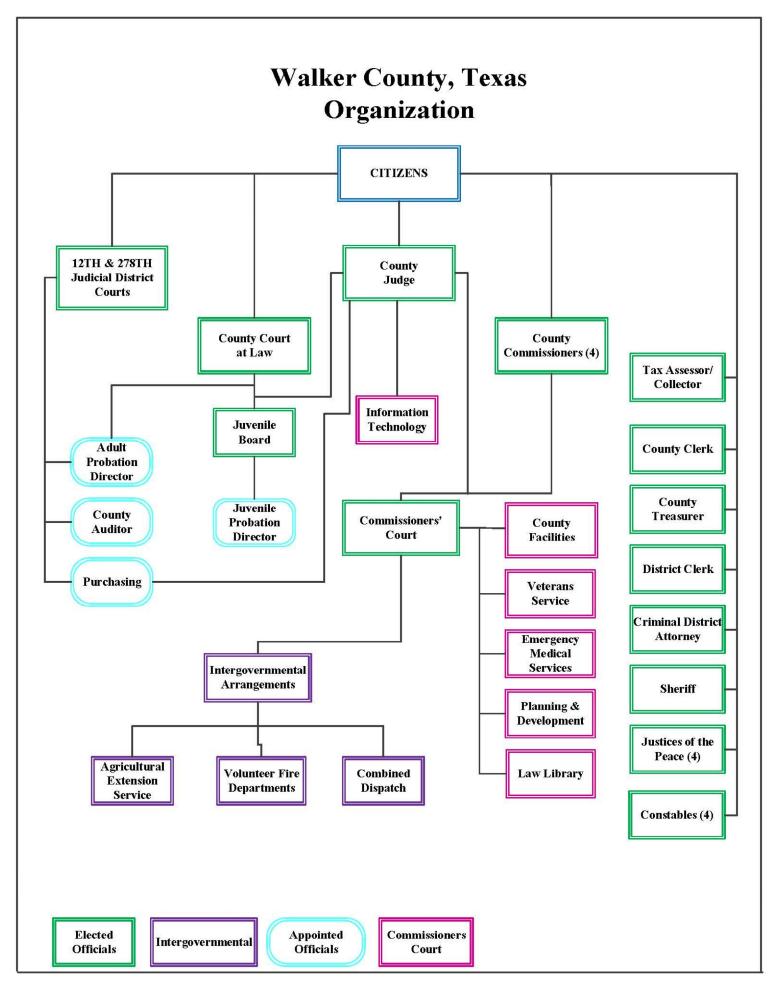
A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year only. We believe that our current annual comprehensive financial report continues to meet the Certificate of Achievement Program's requirements and we are submitting it to the GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

**Acknowledgements**. The preparation of this report could not have been accomplished without the efficient and dedicated services of the entire staff of the County Auditor's Office. I would like to express my appreciation to everyone in the office for their loyal and dedicated service. I would also like to commend the members of the Commissioners' Court for conducting the financial operations of Walker County in a responsible manner.

Respectfully submitted,

Patricia /11/m

Patricia Allen, CPA, CGFM County Auditor





### Walker County

#### Principal Officials

#### Commissioner's Court

Name Office Colt Christian County Judge

Danny KuykendallCommissioner, Precinct 1Ronnie WhiteCommissioner, Precinct 2Bill Daugette, Jr.Commissioner, Precinct 3Brandon DeckerCommissioner, Precinct 4

#### **Elected Officials**

Name Office

David MoormanJudge, 12th Judicial District CourtHal RidleyJudge, 278th Judicial District CourtTracy SorensenJudge, County Court at LawDiana McRaeTax Assessor/Collector

Diana McRae Tax Assessor/Coll
Amy Klawinsky County Treasurer
Leslie Woolley District Clerk
Kari French County Clerk
Clint McRae Sheriff

Will Durham
Criminal District Attorney
Steve Fisher
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 1
John Payne
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2
Randy Jeffcoat
Stephen Cole
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3
Justice of the Peace, Precinct 4

John HooksConstable, Precinct 1Shane LoosierConstable, Precinct 2Steve HillConstable, Precinct 3Gene BarteeConstable, Precinct 4

#### **Appointed Officials**

<u>Name</u> <u>Office</u>

Patricia Allen County Auditor
Kristin Hunter Director, Adult Probation
Jill Saumell Director, Juvenile Probation

Charlsa Dearwester Purchasing Agent



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**FINANCIAL SECTION** 





#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

Honorable County Judge and Commissioners' Court of Walker County Huntsville, Texas

#### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

#### **Opinions**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Walker County, Texas (the "County") as of and for the year ended September 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Walker County, Texas, as of September 30, 2022, 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.

#### **Basis for Opinions**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS) and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the County and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

#### Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the County's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement due date, including any currently know information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.



#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 County's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is
  expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the County's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### Required Supplementary Information

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

#### Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements. The combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules and the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards, as required by the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and the State of Texas *Uniform Grant Management Standards,* are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was 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 auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules and Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

#### Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in the annual comprehensive financial report (ACFR). The other information comprises the introductory section and statistical section, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or any form of assurance thereon. In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

#### Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

Patillo, Brown & Hill, L.L.P.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated March 13, 2023, on our consideration of the County'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 solely 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 effectiveness of 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 County's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Waco, Texas March 13, 2023



#### **Management's Discussion and Analysis**

The following discussion and analysis of Walker County, Texas' financial performance provides an overview of Walker County, Texas' financial activities for the year ended September 30, 2022. Please read this discussion and analysis in conjunction with the transmittal letter at the front of this report and Walker County, Texas' financial statements, which follow this section. Walker County, Texas has prepared this financial report in compliance with the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 34 and GASB 54 and amendments thereafter.

#### FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- On a government-wide basis, the assets and deferred outflows of Walker County, Texas exceeded its liabilities and deferred inflows at the close of its most recent fiscal year by \$5,314,682 (net position). The unrestricted net position is a negative \$5,129,150. Governments are required to reduce their net position by the unfunded liability for future payments to the employee's retirement system, even though, annual funding requirements are being met. Governments are also required to reduce their net position by the unfunded liability for postemployment benefits other than pensions (OPEB). Unrestricted net position is the amount that may be used to meet the ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors. The County's net investment in capital assets equaled \$7,378,421 and restricted net position for debt or grants or by legislation, totaled \$3,065,411.
- On a government-wide basis for governmental activities, Walker County, Texas had expenses net of program revenue of \$22,380,995. General revenues of \$29,975,665 were \$7,594,670 greater than expenses net of program revenue. The change in unrestricted is primarily due to a significant decrease in the pension and OPEB liabilities as well as recognition of American Rescue Plan Act grant funding.
- The General Fund, on a current financial resource basis (fund level), reported a positive net change in fund balance of \$4,268,490 as compared to a budgeted reduction of \$11,991,414, approximately ½ of the amount the result of not spending multiyear budgeted project funds, expenditures less than budget primarily in the Salaries/Other Pay/Benefits area, and revenues over budget primarily in sales tax and vehicle registration fees.
- As of September 30, 2022, unassigned fund balance in the General Fund was \$9,540,428. The
  total unassigned Fund Balance for the prior year was \$12,556,250.
- Unassigned Fund balance as a percentage of expenditures for the General Fund is 36%, an amount
  that exceeds the minimum requirement goal (16.67%) set by Commissioners' Court. The adopted
  budget for FY 2023 included use of fund balance for one-time expenditures. The amount included in
  the FY 2023 budget is classified as Fund Balance Assigned for Subsequent Budget in this financial
  report and is not included in the Unassigned Fund Balance number mentioned above. See Note C
  and Note H for a discussion of the Fund Balance classifications.

#### **OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

This discussion and analysis narrative is intended to serve as an introduction to Walker County, Texas' basic financial statements. Walker County, Texas' Annual Comprehensive Financial Report consists of five sections: introductory, financial, supplementary, statistical, and compliance. The financial section of this report has five components - independent auditors' report, management's discussion and analysis (this narrative), the basic financial statements, required supplementary information, and combining statements and budget comparisons as supplementary information.

#### **Basic Financial Statements**

The basic financial statements include: 1) government-wide financial statements, 2) fund financial statements, and 3) notes to the financial statements.

The primary focus of these financial statements is on both Walker County, Texas as a whole (government-wide financial statements) and individual parts of Walker County, Texas (fund financial statements). The government-wide financial statements provide both long-term and short-term information about Walker County, Texas' overall financial status. The fund financial statements, on the other hand, focus on individual parts of Walker County, Texas and provide more detail of Walker County, Texas' operations than the government-wide financial statements.

**Government-wide Financial Statements** — The government-wide financial statements report information about Walker County, Texas as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The statement of net position and the statement of activities, which are the government-wide statements, report information about Walker County, Texas as a whole and about its activities in a way that helps answer whether Walker County, Texas is in a better or worse financial position as a result of the current year's activity. The statement of net position presents information on all of the assets and liabilities of Walker County, Texas with the difference between the two reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial condition of Walker County, Texas is improving or deteriorating. Other non-financial factors, such as Walker County, Texas' property tax base and the condition of Walker County, Texas' infrastructure, need to be considered to assess the overall health of Walker County, Texas. These statements include all assets and liabilities on the accrual basis of accounting.

The statement of activities presents information showing how Walker County, Texas' net position changed during the most recent fiscal year. All changes in net position are reported as soon as the underlying event giving rise to the change occurs, regardless of the timing of related cash flows (cash is received or paid). Thus, revenues and expenses are reported in this statement for some items that will only result in cash flows in future fiscal periods (e.g. uncollected taxes and earned but unused vacation leave.) Again, this reflects the accrual method of accounting, rather than the modified accrual basis that is used in the fund level financial statements.

Government-wide financial statements of a government distinguish functions that are principally supported by taxes and intergovernmental revenues (governmental activities) from other functions that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges (business activities). Walker County, Texas has no business type activities. Services provided by Walker County, Texas reported as governmental activities include general government, financial, judicial, public safety, correction and rehabilitation, health and welfare, culture and education, public transportation, and interest and fiscal charges. Walker County, Texas' financial statements include only the primary government and do not include other governments or component units such as a county hospital or school district.

**Fund Financial Statements** — A fund is a grouping of related accounts that is used to maintain control over resources that have been segregated for specific activities or objectives. Walker County, Texas, like other state and local governments, uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. Traditional users of government financial statements will find the fund financial statement presentation more familiar. The fund financial statements provide more detailed information about Walker County, Texas' most significant funds, rather than Walker County, Texas as a whole. Funds of Walker County, Texas are divided into two categories: governmental funds and fiduciary funds.

Governmental Funds — Governmental funds are used to account for essentially the same functions as governmental activities in the government-wide financial statement. However, unlike the government-wide financial statements, governmental funds financial statements focus on near-term inflows and outflows of spendable resources, as well as on balances of spendable resources available at the end of the fiscal year. Such information may be useful in evaluating a government's near term financing requirements. Walker County, Texas' basic services are included in the governmental funds. The governmental funds financial statements provide a detailed short-term view that helps readers of the financial statements determine the availability of financial resources to fund Walker County, Texas' major programs. Because the focus of governmental funds is narrower than that of the government-wide financial statements, it is useful to compare the information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental funds with similar information presented for governmental statements. By doing so, readers may better understand the long-term impact of the government's near-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances provide a reconciliation to facilitate this comparison between governmental funds and governmental activities.

Walker County, Texas' report includes thirty-eight individual governmental funds. Information is presented separately in the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund statement of revenues, expenditures, and changes in fund balances for the General Fund, Debt Service Fund, Grants and Contracts Fund, Road and Bridge Fund, and the EMS Fund, which are considered to be major funds. Data from the thirty-three other funds are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for each of these nonmajor governmental funds is provided in the form of combining statements beginning on page 104.

Walker County, Texas adopts an annual appropriated budget for all of its governmental funds. Budgetary comparison statements have been provided for the general fund and other funds to demonstrate compliance with this budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements can be found beginning on page 42.

*Proprietary Funds* — There are two types of proprietary funds, enterprise funds and internal service funds. Enterprise funds are used to report the same functions presented as business-type activities in the government-wide financial statements. Walker County, Texas does not currently have any enterprise funds.

Internal service funds are used by some state and local governments to accumulate and allocate costs internally among the unit's various functions. They may be used for such things as a central garage or for its management of information systems. Walker County, Texas has one internal service fund, the retiree health insurance fund. The financial statements for this fund can be found beginning on page 49.

Fiduciary Funds — Fiduciary funds are used to account for resources held for the benefit of parties outside the government. Fiduciary funds are not reflected in the government-wide financial statements because the resources of these funds are not available to support Walker County, Texas' programs. The accounting used for fiduciary funds is much like that used for proprietary funds. Walker County, Texas is the trustee, or fiduciary, for assets which are held by Walker County, Texas as an agent, pending distribution to authorized recipients. Walker County, Texas currently maintains custodial funds only. As an example, the County Clerk and District Clerk each function in a fiduciary capacity.

**Notes to the Financial Statements** — The notes provide additional information that is essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements can be found on pages 55 to 75 of this report.

**Required Supplementary Information** — In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying notes, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning Walker County, Texas. Walker County, Texas adopts an annual budget for its General Fund and special revenue funds including its Road and Bridge Fund. Required supplementary information begins on page 78 of this report. Budgetary comparison schedules have been prepared to demonstrate compliance with the budget for the General Fund, Road and Bridge Fund, EMS Fund and the Grants and Contracts Fund. The County also presents a schedule of funding progress for its pension plan and its OPEB plan as required. Information for the Non-Major Governmental Funds begins on page 104.

#### **GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS**

Below is condensed financial information for the fiscal year 2022 with comparative data for 2021. The following schedule focuses on the net position of Walker County, Texas as a whole and gives data as of September 30<sup>th</sup> (Walker County, Texas' fiscal year end date) of each year.

#### **WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS' NET POSITION**

	Governmental Activities						
	2022	2021	Increase (Decrease)				
	Amount %	6 Amount %	Amount %				
Current and Other Assets		71% \$ 39,000,153 66%	\$ 8,504,608 22%				
Capital Assets, Net of Depreciation	18,909,438	29% 19,452,802 34%	<u>( 543,364</u> ) -3%				
Total Assets	66,414,199 10	00% 58,452,955 100%	7,961,244				
Deferred Outflows of Resources	8,005,329	9,377,680	( 1,372,351)				
Current Liabilities	10,509,337	22% 8,600,827 13%	1,908,510 22%				
Noncurrent Liabilities	37,587,931	78% <u>57,610,018</u> 87%	<u>( 20,022,087</u> ) -35%				
Total Liabilities	48,097,268	00% 66,210,845 100%	( 18,113,577)				
Deferred Inflows of Resources	21,007,578	<u>3,899,778</u>	17,107,800				
Net Position: Net Investment							
In Capital Assets	7,378,421	6,724,724	653,697				
Restricted	3,065,411	2,957,742	107,669				
Unrestricted	<u>( 5,129,150</u> )	( 11,962,454)	6,833,304				
Total Net Position	\$ <u>5,314,682</u>	\$ <u>(</u> 2,279,988)	\$ <u>7,594,670</u> 333%				

As mentioned earlier, net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of a government's financial position. Assets and deferred outflows exceeded Liabilities and deferred inflows by \$5,314,682 at September 30, 2022 as compared to a deficit net position of \$2,279,988 at September 30, 2021. Investment in capital assets (land, buildings, machinery and equipment) less any related debt used to acquire those assets that is still outstanding totals \$7,378,421. Walker County, Texas uses these capital assets to provide services to citizens; consequently, these assets are not available for future spending. Although investments in capital assets is reported net of debt, it should be noted that the resources to repay this debt must be provided from other sources, since the capital assets themselves cannot be used to liquidate these liabilities.

An additional portion of the assets at fiscal year-end represent resources that are subject to restrictions on how they may be used. \$284,407 is restricted for Debt Service and \$2,781,004 is restricted for grants and purposes defined by legislation. Net position not restricted or invested is capital assets may be used to meet the government's ongoing obligations to citizens and creditors. The unrestricted net position at fiscal year-end is a negative \$5,129,150. The deficit is due to the implementation of GASB 68, GASB 71, and GASB 75, which forces a major change in the method for accounting for unfunded liabilities for future payments to the employee's retirement system and for postemployment benefits other than pensions, even if, annual funding requirements are being met. For Walker County, Texas, the cumulative effect of this reduction since GASB 68, GASB 71 and GASB 75 were implemented has amounted to \$37,699,237. Currently the employee's retirement system is funded at 92%. Additional information on the liability for the retirement system is found in Note III. I to the financial statements, beginning on page 67 of this report and additional information for OPEB is found in Note III. J to the financial statements, beginning on page 71 of this report.

**Government-wide Activities** — There was a difference in revenues over expenses of \$7,594,670 reported on the Statement of Activities on a government-wide view. Included in the expenses are \$122,866 for OPEB expense and \$549,853 for pension expense. In addition, the addition of capital assets and reduction of debt exceeded depreciation by \$647,595. Key elements of the overall increase in net position are as follows:

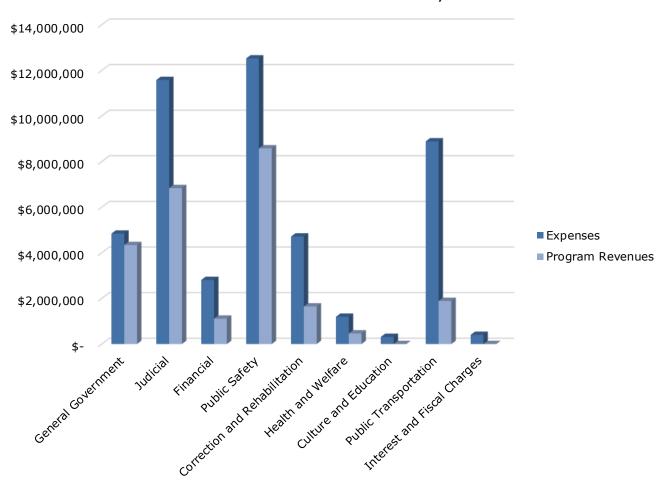
- Operating grants and contributions increased approximately \$4.9 million primarily due to recognizing new grant revenue from the American Rescue Plan.
- Property and sales taxes increased due to steady population growth leading to new taxable property and increased economic activity.
- Expenses increased less than revenues compared to the prior year; the primary cause of
  increased expenses was due to decrease in pension expense compared to the prior year due
  to market changes reducing the net pension liability. This decrease in pension expense
  partially offset budgeted expense increases due to inflation, salary increases, and additional
  public transportation projects.

#### WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS' CHANGE IN NET POSITION

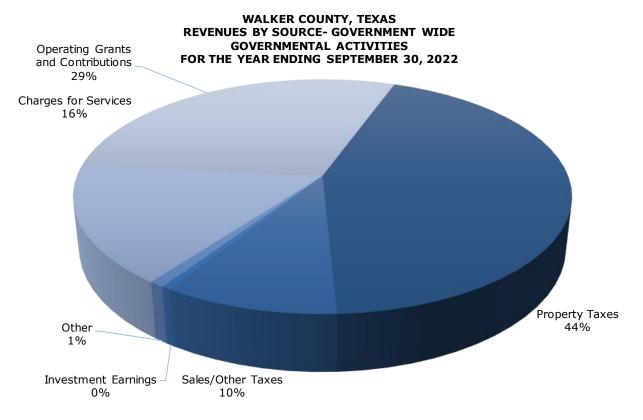
	Governmental Activities									
	2022				2021			Increase (Decrease)		
		Amount	%		Amount	%		Amount	%	
Revenues:		<u> </u>								
Program Revenues:										
Charges for Services	\$	8,862,304	16%	\$	8,941,685	19%	\$(	79,381)	-1%	
Operating Grants and Contributions		16,003,817	29%		11,087,611	23%		4,916,206	44%	
General Revenues:			0%			0				
Property Taxes		23,946,450	43%		22,253,777	47%		1,692,673	8%	
Other Taxes		5,263,727	10%		4,707,253	10%		556,474	12%	
Investment Earnings		303,796	1%		23,332	0%		280,464	1202%	
Other	_	461,692	1%	_	552,397	1%	(	90,705)	-16%	
Total Revenues	_	54,841,786	100%	_	47,566,055	100%		7,275,731		
Expenses:										
General Government		4,840,370	10%		4,713,783	10%		126,587	3%	
Judicial		11,575,838	24%		11,448,657	25%		127,181	1%	
Financial Administration		2,809,201	6%		2,709,368	6%		99,833	4%	
Public Safety		12,519,918	26%		12,236,689	28%		283,229	2%	
Correction and Rehabilitation		4,711,929	10%		4,737,083	11%	(	25,154)	-1%	
Health and Welfare		1,193,022	3%		1,161,542	3%		31,480	3%	
Culture and Education		310,671	1%		258,917	1%		51,754	20%	
Public Transportation		8,884,378	19%		6,746,741	15%		2,137,637	32%	
Interest and Fiscal Charges	_	401,789	1%	_	426,925	1%	(	25,13 <u>6</u> )	-6%	
Total Expenses	_	47,247,116	100%	_	44,439,705	100%		2,807,411		
Change in Net Position	_	7,594,670		_	3,126,350			4,468,320		
Net Position, Beginning	(	2,279,988)		(	5,523,246)			3,243,258		
Prior Period Adjustment				_	116,908		(	116,908)		
Net Position, Ending	\$_	5,314,682		\$ <u>(</u>	2,279,988)		\$	7,594,670		

The following graphic presentation depicts expenses and program revenues for fiscal year 2022 for governmental activities (government-wide).

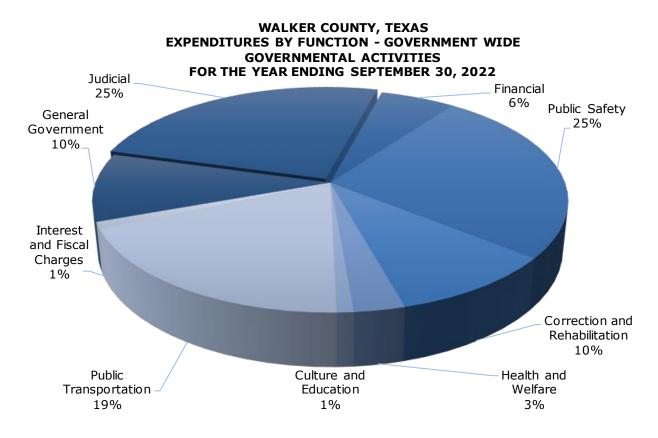
# WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS EXPENSES AND PROGRAM REVENUES GOVERNMENT-WIDE GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2022



The following graphic presents revenues by source for fiscal year 2022 for governmental activities (government-wide).



The following graphic presentation presents expenditures by function for fiscal year 2022 for governmental activities (government-wide).



#### FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE COUNTY'S FUNDS

As noted earlier, Walker County, Texas uses fund accounting to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related legal requirements. Walker County, Texas maintains several governmental funds.

<u>Governmental Funds</u> - The focus of Walker County, Texas' governmental funds is to provide information of near-term inflows, outflows, and balances of spendable resources. Such information is useful in assessing Walker County, Texas' financing requirements. In particular, unassigned fund balance may serve as a useful measure of Walker County, Texas' net resources available for spending at the end of the fiscal year.

Walker County, Texas' governmental funds reflect a combined ending fund balance of \$32,428,451 compared to \$26,244,315 in the prior year, an increase of \$6,184,136. The amount includes increases in the Road and Bridge Fund of \$686,291 due primarily to decreases in certain maintenance outlays compared to the prior year. Increases in the General Fund and EMS Fund in the amounts of \$4,268,490 and \$1,118,111 respectively, are primarily attributed to the recognition of ARP funds. Increases in other governmental funds of \$111,915 are due to less than budgeted expenditures. The Debt Service Fund decreased its fund balance by \$671. Fund balance in the Grants and Contracts fund remained the same.

As required by GASB Statement 54, fund balances are classified as restricted, committed, assigned or unassigned. Unassigned fund balance as of September 30, 2022 is \$9,540,428 compared to \$12,556,250, a decrease of \$3,015,822 from the prior year. This amount is available for day-to-day operations of Walker County, Texas. Included in this increase is American Rescue Funds (Federal monies) of approximately \$6.7 million booked as revenue in FY 2022. These funds were used to fund operating costs (a portion of Public Safety salaries).

One measure of liquidity is to compare fund balance to total fund expenditures. The unassigned fund balance in the General Fund is approximately 36% of General Fund expenditures. Revenues in all categories except for interest income exceeded budget. In total, the General Fund revenues exceeded the revised budget by \$1,273,427. Monies included in the General Fund for projects that were not spent during the fiscal year total \$5,961,345. These project monies are carried forward to the next budget year (FY 2023) for these projects. Vacancies and unfilled positions also resulted in expenditures less than budgeted. A presentation follows at the end of this section showing a comparison by category.

There was not a significant net change in Fund Balance in the Debt Service Fund. The decrease was \$671. Its fund balance is expected to remain relatively static in maintenance of required reserves as the County's lone debt issuance is repaid.

Walker County, Texas continues to apply for and receive various grants. At year end accruals and deferred revenues are booked as appropriate. Fund balance for grant funds remained the same.

The fund balance of the Road and Bridge Fund, a fund used to account for the costs of providing road maintenance to Walker County, Texas is \$4,061,871, an increase from \$3,375,580 at the prior fiscal year end, due primarily to decreased maintenance costs compared to significant one-time expenditures in the prior year. Unspent funds continue to be committed for road maintenance in future years.

The Walker County EMS fund has a fund balance of \$2,692,519 at year end, an increase from \$1,574,408 at the end of the prior fiscal year primarily due to an increase in emergency calls, an increase in collections, and American Rescue Plan funds (Federal monies) being used to fund salary costs.

Information follows that shows the comparisons by category for the General Fund.

<u>Internal Service Fund</u> - The focus of Walker County, Texas' internal service fund is to accumulate and allocate costs for retiree health insurance. The net position of the Retiree Health Insurance fund is \$2,016,990 at year end which is an increase of \$15,439 from the prior fiscal year end.

#### **GENERAL FUND BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS**

As required by GASB 54, funds previously budgeted in Other Governmental Funds and the Projects Fund are now reported in the General Fund. The Projects budget items are adopted by Commissioners' Court as a multi-year budget and the project budget items do not lapse at fiscal year-end. The remaining funds from projects approved in prior years that have not completed are reflected as amendments to the original budget for FY 2022 (current year). The portion of fund balance that was committed for projects is \$6,288,071 at the end of the fiscal year ended September 30, 2022. Project expenditures for the fiscal year were \$907,864, primarily for facilities major repairs and software improvements.

Actual General Fund revenues exceeded the amended budgeted General Fund revenues, and departmental expenditures were less than the amended budget during the year ended September 30, 2022. The chart below highlights the changes by category. A summary by category by department of the expenditure budgets for the General Fund is presented beginning of page 80. The Salaries/Other Pay/Benefits shows, the largest category in the General Fund budget shows a significant difference in the budget and the actual. This was primarily caused by contingency budgeting of the use of grant proceeds under the American Rescue Plan that were not ultimately spent. Projects funds are available that were not spent in the current year and will be available for expenditure in future years. Sales tax and other taxes showed collections well in excess of the budget, but the collection rate for ad valorem taxes was less than budgeted. The intergovernmental revenues greatly exceeded the budget; most of the \$1.9 million surplus was due to recognition of additional American Rescue Plan Act funds.

#### WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS' ANALYSIS OF FINAL BUDGET TO ACTUAL - GENERAL FUND

	General Fund								
	Final Budget			Actual				Variance	
		Amount	%		Amount	%		Amount	
Revenues:									
Ad Valorem Taxes	\$	19,007,878	61%	\$	18,727,833	58%	\$(	280,045)	
Property Tax Penalty and Interest		320,000	1%		263,851	1%	(	56,149)	
Other Taxes		4,268,600	14%		5,263,727	16%		995,127	
Licenses and Permits		400,000	1%		463,125	1%		63,125	
Intergovernmental Revenues		5,082,540	16%		5,056,977	15%	(	25,563)	
Charges for Services		1,936,072	6%		2,294,368	7%		358,296	
Fines and Forfeitures		57,655	0%		95,620	0%		37,965	
Interest Income		51,600	0%		225,970	1%		174,370	
Other Income	_	298,892	1%	_	305,193	1%		6,301	
Total Revenues	_	31,423,237	100%	_	32,696,664	100%	_	1,273,427	
Expenditures:									
Salaries/Other Pay/Benefits		23,086,960	55%		17,223,876	65%		5,863,084	
Operations		5,266,908	13%		4,748,872	18%		518,036	
Intergovernmental/Contracts		1,847,306	4%		1,789,137	7%		58,169	
Projects		6,869,209	17%		907,864	3%		5,961,345	
Debt Service		228,189	1%		228,189	1%		-	
Capital		4,037,914	10%	_	1,452,071	6%		2,585,843	
Total Expenditures	_	41,336,486	100%	_	26,350,009	100%		14,986,477	
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue									
Over (Under) Expenditures	(	9,913,249)		_	6,346,655		_	16,259,904	
Other Financing Sources (Uses):									
Transfers In		150,000			150,000				
Transfers Out	,	2,228,165)		1	2,228,165)			_	
	7			7			_		
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(	2,078,165)		(	2,078,165)				
Net Change in Fund Balances	\$ <u>(</u>	11,991,414)		\$	4,268,490		\$	16,259,904	

The Original Budget included a planned reduction of fund balance for one-time capital expenditures, budgeted projects, contingency line items and a transfer to the Road and Bridge Fund for special projects. The major reason the reduction did not materialize is that the budgeted Project monies were not spent and the booking of the American Rescue Plan funds, as is indicated in the chart above. It is the policy of the County to maintain the fund balance at 16.67% to 25% (2 to 3 months) of the operating budget. County policy is that the fund balance not be drawn down to fund on-going operating costs. The actual difference between revenues and expenditures was an increase to fund balance in the amount of \$4,268,490.

The difference between the original General Fund expenditure budget and the final amended General Fund budget is \$7,705,418; the original and final amended budgeted transfers decreased by \$672,397. The additional expenditure increase was primarily for contingency budgeting of grant expenditures under the American Rescue Plan. A budgetary comparison for the General Fund can be found in the required supplementary information section beginning on page 78.

Increases to the revenue budget total \$4,783,869. The budgeted revenue increase includes increases in the Intergovernmental revenues budget of \$4,427,146, again primarily related to the American Rescue Plan.

#### CAPITAL ASSETS AND DEBT ADMINISTRATION

**Capital Assets** — Walker County, Texas' investment in capital assets on a government-wide basis as of September 30, 2022 is \$18,909,438 (net of accumulated depreciation). Included in this total is \$680,552 in land. Investment in capital assets includes land, buildings, improvements, machinery and equipment, and bridges. As required by GASB Statement 34, depreciation is included for all depreciable assets on the government-wide statements.

## WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS' CAPITAL ASSETS (net of depreciation)

	Governmental Activities								
	2022			2021				ease)	
	Amount		%	Amount		%	Amount		%
Land	\$	680,552	4%	\$	680,552	3%	\$	-	0%
Construction in Progress		144,890	1%		-	0%		144,890	100%
Buildings		13,508,195	71%		15,028,676	77%	(	1,520,481)	-10%
Vehicles		1,707,066	9%		1,519,042	8%		188,024	12%
Furniture, Fixtures, and Office Equipment		147,810	1%		57,688	0%		90,122	156%
Machinery and Equipment		2,720,925	14%	_	2,166,844	12%		554,081	26%
Totals	\$	18,909,438	100%	\$_	19,452,802	100%	\$ <u>(</u>	<u>543,364</u> )	

Significant capital asset transactions for the year included the purchases of a dump truck for public transportation for approximately \$146,000, vehicle purchases of \$113,000, and the purchase of a new refrigerant unit for \$133,000.

Additional information on the County's capital assets can be found in Note III. E to the financial statements.

**Long-term Debt** — In June of 2012, a certificate of obligation in the amount of \$20,000,000 was issued for the construction of a county jail. At the time of that debt issue, Walker County, Texas was debt free. The debt issued for the jail construction is to be paid off over a 20 year period. County policy requires that the term of payment must in all cases be less than the expected life of the asset. Debt outstanding as of September 30, 2022 is \$11,470,000.

All debt is backed by the full faith and credit of the government, meaning that Walker County, Texas has pledged to levy a property tax sufficient to pay the debt. An interest and sinking tax is levied each year to pay the debt.

#### WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS' OUTSTANDING LONG-TERM DEBT

	Governmental Activities									
	2022		2021		Increase (Decrease)					
	Amount	%	Amount	%	Amount	%				
Certificates of Obligation:										
Capital Projects	\$ <u>11,470,000</u>	100%	\$ <u>12,435,000</u>	100%	\$ <u>(</u> 965,000)	-8%				
Totals	\$ <u>11,470,000</u>	100%	\$ 12,435,000	100%	\$ <u>( 965,000</u> )					

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2022, payments on certificates of obligation debt totaled \$965,000.

Additional information on debt can be found in Note III. F to the financial statements. In addition to debt for certificates of obligation, Walker County, Texas has recorded debt for compensated absences of \$1,359,926.

#### ECONOMIC FACTORS, BUDGET AND RATE INFORMATION FOR FY BEGINNING OCTOBER 1, 2022

- The unemployment rate in the County for 2022 was 5.1%, as compared to the state unemployment rate of 4.0% and national unemployment rate of 3.5%, This rate compares to 7.7% for the prior year according to information provided by the Texas Workforce Commission. Walker County has traditionally had very stable employment, due primarily to an economy based on employment at Sam Houston State University and Texas Department of Criminal Justice. The State's prison system is headquartered in Walker County with seven major facilities housing an estimated 13,213 inmates.
- The new improvement/construction value added to the tax roll for FY 2023 (tax year 2022) totaled \$214,586,026 as compared to \$165,857,116 for the prior year.
- Commissioners' Court approved a \$56,942,594 expenditure budget for FY 2023, an increase from the \$43,227,189 budget for the 2022 fiscal year. The increase is primarily due to funding capital projects of \$5,500,000 with a transfer from the General Fund to the General Projects Fund, implementing recommendations from two major studies completed in FY 2022, a comprehensive salary study and an IT assessment study and continuing services at the same level.
- The tax rate adopted for the FY 2023 budget is \$0.4490 per \$100 of valuation, down from the \$0.4799 for FY 2022. The rate adopted was the no-new revenue tax rate of \$0.4390 plus \$0.01 and was lower than the prior year as a result of growth in the tax base.
- Walker County revenues for FY 2023 at the date of this report generally continue to be in line with expectations. Total sales tax receipts in FY 2023 are up approximately 5.5% from FY 2022. Charges for service revenues as a total are in line with the budget. Ad valorem tax collections are at the approximate same percentage of levy through February. Walker County continues to closely monitor its revenues and expenditures.

#### **REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of Walker County's finances for all of those with an interest in the County's finances. Questions concerning this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to Walker County Auditor, 1301 Sam Houston Avenue, Room 206, Huntsville, TX 77340 or P.O. Box 1260, Huntsville, TX 77342-1260.



# BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS



## STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

## SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

ACCETO	Governmental Activities
ASSETS  Cash and Cash Equivalents Taxes Receivable, Net Accounts Receivable, Net Fines Receivable Prepaid Items Due from Other Governments Due from Others Investment in Joint Venture Capital Assets: Nondepreciable	\$ 39,138,124 977,757 3,428,668 695,986 419,017 2,245,417 91,137 508,655
Depreciable, Net of Accumulated Depreciation	18,083,996
Total Capital Assets	18,909,438
Total Assets	66,414,199
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES  Deferred Outflows of Resources from Pensions Deferred Outflows of Resources from OPEB  Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	6,062,334 1,942,995 8,005,329
LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable Accrued Interest Due to Other Governments Due to Others Accrued Liabilities Unearned Revenue Noncurrent Liabilities: Due Within One Year: Long Term Debt Total OPEB Liability Due in More Than One Year: Long Term Debt Net Pension Liability Total OPEB Liability Total OPEB Liability Total OPEB Liability Total OPEB Fiability Total OPEB Liability Total OPEB Fiability	3,519,348 62,748 139,400 367,048 1,745,896 4,674,897 1,329,982 355,412 11,560,962 10,091,748 14,249,828 48,097,268
Deferred Inflows of Resources From OPEB  Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	8,032,022 21,007,578
NET POSITION  Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted For: Debt Service Grants or by Legislation	7,378,421 284,407 2,781,004
Unrestricted	( 5,129,150)
Total Net Position	\$ <u>5,314,682</u>



## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

				Program	ı Rev	venues	F	et (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position
Functions/Programs		Expenses		Charges for Services		Operating Grants and Contributions	G	overnmental Activities
Primary Government: Governmental Activities: General Government	\$	4,840,370	\$	1,008,478	\$	3,331,065	\$(	500,827)
Financial Judicial		2,809,201 11,575,838		1,111,421 680,158		- 6,156,956	(	1,697,780) 4,738,724)
Public Safety Correction and Rehabilitation		12,519,918 4,711,929		3,754,778 297,050		4,824,680 1,350,094	(	3,940,460) 3,064,785)
Health and Welfare Culture and Recreation		1,193,022 310,671		463,303		- - 241.022	(	729,719) 310,671)
Public Transportation Interest and Fiscal Charges Total Governmental Activities	<u></u>	8,884,378 401,789 47,247,116	\$	1,547,116 - 8,862,304	_ \$	341,022 - 16,003,817	<u>(</u>	6,996,240) 401,789) 22,380,995)
Total Governmental Activities	T	ral Revenues:	Ψ	<u> </u>	Ψ_	10/000/017		
	Pro	perty Taxes es Taxes						23,946,450 5,027,193
	Inv	ed Beverage ar estment Earnin		ner Taxes				236,534 303,796
	Mis	cellaneous Total Genera	al Rev	enues			_	461,692 29,975,665
		Change in	Net F	Position				7,594,670
		osition, Beginni osition, Ending	ng				<u>(                                    </u>	2,279,988) 5,314,682
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## BALANCE SHEET

## **GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

# SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

	General Fund		Debt Service Fund		Road and Bridge Fund
ASSETS  Cash and Cash Equivalents Taxes Receivable, Net Accounts Receivable, Net Prepaid Items Due from Other Governments Due from Other Funds Due from Others Total Assets	\$  27,218,833 915,269 118,239 293,486 911,550 1,489,012 62,380 31,008,769	\$ -	284,667 62,488 - - - - - - - 347,155	\$	4,379,315 - 17,596 16,545 - - - - 4,413,456
Accounts Payable Due to Other Governments Due to Other Funds Due to Others Accrued Liabilities Unearned Revenues Total Liabilities	 1,141,320 134,563 - 358,543 1,311,685 4,656,855 7,602,966	-	- - - - - -	_	227,212 - - 8,505 115,868 - - 351,585
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable Revenue - Property Taxes Unavailable Revenue - EMS Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	 805,386 - 805,386	_	54,515 54,515	_	- - -
FUND BALANCES  Nonspendable - Prepaid Items Restricted For: Debt Service Grants Or By Legislations Committed For: Projects Public Transportation Public Safety Assigned for Subsequent Year's Budget Unassigned	293,486 - - - 6,288,071 - - - 6,478,432 9,540,428	_	- 292,640 - - - - - -	_	16,545 - - - 4,045,326 - -
Total Fund Balances  Total Liabilities, Deferred Inflows of Resources, and Fund Balances	\$ 22,600,417	\$_	292,640 347,155	<b>-</b> \$_	4,061,871 4,413,456

_\	Walker County EMS Fund	Grants and Contracts Fund		Other Governmental		Total overnmental Funds
\$	2,402,839	\$ 26,749	\$	2,808,731	\$	37,121,134 977,757
	905,306 108,986	2,372,387		15,140 -		3,428,668 419,017
	-	1,307,714		26,153		2,245,417 1,489,012
	28,369	388		-		91,137
_	3,445,500	 3,707,238	_	2,850,024		45,772,142
	72,751	2,048,557		29,508		3,519,348
	-	1,475,138		4,837 13,874		139,400 1,489,012 367,048
	132,041	168,471 15,072		17,831 2,970		1,745,896 4,674,897
_	204,792	3,707,238	_	69,020		11,935,601
	-	-		-		859,901
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	108,986	-		-		419,017
	_	_		-		292,640
	-	-		2,781,004		2,781,004
	-	-		-		6,288,071
	-	-		-		4,045,326
	2,583,533	-		-		2,583,533
	-	-		-		6,478,432
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\$_	3,445,500	\$ 3,707,238	\$_	2,850,024	\$	45,772,142



# RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS BALANCE SHEET TO THE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

#### SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

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Net position of governmental activities - statement of net position \$ 5,314,68	Net position of governmental activities - statement of net position	\$	5,314,682

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

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

#### **GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

DEVENUES		General Fund		Debt Service Fund		Road and ridge Fund
REVENUES	+	10 727 022	<b>+</b>	1 254 670	<b>+</b>	2 71 5 757
Property Taxes Property Tax Penalty and Interest	\$	18,727,833	\$	1,354,679	\$	3,715,757
Sales Tax		263,851 5,027,103		17,651		-
In Lieu of Tax		5,027,193 106,225		-		-
Mixed Beverage		130,309		-		-
Licenses and Permits		463,125		_		_
Intergovernmental		5,056,977		_		341,022
Charges for Services		2,294,368		_		901,900
Fines and Forfeitures		95,620		_		558,716
Interest Income		225,970		3,817		31,203
Other Income		305,193		-		19,343
Total Revenues		32,696,664		1,376,147		5,567,941
EXPENDITURES						
Current:						
General Government		3,979,278		_		_
Financial		2,828,873		_		_
Judicial		5,501,364		_		_
Public Safety		8,634,164		-		-
Correction and Rehabilitation		3,775,403		-		-
Health and Welfare		1,090,974		-		-
Culture and Education		311,764		-		-
Public Transportation		-		-		6,412,850
Debt Service:						
Principal Retirement		225,959		965,000		-
Interest and Fiscal Charges		2,230		411,818		_
Total Expenditures		26,350,009		1,376,818		6,412,850
<b>EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES</b>						
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		6,346,655	(	671)	(	844,909)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Transfers In		150,000		-		1,594,700
Transfers Out	(	2,228,165)		-	(	150,000)
Proceeds from sale of assets		-				86,500
	(	2,078,165)		_		1,531,200
Total Other Financing Sources and Uses		<del>.</del>	-			_
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		4,268,490	(	671)		686,291
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		18,331,927		293,311		3,375,580
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	22,600,417	\$	292,640	\$	4,061,871

W	alker County EMS Fund		rants and tracts Fund	Go	Other overnmental	<u>-</u>	Total Governmental Funds
\$	- - - - - 2,395,215 2,909,035 - 13,841	\$	- - - - - 8,139,312 - -	\$	- - - - - 474,129 552,512 134,819 13,526	\$	23,798,269 281,502 5,027,193 106,225 130,309 463,125 16,406,655 6,657,815 789,155 288,357
	4,474		9,975		61,891	_	400,876
_	5,322,565		8,149,287	_	1,236,877	_	54,349,481
	-		-		466,916		4,446,194
	-						2,828,873
	-		5,600,366		524,455		11,626,185
	4,780,064		105,009		135,902		13,655,139
	-		- 05 566		42,430		3,817,833
	-		95,566		-		1,186,540
	-		2,361,460		-		311,764 8,774,310
			2,301,400				0,774,310
	_		_		_		1,190,959
	-		_		-		414,048
	4,780,064	-	8,162,401		1,169,703	_	48,251,845
_	.,,		0/202/:02	_		_	.0/202/0.0
	542,501	(	13,114)	_	67,174	_	6,097,636
	575,610		13,114		44,741		2,378,165
	-		-		-	(	2,378,165)
	_						86,500
_	575,610		13,114		44,741		86,500
	1,118,111		-		111,915		6,184,136
	1,574,408		<u>-</u>		2,669,089		26,244,315
\$	2,692,519	\$	-	\$	2,781,004	\$	32,428,451

# RECONCILIATION OF THE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds:	\$	6,184,136
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the Statement of Activities (SOA) are different because:		
Capital outlays are not reported as expenses in the SOA.		2,293,105
The depreciation of capital assets used in governmental activities is not reported in the funds.	(	2,836,469)
Certain property tax revenues are deferred in the funds. This is the change in these amounts this year.	(	133,321)
Revenues in the SOA not providing current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the funds.		523,687
Repayment of bond principal is an expenditure in the funds but is not an expense in the SOA.		1,190,959
(Increase) decrease in accrued interest from beginning of period to end of period.		6,157
The net revenue (expense) of internal service funds is reported with governmental activities.		15,439
Compensated absences are reported as the amount earned in the SOA but as the amount paid in the funds.	(	82,112)
Bond premiums are reported in the funds but not in the SOA.		6,102
Pension expense relating to GASB 68 is recorded in the SOA but not in the funds.		549,853
OPEB expense relating to GASB 75 is recorded in the SOA but not in the funds.	(	122,866)
Change in net position of governmental activities	\$	7,594,670

# STATEMENT OF NET POSITION INTERNAL SERVICE FUND SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

	Internal Service Fund Retiree Insurance Fund
ASSETS Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents Total Current Assets	\$ <u>2,016,990</u> <u>2,016,990</u>
NET POSITION Unrestricted Total Net Position	2,016,990 \$2,016,990

# STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN FUND NET POSITION - INTERNAL SERVICE FUND

	Internal Service Fund
	Retiree Insurance Fund
OPERATING REVENUES	\$
OPERATING EXPENSES	
OPERATING INCOME	
NONOPERATING REVENUES Interest Income Total Nonoperating Revenues	15,439 15,439
NET INCOME	15,439
TOTAL NET POSITION, BEGINNING	2,001,551
TOTAL NET POSITION, ENDING	\$2,016,990

# STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

	Internal Service Fund		
	]	Retiree Insurance Fund	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES Interest on Deposits and Investments Net Cash Provided by Investing Activities	\$ <u></u>	15,439 15,439	
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		15,439	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING		2,001,551	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, ENDING	\$	2,016,990	

# STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

	 Custodial Funds
ASSETS	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 5,994,882
Due from Other Governments	181
Prepaid Insurance	 3,536
Total Assets	 5,998,599
LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable	67,215
Due to Other Governments	1,960,176
Due to Others	509,284
Accrued Liabilities	 72,925
Total Liabilities	 2,609,600
NET POSITION	
Restricted for Individuals, Organizations and Other Governments	 3,388,999
Total Net Position	\$ 3,388,999

# STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION

		Custodial Funds
ADDITIONS  Taxes and Fees Collected on Behalf of Other Governments Contributions from Other Governments Bonds Received Interest Earnings Taxes Sales Civil Registry and Trust Fees Miscellaneous Additions	\$	37,036,275 2,218,157 108,500 24,054 172,796 3,658,941 2,300
Total Additions		43,221,023
Taxes and Fees Remitted to State Comptroller Disbursements on Behalf of Contracting Entities Bonds Returned Credit Card Fees Charge Back Refund Administrative Expenses Taxes Sales Returned Civil Registry and Trust Fees	_	36,990,080 2,214,952 91,807 41,757 6,297 1,395 3,779 718,632 3,952,926
Total Deductions		44,021,625
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN FIDUCIARY NET POSITION	<u>(</u>	800,602)
NET POSITION, BEGINNING	_	4,189,601
NET POSITION, ENDING	\$	3,388,999



#### NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

#### I. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### A. Reporting Entity

The government of Walker County, Texas is a political subdivision of the State of Texas, formed in 1846. The basic financial statements of Walker County, Texas (the "County") have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles applicable to governmental units which are generally accepted in the United States of America. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

The County's basic financial statements include the accounts of all its operations. The County evaluated whether any other entity should be included in these financial statements. The criteria for including organizations as component units within the County's reporting entity, as set forth in GASB Statement No. 61, "The Financial Reporting Entity: Omnibus an Amendment of GASB Statements No. 14 and No. 34," include whether:

- The organization is legally separate (can sue and be sued in its name)
- The County holds the corporate powers of the organization
- The County appoints a voting majority of the organization's board
- The County is able to impose its will on the organization
- The organization has the potential to impose a financial benefit/burden on the County
- There is fiscal dependency by the organization on the County

Based upon the application of these criteria to various separate entities, the organizations are classified as blended or discrete component units, related organizations, joint ventures, or jointly governed organizations with the financial disclosure treated accordingly. The following is a brief review of each potential component unit addressed in defining the government's reporting entity.

Related Organizations - Where the Commissioners' Court is responsible for appointing a majority of the members of a board of another organization, but the County's accountability does not extend beyond making such appointments, disclosure is made in the form of the relation between the County and such organization.

#### Walker County Emergency Services District No. 1, No. 2, & No. 3

The emergency services districts are organized under the statutes of the State of Texas as political subdivisions of the State to provide protection from fire for life and property. Although Commissioners' Court appoints a five-member board for each district, the individual boards retain exclusive authority to levy taxes, issue bonded debt and approve appropriation budgets. Each district is required by statute to provide audited financial statements to the County as a matter of record.

#### B. Basis of Presentation, Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting

#### 1. Government-wide Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net position and the statement of activities) report information on all the activities of the primary government, including long-term assets and liabilities. These statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenues in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

As a general rule, the effect of interfund activity has been eliminated from the government-wide financial statements. However, interfund services provided and used are not eliminated in the consolidation process.

The government-wide statement of activities reports expenses and revenue in a format that focuses on the cost of each of the government's functions. The expense of individual functions is compared to the revenues generated directly by the function (such as user charges or intergovernmental grants). Amounts reported as program revenues include 1) charges to customers for goods, services, or privileges provided, 2) operating grants and contributions, and 3) capital grants and contributions, including special assessments. Revenues that are generated internally are reported as general revenues, including property taxes. This presentation reflects both the gross and net cost per functional category (general government, financial, public safety, etc.), which are otherwise being supported by general government revenues (property taxes, earnings on investments, etc.) The Statement of Activities reduces gross expenses (including depreciation) by related program revenues. The program revenues must be directly associated with the function (general government, financial, public safety, etc.).

#### 2. Fund Financial Statements

The accounting and financial reporting treatment applied to a fund is determined by its measurement focus. All governmental fund types are accounted for using a current financial resources measurement focus and modified accrual basis of accounting. This is the manner in which these funds are normally budgeted. Under this basis of accounting revenues are recognized when they become susceptible to accrual (i.e., both measurable and available.) Available means collectible within the current year or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Substantially all revenues are considered to be susceptible to accrual. Expenditures are generally recognized under the modified accrual basis of accounting when the related fund liability is incurred. Principal and interest on long-term debt are recognized as expenditures when due.

Since the governmental fund statements are presented on a different measurement focus and basis of accounting than the government-wide statements' governmental column, a reconciliation is presented which briefly explains the adjustments necessary to reconcile fund-based financial statements with the governmental column of the government-wide presentation.

The County reports the following major governmental funds:

The **General Fund** is the County's primary operating fund. It is used to account for all financial transactions not properly includable in other funds. The principal source of revenue is local property taxes. Expenditures include all costs associated with the daily operations of the County.

The **Debt Service Fund** accounts for the servicing of long-term debt using Interest and Sinking ad valorem property taxes.

The **Road and Bridge Fund** is used to account for the costs associated with the construction and maintenance of roads and bridges. Revenues are derived mainly from ad valorem taxes, intergovernmental revenues, and fees and fines.

The **Walker County Emergency Medical Service (EMS) Fund** is used to account for all financial transactions incurred by providing emergency medical and ambulance services to the public.

The **Grants and Contracts Fund** accounts for grants and contracts the County enters into with the State of Texas and the federal government.

The County's proprietary fund financial statements are reported under the accrual basis of accounting and the economic resources measurement focus. Revenues are recognized when earned, and expenses are recognized when they are incurred. Claims incurred but not reported are included in payables and expenses. All assets and liabilities (whether current or non-current) associated with their activity are included in the funds statement of net position.

The County reports one proprietary fund:

The *Internal Service fund* is used to report activities that provide goods or services to other funds of the County. This fund accounts for retiree health benefits for eligible employees provided to other County departments. The Internal Service Fund receives revenues on a cost-reimbursement basis.

The County's fiduciary funds are presented in the fund financial statements by type. Since, by definition, these assets are being held for the benefit of a third party and cannot be used to address activities or obligations of the government, these funds are not incorporated into the government-wide statements. The County reports custodial funds under the accrual basis of accounting and the economic resources measurement focus. A statement of fiduciary net position and statement of changes in fiduciary net position are presented within the basic financial statements.

The County reports one type of fiduciary fund:

The **Custodial funds** are used to account for assets held by the County as an agent on behalf of various third parties outside of the County. Payments are collected by the County Clerk, District Clerk, Tax Assessor, Adult Probation, County Officials, and the Walker County Public Safety Communications Center. The County has no administrative control over the use of these funds.

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

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

# C. <u>Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position/Fund</u> Balance

#### 1. Cash and Cash Equivalents

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

Investments for the County are reported at fair value, except for the position in investment pools. The County's investments in Pools are reported at the net asset value per share (which approximates fair value) even though it is calculated using the amortized cost method. The County's investment pools have a redemption notice period of one day and may redeem daily. The investment pools' authority may only impose restrictions on redemptions in the event of a general suspension of trading on major securities markets, general banking moratorium or national state of emergency that affects the pools' liquidity.

#### 2. <u>Inventories and Prepaid Items</u>

Inventories are valued at cost using the first-in/first-out (FIFO) method. The cost of inventories is recorded as expenditures/expenses when consumed rather than when purchased.

Certain payments to vendors reflect costs applicable to future accounting periods and are recorded as prepaid items in both the government-wide and fund financial statements. The cost of prepaid items is recorded as expenditures/expenses when consumed rather than when purchased.

#### 3. Receivables

All receivables are reported at their gross value and, where appropriate, are reduced by the estimated portion that is expected to be uncollectible.

#### 4. Capital Assets

Capital assets used in governmental fund types of the government are recorded as expenditures of the General Fund, EMS Fund, Road and Bridge Fund, and Special Revenue Funds and as assets in the government-wide financial statements to the extent the County's capitalization threshold is met, currently \$5,000. Depreciation is recorded on capital assets on a government-wide basis. Major outlays for capital assets and improvements are capitalized as projects are constructed and subsequently depreciated over their estimated useful lives on a straight-line basis at the government-wide levels.

All capital assets are valued at historical cost or estimated historical cost if actual cost was not available, except for federal surplus property, which is required to be recorded at fair market value. Donated capital assets, donated works of art and similar items, and capital assets received in a service concession arrangement are recorded at acquisition value.

The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend the asset's life are not capitalized and are not included.

Land and construction in progress are not depreciated.

Upon sale or retirement of capital assets, the cost and related accumulated depreciation, if applicable, are eliminated from the respective accounts and the resulting gain or loss is included in the results of operations.

Capital assets are being depreciated over the following estimated useful lives:

Assets	Years
Vehicles	4-7
Furniture and Fixtures	1-10
Machinery and Equipment	5-20
Buildings	5-20
Building improvements	3-20
Infrastructure	20-40

#### 5. Compensated Absences

The County's policy permits employees to accumulate earned but unused vacation, compensatory time and sick pay benefits. Vested or accumulated leave that is expected to be liquidated with expendable financial resources is reported as an expenditure of the governmental fund when paid.

Amounts not expected to be liquidated with expendable available financial resources are reported as long-term debt in the government-wide statements for governmental funds. These amounts are calculated using employee pay rates in effect at year-end. No expenditure is recognized as incurred for these amounts until the actual leave time is used.

All compensated absences and related liabilities are recorded in the government-wide financial statements. However, compensated absences are reported in governmental funds only if they have matured unused reimbursable leave still outstanding following an employee's resignation or retirement.

#### 6. Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources

In addition to assets, the statement of financial position will sometimes report a separate section for deferred outflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred outflows of resources, represents a consumption of net assets that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The County has the following items that qualify for reporting in this category:

- Pension contributions after measurement date These contributions are deferred and recognized in the following fiscal year.
- Difference in expected and actual pension and OPEB experience This difference is deferred and recognized over the estimated average remaining lives of all members determined as of the measurement date.

• Changes in actuarial assumptions related to the pension and OPEB plans – These changes are deferred and recognized over the estimated average remaining lives of all members determined as of the measurement date.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position and/or balance sheet will sometimes report a separate section for deferred inflows of resources. This separate financial statement element, deferred inflows of resources, represents an acquisition of net assets that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) until that time. The County has three types of items that qualify for reporting in this category.

- Unavailable revenue is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. These amounts are deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amounts become available.
- Difference in expected and actual pension and OPEB experience This difference is deferred and recognized over the estimated average remaining lives of all members determined as of the measurement date.
- Difference in projected and actual earnings on pension assets This difference is deferred and amortized over a closed five-year period.

#### 7. 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 Texas County and District Retirement System (TCDRS) and additions to/deductions from TCDRS's Fiduciary Net Position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by TCDRS. For this purpose, plan contributions are recognized in the period that compensation is reported for the employee, which is when contributions are legally due. Benefit payments and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

#### 8. Other Post-Employment Benefits

**Retiree Health Care Plan.** For purposes of measuring the total OPEB liability, OPEB related deferred outflows and inflows of resources, and OPEB expense, benefit payments and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Contributions are not required but are measured as payments by the County for benefits due and payable that are not reimbursed by plan assets. Information regarding the County's total OPEB liability is obtained from a report prepared by a consulting actuary, CapRisk Consulting Group.

#### 9. Net Position Flow Assumption

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

It is the County's policy to consider restricted net position to have been depleted before unrestricted net position is applied.

#### 10. Fund Balance Flow Assumptions

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

#### 11. Fund Balance Policies

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

The committed fund balance classification includes amounts that can be used only for the specific purposes determined by a formal action of the County's highest level of decision-making authority. The governing body is the highest level of decision-making authority for the County that can, by adoption of an order prior to the end of the fiscal year, commit fund balance. Once adopted, the limitation imposed by the order remains in place until a similar action is taken (the adoption of another order) to remove or revise the limitation.

Amounts in the assigned fund balance classification are intended to be used by the County for specific purposes but do not meet the criteria to be classified as committed. The Commissioners' Court may also assign fund balance as it does when appropriating fund balance to cover a gap between estimated revenue and appropriations in the subsequent year's appropriated budget. Unlike commitments, assignments generally only exist temporarily. In other words, an additional action does not normally have to be taken for the removal of an assignment. Conversely, as discussed above, an additional action is essential to either remove or revise a commitment.

The Order adopted by Commissioners Court resulted in the fund balance of the Debt Service Fund and Legislatively Designed Funds (Other Funds) being classified as restricted. Fund Balance of the Road and Bridge Fund and EMS Fund being classified as committed. Fund Balance in the General Fund has funds committed for projects and includes both assigned fund balance and unassigned fund balance.

Additionally, the County has a policy to maintain a General Fund balance of generally two to three months cash flow. At a minimum, the goal is to maintain at least a fund balance in the 16.67% range of the operating costs reflected in the most current General Fund budget. No minimum fund balance is required for other funds of the County.

#### 12. Estimates

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

#### II. STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

#### **Budgets**

The statutes of the State of Texas provide that "the amounts budgeted in a fiscal year for expenditures from the various funds of the County may not exceed the balances in those funds as of the first day of the fiscal year, plus the anticipated revenue for the fiscal year as estimated by the County Auditor." In addition, the law provides that the Commissioners' Court may, upon proper application, transfer an existing budget (during the year) to a budget of like kind but no such transfer shall increase the total of the budget.

An itemized budget must be prepared to allow as clear a comparison as practicable between the proposed budget and actual expenditures for the same of similar purposes that were made for the preceding fiscal year. The budget must contain a complete financial statement of the County that shows: 1) the outstanding obligations of the County; 2) the cash on hand to the credit of each fund of the County government; 3) the funds received from all sources during the preceding year; 4) the funds available from all sources during the ensuing fiscal year; 5) the estimated revenues available to cover the proposed budget; and 6) the estimated tax rate required to cover the proposed budget.

On or before the second Monday in July each year, all agencies of the County submit requests for appropriations to the County Judge so that a budget may be prepared. A copy of the proposed budget must be filed with the Clerk of the County Court and made available to the public by August 15th. Before September 30, the proposed budget is presented to the Commissioners' Court for review and adoption. The Court holds public hearings as necessary and may add to, subtract from, or change appropriations but may not change the form of the budget.

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for all governmental funds. The legal level of budgetary control is the category defined as Salary, Other Pay and Benefits, Operations, Capital Expenditures and Transfers. The budget is prepared by fund, function, department, and category and includes information about the past year current year estimates and requested appropriations for the next fiscal year. The County's department heads may make transfers of appropriations within categories established for their departments. Transfers of appropriations between categories and/or departments require a budget amendment and approval of Commissioners' Court. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end.

Encumbrance accounting is employed in governmental funds. Encumbrances represent commitments related to unperformed contracts for goods or services. Available funds are encumbered during the year upon execution of purchase orders, contracts, or other appropriate documents in order to reserve that portion of the applicable appropriation. As all encumbrances lapse at year end, those encumbrances (e.g. purchase orders, contracts) outstanding at September 30 must be reappropriated in the budget of the subsequent year.

For the year ended September 20, 2022, expenditures exceeded appropriations at the object levels in the following departments:

Fund	Department	Object	Amount
Grants and Contracts	SPU Criminal - State General Allocation	Capital expenditures	\$ 6,624
Grants and Contracts	SPU/Civil Division	Operations	123,781
Juvenile Grant	Title IV-E Funds	Salary, pay, and other benefits	11,888
Juvenile Grant	Title IV-E Funds	Operations	999
Juvenile Grant	TJPC-A-94-236	Salary, pay, and other benefits	2,938

These expenditures were funded by existing fund balance and greater revenues than were budgeted.

#### III. DETAILED NOTES ON ALL FUNDS

#### A. Deposits and investments

The County's funds are required to be deposited under the terms of a depository contract. The depository bank deposits for safekeeping and trust with the County's agent bank approved pledged securities in an amount sufficient to protect County funds on a day-to-day basis during the period of the contract. The pledge of approved securities is waived only to the extent of the depository bank's dollar amount of Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC") insurance.

#### 1. Cash Deposits

The County's cash and cash equivalents as of September 30, 2022 are summarized as follows:

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		Amount
Cash deposits	\$	13,379,338
Investments considered cash and cash equivalents		
Wells Fargo Investment Portfolio - USA Mutuals		6,424,686
TexPool		21,976,463
Texas Class		3,586,750
Investors Cash Trust	_	356,465
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	45,723,702

#### 2. Investments

The County is required by Government Code Chapter 2256, The Public Funds Investment Act, to adopt, implement, and publicize an investment policy. That policy must be written; primarily emphasize safety of principal and liquidity, address investment diversification, yield, and maturity and the quality and capability of investment management; and include a list of the types of authorized investments in which the investing County's funds may be invested; and the maximum allowable stated maturity of any individual investment owned by the County.

The Public Funds Investment Act ("Act") requires an annual audit of investment practices. Audit procedures in this area conducted as a part of the audit of the basic financial statements disclosed that in the areas of investment practices, management reports and establishment of appropriate policies, the County adhered to the requirements of the Act. Additionally, investment practices of the County were in accordance with local policies.

The Act determines the types of investments which are allowable for the County. These include, with certain restrictions, (1) obligations of the U.S. Treasury, certain U.S. agencies, and the State of Texas, (2) certificates of deposit, (3) certain municipal securities, (4) securities lending program, (5) repurchase agreements, (6) mutual funds, (7) investment pools, (8) guaranteed investment contracts, and (9) commercial paper.

The County invests surplus funds in accordance with its investment policy. The investments are in investment pools which are not categorized securities that exist in physical or book entry form. The fair value of the position in the external investment pool is the same as the value of the pool shares.

The County categorizes its fair value measurements with the fair value hierarchy established by generally accepted accounting principles. The hierarchy is based on the valuation inputs used to measure the fair value of the asset. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices in active markets for identical assets; Level 2 inputs are significant other observable inputs; Level 3 inputs are significant unobservable inputs. Investments that are measured at fair value using the net asset value per share (or its equivalent) as a practical expedient are not classified in the fair value hierarchy above.

In instances where inputs used to measure fair value fall into different levels in the above fair value hierarchy, fair value measurements in their entirety are categorized based on the lowest level input that is significant to the valuation. The County's assessment of the significance of particular inputs to these fair value measurements requires judgment and considers factors specific to each asset or liability.

The County presently has no recurring fair value measurements.

The State Comptroller of Public Accounts exercises oversight responsibility over TexPool, the Texas Local Government Investment Pool. Oversight includes the ability to significantly influence operations, designation of management, and accountability for fiscal matters. Additionally, the State Comptroller has established an advisory board composed of both participants in TexPool and other persons who do not have a business relationship with TexPool. The Advisory Board members review the investment policy and management fee structure. There is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. To minimize credit risk, TexPool's investment policy allows the portfolio's investment manager to only invest in obligations of the U. S. Government, its agencies; repurchase agreements; and no-load AAAm money market mutual funds registered with the SEC. TexPool is rated AAAm by Standard & Poor's. As a requirement to maintain the rating, weekly portfolio information must be submitted to Standard & Poor's, as well as the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts for review.

The Texas Cooperative Liquid Assets Securities System Trust (Texas CLASS) was created as an investment pool for its participants pursuant to Section 2256.016 of the Public Funds Investment Act, Texas Government Code. The County participates in this external investment pool for state and local governments to maintain the liquidity of its funds and to maximize yield in accordance with Public Funds Investment Act (the "Act"), Section 2256.01, et seq., Texas Government Code. The Texas CLASS Trust Agreement is an agreement of indefinite term regarding the investment, reinvestment and withdrawal of local government funds. The parties to the Trust Agreement are Texas local government entities that choose to participate, Cutwater Investor Services Corp. as Program Administrator, and Wells Fargo Bank Texas, NA as Custodian. The Board of Trustees has appointed an Advisory Board composed of participants and other persons who do not have a business relationship with the Trust and are qualified to advise the Trust. The Advisory Board provides advice to the Board of Trustees and the Program Administrator about the investment policy and investment strategy of the trust and about other matters as requested by the Board of Trustees and the Program Administrator. Texas CLASS's investment credit quality rating was AAAm by Standard & Poor's.

#### 3. Analysis of Specific Deposit and Investment Risks

#### a. Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to an investment will not fulfill its obligations. The ratings of securities by nationally recognized rating agencies are designed to give an indication of credit risk. It is the County's policy to focus on safety and liquidity. The current policy is to invest only in securities with credit ratings of not less than AA or its equivalent as rated by a nationally recognized rating service. At year end, the County was not significantly exposed to credit risk. As of September 30, 2022, the government's investment in all investment pools were rated at least AAAm by Standard & Poor's and insured cash shelters which are federally insured cash accounts.

#### b. Custodial Credit Risk

This is the risk that in the event of bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. The County was not exposed to custodial credit risk since its deposits at year-end and during the year ended September 30, 2022, was covered by depository insurance or by pledged collateral held by the County's agent bank in the County's name.

#### c. Concentration of Credit Risk

This risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of a government's investment in a single issuer. At year end, the County was not exposed to concentration of credit risk.

#### d. Interest Rate Risk

This is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. In accordance with its written policy, the County manages this risk by limiting the maximum allowable stated maturity of any individual investment to 2 years, at the time of purchase.

#### **B.** Receivables

Receivables, including applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, as of September 30, 2022 are as follows:

				Debt	- 1	Road and				Grants and	N	onmajor		
		General		Service		Bridge		EMS		Contracts	Governmenta			Total
Receivables:														
Taxes	\$	1,610,525	\$	109,954	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,720,479
Accounts		118,239		-		17,596		2,484,673		2,372,387		15,140		5,008,035
Due from other governments		911,550		-		-		-		1,307,714		26,153		2,245,417
Due from others		62,380	_	_	_	-		28,369	_	388		-	_	91,137
	_	2,702,694	_	109,954	_	17,596	_	2,513,042	_	3,680,489	_	41,293	_	9,065,068
Less: allowance for														
uncollectibles	(	695,256)	(	47,466)	_	-	(	1,579,367)	_	-	_	-	(	2,322,089)
Total	\$	2,007,438	\$	62,488	\$_	17,596	\$	933,675	\$	3,680,489	\$	41,293	\$	6,742,979

Governmental funds report unearned revenue in connection resources that have been received, but not yet earned. As of September 30, 2022, the various components of unearned revenue reported in the governmental funds are as follows:

	Unearned
Grant funds received prior to meeting eligibility requirements	\$ 4,674,897
Total unearned revenue for governmental funds	\$ <u>4,674,897</u>

#### C. Property Taxes

The County's tax year covers the period October 1 through September 30. The County's property taxes are levied annually in October on the basis of the Walker County Appraisal District's ("WCAD") assessed values as of January 1 of that calendar year. The WCAD establishes appraised values at 100% of market value less exemptions. The County's property taxes are billed and collected by the Walker County Appraisal District. Taxes are due on receipt of the tax bill and are delinquent if not paid before February 1 of the year following the year in which imposed.

#### 1. 2021 Tax Year

Property taxes are prorated between the General, Road and Bridge, and Debt Service Funds based on rates adopted for the year of the levy. For the 2022 fiscal year (2021 tax year), the County levied property taxes of \$0.4799 per \$100 of assessed valuation. The 2021 rates resulted in total tax levies of approximately \$24.2 million based on a total adjusted valuation of approximately \$5.2 billion. The total tax rate in the 2021 tax year was prorated as follows:

	2	021 Rate
General Fund/Road and Bridge Debt Service Fund	\$	0.4529 0.0270
Total Tax Rate	\$ \$	0.4799

#### 2. Walker County Appraisal District

Walker County Appraisal District ("WCAD"), a separate governmental entity, is responsible for the recording and appraisal of property for all taxing units in the County.

The WCAD is required by state law to assess property at 100% of its appraised value. Further, real property must be appraised at least every three years. Under certain circumstances, the taxpayers and taxing units, including the County, may challenge orders of the WCAD's Appraisal Review Board through various appeals and, if necessary, legal action may be taken.

#### 3. Tax Abatements

The County enters into property tax abatement agreements with local businesses under the property Tax Code, Chapter 312, cited as the Property Redevelopment and Tax Abatement Act. Under the Act, the County is eligible to establish Enterprise Zones and participate in a tax abatement. The County has established a Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ) program to establish guidance for the tax abatements. The tax abatements, which are meant to stimulate economic development, are applicable to commercial and/or industrial improvements on a case-by-case basis. The tax abatement only applies to the increase in the value of the property due to improvements.

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2022, the County abated property taxes totaling \$2,757 under this program, including the following tax abatement agreement:

 A 20 percent property tax abatement on the assessed value of improvements to a manufacturing company. The property value abatement amount for 2021 is \$574,614 In September of 2004, Walker County entered into an interlocal agreement with the City of Huntsville to participate in the Tax Increment Reinvestment Zone (TIRZ) created by the City of Huntsville City Ordinance number 2004-16 dated August 2004. The TIRZ is generally along the west side of I-45 and south of SH30. The term of the TIRZ was established at 20 years. The TIRZ is a contiguous geographic area within the city limits of Huntsville designated as Tax Reinvestment Zone Number One, City of Huntsville, Texas for Tax Increment Financing purposes pursuant to Chapter 311 of the Texas Tax Code. The board of directors consists of 7 members, positions 1 to 4 reserved for the City of Huntsville, positions 5 thru 6 reserved for Walker County and position 7 reserved for Huntsville Independent School District.

Per the agreement, Walker County agreed to participate by contributing 50% of its ad valorem tax rate up to a maximum or \$0.3125 per hundred dollars of the annually calculated tax valuation within the TIRZ. Assessment policies in Walker County generally set building assessments at 100 percent of fair market value, which may vary somewhat from construction costs for new construction. Assessed values are established at January 1 of each year. For property currently included in the TIRZ (approximately 71.35 acres), the original value was set at \$382,581. The value set for the year covered by this report was \$56,382,800, an incremental value increase of \$56,048,038. Walker County contributed \$134,487 in the tax year that includes the October 1, 2021 to September 30, 2022 fiscal year.

#### D. Interfund Receivables and Payables

At September 30, 2022, the interfund receivables and payables were as follows:

Due to	Due from	 Amount	Purpose
General General	Grants and Contracts Other Governmental	\$ 1,475,138 13,874	Short-term loan Short-term loan
		\$ 1,489,012	

#### E. Capital Assets

Capital asset activity for the year ended September 30, 2022, was as follows:

	Beginning Balance			Increases		Decreases		Ending Balance
Governmental activities:								
Capital assets, not								
being depreciated:								
Land	\$	680,552	\$	-	\$	-	\$	680,552
Construction in Progress	_		_	144,890	_		_	144,890
Total assets not being depreciated	_	680,552	_	144,890	_			825,442
Capital assets, being depreciated:								
Vehicles		7,193,119		805,242	(	59,058)		7,939,303
Office furniture and fixtures		1,844,492		128,155	(	9,821)		1,962,826
Machinery and equipment		10,288,561		1,214,818	(	557,392)		10,945,987
Buildings, facilities, and improvements	_	37,834,955	_		_			37,834,955
Total capital assets								
being depreciated	_	57,161,127	_	2,148,215	(	626,271)		58,683,071
Less accumulated depreciation:								
Vehicles	(	5,674,077)	(	617,218)		59,058	(	6,232,237)
Office furniture and fixtures	(	1,786,804)	(	38,033)		9,821	(	1,815,016)
Machinery and equipment	(	8,121,717)	(	660,737)		557,392	(	8,225,062)
Buildings, facilities, and improvements	<u></u>	22,806,279)	(	1,520,481)	_	<del></del>	<u>(</u>	24,326,760)
Total accumulated depreciation	(	38,388,877)	(	2,836,469)	_	626,271	(	40,599,075)
Total capital assets being								
depreciated, net	_	18,772,250	(	688,254)	_	-	_	18,083,996
Governmental activities								_
capital assets, net	\$	19,452,802	\$ <u>(</u>	543,364)	\$_	-	\$	18,909,438

Depreciation was charged to functions as follows:

Governmental activities:		
General government	\$	447,814
Financial		2,826
Judicial		78,914
Public safety		946,559
Correction and rehabilitation		960,640
Health and welfare		12,855
Culture and education		648
Public transportation	_	386,213
Total depreciation expense - governmental activities	\$	2,836,469

#### F. Long-Term Debt

Long-term liabilities applicable to the County's governmental activities are not due and payable in the current period, and accordingly, are not reported as fund liabilities in the governmental funds. Interest on long-term debt is not accrued in governmental funds, but rather is recognized as an expenditure when due. Long-term bonded debt and certificates of obligation at September 30, 2022 are listed below:

Issue Description	Interest Rate	Date of Issue	Maturity Date	Original Balance	Outstanding Balance		
Certificates of Obligation, Series 2012	2.00-3.75%	6/1/2012	8/1/2032	\$20,000,000	\$11,470,000		
Total bonds payable				\$20,000,000	\$11,470,000		

The Series 2012 certificates of obligation were issued to construct a new county jail. In FY19, the County also entered into a note from direct borrowing to finance the purchase of election equipment.

A summary of long-term liability transactions of the County for the year ended September 30, 2022, follows:

	Beginning Balance		Additions		Retirements			Ending Balance	Due Within One Year	
Governmental activities:										
Certificates of Obligation	\$	12,435,000	\$	-	\$	965,000	\$	11,470,000	\$	990,000
Adjustments for:										
Issuance premiums	_	67,119	_			6,102	_	61,017		
Total Certificates of Obligation, Net		12,502,119		-		971,102		11,531,017		990,000
Notes from Direct Borrowing		225,959		-		225,959		-		-
Compensated absences	_	1,277,815	_	1,299,772	_	1,217,661	_	1,359,926	_	339,982
Total long-term debt	\$	14,005,893	\$_	1,299,772	\$	2,414,722	\$	12,890,943	\$	1,329,982

The funds typically used to liquidate other long-term liabilities in the past are as follows:

Liability	Activity Type	_ Fund
Compensated absences	Governmental	General fund and special revenue fund

Annual debt service requirements for certificates of obligations to maturity are summarized as follows:

Year Ending			
September 30,	Principal	Interest	Total
2023	990,000	382,868	1,372,868
2024	1,020,000	353,168	1,373,168
2025	1,055,000	322,568	1,377,568
2026	1,085,000	289,599	1,374,599
2027	1,120,000	255,693	1,375,693
2028-2032	6,200,000	677,501	6,877,501
Total	\$ 11,470,000	\$ 2,281,395	\$ 13,751,395

Should the County default on its outstanding bonds or note, any registered owner of the certificates or note is entitled to seek a writ of mandamus from a court of proper jurisdiction requiring specific performance from the County.

The Tax Reform Act of 1986 instituted certain arbitrage restrictions with respect to the issuance of tax-exempt bonds after August 31, 1986. Arbitrage regulations deal with the investment of all tax-exempt bond proceeds at an interest yield greater than the interest yield paid to bondholders. Generally, all interest paid to bondholders can be retroactively rendered taxable if applicable rebates are not reported and paid to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) at least every five years. During the current year, the County does not expect to incur a liability.

#### **G. Interfund Transactions**

Interfund transfers are defined as "flows of assets without equivalent flow of assets in return and without a requirement for repayment." The following is a summary of the County's transfers for the year ended September 30, 2022:

Transfers from	Transfers to		Amount
General Fund	Road and Bridge Fund	\$	1,594,700
General Fund	Walker County EMS Fund		575,610
General Fund	Grants and Contracts Fund		13,114
General Fund	Other Governmental Funds		44,741
Road and Bridge Fund	General Fund	_	150,000
		\$	2,378,165

Transfers made from general fund to various funds were approved by Commissioner's Court and made to supplement various projects throughout the year.

#### **H. Fund Balances**

Fund balances are presented in the following categories: nonspendable, restricted, committed, assigned, and unassigned as described in I. C. 11. The following is a detail of fund balances for all the major and nonmajor governmental funds at September 30, 2022:

	General	Debt Service	Road and Bridge	EMS	Nonmajor Governmental	Total
Fund balances: Nonspendable: Prepaids Total nonspendable	\$ <u>293,486</u> <u>293,486</u>	\$ <u>-</u>	\$ 16,545 16,545	\$ 108,986 108,986	\$ <u> </u>	\$ <u>419,017</u> 419,017
Restricted for: Debt Service Legislative/grants Total restricted	- - -	292,640 - 292,640	- - -	- - -		292,640 2,781,004 3,073,644
Committed to: Transportation Public Safety Projects Total committed	- - 6,288,071 6,288,071	- - - -	4,045,326 - - - 4,045,326	2,583,533 - 2,583,533	- - - -	4,045,326 2,583,533 6,288,071 12,916,930
Assigned for subsequent year's budget Unassigned	6,478,432 9,540,428					6,478,432 9,540,428
Total fund balances	\$ 22,600,417	\$ <u>292,640</u>	\$ <u>4,061,871</u>	\$ 2,692,519	\$ 2,781,004	\$ <u>32,428,451</u>

#### I. Pension Plan

#### 1. Plan Description

The County's nontraditional defined benefit pension plan, Texas County and District Retirement System (TCDRS), provides pensions for all of its full-time employees. The TCDRS Board of Trustees is responsible for the administration of the statewide agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system consisting of over nontraditional defined benefit pension plans. TCDRS in the aggregate issues an Annual Comprehensive Financial Report (ACFR) on a calendar year basis. The ACFR is available upon written request from the TCDRS Board of Trustees at P.O. Box 2034 Austin, TX, 78768-2034.

All full and part-time non-temporary employees participate in the plan, regardless of the number of hours they work in a year. Employees in a temporary position are not eligible for membership.

#### 2. Benefits Provided

TCDRS provides retirement, disability and survivor benefits for all eligible employees. Benefit terms are established by the TCDRS Act. The benefit terms may be amended as of January 1, each year, but must remain in conformity with the Act.

Members can retire at age 60 and above with 8 or more years of service, with 30 years of service regardless of age, or when the sum of their age and years of service equals 75 or more. Members are vested after eight years of service but must leave their accumulated contributions in the plan to receive any employer-financed benefit. Members who withdraw their personal contributions in a lump sum are not entitled to any amounts contributed by their employer.

Benefit amounts are determined by the sum of the employee's contributions to the plan, with interest, and employer-financed monetary credits. The level of these monetary credits is adopted by the governing body of the employer within the actuarial constraints imposed by the TCDRS Act so that the resulting benefits can be expected to be adequately financed by the employer's commitment to contribute. At retirement, death or disability, the benefit is calculated by converting the sum of the employee's accumulated contributions and the employer-financed monetary credits to a monthly annuity using annuity purchase rates prescribed by the TCDRS Act.

#### 3. Employees Covered by Benefit Terms

At the December 31, 2021 valuation and measurement date, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

Inactive employees or beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	263
Inactive employees entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	451
Active employees	412
	1,126

#### 4. Contributions

The contribution rates for employees in TCDRS are either 4%, 5%, 6%, or 7% of employee gross earnings, as adopted by the employer's governing body. Participating employers are required to contribute at actuarially determined rates to ensure adequate funding for each employer's plan. Under the state law governing TCDRS, the contribution rate for each entity is determined annually by the actuary and approved by the TCDRS Board of Trustees. The replacement life entry age actuarial cost method is used in determining the contribution rate. The actuarially determined rate is the estimated amount necessary to fund benefits in an orderly manner for each participate over his or her career so that sufficient funds are accumulated by the time benefit payments begin, with an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability.

Employees for the County were required to contribute 7% of their annual gross earnings during the fiscal year. The contribution rate for the County was 13.93% in calendar year 2021 and 14.74% in calendar year 2022. The County's contributions to TCDRS for the year ended September 30, 2022, were \$3,302,192, and were equal to the required contributions.

#### 5. Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability in the December 31, 2021 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Inflation 2.50% per year Overall payroll growth 3.00% per year Real rate of return 5.00% per year

Investment rate of return 7.50%, net of administrative expenses

There are no automatic cost of living adjustments (COLA's) and no COLA's are considered to be substantively automatic. Therefore, no assumption for future cost-of-living adjustments is included in the funding valuation. Each year, the County may elect an ad-hoc COLA for retirees.

Mortality rates for active members, retirees, and beneficiaries were based on the following:

Depositing members	135% of Pub-2010 General Employees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for males and 120% Pub-2010 General Employees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.
Service retirees, beneficiaries and non-depositing members	135% of Pub-2010 General Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for males and 120% Pub-2010 General Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.
Disabled retirees	160% of Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for males and 125% Pub-2010 General Disabled Retirees Amount-Weighted Mortality Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.

All actuarial assumptions that determined the total pension liability as of December 31, 2021, were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2020, except where required to be different by GASB 68.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments is 7.5%. The pension plan's policy in regard to the allocation of invested assets is established and may be amended by the TCDRS Board of Trustees. The application of the investment return assumption was changed for purposes of determining plan liabilities at the March 2022 meeting. All plan liabilities are now valued using a 7.6% discount rate.

The long-term expected rate of return on TCDRS is determined by adding expected inflation to expected long-term real returns, and reflecting expected volatility and correlation. The capital market assumptions and information below are based on January 2022 information for a 10-year time horizon. The valuation assumption for long-term expected return is re-assessed at a minimum of every four years, and is set based on a long-term time horizon; the most recent analysis was performed in 2022. The target allocation and best estimates of geometric real rates return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

Asset Class	Benchmark	Target Allocation (1)	Geometric Real Rate of Return (Expected minus Inflation) (2)
US Equities	Dow Jones U.S. Total Stock Market Index	11.50%	3.80%
Global Equities	MSCI World (net) Index	2.50%	4.10%
International Equities - Developed Markets	MSCI World Ex USA (net)	5.00%	3.80%
International Equities - Emerging Markets	MSCI EM Standard (net) Index	6.00%	4.30%
Investment-Grade Bonds	Bloomberg Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index	3.00%	-0.85%
Strategic Credit	FTSE High-Yield Cash-Pay Capped Index	9.00%	1.77%
Direct Lending	S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan Index	16.00%	6.25%
Distressed Debt	Cambridge Associates Distressed Securities Index (3)	4.00%	4.50%
REIT Equities	67% FTSE NAREIT Equity REITs Index + 33% S&P Global REIT (net) Index	2.00%	3.10%
Master Limited Partnerships (MLPs)	Alerian MLP Index	2.00%	3.85%
Private Real Estate Partnerships	Cambridge Associates Real Estate Index (4)	6.00%	5.10%
Private Equity	Cambridge Associates Global Private Equity & Venture Capital Index <sup>(5)</sup>	25.00%	6.80%
Hedge Funds	Hedge Fund Research, Inc. (HFRI) Fund of Funds Composite Index $$	6.00%	1.55%
Cash Equivalents	90-Day U. S. Treasury	2.00%	-1.05%

<sup>(1)</sup> Target asset allocation adopted at the March 2022 TCDRS Board meeting.

<sup>(2)</sup> Geometric real rates of return equal the expected return minus the assumed inflation rate of 2.60%, per Cliffwater's 2022 capital market assumptions

 $<sup>^{(3)}</sup>$  Includes vintage years 2005-present of Quarter Pooled Horizon IRRs.

<sup>(4)</sup> Includes vintage years 2007-present of Quarter Pooled Horizon IRRs.

<sup>(5)</sup> Includes vintage years 2006-present of Quarter Pooled Horizon IRRs.

#### Discount Rate:

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.60%. The discount rate was determined using an alternative method to determine the sufficiency of the fiduciary net position in all future years. The alternative method reflects the funding requirements under the funding policy and the legal requirements under the TCDRS Act. TCDRS has a funding policy where the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) shall be amortized as a level percent of pay over 20-year closed layered periods. The employee is legally required to make the contribution specified in the funding policy. The employer's assets are projected to exceed its accrued liabilities in 20 years or less. When this point is reached, the employer is still required to contribute at least the normal cost. Any increased cost due to the adoption of a COLA is required to be funded over a period of 15 years, if applicable. Based on the above assumptions, the projected fiduciary net position is determined to be sufficient compared to projected benefit payments. Based on the expected level of cash flows and investment returns to the system, the fiduciary net position as a percentage of total pension liability is projected to increase from its current level in future years.

Since the projected fiduciary net position is projected to be sufficient to pay projected benefit payments in all future years, the discount rate for purposes of calculating the net pension liability and net pension liability of the employer is equal to the long-term assumed rate of return on investments. This long-term assumed rate of return should be net of investment expenses, but gross of administrative expenses for GASB 68 purposes. Therefore, a discount rate of 7.60% has been used. This rate reflects the long-term assumed rate of return on assets for funding purposes of 7.50%, net of all expenses, increased by 0.10% to be gross of administrative expenses.

#### 6. Plan Fiduciary Net Position

Detailed information about the pension plan's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued TCDRS financial report.

#### Changes in the Net Pension Liability

	Increase (Decrease)					
		Total Pension Plan Fiduciary Liability Net Position (a) (b)		Net Pension Liability / (Asset) (a) - (b)		
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$	114,506,549	\$	92,953,730	\$	21,552,819
Changes for the year:						
Service cost		3,275,479		-		3,275,479
Interest on total pension liability (1)		8,786,853		-		8,786,853
Effect of economic/demographic gains or losses		1,546,109		-		1,546,109
Effect of assumptions changes or inputs	(	354,302)		-	(	354,302)
Refund of contributions	(	183,629)	(	183,629)		-
Benefit payments	(	4,228,245)	(	4,228,245)		-
Administrative expenses		-	(	61,273)		61,273
Member contributions		-		1,452,597	(	1,452,597)
Net investment income		-		20,409,489	(	20,409,489)
Employer contributions		-		2,890,668	(	2,890,668)
Other <sup>(2)</sup>	_		_	23,729	(	23,729)
Balance at December 31, 2021	\$	123,348,814	\$	113,257,066	\$	10,091,748

<sup>(1)</sup> Reflects the change in the liability due to the time value of money. TCDRS does not charge fees or interest.

In the governmental activities, the net pension liability is typically liquidated by the General Fund.

<sup>(2)</sup> Relates to allocation of system-wide items.

#### Sensitivity Analysis:

The following presents the net pension liability of the County, calculated using the discount rate of 7.60%, as well as what the County's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (6.60%) or 1-percentage-point higher (8.60%) than the current rate.

		Current					
	1	l% Decrease		Discount Rate	1	% Increase	
		6.60%		7.60%		8.60%	
County's net pension liability	\$	28,667,690	\$	10,091,748	\$(	5,150,528)	

#### 7. Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the fiscal year ended September 30, 2022, the County recognized pension expense of \$2,778,639.

At September 30, 2022, the County reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	0	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Differences between expected and actual experience	\$	1,126,413	\$	-
Changes of assumptions  Net difference between projected and actual earnings		2,421,409 -		236,201 12,739,355
Contributions made subsequent to the measurement date		2,514,512		-
Total	\$	6,062,334	\$	12,975,556

The \$2,514,512 reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions from County contributions subsequent to the measurement date, but before September 30, 2022, will be recognized as a reduction of net pension liability in the fiscal year ended September 30, 2023. Other amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

\$	135,541
(	3,849,460)
(	3,044,023)
(	2,669,792)
	\$ ( (

#### J. POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSIONS (OPEB)

#### 1. Plan Description

The County sponsors a retiree health care plan, considered a substantive plan, for qualifying employees and elected officials. Permanent full-time employees and elected officials of the County who were hired before October 1, 2013 and are retiring under TCDRS with 20 consecutive years of service, are eligible to participate in the retiree health care plan, a single employer plan, with the cost paid by the County until the retiree becomes eligible for Medicare. The County will then pay the premium for a Medicare supplement policy. The retiree pays Medicare Part B premiums.

Permanent full-time employees and elected officials of the County who retire that were hired prior to October 1, 2013 and meet one of the following criteria 1) 8 years of continuous service and are at least 60 years of age; 2) age plus years of service equals 75; or 3) 20 non-consecutive years of service, may continue their coverage until the retiree becomes eligible for Medicare under the County's medical insurance program for themselves and their eligible dependents by paying the total premium.

Dental benefits are also provided with the retiree paying 100% of the required contribution.

#### 2. Funding Policy

The County has elected to fund the retiree health care benefits using the pay-as-you-go method. Thus, the County's annual contribution for these benefits is assumed to be equal to the actual disbursements during the year for health care benefits for retired employees. This method of funding will result in increasing contributions over time. Per capita cash disbursements will tend to increase from year to year as the cost of health care services, or the utilization of these services increase.

During the 2018 fiscal year, the County established the Retiree Health Insurance Fund, an internal service fund. The purpose of this fund is to gradually accumulate the assets necessary to meet future obligations related to the retiree health care plan. The fund will help maintain a balance of fiscal responsibility on a yearly basis with having assets necessary to meet future obligations. However, these assets do not meet the criteria as an irrevocable trust and, as such, the plan has no assets accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria under GASB Statement No. 75, Paragraph 4.

#### 3. Benefits Provided

The County pays the health care premiums for permanent full-time employees and elected officials of the County who were hired before October 1, 2013 and are retiring under TCDRS with 20 consecutive years of service until the retiree becomes eligible for Medicare. The County will then pay the premium for a Medicare supplement policy. The retiree pays Medicare Part B premiums.

Permanent full-time employees and elected officials of the County who retire that were hired prior to October 1, 2013 and meet one of the following criteria 1) 8 years of continuous service and are at least 60 years of age; 2) age plus years of service equals 75; or 3) 20 non-consecutive years of service, may continue their coverage until the retiree becomes eligible for Medicare under the County's medical insurance program for themselves and their eligible dependents by paying the total premium.

Dental benefits are also provided with the retiree paying 100% of the required contribution.

At the September 30, 2022 valuation and measurement date, the following individuals were covered by the benefit terms:

	Single	Dependent
	Only	Coverage
Active	68	53
Retired	20	5
Total	88	58

#### 4. Total OPEB Liability

The County's Total OPEB liability of \$14,605,240 was measured as of September 30, 2022 and was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date using the Entry Age Normal Cost Method - Level Percentage of Projected Salary actuarial method.

#### 5. Actuarial Assumptions

The total OPEB liability in the September 30, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions:

Inflation 2.50% per year

Salary scale 3.50%

Mortality table RPH-2014 Total Table with Projection MP-2021
Discount rate 4.77% (2.27% real rate of return plus 2.50% inflation)

Disability None assumed Health care cost trend Level 4.50%

Since there are no assets held in trust, the discount rate was based on the Bond Buyer GO-20 bond index. At the time of the valuation, the rate was trending towards 4.50%. The discount rate selected for the valuation was 2.25%.

#### 6. Changes in Total OPEB Liability

	-	Total OPEB Liability		
Balance at 10/01/2021	\$	22,051,307		
Changes for the year:				
Service cost		840,963		
Interest on the total OPEB liability		511,078		
Differences between expected and actual experience	(	1,214,137)		
Changes in assumptions	(	7,228,559)		
Benefit payments	(	355,412)		
Net changes	(	7,446,067)		
Balance at 09/30/2022	\$	14,605,240		

#### 7. Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate and Trend Rate

The following present the total OPEB liability of the County, calculated using the discount rate of 4.77%, as well as what the County's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (3.77%) or 1-percentage-point higher (5.77%) than the current rate:

	1% Decrease in				1% Increase in		
	Disco	Discount Rate (3.77%) Discount Rate (4.77%)		unt Rate (4.77%)	Discount Rate (5.77%		
County's total OPEB liability	\$	16,933,480	\$	14,605,240	\$	12,710,471	

The following present the total OPEB liability of the County, calculated using the trend rate of 4.50%, as well as what the County's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using a trend rate that is 1-percentage-point lower (3.50%) or 1-percentage-point higher (5.50%) than the current rate:

		Current					
	1% C	1% Decrease (3.50%)		Trend Rate (4.50%)		1% Increase (5.50%)	
County's total OPEB liability	\$	12,398,191	\$	14,605,240	\$	17,407,902	

# 8. <u>OPEB Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to OPEB</u>

For the year ended September 30, 2022, the County recognized OPEB expense of \$1,540,092.

At September 30, 2022, the County reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	Deferred Outflows		Deferred Inflows
	0	f Resources	 of Resources
Differences between expected and actual economic experience	\$	-	\$ 1,732,584
Changes in actuarial assumptions	_	1,942,995	 6,299,438
Total	\$	1,942,995	\$ 8,032,022

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

For The Year		
Ended September 30,		
2023	\$(	873,764)
2024	(	873,764)
2025	(	873,764)
2026	(	873,764)
2027	(	873,764)
Thereafter	(	1,720,207)

#### K. Commitments and Contingencies

#### **Contingencies**

The County participates in grant programs which are governed by various rules and regulations of the grantor agencies. Costs charged to the respective grant programs are subject to audit and adjustment by the grantor agencies; therefore, to the extent that the County has not complied with the rules and regulations governing the grants, refunds of any money received may be required and the collectability of any related receivable may be impaired. In the opinion of the County, there are no significant contingent liabilities relating to compliance with the rules and regulations governing the respective grants; therefore, no provision has been recorded in the accompanying basic financial statements for such contingencies.

#### Litigation

The County is contingently liable with respect to lawsuits and other claims in the ordinary course of its operations. The settlement of such contingencies under the budgetary process would not materially affect the financial position of the County as of September 30, 2022.

#### L. Risk Management

The County is exposed to various risks of losses related to torts, theft of, damage to and destruction of capital assets; errors and omission; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The County participates in the Texas Association of Counties Risk Management Pool ("the Pool") created by interlocal agreement to enable its members to obtain coverage against various types of risk. The Pool is administered by the Texas Association of Counties (TAC). Through this pool, the County obtains general liability, property, public officials' liability, law enforcement professional liability, auto physical damage, auto liability, and workers' compensation coverage. The County also participates in the Texas Association of Counties Health and Employee Benefits Pool administered by TAC. The County contributes a minimum of \$777 per month for each employee who elects medical coverage. There were no significant reductions in coverage in the past fiscal year and there were no settlements exceeding insurance coverage for any of the past three fiscal years.

#### M. Joint Venture

On July 29, 1997, the County entered into an interlocal agreement with the City of Huntsville, Texas to construct, maintain, and operate a centralized and combined communications/dispatch center, hereafter called Walker County Public Safety Communication Center ("WCPSCC"). The County and the City have both agreed to fund 50% of the approved budget of the WCPSCC. Should this agreement be terminated, or declared invalid for any reason, all assets of the WCPSCC shall be determined and deemed to be jointly owned by the County and the City. This agreement was initially effective for three years beginning October 1, 1997 and from that point the agreement would automatically renew for successive one-year terms unless otherwise terminated.

For the year ended September 30, 2022, the County paid \$701,958 for its share of WCPSCC's operating costs. These costs are recorded as public safety expenditures in the general fund; as such, the investment in joint venture is recorded in the governmental activities on the government-wide financial statements. The County also acts as the fiscal agent of the WCPSCC. It controls the assets and accounts for all receipts and disbursements the WCPSCC engages in. However, the joint venture does not meet the criteria to be a component unit of the County, and accordingly the City's 50% investment in the joint venture has been reported as a custodial fund in the fiduciary fund financial statements.

#### N. New Accounting Pronouncements

Significant new accounting standards issued by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) not yet implemented by the District include the following:

Statement No. 94, *Public-Private and Public-Public Partnerships and Availability Payment Arrangements* – The primary objective of this Statement is to improve financial reporting by addressing issues related to public-private and public-public partnership arrangements (PPPs). As used in this Statement, a PPP is an arrangement in which a government (the transferor) contracts with an operator (a governmental or nongovernmental entity) to provide public services by conveying control of the right to operate or use a nonfinancial asset, such as infrastructure or other capital asset (the underlying PPP asset), for a period of time in an exchange or exchange-like transaction. GASB 94 will become effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2022, and the impact has not yet been determined.

Statement No. 96, Subscription-Based Information Technology Arrangements - This Statement provides guidance on the accounting and financial reporting for subscription-based information technology arrangements (SBITAs) for government end users (governments). This Statement (1) defines a SBITA; (2) establishes that a SBITA results in a right-to-use subscription asset—an intangible asset—and a corresponding subscription liability; (3) provides the capitalization criteria for outlays other than subscription payments, including implementation costs of a SBITA; and (4) requires note disclosures regarding a SBITA. To the extent relevant, the standards for SBITAs are based on the standards established in Statement No. 87, Leases, as amended. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2022, and the impact has not yet been determined.

GASB Statement No. 100, Accounting Changes and Error Corrections—an amendment of GASB Statement No. 62 - The primary objective of this Statement is to enhance accounting and financial reporting requirements for accounting changes and error corrections to provide more understandable, reliable, relevant, consistent, and comparable information for making decisions or assessing accountability. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods beginning after June 15, 2023, and the impact has not yet been determined.

GASB Statement No. 101, Compensated Absences - The objective of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by updating the recognition and measurement guidance for compensated absences. That objective is achieved by aligning the recognition and measurement guidance under a unified model and by amending certain previously required disclosures. This Statement will become effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2023, and the impact has not yet been determined.



# REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance with Final Budget -
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)
REVENUES	Original	ı ıııaı	Amounts	(Negative)
Ad Valorem Taxes:				
Current Taxes	\$ 18,567,878	\$ 18,567,878	\$ 18,532,292	\$( 35,586)
Delinquent Taxes	440,000	440,000	195,541	( 244,459)
Total Ad Valorem Taxes	19,007,878	19,007,878	18,727,833	( 280,045)
Penalty and Interest	320,000	320,000	263,851	( 56,149)
Other Taxes:				
Sales Taxes	4,100,000	4,100,000	5,027,193	927,193
In Lieu of Tax	53,600	53,600	106,225	52,625
Mixed Beverage Tax	115,000	115,000	130,309	15,309
Total Other Taxes	4,268,600	4,268,600	5,263,727	995,127
Licenses and Permits:				
Building and Utility Permits	400,000	400,000	463,125	63,125
Total Licenses and Permits	400,000	400,000	463,125	63,125
Intergovernmental: Federal Funds				
Disaster Relief Funds	-	34,345	34,346	1
Other Federal Funds	33,400	54,294	50,044	( 4,250)
ARP Funds		<u>4,427,146</u>	4,427,146	
Total Federal Funds	33,400	4,515,785	4,511,536	( 4,249)
State Funds				
Other State Funds	179,224	197,816	186,423	( 11,393)
Total State Funds	179,224	197,816	186,423	( 11,393)
Other Intergovernmental Funds				
Other Intergovernmental	368,939	368,939	359,018	( 9,921)
Total Other Intergovernmental Funds	368,939	368,939	359,018	( 9,921)
Total Intergovernmental	581,563	5,082,540	5,056,977	( 25,563)

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

_	Budgete	d Amounts	_	Variance with
			Actual	Final Budget - Positive
	Original	Final	Actual	(Negative)
Fees of Office/Charges for Services:				(**************************************
	\$ 57,000	\$ 57,000	\$ 64,383	\$ 7,383
IT	12,000	12,000	12,000	-
County Clerk	378,000	378,000	423,789	45,789
Courts - Central Service	500	500	4,005	3,505
County Court-At-Law	23,000	23,000	24,721	1,721
Courts-Pretrial Bond Supervision	3,500	3,500	1,189	( 2,311)
12th And 278th District Courts	2,900	2,900	3,195	295
District Clerk	110,000	110,000	86,985	( 23,015)
District Attorney	-	-	3,183	3,183
Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 1	70,000	70,000	44,325	( 25,675)
Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 2	16,000	16,000	11,786	( 4,214)
Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 3	19,000	19,000	13,936	( 5,064)
Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 4	70,000	70,000	70,423	423
County Auditor	42,152	42,152	42,154	2
County Treasurer - Collections	3,500	3,500	2,832	( 668)
Vehicle Registration	756,500	756,500	1,066,435	309,935
Voter Registration	700	700	261	( 439)
County Facilities	6,000	6,000	5,500	( 500)
County Jail	179,420	179,420	203,876	24,456
Sheriff's Office	3,900	3,900	13,485	9,585
Sheriff's Estray	1,200	1,200	2,843	1,643
Constables Central Service	175,000	175,000	131,967	( 43,033)
Constable - Precinct 1	- -	, -	2,534	2,534
Constable - Precinct 2	_	_	2,705	2,705
Constable - Precinct 3	_	_	3,830	3,830
Constable - Precinct 4	_	_	18,289	18,289
Probation Support	3,800	3,800	30,659	26,859
Emergency Management	2,000	2,000	2,900	900
Planning And Development	-,555	-,000	178	178
Total fees of office/charges				
for services	1,936,072	1,936,072	2,294,368	358,296
Fines and Forfeitures:				
Court Costs	57,655	57,655	95,620	37,965
Total Fines and Forfeitures	57,655	57,655	95,620	37,965
Interest Income	51,600	51,600	225,970	174,370
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Other Income	16 000	200 002	205 102	6 201
	16,000	298,892	305,193	6,301
Total Revenues	26,639,368	31,423,237	32,696,664	1,273,427

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance with	
			Actual	Final Budget - Positive	
	Original	Final	Amounts	(Negative)	
EXPENDITURES					
General Government: County Judge					
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	\$ 286,680 11,135	\$ 286,680 11,135	\$ 268,960 8,771	\$ 17,720 2,364	
Total County Judge	297,815	297,815	277,731	20,084	
IT Operations - County Judge	202 200	202 200	107.252	105 120	
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total IT Operations - County	302,390 9,530	302,390 9,530	197,252 1,037	105,138 8,493	
Judge	311,920	311,920	198,289	113,631	
IT Hardware/Software - County Judge Operations	384,621	348,828	304,570	44,258	
Total IT Hardware/Software - County Judge	384,621	348,828	304,570	44,258	
County Clerk Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	637,763	637,763	609,362	28,401	
Operations	108,201	108,201	92,944	15,257	
Total County Clerk	745,964	745,964	702,306	43,658	
Healthy County Initiative					
Operations	3,000	3,000	474	2,526	
Total Healthy County Initiative	3,000	3,000	<u>474</u>	2,526	
Elections					
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	136,245 72,878	171,245 68,623	164,330 32,380	6,915 36,243	
Total Elections	209,123	239,868	196,710	43,158	
Voter Registration Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	61,524	64,024	62,812	1,212	
Operations	25,500	31,800	31,585	215	
Total Voter Registration	87,024	95,824	94,397	1,427	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
County Facilities Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total County Facilities	\$ 548,890 359,944 908,834	\$ 548,890 455,044 1,003,934	\$ 477,329 436,690 914,019	\$ 71,561 18,354 89,915
Facilities - Justice Center Municipal Allocation				
Operations Total Facilities - Justice Center	10,983	10,983	7,680	3,303
Municipal Allocation	10,983	10,983	7,680	3,303
Centralized Costs Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total Centralized Costs	615,928 673,263  1,289,191	615,928 667,817 9,071 1,292,816	334,297 638,946 9,071 982,314	281,631 28,871  310,502
Contingency	1,209,191	1,292,010	902,314	310,302
Operations Total Contingency	918,500 918,500			
General Governmental Projects Capital Expenditures Intergovernmental Contracts	115,000	572,526 50,000	25,248 -	547,278 50,000
Projects  Total General Governmental	201,600	2,165,533	194,750	1,970,783
Projects	316,600	2,788,059	219,998	2,568,061
General Governmental Projects - ARP Projects Total General Governmental	7,086,880	622,185	80,790	541,395
Projects - ARP	7,086,880	622,185	80,790	541,395
Total General Government	12,570,455	7,761,196	3,979,278	3,781,918
Financial Administration: Financial Systems				
Operations Total Financial Systems	149,833 149,833	109,833 109,833	104,955 104,955	4,878 4,878
County Auditor				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	785,307 61,275	785,307 41,275	761,682 27,025	23,625 14,250
Total County Auditor	846,582	826,582	788,707	37,875
County Treasurer Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	383,797 23,579	383,797 23,579	370,001 18,112	13,796 5,467
Total County Treasurer	407,376	407,376	388,113	19,263

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	Amounts		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
County Treasurer - Collections Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	\$ 132,060 21,820	\$ 132,060 21,820	\$ 125,826 10,493	\$ 6,234 11,327
Total County Treasurer - Collections	153,880	153,880	136,319	17,561
Purchasing Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	273,288 13,517	294,596 17,274	271,896 17,186	22,700
Total Purchasing	286,805	311,870	289,082	22,788
Vehicle Registration Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Vehicle Registration	524,997 14,402 539,399	524,997 14,402 539,399	481,414 8,898 490,312	43,583 5,504 49,087
Financial Service Contracts Intergovernmental Contracts Total Financial Service Contracts	611,230 611,230	611,230 611,230	611,230 611,230	
Financial Projects Projects Total Financial Projects	<u>-</u>	323,430 323,430	20,155 20,155	303,275 303,275
Total Financial Administration	2,995,105	3,283,600	2,828,873	454,727
Judicial: Courts - Central Costs				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	42,500 222,665	42,500 101,390	42,285 99,820	215 1,570
Total Courts - Central Costs	265,165	143,890	142,105	1,785
County Court-At-Law	400 220	402.041	402.022	0
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	488,229 183,544	493,941 258,478	493,933 255,910	8 2,568
Total County Court-At-Law	671,773	752,419	749,843	2,576
12th Judicial District Court				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	246,623 154,806	259,065 196,509	256,688 195,160	2,377 1,349
Total 12th Judicial District Court	401,429	455,574	451,848	3,726

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance with Final Budget -
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)
278th Judicial District Court Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	\$ 253,830 154,623	\$ 257,256 192,028	\$ 255,523 190,718	\$ 1,733 1,310
Total 278th Judicial District Court	408,453	449,284	446,241	3,043
Courts-Pretrial Bond Supervision Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	63,524 7,300	63,524 7,300	59,718 1,430	3,806 5,870
Total Courts-Pretrial Bond Supervision	70,824	70,824	61,148	9,676
District Clerk Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total District Clerk	556,165 33,639 589,804	569,460 33,639 603,099	543,539 29,489 573,028	25,921 4,150 30,071
Criminal District Attorney Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Criminal District Attorney	1,880,360 70,333 1,950,693	1,880,472 106,740 1,987,212	1,816,008 103,547 1,919,555	64,464 3,193 67,657
Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 1 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Justice Of The Peace -	296,549 13,574	296,549 13,574	285,812 4,498	10,737 9,076
Precinct 1  Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 2  Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	310,123 232,424	310,123 232,424	<u>290,310</u> 227,179	<u>19,813</u> 5,245
Operations Total Justice Of The Peace -	10,295	10,295	5,575	4,720
Precinct 2  Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 3	242,719	242,719	232,754	9,965
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Justice Of The Peace -	234,768 11,904	234,768 11,904	232,115 	2,653 3,930
Precinct 3	246,672	246,672	240,089	6,583
Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 4 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	296,394 17,237	296,394 17,237	254,768 10,306	41,626 6,931
Total Justice Of The Peace - Precinct 4	313,631	313,631	265,074	48,557

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
Juvenile Probation Support Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	\$ 79,030 71,406	\$ 79,730 70,706	\$ 79,655 36,685	\$ 75 34,021
Total Juvenile Probation Support	150,436	150,436	116,340	34,096
Judicial Projects Projects	_	17,747	13,029	4,718
Total Judicial Projects		17,747	13,029	4,718
Total Judicial	5,621,722	5,743,630	5,501,364	242,266
Public Safety: Sheriff's Office				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	3,683,759	3,516,597	1,593,686	1,922,911
Operations Capital Expenditures	303,539 <u>350,365</u>	537,459 256,311	490,447 247,895	47,012 8,416
Total Juvenile Probation Support	4,337,663	4,310,367	2,332,028	1,978,339
Sheriff's Office - ARP				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Capital Expenditures		3,569,244 2,865,386	1,918,688 <u>1,086,672</u>	1,650,556 1,778,714
Total Sheriff's Office - ARP		6,434,630	3,005,360	3,429,270
Estray Operations	6,000	6,000	866	5,134
Total Estray	6,000	6,000	866	5,134
Courthouse Security General Fund				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits  Total Courthouse Security	309,271	309,271	303,708	5,563
General Fund	309,271	309,271	303,708	5,563
Constable Central	62.026	FC F0C	FC 176	420
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	62,926 5,419	56,596 5,419	56,176 1,325	420 4,094
Total Constable Central	68,345	62,015	57,501	4,514
Constable - Precinct 1 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	05.050	0F 162	OF 161	2
Operations	85,058 8,740	85,163 10,635	85,161 7,896	2 2,739
Total Constable - Precinct 1	93,798	95,798	93,057	2,741
Constable - Precinct 2 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	85,058	85,058	84,727	331
Operations	9,223	17,167	15,555	1,612
Total Constable - Precinct 2	94,281	102,225	100,282	1,943

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	d Amounts	ı	Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
Constable - Precinct 3 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total Constable - Precinct 3	\$ 162,723 17,664 66,684 247,071	\$ 165,323 39,067 66,684 271,074	\$ 165,312 32,050 64,691 262,053	\$ 11 7,017 1,993 9,021
Constable - Precinct 4 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Constable - Precinct 4	402,553 46,317 448,870	406,178 69,632 475,810	406,170 64,053 470,223	8 5,579 5,587
Support Personnel - DPS Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Support Personnel - DPS	68,196 2,215 70,411	68,196 2,215 70,411	67,288 580 67,868	908 1,635 2,543
Weigh Station Utilities And Services Operations Total Weigh Station Utilities And Services	35,187 35,187	35,187 35,187	32,059 32,059	3,128 3,128
Emergency Management Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Emergency Management	309,327 175,197 484,524	309,327 203,699 513,026	305,777 178,144 483,921	3,550 25,555 29,105
Public Safety Governmental Services Co Intergovernmental Contracts Total Public Safety Governmental Services Contracts	1,010,591 1,010,591	1,010,591 1,010,591	1,003,145 1,003,145	7,446 7,446
Public Safety Projects Projects		2,402,647	422,093	1,980,554
Total Public Safety Projects		2,402,647	422,093	1,980,554
Total Public Safety	7,206,012	16,099,052	8,634,164	7,464,888
Correction And Rehabilitation County Jail Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total County Jail County Jail -ARP	2,611,503 643,109 - 3,254,612	2,578,503 760,798 18,494 3,357,795	1,204,266 742,351 18,494 1,965,111	1,374,237 18,447  1,392,684
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Total County Jail- ARP		1,340,995 1,340,995	1,340,995 1,340,995	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

_	Budgeted Amounts						ance with	
						Actual		l Budget - 'ositive
<u>-</u>		Original		Final		Amounts	(N	egative)
Jail-Inmate Medical Cost Center								
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	<u>\$</u>	194,455	\$	194,455	\$	161,959	\$	32,496
Operations Total Jail-Inmate Medical		169,478		218,678		203,691		14,987
Cost Center		363,933		413,133	_	365,650		47,483
Probation Support								
Operations		56,498		56,498		43,876		12,622
Total Probation Support		56,498		56,498		43,876		12,622
Adult - Community Service								
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations		62,196		62,196		58,967		3,229
Total Adult - Community Service		850 63,046		850 63,046		804 59,771		46 3,275
Corrections and Rehabilitation Projects		03,040	_	05,010	_	33,771		3,273
Projects		-		126,500		-		126,500
Capital Expenditures				249,442				249,442
Total Corrections and Rehabilitatic				375,942				375,942
Total Correction And Rehabilitation		3,738,089		5,607,409	_	3,775,403		L,832,006
Health And Welfare: Veterans Service								
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits		35,395		35,395		26,999		8,396
Operations		2,137		2,137		591		1,546
Total Veterans Service		37,532		37,532		27,590		9,942
Social Services		22.000		22.000		2.050		20.041
Operations Total Social Services		23,800 23,800		23,800 23,800		2,859 2,859		20,941 20,941
	-	23,000	-	23,000		2,039	-	20,941
Planning And Development Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits		593,095		593,095		534,698		58,397
Operations		160,063		227,655		195,426		32,229
Total Planning And		752.450		020 750		720.424		00.606
Development		753,158		820,750		730,124		90,626
Litter Control - General Fund Operations		44,476		46,876		19,731		27,145
Total Litter Control - General Fund		44,476	_	46,876		19,731		27,145
Health And Welfare - Governmental	-			,				
Service Contracts								
Intergovernmental Contracts		115,730		153,028		152,305		723
Total Health And Welfare - Governmental Service Contracts		115,730		153,028		152,305		723
Health and Welfare Projects								
Projects				1,151,752		158,365		993,387
Total Health and Welfare Projects				1,151,752		158,365		993,387
Total Health And Welfare		974,696		2,233,738		1,090,974	1	L,142,764

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GENERAL FUND

	Budgeted	Amounts		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
Culture And Education:	Original	- I mai	7411041165	(Negative)
Historical Commission				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	\$ 16,581 5,780	\$ 16,581 5,780	\$ 16,456 3,534	\$ 125 <u>2,246</u>
Total Historical Commission	22,361	22,361	19,990	2,371
Texas Agrilife Extension Service Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	241,027 33,412	241,027 34,412	220,459 30,176	20,568 4,236
Total Texas Agrilife Extension				
Service Extension	274,439	275,439	250,635	24,804
Culture And Education Contracts				
Intergovernmental Contracts		22,457	22,457	
Total Culture And Education				
Projects		22,457	22,457	
Culture And Education Projects Projects	_	<u>59,415</u>	18,682	40,733
Total Culture And Education				
Projects		59,415	18,682	40,733
Total Culture And Education	296,800	379,672	311,764	67,908
Debt Service: Principal Retirement Interest And Fiscal Charges	225,959 2,230	225,959 2,230	225,959 2,230	<u>-</u>
Total Debt Service	228,189	228,189	228,189	
Total Expenditures	33,631,068	41,336,486	26,350,009	14,986,477
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	( 6,991,700)	( 9,913,249)	6,346,655	16,259,904
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in Transfers out	- ( 2,750,562)	150,000 ( 2,228,165)	150,000 ( 2,228,165)	
Total other financing sources (uses)	( 2,750,562)	( 2,078,165)	( 2,078,165)	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 9,742,262)	( 11,991,414)	4,268,490	16,259,904
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	18,331,927	18,331,927	18,331,927	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>8,589,665</u>	\$ 6,340,513	\$ 22,600,417	\$ <u>16,259,904</u>



# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES				
Ad Valorem Taxes:	± 2.622.120	± 2.622.120	A 2715757	. 02.610
Current Taxes Total Ad Valorem Taxes	\$ 3,632,138 3,632,138	\$ 3,632,138 3,632,138	\$ 3,715,757 3,715,757	\$ 83,619 83,619
Intergovernmental:				
Federal Funds				
Disaster Relief	-	85,301	85,302	1
Other Federal Funds	=	41	41	
Total Federal Funds		85,342	85,343	1
State Funds				
Other State Funds	103,765	123,765	107,379	<u>( 16,386</u> )
Total State Funds	103,765	123,765	107,379	( 16,386)
Other Intergovernmental Funds				
U.S. Forest Service	120,000	120,000	148,300	28,300
Total Other Intergovernmental Funds	120,000	120,000	148,300	28,300
Total Intergovernmental	223,765	329,107	341,022	11,915
Fees Of Office/Charges For Services:				
Road And Bridge Fees	890,250	890,250	901,900	11,650
Total Fees Of Office/Charges For Services	890,250	890,250	901,900	11,650
Fines And Forfeitures:				
License And Weight - Operations	180,000	180,000	182,994	2,994
Other Fines And Forfeitures	526,000	526,000	375,722	( 150,278)
Total Fines And Forfeitures	706,000	706,000	558,716	( 147,284)
Interest Income	3,000	3,000	31,203	28,203
Other Income		19,340	19,343	3
Total Revenues	5,455,153	5,579,835	5,567,941	( 11,894)
EXPENDITURES				
Public transportation:				
Road and Bridge General	70.000	202 712	64 222	222.445
Operations	70,000	283,748	61,303	222,445
Total Road and Bridge General	70,000	283,748	61,303	222,445

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts	_	Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
B 1 18:1 B : 14				
Road and Bridge - Precinct 1 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Road and Bridge - Precinct 1	\$ 661,351 651,194 1,312,545	\$ 661,351 1,550,957 2,212,308	\$ 639,457 495,421 1,134,878	\$ 21,894 1,055,536 1,077,430
Total Road and Bridge Treemet 1	1,312,343	2,212,500	1,154,070	1,077,430
Road and Bridge - Precinct 2 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Road and Bridge - Precinct 2	814,695 905,573 1,720,268	814,695 1,979,113 2,793,808	722,942 908,825 1,631,767	91,753 1,070,288 1,162,041
Road and Bridge - Precinct 3 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total Road and Bridge - Precinct 3	833,366 755,132 - 1,588,498	839,366 1,503,908 197,259 2,540,533	822,493 845,630 154,092 1,822,215	16,873 658,278 43,167 718,318
Road and Bridge - Precinct 4 Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total Road and Bridge - Precinct 4	815,965 802,551 - 1,618,516	815,965 1,451,879 88,980 2,356,824	778,303 873,297 88,980 1,740,580	37,662 578,582  616,244
Road and Bridge Weigh Station Operations Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	23,325	23,325	22,107	1,218
Operations	34,781	108,309		108,309
Total Road and Bridge Weigh Station Operations	58,106	131,634	22,107	109,527
Road and Bridge Weigh Station Projects Operations		56,378		56,378
Total Road and Bridge Weigh Station Projects		56,378		56,378
Total Public Transportation Total Expenditures	6,367,933 6,367,933	10,375,233 10,375,233	6,412,850 6,412,850	3,962,383 3,962,383

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

	Budgeted Amounts	Variance with
	Original Final	Final Budget - Actual Positive Amounts (Negative)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	\$ <u>( 912,780</u> ) \$ <u>( 4,795,398</u> )	\$ <u>( 844,909)</u> \$ <u> 3,950,489</u>
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers In Transfers Out Proceeds from Sales of Assets Total Other Financing Sources (uses)	794,700 1,594,700 - ( 150,000) - 86,500 794,700 1,531,200	1,594,700 - ( 150,000) - 86,500 - 1,531,200 -
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 118,080) ( 3,264,198)	686,291 3,950,489
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	3,375,580 3,375,580	3,375,580 -
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>3,257,500</u> \$ <u>111,382</u>	\$ <u>4,061,871</u> \$ <u>3,950,489</u>

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### WALKER COUNTY EMS FUND

	Budgeted		Variance with	
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Emergency Medical Services Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u>2,505,000</u> <u>2,505,000</u>	\$ 2,505,000 2,505,000	\$ 2,909,035 2,909,035	\$ <u>404,035</u> 404,035
Intergovernmental: ARP Funds State Funds Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services		2,312,539 82,676 2,395,215	2,312,539 82,676 2,395,215	<u> </u>
Interest Income	1,000	1,000	13,841	12,841
Other Income Total Revenues	2,506,000	4,474 4,905,689	4,474 5,322,565	416,876
EXPENDITURES				
Public Safety: Walker County EMS - Emergency Services Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total Walker County EMS - Emergency Services	3,477,209 762,728 270,000 4,509,937	3,584,853 943,404 354,440 4,882,697	1,218,043 907,614 341,868 2,467,525	2,366,810 35,790 12,572 2,415,172
Walker County EMS - Contingency Operations Total Walker County EMS - Contingency	200,000 200,000	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	
Walker County EMS - ARP Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Total Walker County EMS - Contingency	<u>-</u>	2,312,539 2,312,539	2,312,539 2,312,539	<u> </u>
Total Public Safety	4,709,937	7,195,236	4,780,064	2,415,172
Total Expenditures	4,709,937	7,195,236	4,780,064	2,415,172
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	( 2,203,937)	( 2,289,547)	542,501	2,832,048
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers In Total Other Financing Sources (uses)	1,911,121 1,911,121	575,610 575,610	575,610 575,610	<u>-</u> -
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 292,816)	( 1,713,937)	1,118,111	2,832,048
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	1,574,408	1,574,408	1,574,408	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>1,281,592</u>	\$ <u>( 139,529</u> )	\$ <u>2,692,519</u>	\$ 2,832,048

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### GRANTS AND CONTRACTS FUND

	Budgeted	d Amounts		Variance with Final Budget -
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Intergovernmental: Federal Funds				
HAVA Election Security Grant CDBG Grant District Attorney Grant Justice Assistance Grant	\$ - - 52,456	\$ 14,954 2,457,028 52,456 6,380	\$ - 2,457,026 50,897 6,380	\$( 14,954) ( 2) ( 1,559)
Total Federal Funds	52,456	2,530,818	2,514,303	( 16,515)
State Funds Other State Funds Total State Funds	5,655,566 5,655,566	5,708,265 5,708,265	5,625,009 5,625,009	( 83,256) ( 83,256)
Total Intergovernmental	5,708,022	8,239,083	8,139,312	( 99,771)
Other Income Total Revenues	5,708,022	9,975 8,249,058	9,975 8,149,287	99,771)
EXPENDITURES				
General Government: HAVA Election Security Operations Total HAVA Election Security	<u>-</u>	14,954 14,954		14,954 14,954
Total General Government		14,954		14,954

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### GRANTS AND CONTRACTS FUND

	Budgeted	l Amounts		Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)		
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts			
Judicial: SPU Criminal						
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Total SPU Criminal	\$\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	\$_1,556,083 1,556,083	\$\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	\$ <u>14,288</u> 14,288		
SPU Criminal - State General Allocation Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Capital Expenditures Total SPU Criminal - State	203,333 217,044 20,000	203,333 217,044 20,000	168,017 143,546 26,624	35,316 73,498 ( 6,624)		
General Allocation	440,377	440,377	338,187	102,190		
SPU/Civil Division Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total SPU/Civil Division	1,611,716 1,012,836 2,624,552	1,624,416 1,022,811 2,647,227	1,620,553 1,146,592 2,767,145	3,863 ( 123,781) ( 119,918)		
SPU - Juvenile Division Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total SPU - Juvenile Division	845,297 126,787 972,084	849,137 126,787 975,924	788,021 101,207 889,228	61,116 25,580 86,696		
District Attorney Victim Assistance Coordinator Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	63,590 1,980	63,590 1,980	63,536 475	54 1,505		
Total District Attorney Victim Assistance Coordinator	65,570	65,570	64,011	1,559		
Total Judicial	5,622,507	5,685,181	5,600,366	84,815		
Public Safety: Auto Theft Task Force						
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Total Auto Theft Task Force	98,629 98,629	98,629 98,629	98,629 98,629			
Justice Assistance Grant Operations		6,380	6,380	<del>-</del>		
Total Justice Assistance Grant		6,380	6,380			
Total Public Safety	98,629	105,009	105,009			

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### GRANTS AND CONTRACTS FUND

	Budgeted	Amounts		Variance with Final Budget -
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)
Health and Welfare: CDBG Grant				
Operations	-	88,047	88,046	1
Total CDBG Grant		88,047	88,046	1
CDBG- WC SUD Grant				
Operations		7,520	7,520	
Total CDBG- WC SUD Grant		7,520	7,520	
Total Health and Welfare		95,567	95,566	1
Public Transportation: CDBG Grant Operations	_	2,361,461	2,361,460	1
Total CDBG Grant		2,361,461	2,361,460	1
Total Public Transportation Total Expenditures	- 5,721,136	2,361,461 8,262,172	2,361,460 8,162,401	99,771
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	( 13,114)	( 13,114)	( 13,114)	-
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers In	13,114	13,114	13,114	-
Total Other Financing Sources (uses)	13,114	13,114	13,114	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	-	-	-
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING				<u> </u>
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	\$	\$ <u>-</u>	\$



#### NOTES TO REQUIRED BUDGETARY INFORMATION

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

#### **Budgetary Information**

Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for all governmental funds. The legal level of budgetary control is the category defined as Salary, Other Pay and Benefits, Operations, Capital Expenditures and Transfers. The budget is prepared by fund, function, department, and category and includes information about the past year current year estimates and requested appropriations for the next fiscal year. The County's department heads may make transfers of appropriations within categories established for their departments. Transfers of appropriations between categories and/or departments require a budget amendment and approval of Commissioners' Court. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year-end.

# SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Measurement Date December 31,		2021		2020	2019			
Total Pension Liability						_		
Service Cost	\$	3,275,479	\$	2,907,235	\$	2,723,984		
Interest Total Pension Liability		8,786,853	,	8,206,983		7,651,788		
Changes of Benefit Terms Effect of Economic/Demographic (Gains) or Losses		1,546,109	(	356,639) 127,390		212,840		
Effect of Assumption Changes or Inputs Refunds of Employee Contributions	(	354,302)		7,264,226 -		-		
Benefit Payments	(	4,411,874)	(	4,033,851)	(	3,805,786)		
Net Change in Total Pension Liability		8,842,265		14,115,344		6,782,826		
Total Pension Liability - Beginning		114,506,549		100,391,205	_	93,608,379		
Total Pension Liability - Ending (a)	\$	123,348,814	\$	114,506,549	\$	100,391,205		
Plan Fiduciary Net Position								
Employer Contributions	\$	2,890,668	\$	2,831,347	\$	2,520,045		
Member Contributions		1,452,597		1,399,678		1,331,344		
Investment Income Net of Investment Expenses		20,409,489		8,690,548		11,866,287		
Refunds of Member Contributions		-		-		_		
Benefit Payments	(	4,411,874)	(	4,033,851)	(	3,805,785)		
Administrative Expenses	(	61,273)	(	68,016)	(	64,102)		
Other	_	23,729		14,171	_	13,278		
Net Change in Plan Fiduciary Net Position		20,303,336		8,833,877		11,861,067		
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Beginning		92,953,730		84,119,853		72,258,786		
Plan Fiduciary Net Position - Ending (b)		113,257,066		92,953,730	_	84,119,853		
Net Pension Liability - Ending (a) - (b)	\$	10,091,748	\$	21,552,819	\$	16,271,352		
Fiduciary Net Position as A Percentage of Total Pension Liability		91.82%		81.18%		83.79%		
Pensionable Covered Payroll	\$	20,751,384	\$	19,995,389	\$	19,019,207		
Net Pension Liability as A Percentage of Covered Payroll		48.63%		107.79%		85.55%		

Note: This schedule is required to include 10 years of information, but information prior to 2014 is not available.

	2018		2017		2016	2015			2014
\$	2,750,153 7,187,227 - 441,469)	\$	2,845,331 6,801,748 - 747,402)	\$	2,907,140 6,215,848 - 139,557)	\$ ( (	2,412,090 5,847,175 438,596) 1,299,374)	\$	2,368,490 5,370,303 - -
(	295,983) 3,369,791) 5,830,137 87,778,242	(	528,800) 263,314) 3,110,010) 4,997,553 82,780,689	(	110,395) 2,864,353) 6,008,683 76,772,006	( (	971,330 141,788) 2,730,734) 4,620,103 72,151,903	<u>(</u>	475,276 187,830) 2,168,317) 5,857,922 66,293,981
\$	93,608,379	\$	87,778,242	\$	82,780,689	\$	76,772,006	\$	72,151,903
\$	2,376,957 1,279,899 1,372,957)	\$	2,286,068 1,280,198 9,370,424	\$	2,201,382 1,227,862 4,389,111	\$	2,143,232 1,207,941 203,510)	\$	1,981,978 1,141,438 3,755,184
(	295,983) 3,369,791) 58,039) 7,213	(	263,314) 3,110,010) 49,007) 2,048	(	110,395) 2,864,353) 47,778) 50,980	(	141,788) 2,730,734) 42,642) 55,451	(	187,830) 2,168,317) 43,790) 1,767
(	1,432,701)		9,516,407		4,846,809		287,950		4,480,430
	73,691,487		64,175,080		59,328,271		59,040,321		54,559,891
	72,258,786		73,691,487		64,175,080		59,328,271		59,040,321
\$	21,349,593	\$	14,086,755	\$	18,605,609	\$	17,443,735	\$	13,111,582
\$	77.19% 18,284,273	\$	83.95% 18,288,545	\$	77.52% 17,540,889	\$	77.28% 17,256,294	\$	81.83% 16,048,404
	116.76%		77.03%		106.07%		101.09%		81.70%

#### SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Fiscal Year Ended September 30,	d Determined			Actual Employer ontribution	D	ontribution deficiency (Excess)	_	Pensionable Covered Payroll (1)	as a %	Contribution of Covered ayroll
2015	\$	2,043,190	\$	2,043,190	\$	_	\$	16,472,340		12.40%
2016		2,164,392	•	2,164,392	'	-	'	17,293,855		12.52%
2017		2,272,855		2,272,855		-		18,163,487		12.51%
2018		2,355,162		2,355,162		-		18,308,073		12.86%
2019		2,472,546		2,472,546		-		18,754,201		13.18%
2020		2,520,045		2,520,045		-		19,819,563		12.71%
2021		2,832,718		2,832,718		-		20,247,218		13.99%
2022		3,302,192		3,302,192		-		22,902,425		14.42%

<sup>(1)</sup> Payroll is calculated based on contributions as reported to TCDRS.

Note: This schedule is required to include 10 years of information, but information prior to 2014 is not available.

#### Notes to Schedule:

Valuation Date	Actuarially determined contribution rates are calculated each December 31, two years prior to the end of the fiscal year in which contributions are reported.
Actuarial Cost Method	Entry age
Amortization Method	Level percentage of payroll, closed
<b>Remaining Amortization Period</b>	18.8 years (based on contribution rate calculated in 12/31/2021 valuation)
<b>Asset Valuation Method</b>	5-year smoothed market
Inflation	2.50%
Salary Increases	Varies by age and service. 4.7% average over career including inflation.
<b>Investment Rate of Return</b>	7.5%, net of administrative and investment expenses, including inflation.
Retirement Age	Members who are elegible for service retirement are assumed to commence receiving benefit payments based on age. The average age at retirement for recent retirees is 61.
Mortality	135% of the Pub-2010 General Retirees Table for males and 120% of the Pub-2010 General Retirees Table for females, both projected with 100% of the MP-2021 Ultimate scale after 2010.
Changes in Assumptions	<ul><li>2015: New inflation, mortality and other assumptions were reflected.</li><li>2017: New mortality assumptions were reflected.</li><li>2019: New inflation, mortality and other assumptions were reflected.</li></ul>
Changes in Plan Provisions	2015: Employer contributions reflect that a 40% CPI COLA was adopted. 2016: Employer contributions reflect that a 40% CPI COLA was adopted. 2017: Employer contributions reflect that a 40% CPI COLA was adopted. Also, new Annuity Purchase Rates were reflected for benefits earned after 2017. 2018: Employer contributions reflect that a 40% CPI COLA was adopted. 2019: Employer contributions reflect that a 40% CPI COLA was adopted. 2020: Employer contributions reflect that a 40% CPI COLA was adopted. 2021: No changes in plan provisions were reflected in the schedule.

# SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN TOTAL OPEB LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS RETIREE HEALTH CARE BENEFIT PLAN

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Measurement Date December 31,	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	
Total OPEB liability						
Service Cost Interest on the Total OPEB Liability Changes of Benefit Terms Difference Between Expected and Actual Experience Changes of Assumptions and Other Inputs Benefit Payments	\$ 840,963 511,078 - ( 1,214,137) ( 7,228,559) ( 355,412)		\$ 625,233 747,166 - ( 1,011,757) 2,914,494 ( 210,549)	\$ 625,233 678,363 - - - - ( 257,808)	\$ 600,839 661,955 - - - - ( 257,808)	
Net Change in Total OPEB Liability	( 7,446,067)	1,103,574	3,064,587	1,045,788	1,004,986	
Total OPEB Liability - Beginning	22,051,307	20,947,733	17,883,146	16,837,358	15,832,372	
Total OPEB Liability - Ending	\$ <u>14,605,240</u>	\$ <u>22,051,307</u>	\$ 20,947,733	\$ <u>17,883,146</u>	\$ <u>16,837,358</u>	
Covered-employee payroll	\$ 7,531,661	\$ 8,334,886	\$ 8,334,886	\$ 8,134,025	\$ 8,134,025	
Total OPEB liability as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	193.92%	264.57%	251.33%	219.86%	207.00%	

#### **Notes to Schedule:**

- This schedule is required to have 10 years of information, but the information prior to 2018 is not available.
- No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions.



COMBINING STATEMENTS AND BUDGET COMPARISONS AS SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

## COMBINING BALANCE SHEET

### NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

### SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

				Spe		Revenue Fund	ls			
	County Records Management and Preservation Fund		County Records Preservation II Fund		Ma	ounty Clerk Records anagement Preservation Fund		ounty Clerk Records Archive Fund	Court Facilities Fund	
ASSETS										
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	446	\$	63,717	\$	283,213	\$	187,234	\$	15,363
Due from Other Governments		-		-		-		-		-
Accounts Receivable		-		-	_	-	_	-	_	- 45.262
Total Assets	-	446	-	63,717	-	283,213	_	187,234		15,363
LIABILITIES										
Accounts Payable		-		-		-		-		-
Due to Other Funds		-		-		-		-		-
Due to Other Governments		-		-		-		-		-
Accrued Liabilities		-		-		-		-		-
Unearned Revenues		-					_		_	
Total Liabilities					_		_		_	
FUND BALANCES										
Restricted For Grants Or By Legislature		446		63,717		283,213		187,234		15,363
Total fund balances		446	_	63,717	_	283,213		187,234	_	15,363
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	446	\$	63,717	\$	283,213	\$	187,234	\$	15,363

Special Revenue Funds

	strict Clerk Records						•									
Management and Preservation Fund			District Clerk Rider Fund		District Clerk Archive Fund		County Jury Fee Fund		County Jury Fund		Court Reporter Service Fund		County Law Library Fund		Language Access Fund	
\$	34,448 -	\$	34,683 -	\$	5,784 -	\$	56 -	\$	7,022 -	\$	17,811 -	\$	43,004 -	\$	4,848 -	
_	34,448	_	34,683	_	5,784	_	- 56	_	7,022	_	17,811	_	43,004	_	4,848	
	-		-		-		-		-		-		564		-	
	-		- - 287		-		-		-		-		- - 397		-	
	<u>-</u>	_	- 287		<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>	_	<u>-</u>	_	<u>-</u>	_	961		<u>-</u>	
			207					_		_		_	901			
	34,448		34,396		5,784 5,784		<u>56</u>	_	7,022	_	17,811	_	42,043		4,848	
\$	34,448	\$ <u></u>	34,396 34,683	\$	5,784 5,784	\$	56 56	\$_	7,022 7,022	\$_	17,811 17,811	\$ <u> </u>	42,043	\$	4,848 4,848	

### COMBINING BALANCE SHEET

### NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

### SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

				Spe	ecial F	Revenue Fu	nds	5		
		ourthouse Security Fund	Ju	ustice Courts Building Security Fund	JP Truancy Prevention and Diversion Fund		County Specialty Court Programs Fund			US Forest Service Fund
ASSETS										
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	15,837	\$	54,829	\$	35,301	\$	12,174	\$	17,354
Due from Other Governments		-		-		-		-		-
Accounts Receivable		-	_			-	_		_	
Total Assets		15,837	_	54,829	_	35,301	_	12,174	_	17,354
LIABILITIES										
Accounts Payable		-		-		-		-		17,354
Due to Other Funds		-		-		-		-		-
Due to Other Governments		-		-		-		-		-
Accrued Liabilities		3,297		-		-		-		-
Unearned Revenues			_				_	_	_	
Total Liabilities		3,297	_	-	_		_		_	17,354
FUND BALANCES										
Restricted For Grants Or By Legislature		12,540	_	54,829		35,301	_	12,174	_	
Total Fund Balances	_	12,540	_	54,829		35,301	_	12,174	_	
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	15,837	\$_	54,829	\$	35,301	\$_	12,174	\$_	17,354

				Special Rev	enue Funds			
	tice Courts echnology Fund	County and District Courts Technology Fund	Child Abuse Prevention Fund	District Attorney Prosecutors Supplement Fund	Pretrial Intervention Program Fund	District Attorney Forfeiture Fund	District Attorney Hot Check Fee Fund	Sheriff Forfeiture Fund
\$	87,458	\$ 1,072	\$ 1,889	\$ 1,948	\$ 125,360	\$ 213,778	\$ 2,180	\$ 532,950
	-	-	-	- 7,500	-	-	-	-
	87,458	1,072	1,889	9,448	125,360	213,778	2,180	532,950
	-	-	-	6,478	-	-	429	2,488
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	_	-	-	832	-	-	-
	-			2,970				
_				9,448	832		429	2,488
-	87,458	1,072	1,889		124,528	213,778	<u>1,751</u>	530,462
	87,458	1,072	1,889		124,528	213,778	1,751	530,462
\$	87,458	\$ 1,072	\$1,889	\$9,448	\$ 125,360	\$213,778	\$	\$532,950

# COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

				S	pecia	al Revenue F	und	5		
		Medical 5 Fund 5 S		DOJ Equitable Sharing Fund		Sheriff Commissary Fund		Elections Equipment Fund		ax Assessor Elections Service ntract Fund
ASSETS										
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	56,692	\$	448,109	\$	331,277	\$	22,212	\$	61,054
Due from Other Governments		-		-		-		-		-
Accounts Receivable					_	7,340	_			300
Total Assets	_	56,692	_	448,109	_	338,617	_	22,212	_	61,354
LIABILITIES										
Accounts Payable		-		-		2,195		-		-
Due to Other Funds		-		-		-		-		-
Due to Other Governments		-		-		-		-		-
Accrued Liabilities		-		-		99		-		-
Unearned Revenues				_		_		_		
Total Liabilities					_	2,294		-		-
FUND BALANCES										
Restricted For Grants Or By Legislature		56,692	_	448,109	_	336,323		22,212		61,354
Total Fund Balances		56,692	_	448,109	_	336,323		22,212		61,354
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	56,692	\$	448,109	\$	338,617	\$	22,212	\$	61,354

Special Re	venue Funds	
Tax Assessor Special Inventory Fee Fund	Juvenile Grant Fund	Total Nonmajor Special Revenue
\$ 96	\$ 89,532 26,153	\$ 2,808,731 26,153
96	115,685	15,140 2,850,024
_	_	29,508
-	13,874 4,837	13,874 4,837
-	12,919	17,831
	31,630	2,970 69,020
96 96	84,055 84,055	2,781,004 2,781,004
\$ 96	\$ 115,685	\$ 2,850,024

# COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

# NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

	Special Revenue Funds												
					Со	unty Clerk							
	Count	y Records				Records	Co	unty Clerk					
	Mana	agement	Count	y Records	Management		Records		Court				
	and Pre	eservation	Prese	Preservation II		and Preservation		Archive		Facilities			
	F	und	F	Fund		Fund		Fund		Fund			
REVENUES													
Intergovernmental	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_			
Charges for Services	7	5,026	7	4,266	7	135,283	т	120,116	т.	15,363			
Fines and Forfeitures		-		-		-		-		-			
Interest Income		-		432		1,332		215		-			
Other Income							_						
Total Revenues		5,026	-	4,698		136,615	_	120,331	_	15,363			
EXPENDITURES													
Current:													
General Government		5,525		17,923		391,656		-		-			
Judicial		-		-		-		-		-			
Public Safety		-		-		-		-		-			
Correction and Rehabilitation				-									
Total Expenditures		5,525		17,923		391,656	_			<u>-</u>			
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES													
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(	499)	(	13,225)	(	255,041)	_	120,331		15,363			
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)													
Transfers In				_									
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)							_	-		-			
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	499)	(	13,225)	(	255,041)		120,331		15,363			
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING		945		76,942		538,254		66,903	_				
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$	446	\$	63,717	\$	283,213	\$	187,234	\$	15,363			

Special Revenue Funds

				Spe	ecial Reve	nue	Funas						
Ма	strict Clerk Records nagement Preservation Fund	ict Clerk er Fund	ct Clerk ve Fund		nty Jury e Fund		County Jury Fund	Re	Court eporter vice Fund		unty Law ary Fund		nguage ess Fund
										-			
\$	-	\$ 12,000	\$ -	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
	18,015	-	598		2,932		7,022		23,332		35,500		4,848
	- 25	-	-		-		-		-		-		-
	35	207	-		-		-		-		-		-
	-	 -	 			_			-		-	-	-
	18,050	 12,207	 598		2,932	_	7,022		23,332	-	35,500	-	4,848
	-	-	-		-		-		_		-		_
	-	10,700	-		9,613		-		18,784		18,022		-
	-	-	-		-		-		-		-		-
		 10.700	 		9,613	_			10 704		10.022		
		 10,700	 		9,013	-			18,784		18,022		
	18,050	1,507	598	(	6,681)		7,022		4,548		17,478		4,848
			 			_							-
		 	 	-		_							-
	18,050	1,507	598	(	6,681)		7,022		4,548		17,478		4,848
	16,398	 32,889	 5,186		6,737	_			13,263		24,565		-
\$	34,448	\$ 34,396	\$ 5,784	\$	56	\$	7,022	\$	17,811	\$	42,043	\$	4,848

# COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

#### NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

	Special Revenue Funds									
		urthouse Security Fund	Е	ice Courts Building Security Fund	JP Truancy Prevention and Diversion Fund		County I Specialty Court Programs Fund		: 1	US Forest Service Fund
REVENUES Intergovernmental	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_
Charges for Services Fines and Forfeitures	Ψ	43,010 -	Ψ	3,469 -	Ψ	12,336	Ψ	5,969 -	Ψ	-
Interest Income		-		321		28		6		-
Other Income		-		-		-		-	_	
Total Revenues	_	43,010	_	3,790		12,364	_	5,975	_	
EXPENDITURES Current:										
General Government		-		-		-		-		-
Judicial		-		-		-		-		-
Public Safety		84,311		1,053		-		-		-
Correction and Rehabilitation	_	04 211	_	1,053			_		_	
Total Expenditures		84,311	_	1,055			_		_	
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(	41,301)		2,737		12,364		5,975		_
0 1 2 1 (0 112 2 11) 2 11 2 11 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1		,,							_	_
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)		44 741								
Transfers In	_	44,741 44,741							_	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		44,741							-	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		3,440		2,737		12,364		5,975		-
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING		9,100		52,092		22,937		6,199	_	
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$	12,540	\$	54,829	\$	35,301	\$	12,174	\$_	

Special Revenue Funds

				Special R	levenue Funds			
				District			District	
		County and		Attorney	Pretrial	District	Attorney	
Jus	tice Courts	District Courts	Child Abuse	Prosecutors	Intervention	Attorney	Hot Check	Sheriff
Τe	echnology	Technology	Prevention	Supplement	Program	Forfeiture	Fee	Forfeiture
	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund	Fund
\$	_	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 22,500	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
т.	11,722	1,290	534	-	27,945	-	1,001	-
	-	, -	-	-	, -	22,763	-	70,514
	525	7	-	-	563	1,162	-	3,238
	-	-	-	-	-	_	-	-
	12,247	1,297	534	22,500	28,508	23,925	1,001	73,752
_								
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	9,316	2,250	-	22,500	19,904	2,141	2,529	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50,538
_	-							
	9,316	2,250		22,500	19,904	2,141	2,529	50,538
	2.021	( 0.53)	F24		9.604	21 704	( 1.520)	22 214
_	2,931	( 953)	534		8,604	21,784	( 1,528)	23,214
	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
	_							
	2,931	( 953)	534	-	8,604	21,784	( 1,528)	23,214
	,				•	•	. ,	
	84,527	2,025	1,355		115,924	191,994	3,279	507,248
\$	87,458	\$1,072	\$1,889	\$	\$ <u>124,528</u>	\$ 213,778	\$ 1,751	\$ 530,462

# COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES

#### NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

				Sp	ecia	Revenue Fu	ınds			
		Sheriff Inmate Medical Fund	DOJ Equitable Sharing Fund		C	Sheriff ommissary Fund	Elections Equipment Fund		E	x Assessor Elections Service Itract Fund
REVENUES										
Intergovernmental	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	43,520	\$	300
Charges for Services		4,359	Ċ	-	Ċ	61,834	·	-	•	6,742
Fines and Forfeitures		-		41,542		-		-		-
Interest Income		319		2,790		1,495		-		252
Other Income		-		-		61,891		-		-
Total Revenues	_	4,678	_	44,332	_	125,220	_	43,520		7,294
EXPENDITURES										
Current:										
General Government		-		-		-		45,545		6,267
Judicial		-		-		-		-		-
Public Safety		-		-		-		-		-
Correction and Rehabilitation	_		_		_	42,430	_	-		-
Total Expenditures	_		_		_	42,430	_	45,545		6,267
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES										
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	_	4,678	_	44,332	_	82,790	(	2,025)		1,027
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)										
Transfers In	_		_		_		_		_	
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	_		_		_		_		_	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		4,678		44,332		82,790	(	2,025)		1,027
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING	_	52,014	_	403,777	_	253,533		24,237		60,327
FUND BALANCE, ENDING	\$	56,692	\$_	448,109	\$	336,323	\$	22,212	\$	61,354

Special	Revenue	e Funds						
Tax Assesso Special Inventory Fee Fund		Juvenile Grant Fund	Total Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds					
\$ - - - - -	\$ 	395,809 - - 599 - 396,408	\$ 	474,129 552,512 134,819 13,526 61,891 1,236,877				
- - - -	 	- 408,696 - - 408,696	<del></del>	466,916 524,455 135,902 42,430 1,169,703				
	_ (	12,288)	_	67,174				
	(	12,288)	_	44,741 44,741 111,915				
9	<u>6</u>	96,343	_	2,669,089				
\$ <u> </u>	<u>6</u> \$	84,055	\$	2,781,004				



**SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS** 



# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### COUNTY RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts	-	Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Records Preservation Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u>13,000</u> <u>13,000</u>	\$ <u>13,000</u> <u>13,000</u>	\$ <u>5,026</u> 5,026	\$ <u>(</u> 7,974) ( 7,974)
Total Revenues	13,000	13,000	5,026	( 7,974)
EXPENDITURES  General Government: County Records Management Operations Total County Records Management	14,560 14,560	14,560 14,560	<u>5,525</u> <u>5,525</u>	9,035 9,035
Total General Government	14,560	14,560	5,525	9,035
Total Expenditures	14,560	14,560	5,525	9,035
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 1,560)	( 1,560)	( 499)	1,061
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	945	945	945	<del>-</del>
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>(615</u> )	\$ <u>(615</u> )	\$ <u>446</u>	\$ <u>1,061</u>

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### COUNTY RECORDS PRESERVATION II FUND

		Budgeted Amounts					Variance with Final Budget -	
		Original		Final	4,266 432 4,698		Po	sitive gative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Records Preservation Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u></u>	12,500 12,500	\$	12,500 12,500	\$ <u></u>		\$ <u>(</u>	8,234) 8,234)
Interest Income Total Revenues	_	- 12,500	_	12,500	_			432 7,802)
EXPENDITURES  General Government: County Records Preservation II Fund Operations Total County Records Preservation II Fund	_	24,411 24,411	_	24,411 24,411	_	17,923 17,923		6,488 6,488
Total General Government Total Expenditures	_	24,411 24,411		24,411 24,411		17,923 17,923		6,488 6,488
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	11,911)	(	11,911)	(	13,225)	(	1,314)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		76,942		76,942		76,942		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	65,031	\$	65,031	\$	63,717	\$ <u>(</u>	1,314)

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### COUNTY CLERK RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION FUND

	Budgeted	d Amounts		Variance with		
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)		
<b>REVENUES</b> Fees of Office/Charges for Services:						
Records Preservation	\$ <u>128,000</u>	\$ <u>128,000</u>	\$ <u>135,283</u>	\$ <u>7,283</u>		
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	128,000	128,000	135,283	7,283		
Interest income Total revenues	300 128,300	300 128,300	1,332 136,615	1,032 8,315		
<b>EXPENDITURES</b> General Government: County Clerk Records Preservation						
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	26,857	26,857	-	26,857		
Operations	400,000	400,000	391,656	8,344		
Total County Clerk Records Preservation	426,857	426,857	<u>391,656</u>	35,201		
Total General Government Total Expenditures	426,857 426,857	426,857 426,857	391,656 391,656	35,201 35,201		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 298,557)	( 298,557)	( 255,041)	43,516		
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	538,254	538,254	538,254			
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ 239,697	\$ 239,697	\$ 283,213	\$ 43,516		

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# COUNTY CLERK RECORDS ARCHIVE FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance with Final Budget -		
DEVENUE	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)		
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Records Archive Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u>121,000</u> <u>121,000</u>	\$ <u>121,000</u> <u>121,000</u>	\$ 120,116 120,116	\$( <u>884)</u> ( <u>884)</u>		
Interest Income Total Revenues	1,000 122,000	1,000 122,000	215 120,331	( 785) ( 1,669)		
EXPENDITURES  General Government:  County Clerk Archive  Contingency	187,323	187,323		187,323		
Total County Clerk Archive  Total General Government  Total Expenditures	187,323 187,323 187,323	187,323 187,323 187,323	<u>-</u> -	187,323 187,323 187,323		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 65,323)	( 65,323)	120,331	185,654		
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	66,903	66,903	66,903			
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>1,580</u>	\$ 1,580	\$ 187,234	\$ <u>185,654</u>		

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### **COURT FACILITIES FUND**

	E	Budgete	d Amo	ounts	_		Variance with Final Budget -	
	Or	Original Final				Actual Amounts	Р	ositive egative)
<b>REVENUES</b> Fees of Office/Charges for Services:								
Court Facility Fees	\$	-	\$	-	\$	15,363	\$	15,363
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services		-			_	15,363		15,363
Total Revenues		_			_	15,363		15,363
EXPENDITURES								
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		15,363		15,363
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		-			_			
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	-	\$	_	\$	15,363	\$	15,363

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### DISTRICT CLERK RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION FUND

	Budge	ted Amounts	_	Variance with
	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)	
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Records Preservation Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u>4,60</u>			\$ 13,415 13,415
Interest Income		<u> </u>	35	35
Total Revenues	4,60	4,600	18,050	13,450
EXPENDITURES Judicial: District Clerk Records Preversation Operations Total District Clerk Records Preservation	3,00 3,00			3,000 3,000
Total Judicial	3,00	3,000	_	3,000
Total Expenditures	3,00			3,000
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	1,60	1,600	18,050	16,450
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	16,39	16,398	16,398	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>17,99</u>	9 <u>8</u> \$ <u>17,998</u>	\$34,448	\$ <u>16,450</u>

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# DISTRICT CLERK RIDER FUND

	Budgeted Amo	•	Variance with	
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Intergovernmental: State Funds				
Other State Funds Total State Funds	\$ <u>12,000</u> \$ <u>12,000</u>	12,000 12,000	\$ <u>12,000</u> <u>12,000</u>	\$ <u> </u>
Total Intergovernmental	12,000	12,000	12,000	
Interest Income Total Revenues	12,000	12,000	207 12,207	207 207
EXPENDITURES Judicial: Rider Prosecution Fund				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations Total Rider Prosecution Fund	7,369 30,975 38,344	7,369 30,975 38,344	7,320 3,380 10,700	49 27,595 27,644
Total Judicial Total Expenditures	38,344 38,344	38,344 38,344	10,700 10,700	27,644 27,644
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 26,344) (	26,344)	1,507	27,851
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	32,889	32,889	32,889	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>6,545</u> \$	6,545	\$ <u>34,396</u>	\$ 27,851

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# DISTRICT CLERK ARCHIVE FUND

	B	udgeted	Amo	unts				ance with
	Original Final				Actual Amounts	Final Budget Positive (Negative)		
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: District Clerk Archive Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$	1,800 1,800	\$	1,800 1,800	\$	<u>598</u> 598	\$ <u>(</u>	1,202) 1,202)
Total Revenues		1,800	_	1,800		598		1,202)
EXPENDITURES Judicial: District Clerk Archive								
Operations		2,945		2,945				2,945
Total District Clerk Archive		2,945	_	2,945	_			2,945
Total Judicial		2,945		2,945	_			2,945
Total Expenditures		2,945	_	2,945	_			2,945
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	1,145)	(	1,145)		598		1,743
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		5,186		5,186		5,186		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	4,041	\$	4,041	\$	5,784	\$	1,743

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### COUNTY JURY FEE FUND

		Budgeted	l Am	ounts	i			ance with Budget -
	Original Final		Actual Amounts		Po	ositive egative)		
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services:	\$	6,900	\$	6,900	\$	2,932	\$(	3,968)
County Jury Fee Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	Ψ <u> </u>	6,900	Ψ <u></u>	6,900	Ψ <u> </u>	2,932	<u>(</u>	3,968)
Total Revenues		6,900		6,900		2,932		3,968)
EXPENDITURES Judicial: County Jury								
Operations		10,300	_	10,300		9,613		687
Total County Jury		10,300		10,300		9,613		687
Total Judicial		10,300	_	10,300		9,613		687
Total Expenditures	_	10,300	_	10,300		9,613		687
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	3,400)	(	3,400)	(	6,681)	(	3,281)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		6,737	_	6,737		6,737		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	3,337	\$	3,337	\$	56	\$ <u>(</u>	3,281)

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### COUNTY JURY FUND

-		Variance with		
_	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
<b>REVENUES</b> Fees of Office/Charges for Services:				
	\$ <u> </u>	\$	\$ 7,022	\$ 7,022
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services		<del>-</del>	7,022	7,022
Total Revenues			7,022	7,022
EXPENDITURES				
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	-	7,022	7,022
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING				<del>-</del>
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u> </u>	\$ <u> </u>	\$	\$ 7,022

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### COURT REPORTER SERVICE FUND

		Budgeted	l Am	ounts				Variance with	
		Original		Final		Actual Amounts	F	I Budget - Positive legative)	
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Court Reporter Fees Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$	17,600 17,600	\$	17,600 17,600	\$	23,332 23,332	\$	5,732 5,732	
Total Revenues	_	17,600	_	17,600		23,332	_	5,732	
EXPENDITURES Judicial: Court Reporter Services Operations Total Court Reporter Services		27,810 27,810	_	27,810 27,810		18,784 18,784	_	9,026 9,026	
Total Judicial Total Expenditures		27,810 27,810	_	27,810 27,810	_	18,784 18,784	_	9,026 9,026	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	10,210)	(	10,210)		4,548		14,758	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		13,263	_	13,263	_	13,263	_		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	3,053	\$	3,053	\$	17,811	\$	14,758	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# COUNTY LAW LIBRARY FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts	_	Variance with
	Original	Original Final		Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Law Library Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ 36,000 36,000	\$ <u>36,000</u> <u>36,000</u>	\$ <u>35,500</u> <u>35,500</u>	\$ <u>(</u> 500) ( 500)
Total Revenues	36,000	36,000	35,500	( 500)
<b>EXPENDITURES</b> Judicial: Law Library				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Operations	9,580	9,580 23,855	9,167	413 15,000
Total Law Library	23,855 33,435	33,435	8,855 18,022	15,413
Total Judicial	33,435	33,435	18,022	15,413
Total Expenditures	33,435	33,435	18,022	15,413
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	2,565	2,565	17,478	14,913
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	24,565	24,565	24,565	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ 27,130	\$ 27,130	\$42,043	\$ <u>14,913</u>

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### LANGUAGE ACCESS FUND

		Budgeted	d Am	nounts	_			iance with al Budget -	
REVENUES		Original	Final		Actual Amounts		Positive (Negative)		
Fees of Office/Charges for Services:  Language Access Fees  Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u></u>	<u>-</u> -	\$ <u>_</u>	<u>-</u>	\$ <u>_</u>	4,848 4,848	\$	4,848 4,848	
Total Revenues			_		_	4,848		4,848	
EXPENDITURES			_		_				
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		4,848		4,848	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING			_		_				
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	-	\$_		\$_	4,848	\$	4,848	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# COURTHOUSE SECURITY FUND

		Budgeted	Amo		Variance wi Final Budge			
	Oı	riginal		Final		Actual mounts	Positive (Negative)	
REVENUES	-	<u></u>		-				<u> </u>
Fees of Office/Charges for Services:								
Courthouse Security	\$	35,000	\$	35,000	\$	43,010	\$	8,010
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Service	s	35,000		35,000	_	43,010		8,010
Total Revenues		35,000		35,000	_	43,010		8,010
EXPENDITURES								
Public Safety:								
Courthouse Security		04.242		04.040		04.044		_
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits		84,312		84,312		84,311		1
Total Courthouse Security		84,312		84,312		84,311		1
Total Public Safety		84,312		84,312		84,311		1
Total Expenditures		84,312		84,312		84,311		1
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES	(	49,312)	(	49,312)	(	41,301)		8,011
OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		<del>49,312</del> )		49,512)		41,301)		0,011
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)								
Transfers In		44,741		44,741		44,741		-
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)		44,741		44,741		44,741		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	4,571)	(	4,571)		3,440		8,011
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		9,100		9,100		9,100		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	4,529	\$	4,529	\$	12,540	\$	8,011

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# JUSTICE COURTS BUILDING SECURITY FUND

		Budgeted	An	nounts				nce with Budget -
		Original		Final		Actual mounts	Po	sitive gative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Justice Courts Security Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u></u>	4,500 4,500	\$_ _	4,500 4,500	\$ <u></u>	3,469 3,469	\$ <u>(</u>	1,031) 1,031)
Interest Income			_			321		321
Total Revenues		4,500	_	4,500		3,790	(	710)
EXPENDITURES Public Safety: Justice Courts Security								
Operations Total Justice Courts Security		10,000 10,000	_	10,000 10,000		1,053 1,053		8,947 8,947
Total Public Safety Total Expenditures		10,000	_	10,000 10,000		1,053 1,053		8,947 8,947
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	5,500)	(	5,500)		2,737		8,237
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		52,092	_	52,092		52,092		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	46,592	\$_	46,592	\$	54,829	\$	8,237

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# JP TRUANCY PREVENTION AND DIVERSION FUND

-	Budgeted	l Amounts	-	Variance with Final Budget -			
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)			
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Court Costs Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u>15,000</u> <u>15,000</u>	\$ 15,000 15,000	\$ <u>12,336</u> <u>12,336</u>	\$ <u>(</u> 2,664) ( 2,664)			
Interest Income			28	28			
Total Revenues	15,000	15,000	12,364	( 2,636)			
EXPENDITURES							
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	15,000	15,000	12,364	( 2,636)			
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	22,937	22,937	22,937				
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>37,937</u>	\$ <u>37,937</u>	\$ 35,301	\$ <u>(</u> 2,636)			

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# COUNTY SPECIALTY COURTS FUND

	Budgeted		Variance with		
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)	
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Court Costs Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	Ψ	\$ <u>3,500</u> 3,500	\$ <u>5,969</u> 5,969	\$ <u>2,469</u> <u>2,469</u>	
Interest Income			6	6	
Total Revenues	3,500	3,500	5,975	2,475	
EXPENDITURES					
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	3,500	3,500	5,975	2,475	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	6,199	6,199	6,199		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$9,699	\$9,699	\$ <u>12,174</u>	\$ <u>2,475</u>	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### JUSTICE COURTS TECHNOLOGY FUND

		Budgeted	Am	ounts	ı			ance with
DEVENUE	Original Final				Actual Amounts		Budget - ositive egative)	
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Justice Court Technology Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u></u>	16,000 16,000	\$ <u> </u>	16,000 16,000	\$ <u></u>	11,722 11,722	\$ <u>(</u>	4,278) 4,278)
Interest Income Total Revenues	_	40 16,040		40 16,040		525 12,247	(	485 3,793)
EXPENDITURES Judicial: Justice Court Technology Operations		19,701		19,701		9,316		10,385
Contingency Total Justice Court Technology	_	5,000 24,701		5,000 24,701		9,316	_	5,000 15,385
Total Judicial Total Expenditures	_	24,701 24,701		24,701 24,701		9,316 9,316		15,385 15,385
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	(	8,661) 84,527	(	8,661) 84,527		2,931 84,527		11,592 <u>-</u>
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	75,866	\$	75,866	\$	87,458	\$	11,592

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# COUNTY AND DISTRICT COURTS TECHNOLOGY FUND

	B	Budgeted	Amo	unts				nce with
	Original Final		Actual Amounts		Po	Budget - sitive gative)		
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: County And District Court Technology Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$	1,500 1,500	\$	1,500 1,500	\$ <u></u>	1,290 1,290	\$ <u>(</u>	210) 210)
Interest Income Total Revenues	_	- 1,500		- 1,500		7 1,297	(	7 203)
EXPENDITURES  Judicial: County and District Court Technology Operations Total County and District Court Technology		4,802 4,802		4,802 4,802		2,250 2,250		2,552 2,552
Total Judicial Total Expenditures		4,802 4,802	_	4,802 4,802		2,250 2,250		2,552 2,552
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	3,302)	(	3,302)	(	953)		2,349
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		2,025		2,025		2,025		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>(</u>	1,277)	\$ <u>(</u>	1,277)	\$	1,072	\$	2,349

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION FUND

	ı	Variance with Final Budget -		
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive (Negative)
REVENUES				
Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Child Abuse Prevention Fee Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u>800</u> 800	\$ <u>800</u> 800	\$ 534 534	\$ <u>(</u> 266) ( 266)
Total Revenues	800	800	534	( 266)
EXPENDITURES				
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	800	800	534	( 266)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	1,355	1,355	1,355	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>2,155</u>	\$ 2,155	\$ <u>1,889</u>	\$ <u>(</u> 266)

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# DISTRICT ATTORNEY PROSECUTORS SUPPLEMENT FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts		Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
REVENUES Intergovernmental: State Funds Other State Funds	\$ 22,500	\$ 22,500	\$ <u>22,500</u>	\$ <u> </u>
Total State Funds	22,500	22,500	22,500	
Total Intergovernmental Total Revenues	22,500 22,500	22,500 22,500	22,500 22,500	
EXPENDITURES  Judicial:  CDA Supplement				
Operations	22,500	22,500	22,500	
Total CDA Supplement	22,500	22,500	22,500	<del>-</del>
Total Judicial	22,500	22,500	22,500	
Total Expenditures	22,500	22,500	22,500	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	-	-	-
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	-			
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	\$	\$	\$

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### PRETRIAL INTERVENTION PROGRAM FUND

		Budgeted	Am	ounts				iance with
DEVENUEC	Original Final			Actual Amounts	ı	al Budget - Positive legative)		
<b>REVENUES</b> Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Pretrial Intervention Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u></u>	30,000 30,000	\$ <u>_</u>	30,000 30,000	\$_ _	27,945 27,945	\$ <u>(</u>	2,055) 2,055)
Interest Income Total Revenues	_	30,000	_	30,000	=	563 28,508	(	563 1,492)
EXPENDITURES  Judicial:     Pretrial Intervention     Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits		30,706		30,706		19,904		10,802
Operations Total Pretrial Intervention	_	44,068 74,774	_	44,068 74,774	_	19,904		44,068 54,870
Total Judicial Total Expenditures	_	74,774 74,774	_	74,774 74,774	_	19,904 19,904		54,870 54,870
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	44,774)	(	44,774)		8,604		53,378
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	_	115,924	_	115,924	_	115,924		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	71,150	\$	71,150	\$_	124,528	\$	53,378

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY FORFEITURE FUND

	Budgeted Amounts		Variance with		
	Original Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)		
REVENUES Fines and Forfeitures: Fines and Forfeitures Total Fines and Forfeitures	\$ <u> </u>	\$ 22,763 22,763	\$ <u>22,763</u> <u>22,763</u>		
Interest Income Total Revenues	<u> </u>	1,162 23,925	1,162 23,925		
EXPENDITURES  Judicial:    District Attorney Forfeitures    Operations    Total District Attorney Forfeitures	24,000 24,000 24,000 24,000	2,141 2,141	21,859 21,859		
Total Judicial Total Expenditures	24,000     24,000       24,000     24,000	2,141 2,141	21,859 21,859		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 24,000) ( 24,000)	21,784	45,784		
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	191,994 191,994	191,994			
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>167,994</u> \$ <u>167,994</u>	\$ <u>213,778</u>	\$ <u>45,784</u>		

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### DISTRICT ATTORNEY HOT CHECK FEE FUND

	E	Budgeted	Amo	ounts			Variand Final Bu	
	Original Final					ctual iounts	Posi (Nega	tive
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Hot Check Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$	1,300 1,300	\$ <u></u>	1,300 1,300	\$	1,001 1,001	\$ <u>(</u>	299) 299)
Total Revenues		1,300		1,300		1,001	(	299)
EXPENDITURES Judicial: Hot Checks Operations		2,996		2,996		2,529		467
Total Hot Checks		2,996	_	2,996		2,529		467
Total Judicial Total Expenditures		2,996 2,996	_	2,996 2,996	_	2,529 2,529		467 467
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	1,696)	(	1,696)	(	1,528)		168
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		3,279		3,279		3,279		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	1,583	\$	1,583	\$	1,751	\$	168

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### SHERIFF FORFEITURE FUND

	Budgeted Amounts							Variance with	
REVENUES	<u> </u>	riginal		Final		Actual Amounts		al Budget - Positive Jegative)	
Fines and Forfeitures:									
Fines and Forfeitures	\$	-	\$	-	\$	70,514	\$	70,514	
Total Fines and Forfeitures		-	_	-		70,514	_	70,514	
Interest Income		_		-		3,238		3,238	
Total Revenues		-		-		73,752		73,752	
<b>EXPENDITURES</b> Public Safety: Sheriff Forfeiture									
Operations		20,000		32,579		16,987		15,592	
Capital Expenditures		-		33,551		33,551		-	
Contingency		20,000		19,123		-		19,123	
Total Sheriff Forfeiture		40,000		85,253		50,538		34,715	
Total Public Safety		40,000		85,253		50,538		34,715	
Total Expenditures		40,000		85,253		50,538		34,715	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	40,000)	(	85,253)		23,214		108,467	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		507,248		507,248	_	507,248			
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	467,248	\$	421,995	\$	530,462	\$	108,467	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### SHERIFF INMATE MEDICAL FUND

		Budgeted	l Amo	ounts			Variance with	
		Original		Final		Actual mounts	Po	Budget - ositive egative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Inmate Medical Services Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	\$ <u></u>	4,000 4,000	\$ <u></u>	4,000 4,000	\$ <u> </u>	4,359 4,359	\$	359 359
Interest Income						319		319
Total Revenues		4,000		4,000		4,678		678
EXPENDITURES  Correction and Rehabilitation Sheriff Inmate Medical Operations Total Sheriff Inmate Medical		10,000 10,000		10,000 10,000		<u>-</u>		10,000 10,000
Total Correction and Rehabilitation Total Expenditures	_	10,000 10,000		10,000 10,000		-	_	10,000 10,000
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	6,000)	(	6,000)		4,678		10,678
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		52,014		52,014		52,014		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	46,014	\$	46,014	\$	56,692	\$	10,678

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# DOJ EQUITABLE SHARING FUND

		Budgeted	d Am	ounts	-		ariance with nal Budget -	
	Original			Final	Actual Amounts	(	Positive (Negative)	
<b>REVENUES</b> Fines and Forfeitures	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 41,542	\$	41,542	
Interest Income		50		50	2,790	. <u> </u>	2,740	
Total Revenues	_	50		50	44,332	_	44,282	
EXPENDITURES Public Safety: DOJ Equitable Sharing								
Contingency Total DOJ Equitable Sharing	_	50,000 50,000	_	50,000 50,000	-	<u>-</u>	50,000 50,000	
Total Public Safety Total Expenditures	_	50,000 50,000	_	50,000 50,000		<u>-</u>	50,000 50,000	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(	49,950)	(	49,950)	44,332		94,282	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		403,777		403,777	403,777	_		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	353,827	\$	353,827	\$ 448,109	\$_	94,282	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### SHERIFF COMMISSARY FUND

-	Budgeted	d Amounts	-	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)	
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts		
REVENUES					
Fees of Office/Charges for Services:					
Commissary rees	\$ <u> </u>	\$ 96,000	\$ 61,834	\$ <u>( 34,166</u> )	
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services		96,000	61,834	( 34,166)	
Interest Income	-	500	1,495	995	
Other Income		70,000	61,891	(8,109)	
Total Revenues		166,500	125,220	( 41,280)	
EXPENDITURES					
Correction and Rehabilitation: Commissary Fees					
Salaries, Pay, and Other Benefits	-	3,000	2,591	409	
Operations	-	72,800	39,839	32,961	
Contingency		40,000		40,000	
Total Commissary Fees		115,800	42,430	73,370	
Total Correction and Rehabilitation		115,800	42,430	73,370	
Total Expenditures		115,800	42,430	73,370	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	50,700	82,790	32,090	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	253,533	253,533	253,533		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>253,533</u>	\$ <u>304,233</u>	\$ 336,323	\$ 32,090	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

# **ELECTIONS EQUIPMENT FUND**

	Budgeted	d Amounts	_	Variance with Final Budget - Positive (Negative)	
_	Original	Final	Actual Amounts		
REVENUES Intergovernmental: Other Intergovernmental Funds	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 43,520	\$ 28,520	
Other Intergovernmental Total Other Intergovernmental Funds	15,000	15,000	43,520	28,520	
Total Intergovernmental	15,000	15,000	43,520	28,520	
Total Revenues	15,000	15,000	43,520	28,520	
<b>EXPENDITURES</b> General Government: Elections Equipment					
Operations	39,236	45,545	45,545		
Total Elections Equipment	39,236	45,545	45,545		
Total General Government	39,236	45,545	45,545		
Total Expenditures	39,236	45,545	45,545	<del>-</del>	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 24,236)	( 30,545)	( 2,025)	28,520	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	24,237	24,237	24,237	<del></del>	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u> </u>	\$ <u>( 6,308</u> )	\$ <u>22,212</u>	\$\$8,520	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### TAX ASSESSOR ELECTIONS SERVICE CONTRACT FUND

	Budgeted	d Amounts	-	Variance with Final Budget -
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Positive(Negative)
REVENUES				
Fees of Office/Charges for Services:				
Tax Assessor Election Service Contract	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 6,742	\$( 8,258)
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	15,000	15,000	6,742	( 8,258)
Intergovernmental: Local Funds				
Other Local Funds	-	-	300	300
Total Intergovernmental			300	300
Interest Income			252	252
Total Revenues	15,000	15,000	7,294	( 7,706)
EXPENDITURES				
General Government:				
Elections Services Contracts				
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	4,218	-	-	-
Operations	2,227	6,445	6,267	178
Total Elections Services Contracts	6,445	6,445	6,267	<u> 178</u>
Total General Government	6,445	6,445	6,267	178
Total Expenditures	6,445	6,445	6,267	178
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	8,555	8,555	1,027	( 7,528)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	60,327	60,327	60,327	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ 68,882	\$ 68,882	\$ <u>61,354</u>	\$ <u>( 7,528</u> )

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

## TAX ASSESSOR SPECIAL INVENTORY FEE FUND

	Budgeted Amounts						Variance with Final Budget -	
	0	riginal		Final		Actual mounts		Positive Negative)
REVENUES Fees of Office/Charges for Services: Tax Assessor Special Inventory Fees	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_
Total Fees of Office/Charges for Services	Ψ <u> </u>	-	Ψ <u></u>	-	Ψ <u></u>	-	Ψ <u> </u>	
Total Revenues								
EXPENDITURES  General Government:     Tax Assessor Special Inventory Fees     Operations     Total Tax Assessor Special Inventory Fees		<u>-</u>	_	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u> _		
Total General Government Total Expenditures	_	- -	_	-		-	_	-
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		-		-		-
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING		96	_	96		96	_	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$	96	\$	96	\$	96	\$	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### JUVENILE GRANT FUND

	Budgeted Amounts				_		Variance with	
	Original Final			Actual Amounts	P	l Budget - Positive egative)		
REVENUES								
Intergovernmental: State Funds								
Other State Funds State Grant Funds	\$ _	396,613	\$ 	10,000 396,613	\$ _	10,000 385,809	\$ 	10,804)
Total State Funds	_	396,613	_	406,613	_	395,809		10,804)
Total Intergovernmental	_	396,613		406,613	-	395,809	(	10,804)
Interest Income	_				-	599		599
Total Revenues		396,613	_	406,613	_	396,408	(	10,205)
EXPENDITURES  Judicial:								
Title IV-E Funds Salary, Other Pay, And Benefits Operations		- -		- -		11,888 999	(	11,888) 999)
Total Title IV-E Funds	_		_	-	-	12,887	(	12,887)
TJPC-A-94-236								
Salary, Other Pay, And Benefits	_	220,435	_	220,435	-	223,373	<u>(</u>	2,938)
Total TJPC-A-94-236	_	220,435	_	220,435	-	223,373		2,938)
Juvenile Grants								
Operations		26,863		26,863	_	25,486		1,377
Total Juvenile Grants	_	26,863		26,863	_	25,486		1,377
Medical Services Fund								
Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits	_	28,317	_	28,317	_	25,038		3,279
Total Medical Services Fund	_	28,317		28,317	_	25,038		3,279
HGAC Services Grant								
Operations	_	-		10,000	_	10,000		-
Total HGAC Services Grant	_		_	10,000	_	10,000	_	

# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

### JUVENILE GRANT FUND

	Budgete	d Amounts	-	Variance with
	Original	Final	Actual Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)
EXPENDITURES (cont'd) Judicial: Pre-post Adjudication				
Operations Total Pre-post Adjudication	\$ <u>18,000</u> <u>18,000</u>	\$ <u>18,000</u> <u>18,000</u>	\$ <u>18,000</u> <u>18,000</u>	\$ <u> </u>
Community Programs Salary, Other Pay, and Benefits Total Community Programs	102,998 102,998	102,998 102,998	93,912 93,912	9,086 9,086
Total Judicial Total Expenditures	396,613 396,613	406,613 406,613	408,696 408,696	( 2,083) ( 2,083)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	-	( 12,288)	( 12,288)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	96,343	96,343	96,343	
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ 96,343	\$96,343	\$ 84,055	\$ <u>( 12,288</u> )



**DEBT SERVICE FUND** 



# SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL

#### DEBT SERVICE FUND

	Budgeted Amount	ts	Variance with	
	Original Fir	Actual nal Amounts	Final Budget - Positive (Negative)	
REVENUES  Ad Valorem Taxes: Current Taxes Delinquent Taxes Total Ad Valorem Taxes	40,000 4	57,503 \$ 1,340,563 40,000	\$ 183,060 ( 25,884) 	
Penalty and Interest	25,000 2	25,000 17,651	( 7,349)	
Interest Income	300	300 3,817	3,517	
Total Revenues	1,222,803 1,22	22,803 1,376,147	153,344	
EXPENDITURES Debt Service:				
Principal Retirement Interest and Fiscal Charges Total Debt Service	411,818 41	55,000     965,000       11,818     411,818       76,818     1,376,818	- - -	
Total Expenditures	1,376,818 1,37	76,818 1,376,818		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	( 154,015) ( 15	54,015) ( 671)	153,344	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING	293,31129	93,311 293,311		
FUND BALANCES, ENDING	\$ <u>139,296</u> \$ <u>13</u>	<u>39,296</u> \$ <u>292,640</u>	\$ <u>153,344</u>	



**CUSTODIAL FUNDS** 

# COMBINING STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

		Custodial Funds				
			Walker County			
			Public Safety Communications			
		Adult Probation				
		Center				
ASSETS						
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$	505,599	\$	590,696		
Due from Other Governments	·	<u>-</u>	·	181		
Prepaid Insurance		3,536				
Total Assets		509,135		590,877		
LIABILITIES						
Accounts Payable		12,559		702		
Due to Other Governments		69,487		-		
Due to Others		-		-		
Accrued Liabilities		51,246		21,679		
Total Liabilities		133,292		22,381		
NET POSITION						
Restricted for Joint Venture Interest:						
City of Huntsville		-		568,496		
Restricted for Individuals, Organizations,						
and Other Governments		375,843		-		
Total Net Position	\$	375,843	\$	568,496		

Custodial Funds

	D:		_		unty Officials		Total
	District Clerk	County Clerk	Tax Assessor	iru	st & Agency Funds		Custodial Funds
	CICIK	 CICIK	73303301		Turius	_	i unus
\$	1,184,156	\$ 1,209,847	\$ 2,399,973	\$	104,611	\$	5,994,882
	-	-	_		-		181
_		 	 				3,536
_	1,184,156	 1,209,847	 2,399,973		104,611		5,998,599
	29,798	24,156	-		-		67,215
	-	-	1,890,689		-		1,960,176
	-	-	509,284		-		509,284
_		 	 				72,925
_	29,798	 24,156	 2,399,973				2,609,600
	-	-	-		-		568,496
	1,154,358	 1,185,691	 		104,611	_	2,820,503
\$	1,154,358	\$ 1,185,691	\$ 	\$	104,611	\$	3,388,999

# COMBINING STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY NET POSITION SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

	 Custodial Funds					
	Adult Probation	Pu	lker County blic Safety nmunications Center			
ASSETS  Cash and Cash Equivalents  Due from Other Governments  Prepaid Insurance  Total Assets	\$ 505,599 - 3,536 509,135	\$	590,696 181 - 590,877			
Accounts Payable Due to Other Governments Due to Others Accrued Liabilities Total Liabilities	 12,559 69,487 - 51,246 133,292		702 - - 21,679 22,381			
NET POSITION  Restricted for Individuals, Organizations, and Other Governments  Total Net Position	 \$ 375,843 375,843	 \$	568,496 568,496			

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District County Clerk Clerk		•	 Tax Assessor	unty Officials ust & Agency Funds	Total Custodial Funds		
\$	1,184,156	\$	1,209,847	\$ 2,399,973	\$ 104,611	\$	5,994,882
	-		-	-	-		181
	-		-	-	-		3,536
	1,184,156		1,209,847	 2,399,973	104,611		5,998,599
	29,798		24,156	-	-		67,215
	-		-	1,890,689	-		1,960,176
	-		-	509,284	-		509,284
	-		-	-	-		72,925
	29,798		24,156	2,399,973	_		2,609,600
	1,154,358		1,185,691	 	 104,611		3,388,999
\$	1,154,358	\$	1,185,691	\$ -	\$ 104,611	\$	3,388,999



# STATISTICAL SECTION (Unaudited)

This part of the Walker County, Texas's annual comprehensive financial report presents detailed information as a context for understanding what the information in the financial statements, note disclosures, and required supplementary information says about the County's overall financial health.

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### NET POSITION BY COMPONENT

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (Accrual Basis of Accounting) (Unaudited)

	Fiscal Year							
		2022		2021		2020		2019
Governmental Activities: Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ <u>(</u>	7,378,421 3,065,411 5,129,150)	•	6,724,724 2,957,742 11,962,454)	•	6,359,402 2,640,864 14,523,512)		6,711,863 2,397,599 .5,435,223)
Total Governmental Activities Net Position	า \$_	5,314,682	\$ <u>(</u>	2,279,988)	\$ <u>(</u>	5,523,246)	\$ <u>(</u>	6,325,761)
Primary Government: Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted	\$ 	7,378,421 3,065,411 5,129,150)	•	6,724,724 2,957,742 11,962,454)	•	6,359,402 2,640,864 14,523,512)		6,711,863 2,397,599 .5,435,223)
Total Primary Government Net Position	\$	5,314,682	\$(	2,279,988)	\$(	5,523,246)	\$(	6,325,761)

F	iscal	l Year

2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
\$ 7,970,991	\$ 8,868,866	\$ 9,685,620	\$ 10,521,448	\$ 11,004,750	\$ 12,086,797
2,255,968 ( 14,374,814)	2,129,888 ( 9,765,392)	1,863,075 ( 5,191,383)	1,584,821 ( 5,497,318)	83,580 5,487,590	116,489 4,122,953
\$ <u>( 4,147,855</u> )	\$ <u>1,233,362</u>	\$ 6,357,312	\$ <u>6,608,951</u>	\$ <u>16,575,920</u>	\$ <u>16,326,239</u>
\$ 7,970,991	\$ 8,868,866	\$ 9,685,620	\$ 10,521,448	\$ 11,004,750	\$ 12,086,797
2,255,968 ( 14,374,814)	2,129,888 ( 9,765,392)	1,863,075 ( 5,191,383)	1,584,821 ( 5,497,318)	83,580 5,487,590	116,489 4,122,953
( 17,5/4,614)	( 9,703,392)	( 3,191,363)	( 3,737,316)	<u> </u>	
\$( 4,147,855)	\$ 1,233,362	\$ 6,357,312	\$ 6,608,951	\$ 16,575,920	\$ 16,326,239

### CHANGES IN NET POSITION

LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (accrual basis of accounting)

_		2022		2021		2020		2019
Expenses								
Governmental Activities:		4 0 40 0 70		4 740 700		4 4 7 2 2 4 4		4 000 540
General Government	\$	4,840,370	\$	4,713,783	\$	4,172,911	\$	4,390,540
Financial		2,809,201		2,709,368		2,747,854		2,749,478
Judicial		11,575,838		11,448,657		11,286,973		11,927,277
Public Safety		12,519,918		12,236,689		11,104,545		10,977,285
Correction and Rehabilitation		4,711,929		4,737,083		4,533,106		4,563,127
Health & Welfare		1,193,022		1,161,542		1,042,758		808,512
Culture and Education		310,671		258,917		222,415		237,007
Public Transportation		8,884,378		6,746,741		6,318,026		7,069,206
Interest & Fiscal Charges		401,789	_	426,925	_	429,556		517,375
Total Governmental Activities		47,247,116		44,439,705		41,858,144		43,239,807
	_						_	
Total Primary Government	\$_	47,247,116	\$_	44,439,705	\$_	41,858,144	\$_	43,239,807
Program Revenues								
Governmental Activities:								
Charges for Services:								
General Government	\$	1,008,478	\$	1,067,964	\$	932,187	\$	921,051
Financial		1,111,421		936,303		903,069		840,111
Judicial		680,158		764,806		764,009		774,956
Public Safety		3,754,778		3,679,997		3,094,928		2,973,748
Correction and Rehabilitation		297,050		441,952		394,608		312,459
Health & Welfare		463,303		463,028		403,238		329,115
Culture and Education		-		508		1,105		824
Public Transportation		1,547,116		1,587,127		1,507,086		1,772,066
Operating Grants and Contributions		16,003,817		11,087,611		8,664,102		8,540,287
Capital Grants and Contributions		-		-		-		-
Total Governmental Activities	_	24,866,121	_	20,029,296	_	16,664,332	_	16,464,617
Total Governmental Activities	_	21,000,121	_	20,023,230	_	10,001,332	_	10,101,017
Total Primary Government	¢	24,866,121	\$	20,029,296	\$	16,664,332	\$	16,464,617
Total Filliary Government	Ψ_	24,000,121	Ψ_	20,023,230	Ψ_	10,001,332	Ψ_	10,101,017
Net (Expense)/Revenue								
Governmental Activities	\$1	22,380,995)	\$1	24,410,409)	\$1	25,193,812)	¢/	26,775,190)
Business-Type Activities	Ψ(	-	Ψ(	, .10, .00)	Ψ(	-	4(	-
Total Primary Government Net Expense	ф/	22 380 00E)	<u>۔</u>	24,410,409)	<u>۔</u>	25,193,812)	ф/	26,775,190)
rotal Primary Government Net Expense	⊅ <u>(</u>	22,300,333)	⊅ <u>(</u>	<del>24,410,409</del> )	⊅ <u>(</u>	23,133,012)	⊅ <u>(</u>	20,773,190)

	2018		2017		2016		2015		2014		2013
\$	4,358,180 2,529,932 11,102,287 10,136,547 4,387,983 707,113 226,851 6,211,591 501,513 40,161,997	\$	6,496,973 2,455,399 11,589,784 9,566,499 4,345,175 653,677 279,911 7,445,266 518,479 43,351,163	\$ 	5,543,255 2,333,148 10,040,223 9,142,524 3,860,155 799,830 278,594 5,917,477 535,128 38,450,334	\$ 	5,034,941 2,228,163 9,785,092 7,358,381 3,809,298 1,101,500 267,349 5,255,590 551,478 35,391,792	\$	4,981,792 2,010,372 9,308,556 8,034,882 3,240,101 687,926 246,614 4,604,784 637,620 33,752,647	\$ 	6,320,712 1,057,993 8,780,081 7,749,329 2,397,990 620,634 279,181 4,921,612 672,971 32,800,503
\$_	40,161,997	\$_	43,351,163	\$	38,450,334	\$	35,391,792	\$_	33,752,647	\$	32,800,503
\$	848,792 750,706 748,720 2,453,193 285,823 296,098	\$	771,922 676,956 731,024 2,798,656 365,119 216,964	\$	819,957 687,049 705,742 2,630,156 383,983 221,049	\$	745,490 668,773 646,069 3,089,754 195,042 197,043	\$	842,054 544,054 769,676 2,810,452 199,606 162,037	\$	5,438,239 503,007 530,432 253,021 160,918 109,604
	1,886,447 6,488,447		1,616,998 8,046,362		1,868,567 8,891,973		1,823,854 6,840,859		2,040,526 6,284,264		83,040 6,363,325
_	<u> </u>			_	99,640	_	393,558	_	40,301	_	<u> </u>
_	13,758,226	_	15,224,001	_	16,308,116	_	14,600,442	_	13,692,970	_	13,441,586
\$_	13,758,226	\$_	15,224,001	\$	16,308,116	\$_	14,600,442	\$_	13,692,970	\$	13,441,586
\$( _	26,403,771)	\$( 	28,127,162)	\$( 	22,142,218)	\$( 	20,791,350)	\$( 	20,059,677)	\$( 	19,358,917)
\$ <u>(</u>	26,403,771)	\$ <u>(</u>	28,127,162)	\$ <u>(</u>	22,142,218)	\$ <u>(</u>	20,791,350)	\$ <u>(</u>	20,059,677)	\$ <u>(</u>	19,358,917)

CHANGES IN NET POSITION

LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (accrual basis of accounting)

	2022			2021		2020	2019	
General Revenues and Other Changes in Net Position Governmental Activities: Taxes		-		-				
Property Taxes Sales Taxes Other Taxes Alcoholic Beverage Taxes Investment Earnings Other	\$ _	23,946,450 5,027,193 106,225 130,309 303,796 461,692	\$	22,253,777 4,503,361 69,792 134,100 23,332 552,397	\$ _	21,131,719 4,063,552 60,045 116,264 247,609 377,138	\$ 	19,692,053 3,868,217 45,642 129,944 584,475 276,953
Total Governmental Activities	\$_	29,975,665	\$_	27,536,759	\$_	25,996,327	\$_	24,597,284
Total primary government	\$_	29,975,665	\$_	27,536,759	\$_	25,996,327	\$_	24,597,284
<b>Change in Net Position</b> Governmental Activities Adjustment-Implementation	\$	7,594,670	\$	3,126,350	\$	802,515	\$(	2,177,906)
GASB 68 & 71 for Pensions Adjustment-Implementation		-		-		-		-
GASB 75 for OPEB Prior Period Adjustment		-		-		-		-
(Road and Bridge Revenues) Prior Period Adjustment (Establish Internal Convice Fund)		-		-		-		-
(Establish Internal Service Fund) Adjustment-Implementation of GASB 84		- -		- 116,908		-		-
Total Primary Government	\$_	7,594,670	\$_	3,243,258	\$_	802,515	\$ <u>(</u>	2,177,906)

Note: Two functional categories was added in the Fiscal Year Ending September 30, 2012 including separating jail cost from Public Safety.

	2018		2017		2016	2015 2014		2013			
\$	19,532,967 3,824,119 149,997 115,860 347,850 648,967	\$	18,691,980 3,704,825 20,335 114,489 151,111 320,472	\$	17,975,921 3,261,313 34,120 133,244 70,920 415,061	\$	17,294,805 3,293,984 28,452 123,386 24,256 283,576	\$	16,804,691 3,114,639 20,494 113,186 17,952 238,396	\$	15,468,449 2,696,082 367,715 70,775 35,570
\$	24,619,760	\$_	23,003,212	\$	21,890,579	\$	21,048,459	\$_	20,309,358	\$	18,638,591
\$_	24,619,760	\$_	23,003,212	\$	21,890,579	\$	21,048,459	\$_	20,309,358	\$_	18,638,591
\$(	1,784,011)	\$(	5,123,950)	\$(	251,639)	\$	257,109	\$	249,681	\$(	720,326)
	-		-		-	(	10,224,078)		-		-
(	4,527,777)		-		-		-		-		-
(	56,803)		-		-		-		-		-
	987,374		-		-		-		-		-
						_		_		_	
\$ <u>(</u>	5,381,217)	\$ <u>(</u>	5,123,950)	\$ <u>(</u>	251,639)	\$ <u>(</u>	9,966,969)	\$_	249,681	\$ <u>(</u>	720,326)



### GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES TAX REVENUES BY SOURCE

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (accrual basis of accounting)

Figgs	Duonouh	Calaa	Othor	Alcoholic	
Fiscal Year	Property	Sales	Other	Beverage	Total
<u>rear</u>	Tax	Tax	Taxes	Tax	Total
2013	\$ 15,468,449	\$ 2,696,082	\$ 367,715	\$ 70,775	\$ 18,603,021
2014	16,804,691	3,114,639	20,494	113,186	20,053,010
2015	17,294,805	3,293,984	28,452	123,386	20,740,627
2016	17,975,921	3,261,313	34,120	133,244	21,404,598
2017	18,691,980	3,704,825	20,335	114,489	22,531,629
2018	19,532,967	3,824,119	149,997	115,860	23,622,943
2019	19,692,053	3,868,217	45,642	129,944	23,735,856
2020	21,131,719	4,063,552	60,045	116,264	25,371,580
2021	22,253,777	4,503,361	69,792	134,100	26,961,030

#### FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (modified accrual basis of accounting)

		2022		2021		2020	2019	
General Fund Nonspendable - Prepaid								
Expenditures Committed for Projects Assigned - One Time Allocation	\$	293,486 6,288,071 6,478,432	\$	164,795 2,958,500 2,652,382	\$	115,742 2,101,265 2,249,175	\$	48,036 1,759,793 2,540,980
Unassigned Total General Fund	\$_	9,540,428 22,600,417	\$_	12,556,250 18,331,927	\$_	9,299,766 13,765,948	\$_	8,386,079 12,734,888
All Other Governmental Funds								
Nonspendable Restricted - Debt Service Restricted - Other	\$	125,531 292,640	\$	96,019 293,311	\$	1,078 259,009	\$	- 227,620
Governmental Funds Restricted - Capital Projects Committed for		2,781,004		2,669,089 -		2,391,584 -		2,128,820 -
Public Transportation Committed for Public Safety Unassigned		4,045,326 2,583,533	(	3,375,580 1,478,719 330)		3,917,215 1,118,237		2,682,756 830,375
Total All Other Governmental Funds	\$_	9,828,034	\$ <u>_</u>	7,912,388	\$ <u></u>	7,687,123	\$_	5,869,571

	2018	2017		 2016		2015		2014	2013	
\$	38,918 1,490,076 1,974,688	\$	34,146 1,311,619 2,204,972	\$ 34,146 1,794,683 1,638,021	\$	35,538 1,499,348 1,747,376	\$	30,081 1,054,938 1,580,532	\$	33,227 862,695 1,231,385
	7,337,147		6,057,982	 6,013,553		5,516,930		5,006,369		3,887,335
\$_	10,840,829	\$_	9,608,719	\$ 9,480,403	\$_	8,799,192	\$_	7,671,920	\$	6,014,642
\$	- 194,244	\$	- 180,334	\$ - 180,420	\$	- 159,259	\$	- 176,508	\$	- 141,977
	2,102,748		1,956,903	1,652,320		1,412,114		1,054,960		819,058
	-		-	-		629,092		975,602		6,368,829
	2,220,474 809,392 -		2,708,608 1,155,639 -	3,726,799 1,279,654 -		1,964,019 1,518,682 -		1,391,850 1,125,825 -		1,008,717 547,155
\$_	5,326,858	\$	6,001,484	\$ 6,839,193	\$	5,683,166	\$	4,724,745	\$	8,885,736

### CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES OF GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

### LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	2022	2021	2020	2019
Revenues Property Taxes Other Taxes Licenses and Permits Intergovernmental Charges for Services	\$ 24,079,771 5,263,727 463,125 16,406,655 6,657,815	\$ 22,268,385 4,707,253 460,771 11,458,980 6,640,792	\$ 21,168,262 4,239,861 398,743 9,052,270 6,056,939	\$ 20,386,263 4,043,803 325,521 8,895,254 5,909,375
Fines Interest Income Other	789,155 288,357 400,876	975,570 21,781 552,397	753,169 229,319 369,640	1,151,594 568,697 258,600
Total Revenues	\$ <u>54,349,481</u>	\$ <u>47,085,929</u>	\$ <u>42,268,203</u>	\$ <u>41,539,107</u>
Expenditures General Government Financial Judicial Public Safety Corrections and Rehabilitation Health & Welfare Culture and Education Public Transportation Intergovernmental/Contractual Capital Outlay Debt Service Principal Interest Other Charges Total Expenditures	\$ 4,446,194 2,828,873 11,626,185 13,655,139 3,817,833 1,186,540 311,764 8,774,310 - - 1,190,959 414,048 - \$ 48,251,845	\$ 4,147,848 2,554,778 10,744,055 11,044,282 3,442,366 1,105,919 246,378 7,522,911 - - 1,160,959 442,098 - \$ 42,411,594	\$ 3,751,617 2,609,861 10,602,139 10,363,766 3,309,736 990,625 212,620 6,009,220 - - 1,135,959 469,398 - \$ 39,454,941	\$ 4,608,625 2,526,550 10,928,756 9,629,547 3,044,274 780,324 223,708 6,684,294 
Excess of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	\$ 6,097,636	\$ 4,674,335	\$ 2,813,262	\$1,739,461
Other Financing Sources (Uses) Transfers In Transfers Out Issuance of Debt Sale of Capital Assets Sources (Uses)	\$ 2,378,165 ( 2,378,165) - 86,500 \$ 86,500	\$ 1,783,542 ( 1,783,542) - 1 \$ 1	\$ 2,634,372 ( 2,634,372) - 35,350 \$ 35,350	\$ 1,684,316 ( 1,684,316) 677,877 19,434 \$ 697,311
Net Change In Fund Balances Debt Service as A Percentage of Noncapital Expenditures	\$ 6,184,136 3.49%	\$ 4,674,336 3.96%	\$ 2,848,612 4.19%	\$ 2,436,772 3.58%

	2018		2017		2016		2015		2014		2013
\$	19,515,667 4,089,976 295,998 6,798,805 5,418,480 1,217,903 347,850 648,966 38,333,645	\$	18,547,489 3,839,649 216,827 8,348,978 5,576,992 1,100,612 151,111 341,611 38,123,269	\$ \$_	17,181,150 3,445,822 224,649 8,492,303 5,611,276 1,414,356 24,257 364,409 36,758,222	\$ \$_	17,181,150 3,445,822 224,649 8,492,303 5,611,276 1,414,356 24,257 364,409 36,758,222	\$ \$_	16,774,474 3,248,319 161,392 6,340,871 5,610,425 1,530,692 17,952 399,198 34,083,323	\$ \$_	15,003,377 3,134,572 133,457 6,480,749 5,026,172 1,561,876 35,570 297,423 31,673,196
\$	4,249,401 2,361,129 10,450,395 9,217,046 3,104,984 677,829 203,872 6,078,834	\$	4,127,171 2,314,602 10,995,766 8,931,995 2,945,935 613,494 261,618 7,269,313	\$	3,235,748 2,147,626 9,621,632 8,532,630 2,979,371 1,211,316 264,068 5,304,471	\$	3,235,748 2,147,626 9,621,632 8,532,630 2,979,371 1,211,316 264,068 5,304,471	\$	3,005,714 2,057,822 9,319,085 7,559,836 7,745,408 670,722 244,993 4,606,788	\$	2,881,971 1,535,474 9,324,929 6,164,325 2,088,515 593,720 186,050 4,634,876 1,226,231 13,595,819
	865,000 510,868		845,000 527,768		815,000 560,667		815,000 560,667		800,000 576,668		685,000 655,964
\$ <u></u>	37,719,358	\$_	38,832,662	\$_	34,672,529	\$_	34,672,529	\$	36,587,036	\$_	43,572,874
\$_	614,287	\$ <u>(</u>	709,393)	\$_	2,085,693	\$_	2,085,693	\$ <u>(</u>	2,503,713)	\$ <u>(</u>	11,899,678)
\$	1,741,162 1,741,162) -	\$ (	1,613,245 1,613,245) -	\$ (	1,807,837 1,807,837) -	\$ (	1,807,837 1,807,837) -	\$ (	2,015,985 2,015,985) -	\$ (	1,578,561 1,578,561) -
\$_	<u> </u>	\$_	<u> </u>	\$_	<u>-</u>	\$_	<u> </u>	\$_	<u> </u>	\$_	<u>-</u>
\$	614,287	\$(	709,393)	\$	2,085,693	\$	2,085,693	\$(	2,503,713)	\$(	11,899,678)
	3.76%		3.65%		4.20%		4.20%		4.55%		4.47%



#### GENERAL GOVERNMENTAL TAX REVENUES BY SOURCE

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS (modified accrual basis of accounting)

Fiscal Year	- 11 - 17		Sales Tax	Other Taxes	Alcoholic Beverage Tax	 Total Other Taxes	 Total Taxes		
2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022	\$ 15,003,377 16,774,474 17,181,150 17,800,474 18,547,489 19,515,667 20,386,263 21,168,262 22,268,385 24,079,771	\$	2,696,082 3,114,639 3,293,984 3,261,313 3,704,825 3,824,119 3,868,217 4,063,552 4,503,361 5,027,193	\$	367,715 20,494 28,452 34,120 20,335 149,997 45,642 60,045 69,792 106,225	\$	70,775 113,186 123,386 133,244 114,489 115,860 129,944 116,264 134,100 130,309	\$ 3,134,572 3,248,319 3,445,822 3,428,677 3,839,649 4,089,976 4,043,803 4,239,861 4,707,253 5,263,727	\$ 18,137,949 20,022,793 20,626,972 21,229,151 22,387,138 23,605,643 24,430,066 25,408,123 26,975,638 29,343,498

Notes: 1. Includes current property taxes, delinquent property taxes and penalties and interest.

# TAXABLE ASSESSED VALUE BY GROUPING(1)

#### LAST NINE FISCAL YEARS

State Code	Description	Grouping		FY 2022		FY 2021		FY 2020		FY 2019
Α	Single Family Residence	residential	\$	2,491,564,323	\$	2,226,159,256	\$	2,058,101,156	\$	1,744,465,603
В	MultiFamily Residence	residential		646,035,264		579,536,997		532,399,780		417,058,091
С	Vacant Lot	land		355,659,576		294,371,370		256,975,853		164,090,119
D1	Qualified Ag Land	land		1,837,572,306		1,761,282,123		1,666,625,013		1,434,444,668
D2	Non Qualified Land	land		37,501,822		40,083,547		31,244,886		27,266,834
E	Farm or Ranch Improv.	commercial		501,604,942		460,449,500		437,530,357		508,200,002
F1	Commercial Real	commercial		598,719,046		551,368,068		517,215,873		449,975,277
F2	Industrial Real Property	commercial		38,396,640		36,977,980		31,357,000		30,536,920
G1	Oil and Gas	minerals		8,395,685		12,456,402		14,444,424		10,627,212
G3	Minerals-Non Producing	minerals		-		-		272,970		274,070
J1	Water Systems	personal		15,310		11,380		11,380		11,380
J2	Gas Distribution System	personal		3,179,700		2,888,940		2,684,950		2,484,360
J3	Electric Company	personal		89,327,750		55,059,680		51,214,620		50,364,330
J4	Telephone Company	personal		7,241,930		7,558,910		7,932,950		8,255,750
J5	RailRoad	personal		29,305,650		27,234,570		26,072,760		29,957,890
Ј6	Pipeland Company	personal		145,757,380		102,173,970		58,817,830		57,109,570
J7	Cable Television Co.	personal		10,742,040		8,607,600		7,108,040		7,202,120
Ј8	Other type of Utility	personal		92,960		92,960		92,960		92,960
L1	Commercial Personal	personal		168,816,440		176,946,000		170,602,040		138,619,340
L2	Industrial Personal	personal		116,884,910		147,708,440		110,882,100		105,939,110
M1	Tangible Other	personal		66,765,220		59,180,341		56,754,833		48,218,328
N	Intangible Property	personal		-		90,000		12,000		-
0	Residential Inventory	personal		18,832,180		1,379,270		1,861,100		1,830,190
S	Special Inventory Tax	personal		28,365,200	_	24,883,300	_	21,926,636	_	18,121,660
			\$	7,200,776,274	\$_	6,576,500,604	\$_	6,062,141,511	\$_	5,255,145,784
Less: Productivity Loss (Ag and Timber Use) Homestead Cap (10% cap on residential homesteads)				(1,784,448,172) (38,089,119)		(1,706,245,850) (24,283,007)		(1,612,792,260) (40,362,809)		(1,382,874,611) (13,196,335)
Tax Ceiling and Over 65 and disabled exemption				(108,151,197)		(96,558,915)		(89,463,943)		(82,443,721)
Other Exemptions / Deductions			+/	(20,108,300)	_	(25,842,210)	+(	(8,882,920)	_	(8,136,546)
	Total Exemptions			1,950,796,788)	\$ <u>(</u>	1,852,929,982)	\$ <u>(</u>	1,751,501,932)	\$ <u>(</u>	1,486,651,213)
Taxable As	ssessed Value		\$	5,249,979,486	\$	4,723,570,622	\$	4,310,639,579	\$	3,768,494,571
	Total Direct Tax Rate			\$0.4799		\$0.4808		\$0.5018		\$0.5494

<sup>(1)</sup> Data Source: Walker County Appraisal District (Based on State Reporting)

	FY 2018		FY 2017		FY 2016		FY 2015		FY 2014	FY 2013	
\$	1,605,119,526	\$	1,430,160,105	\$	1,365,140,626	\$	1,214,424,490	\$	1,171,963,250	\$	1,119,049,757
Ψ	293,163,679	Ψ	264,497,190	Ψ	259,866,510	Ψ	243,410,560	Ψ	240,178,120	Ψ	255,472,510
	136,212,443		109,705,616		94,325,461		84,045,429		81,439,934		81,767,312
	1,437,057,066		1,372,420,453		1,327,441,283		1,116,282,909		1,108,156,711		911,121,052
	24,873,642		22,293,751		17,888,182		15,206,290		11,979,881		65,901,900
	529,868,225		471,715,766		456,971,752		415,792,778		377,940,875		311,709,173
	419,979,707		402,765,906		379,402,379		340,586,809		323,489,681		280,310,140
	30,384,800		28,426,490		26,470,380		24,033,940		23,838,600		18,758,400
	12,120,638		5,862,802		8,361,917		10,520,067		4,663,359		4,582,581
	275,360		275,360		275,360		275,360		275,360		276,680
	11,380		11,380		11,380		4,000		4,000		4,000
	2,388,940		2,278,490		1,961,270		1,686,520		1,531,050		1,328,950
	52,375,130		49,994,160		46,003,490		41,235,270		38,883,940		39,602,830
	9,502,360		9,733,410		9,389,820		10,158,600		11,128,710		12,680,250
	23,792,480		22,035,800		20,481,730		18,452,040		16,640,630		14,891,740
	53,217,130		34,602,700		33,711,030		34,937,800		26,260,590		26,112,300
	7,179,210		6,108,870		5,818,520		5,750,570		5,659,900		5,910,520
	31,800		31,800		31,800		31,800		31,800		31,800
	153,588,670		140,311,380		135,741,450		123,936,440		118,823,670		113,080,610
	94,682,930		101,689,710		151,800,590		148,850,040		153,479,910		132,878,470
	45,576,241		47,222,669		48,656,088		42,782,260		44,088,289		46,904,675
	-		-		-		-		-		15,110
	2,249,640		3,140,504		1,199,600		1,953,840		2,665,130		1,817,150
	15,354,080		16,099,610		14,795,200	_	11,180,020		10,926,260	_	9,891,630
\$	4,949,005,077	\$	4,541,383,922	\$	4,405,745,818	\$	3,905,537,832	\$	3,774,049,650	\$	3,454,099,540
\$ <u>(</u> \$	(1,386,106,672) (15,617,546) (77,410,748) (12,745,699) 1,491,880,665) 3,457,124,412	\$ <u>(                                    </u>	(1,323,148,574) (9,911,926) (71,774,857) (20,823,045) 1,425,658,402) 3,115,725,520	\$ <u>(                                    </u>	(1,282,993,441) (19,201,950) (68,932,746) (56,427,523) 1,427,555,660) 2,978,190,158	\$ <u>(</u> \$ <u></u>	(1,072,732,022) (6,118,846) (66,620,346) (62,907,910) 1,208,379,124) 2,697,158,708	\$ <u>(</u> \$ <u></u>	(1,061,987,752) (4,844,955) (61,884,961) (75,629,347) 1,204,347,015) 2,569,702,635	\$ <u>(</u> \$ <u></u>	(864,873,036) (3,921,326) (59,008,162) (57,171,848) 984,974,372) 2,469,125,168
	\$0.5185		\$0.6157		\$0.6206		\$0.6589		\$0.6778		\$0.6355

# ASSESSED VALUE AND ESTIMATED ACTUAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY(1)

Fiscal Year	Real Property				Personal
Ended	Residential	Commercial	Agricultural	Total	Property
Sept. 30	Property	Property	& Open Acreage	Real	Total
2013	\$ 1,374,522,267	\$ 610,777,713	\$ 1,058,790,264	\$ 3,044,188,489	\$ 410,009,296
2014	1,412,141,370	725,269,156	1,201,576,526	3,338,987,052	435,062,598
2015	1,457,835,050	780,413,527	1,215,534,628	3,453,783,205	451,754,627
2016	1,625,007,136	862,844,511	1,439,654,926	3,927,506,573	478,239,245
2017	1,694,657,295	902,908,162	1,504,419,820	4,101,985,277	439,398,645
2018	1,898,283,205	980,232,732	1,598,143,151	4,476,659,088	472,345,989
2019	2,161,523,694	988,712,199	1,625,801,621	4,776,037,514	479,108,270
2020	2,590,500,936	986,103,230	1,954,845,752	5,531,449,918	530,691,593
2021	2,805,696,253	1,048,795,548	2,095,737,040	5,950,228,841	626,271,763
2022	3,137,599,587	1,138,720,628	2,230,733,704	6,507,053,919	693,722,355

<sup>(1)</sup> Data Source: Walker County Appraisal District (Based on State Reporting)

Less: Tax Exempt Real Property		 Fotal Taxable Assessed Value	Direct Tax Rate	Total Value as a Percentage of Actual Value
\$	984,974,372	\$ 2,469,125,168	\$ 0.6355	71.48%
	1,204,347,015	2,569,702,635	0.6778	68.09%
	1,208,379,124	2,697,158,708	0.6589	69.06%
	1,427,555,660	2,978,190,158	0.6206	67.60%
	1,425,658,402	3,115,725,520	0.6157	68.61%
	1,491,880,665	3,457,124,412	0.5185	69.85%
	1,286,651,213	3,768,494,571	0.5494	71.71%
	1,851,501,932	4,310,639,579	0.5018	71.11%
	1,852,929,982	4,723,570,622	0.4808	71.82%
	1,950,796,788	5,249,979,486	0.4799	72.91%



# PROPERTY TAX RATES DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTS

_	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u> 2019</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>	<u>2016</u>	<u>2015</u>	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
County: Operating Debt Service Total	0.4529 <u>0.0270</u> 0.4799	0.4508 0.0300 0.4808	0.4690 0.0328 0.5018	0.5123 <u>0.0371</u> 0.5494	0.5408 <u>0.0407</u> 0.5815	0.5708 <u>0.0449</u> 0.6157	0.5724 0.0482 0.6206	0.6071 <u>0.0518</u> 0.6589	0.6209 <u>0.0569</u> 0.6778	0.5712 0.0643 0.6355
Huntsville ISD Operating Debt Service Total	0.9149 0.1450 1.0599	0.9628 0.0750 1.0378	1.0230 0.0750 1.0980	1.1000 0.0750 1.1750	1.1000 <u>0.0800</u> 1.1800	1.0400 <u>0.1400</u> 1.1800	1.0400 <u>0.1400</u> 1.1800	1.0400 0.1700 1.2100	1.0400 0.1700 1.2100	1.0400 <u>0.1700</u> 1.2100
Richards ISD Operating Debt Service Total	0.8820 0.1950 1.0770	0.9639 0.0000 0.9639	0.9900 <u>0.0000</u> 0.9900	1.0600 <u>0.0000</u> 1.0600	1.0400 <u>0.0000</u> 1.0400	1.0400 <u>0.0000</u> 1.0400	1.0400 <u>0.0000</u> 1.0400	1.0400 <u>0.0000</u> 1.0400	1.0400 <u>0.0000</u> 1.0400	1.0400 0.0000 1.0400
City of Huntsville Operating Debt Service Total	0.2482 <u>0.0593</u> 0.3075	0.2399 <u>0.0663</u> 0.3062	0.2519 0.0629 0.3148	0.2620 <u>0.0802</u> 0.3422	0.2745 <u>0.0921</u> 0.3666	0.2838 <u>0.0971</u> 0.3809	0.2833 <u>0.1005</u> 0.3838	0.2862 <u>0.1244</u> 0.4106	0.2920 <u>0.1286</u> 0.4206	0.2639 <u>0.1567</u> 0.4206
City of New Waverly Operating Debt Service Total	0.0000 <u>0.0000</u> 0.0000									
City of Riverside Operating Debt Service Total	0.1090 0.0000 0.1090	0.1183 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1183	0.1272 0.0000 0.1272	0.1431 0.0000 0.1431	0.1438 0.0000 0.1438	0.1561 0.0000 0.1561	0.1681 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1681	0.1918 0.0000 0.1918	0.0817 <u>0.1107</u> 0.1924	0.0894 <u>0.1136</u> 0.2030
Hospital District Operating Debt Service Total	0.1136 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1136	0.1136 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1136	0.1162 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1162	0.1187 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1187	0.1254 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1254	0.1346 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1346	0.1427 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1427	0.1537 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1537	0.1590 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1590	0.1554 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1554
Fire District #1 Operating Debt Service Total	0.0600 <u>0.0000</u> 0.0600	0.0555 <u>0.0000</u> 0.0555	0.0600 <u>0.0000</u> 0.0600							
Fire District #2 Operating Debt Service Total	0.0000	0.0000	0.0855 <u>0.0145</u> 0.1000	0.0252	0.0322		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	
Fire District #3 Operating Debt Service Total	0.0000		0.1000 <u>0.0000</u> 0.1000	0.0000	0.0000		0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000 <u>0.0000</u> 0.0000
<b>Totals</b> Operating Total Debt Service Total Total	0.6163		4.1912 0.3752 4.5664	0.4075		0.4720		<u>0.5462</u>	4.4336 0.6662 5.0998	4.3599 <u>0.7251</u> 5.0850



## PRINCIPAL PROPERTY TAXPAYERS

## CURRENT YEAR AND TEN YEARS AGO

	For the Fiscal Year Ending 09/30/22					
<u>Taxpayer</u>	Taxable Assessed Value	Percentage of Total Taxable Assessed Value				
Entergy Texas Inc	\$93,968,140	1.79%				
PEP-SHSU LLC	38,263,100	0.73%				
Sterling - Huntsville LLC	37,202,560	0.71%				
Oneok Arbuckle II Pipeline LLC	35,919,150	0.68%				
American Campus Community	34,003,720	0.65%				
Breckenridge Group Huntsville Texas LP	31,729,804	0.60%				
Grand Prix Pipeline LLC	31,301,420	0.60%				
C150 1300 Smither Drive LLC	30,110,550	0.57%				
THP The Forum at Sam Houston LLC	29,398,710	0.56%				
SZ Sam Houston Ave Apartments LLC	28,603,380	0.54%				

For the Fiscal Year Ending 09/30/13 Percentage of **Taxable Total Taxable** Assessed **Assessed** Value Value **Taxpayer** Entergy Texas Inc \$28,251,320 1.14% University House Huntsville LLC 28,211,474 1.14% Fairfield Huntsville Exchange LP 21,131,590 0.86% Weatherford US LP 21,099,930 0.85% Wal-Mart Stores Texas LLC 0285-1-14206 19,221,250 0.78% Southwestern Bell Telephone LP 17,011,020 0.69% Hyponex Corporation 13,169,430 0.53% Huntsville Aberdeen Place LP 12,597,120 0.51% Huntsville Place LP 12,533,599 0.51% Campus Crest at Huntsville LP 12,477,260 0.51%

Source: Walker County Appraisal District

# PROPERTY TAX LEVIES AND COLLECTIONS

Fiscal Year Ended	(1) Total Tax Levy for	Collected within the Fiscal Year of the Levy						
September 30	 Fiscal Year		Amount	Percentage of Levy				
2013	\$ 15,064,354	\$	14,497,257	94.7%				
2014	16,604,466		16,158,039	97.3%				
2015	17,089,010		16,628,914	97.3%				
2016	17,734,826		17,217,742	97.1%				
2017	18,399,930		17,867,124	97.1%				
2018	19,249,734		18,703,271	97.2%				
2019	19,990,779		19,532,698	97.7%				
2020	20,945,210		20,407,576	97.4%				
2021	21,973,801		21,534,069	98.0%				
2022	24,330,749		23,573,373	96.9%				

<sup>(1)</sup> Original Tax Levy

Co	llections in	<b>Total Collections to Date</b>							
<b>Subsequent Years</b>			Amount	Percentage of Levy					
\$	322,052	\$	14,819,309	98.4%					
	392,782		16,550,821	99.7%					
	397,891		17,026,805	99.6%					
	438,235		17,655,977	99.6%					
	448,580		18,315,704	99.5%					
	478,698		19,181,969	99.6%					
	419,574		19,952,272	99.8%					
	152,613		20,560,189	98.2%					
	181,315		21,715,384	98.8%					
	-		23,573,373	96.9%					

# RATIOS OF OUTSTANDING DEBT BY TYPE

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year	General Obligations Bonds(1)	Leases	Notes Payable	Total	Percentage of Personal Income	f Population	Debt Per Capita
2013	\$ 19,432,864	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 19,432,864	1.03%	68,408	284.07
2014	18,626,376	-	-	18,626,376	0.96%	68,817	270.67
2015	17,804,888	-	-	17,804,888	1.00%	69,789	255.12
2016	16,968,401	-	-	16,968,401	0.92%	70,699	240.01
2017	16,116,913	-	-	16,116,913	0.83%	71,484	225.46
2018	15,245,425	-	-	15,245,425	0.77%	72,245	211.02
2019	14,359,323	-	-	14,359,323	0.73%	72,480	198.11
2020	13,443,221	-	451,918	13,895,139	0.68%	72,971	190.42
2021	12,502,119	-	225,959	12,728,078	0.58%	76,400	166.60
2022	11,531,017	-	- -	11,531,017	0.49%	77,977	147.88

Note: (1) Presented net of original issuance discounts and premiums.

# RATIOS OF GENERAL BONDED DEBT OUTSTANDING

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year		General Obligations Bonds (1)	Avai	s: Amounts lable in Debt rice Fund (2)		Total	Percentage of Estimated Actual Taxable Value of Property	Per Capita
2013	\$	19.432.864	\$	141,977	\$	19,290,887	0.75%	282.00
2014	т.	18,626,376	т.	176,508	т.	18,449,868	0.68%	268.10
2015		17,804,888		159,259		17,645,629	0.59%	252.84
2016		16,968,401		180,420		16,787,981	0.54%	237.46
2017		16,116,913		180,334		15,936,579	0.46%	222.94
2018		15,245,425		194,244		15,051,181	0.40%	208.34
2019		14,359,323		268,779		14,090,544	0.35%	195.04
2020		13,443,221		249,280		13,193,941	0.28%	180.81
2021		12,502,119		288,653		12,213,466	0.26%	167.37
2022		11,531,017		284,407		11,246,610	0.21%	147.21

Notes: (1) Presented net of original issuance discounts and premiums. (2) This is the amount restricted for debt service principal payments.



## DIRECT AND OVERLAPPING GOVERNMENTAL ACTIVITIES DEBT

# AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Governmental Unit	(	(1) Debt Outstanding	(2) Estimated Percentage Applicable	(3) Estimated Share of Overlapping Debt
Huntsville I.S.D.  New Waverly I.S.D.  City of Huntsville  City of New Waverly  City of Riverside  Subtotal Overlapping Debt	\$	94,500,000 43,073,810 42,800,000 - -	100% 100% 100% 100% 100%	\$  94,500,000 43,073,810 42,800,000 - - 180,373,810
Walker County direct debt				\$ 11,531,017
Total direct and overlapping debt				\$ 191,904,827

### Notes:

- (1) Debt Outstanding provided by the Taxing Jurisdiction
- (2) All entities listed above are within the boundaries of Walker County. Thus, 100% of the debt of these governmental units is included in the estimated share of overlapping debt calculation.
- (3) Overlapping governments are those that coincide, at least in part, with the geographic boundaries of the county.

This schedule estimates the portion of the debt of these entities that is borne by the residents and businesses of Walker County. This process recognizes that, when considering the government's ability to issue debt and repay long term debt, the entire debt cost borne by the residents and businesses should be taken into account. However, this does not imply that every taxpayer is a resident, and therefore responsible for repaying the debt of each overlapping government.

# LEGAL DEBT MARGIN INFORMATION

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

	FY 2022		FY 2021		FY 2020	 FY 2019
Debt limit (Based on 25% of Value Real Property)	\$ 1,644,125,151	\$	1,775,655,163	\$	1,636,778,208	\$ 1,194,009,379
Total net debt applicable to limit	 11,177,360	_	12,141,689	-	13,110,991	 14,052,380
Legal debt margin	\$ 1,632,947,791	\$_	1,763,513,474	\$	1,623,667,217	\$ 1,179,956,999
Total net debt applicable to the limit as a percentage of debt limit	0.68%		0.70%		0.80%	1.18%

## **Legal Debt Margin Calculation for Current Fiscal Year**

Assessed value	\$ 5,249,979,486
Add back: exempt real property	1,950,796,788
Total assessed value	\$ 6,576,500,604
Debt limit (25% of total assessed value)	\$ 1,644,125,151
Debt applicable to limit:	
General obligation debt	\$ 11,470,000
Less: Amount set aside for repayment of	
general obligation debt	292,640
Total net debt applicable to limit	\$ 11,177,360
Legal debt margin	\$ 1,632,947,791

FY 2018	FY 2017	FY 2016	FY 2015	FY 2014	FY 2013
\$ 1,119,164,772	\$ 1,025,496,319	\$ 981,876,643	\$ 863,445,801	\$ 834,746,763	\$ 761,047,122
14,965,756	14,965,756	16,689,580	17,540,741	18,449,868	19,173,023
\$ 1,104,199,016	\$ <u>1,010,530,563</u>	\$ 965,187,063	\$ 845,905,060	\$ 816,296,895	\$ 741,874,099
1.34%	1.46%	1.70%	2.03%	2.21%	2.52%

# DEMOGRAPHIC AND ECONOMIC STATISTICS

# LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Fiscal Year	(1) Population	(2) Personal Income (amounts expressed in thousands)	(2) Per Capita Personal Income	Median Age	School <u>Enrollment</u>	Unemployment Rate
2013	68,408	1,886,000	27,543	n/a	7,281	6.6%
2014	68,817	1,931,000	28,055	n/a	6,898	5.1%
2015	69,789	1,781,973	25,534	n/a	7,880	5.0%
2016	70,699	1,843,000	25,719	n/a	7,369	5.8%
2017	71,484	1,938,000	25,719	n/a	7,219	4.3%
2018	72,245	1,972,000	25,719	n/a	7,186	4.0%
2019	72,480	1,972,461	27,302	n/a	7,130	3.7%
2020	72,971	2,030,607	28,016	n/a	7,050	8.0%
2021	76,400	2,177,308	29,838	n/a	6,912	7.7%
2022	77,977	2,333,372	32,334	n/a	7,030	5.1%

## Notes:

<sup>(1)</sup> Based on information available from U.S. Census Bureau Quickfacts available at www.census.gov for

Walker County
(2) Based on information available from Bureau of Economic Analysis U.S. Dept. of Commerce at www.bea.gov/regional/bearfacts for Walker County.
Total personal income and per capita income is as of December 31, 2020

# PRINCIPAL EMPLOYERS

# CURRENT YEAR AND TEN YEARS AGO

		2022	
			Percentage of Total County
<u>Employer</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Employment</u>
Texas Department of Criminal Justice	4372	1	19.89%
Sam Houston State University	2417	2	11.00%
Huntsville Independent School District	980	3	4.46%
Huntsville Memorial Hospital	552	4	2.51%
Wal-Mart	485	5	2.21%
Walker County	400	6	1.82%
H-E-B	393	6	1.79%
City of Huntsville	320	8	1.46%
Weatherford International	260	9	1.18%
Bayes Achievement Center	200	10	0.91%

		2013	
Fundamen	F	DI-	Percentage of Total County
<u>Employer</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Employment</u>
Texas Department of Criminal Justice	6163	1	46.82%
Sam Houston State University	3575	2	27.16%
Huntsville Independent School District	875	3	6.65%
Huntsville Memorial Hospital	589	4	4.48%
Wal-Mart	475	5	3.61%
Walker County	400	6	3.04%
Region VI Education Service Center	315	7	2.39%
City of Huntsville	275	8	2.09%
Weatherford Completion Center	285	9	2.17%
Gulf Coast Trade Center	210	10	1.59%

# FULL-TIME EQUIVALENT COUNTY GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES BY FUNCTION LAST TEN FISCAL YEARS

Full-time Equivalent Employees as of September 30 2022 2021 2020 2019 Function Operating General Government Elected 2 2 2 2 Employees 28 28 29.5 29.5 Judicial Elected 7.5 7.5 7.5 7.5 **Employees** 47.5 47.5 46.5 46.5 Financial 2 2 Elected 2 2 2 Appointed 2 2 2 Employees 24 24 24 23.5 Public Safety Elected 5 5 5 5 **Employees-Certified** 45 44 43 42 **Employees-Non-Certified** 9.5 8.5 8.5 8 Employee-Certified/Noncertified Employees - EMS 38 39 39 39 Corrections and Rehabilitation 39 **Employees-Certified** 40 40 40 Employees-Non-Certified 3.5 4.5 4.5 3.5 Health and Welfare **Employees** 8.5 8 7.5 7.5 Culture and Education **Employees** 5 5 5 5 **Public Transportation** Elected 4 4 4 4 **Employees** 36.5 35 35 35 Legislatively Designated Judicial 0 0 0 0 **Public Safety** 0 0 0 0 General Government 0 0 0 0 Grants/State Funding Juvenile Probation 6 6 6 6 **Adult Probation** 27 27 27 27 SPU Criminal/Civil/Juvenile 44 44 43 43 Total 386 383 380 377

ruil-time Equivalent Employees as of September 30					
2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
2	2	2	2	2	2
30.5	30.5	30	29	27	26
7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5
46.5	45.5	46	45.5	44.5	43
2	2	2	2	2	2
2	2	2	2	2	2
23	23	21.5	21.5	21	21
5	5	5	5	5	5
39	36	33	33	31	30.5
7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	8.5	8.5
39	39	39	39	39	39
39	39	39	40.5	40.5	33.5
3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	7.5	6.5
4	4	4	4	4	4
4	4	4	4	4	4
34.5	34.5	34.5	34.5	34	34
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0
6	6	6	6	6	6
29.5	29.5	29	29	29	29
44	44	44	45	45	45
376	372	367	368	363	352

# OPERATING INDICATORS BY FUNCTION

•	2022	2021	2020	2019
Function				
Sheriff Office/Constables				
Papers Served	1,466	1,283	1,373	1,949
Jail				
Bookings at Jail	2,935	2,450	3,128	3,762
Average Daily Jail Population	188	188	211	202
Highest Daily Jail Population	212	217	233	242
Health and Welfare				
Permits Issued	1,456	900	1,139	1,129
Judicial/Courts				
Number of indigent cases	1,465	1,098	1,074	1,133
Cases filed District Courts-Civil	442	419	501	591
Cases filed District Courts-Criminal	574	552	458	400
Cases filed District Courts-Family	473	560	612	476
Cases disposed -County Court at Law	1,118	784	1,015	807
Cases filed in Court at Law-Criminal	751	953	695	763
Cases filed County Court at Law-Civil	209	253	297	366
Cases filed in JP Courts-Traffic/Non Traffic Misdemeanors	3,761	3,955	4,823	7,477
Cases filed in JP Courts - Civil	1,269	1,268	1,083	1,305
Cases Disposed of - JP Courts	3,552	4,731	5,250	7,455
County Clerk				
Documents recorded	12,450	12,329	11,165	8,795
Adult Probation		2.622	0.760	0.440
Offenders Supervised	2,777	2,622	2,762	3,148
Juvenile Probation	0.5	60		405
Juveniles Supervised	95	69	77	105

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2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
1,779	1,880	1,942	1,975	1,647	1,853
3,719 172 211	3,791 162 193	3,671 171 228	3,806 154 179	3,015 147 196	3,918 146 176
823	1,080	1,164	1,020	861	405
1,191 498 526 575 933 866 292 8,716 1,054	1,383 561 436 521 908 927 251 6,817 819	1,219 521 443 595 935 796 225 7,747 818	1,127 499 628 533 1,107 944 284 8,276 801	1,092 587 466 559 1,337 893 282 9,172 714	1,277 491 534 1,403 1,198 343 10,899 658
7,454	6,750	7,806	8,084	8,864	9,939
8,983	8,983	10,296	9,160	10,172	10,079
3,291	3,363	3,293	3,258	3,400	3,476
69	74	61	67	63	81

# CAPITAL ASSET STATISTICS BY FUNCTION

	2022	2021	2020	2019
Function				
Public Safety Sheriff Office Stations	1	1	1	1
Patrol Units	38	37	37	37
Jail	1	1	1	1
Number of beds	268	268	268	268
Road & Bridge				
Miles of roads	563.98	549.52	549.52	541.87
Courts				
District Courts	2	2	2	2
County Court at Law	1	1	1	1
JP Courts	4	4	4	4

2018	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
1	1	1	1	1	1
35	35	35	35	35	35
1	1	1	1	1	1
268	268	268	268	268	162
535.84	539.72	539.72	537	537	537
2	2	2	2	2	2
1	1	1	1	1	1
4	4	4	4	4	4



**SINGLE AUDIT SECTION** 

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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING AND ON COMPLIANCE AND OTHER MATTERS BASED ON AN AUDIT OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS PERFORMED IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNMENT AUDITING STANDARDS

Honorable County Judge and Commissioners' Court of Walker County Huntsville, Texas

We have audited, 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, the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Walker County, Texas as of and for the year ended September 30, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Walker County's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated March 13, 2023.

# Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered Walker County, Texas internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing 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 Walker County, Texas internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of Walker County, Texas internal control.

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

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

# Report on Compliance and Other Matters

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

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## Purpose of this Report

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

Patillo, Brown & Hill, L.L.P.

Waco, Texas March 13, 2023



# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE FOR EACH MAJOR FEDERAL AND STATE PROGRAMS AND REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROL **OVER COMPLIANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE UNIFORM GUIDANCE** AND THE STATE OF TEXAS UNIFORM GRANT MANAGEMENT STANDARDS

Honorable County Judge and Commissioners' Court of Walker County Huntsville, Texas

# Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal and State Programs

### Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Programs

We have audited Walker County, Texas (the "County") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Compliance Supplement and the State of Texas Uniform Grant Management Standards ("UGMS") that could have a direct and material effect on each of the County's major federal and state programs for the year ended September 30, 2022. The County's major federal and state programs are identified in the summary of auditors' results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, the County complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal and state programs for the year ended September 30, 2022.

## Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal and State Programs

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS); the standards applicable to financial audits contained in Government Auditing Standards issued by the Comptroller General of the United States (Government Auditing Standards); the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance); and UGMS. Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the County and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal and state programs. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

### Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the County's federal and state programs.



### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the County's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards*, the Uniform Guidance, and *UGMS* will always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about County's compliance with the requirements of each major federal and state programs as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS,  $Government\ Auditing\ Standards$ , the Uniform Guidance, and UGMS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the County's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the County's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to
  design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control
  over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion
  on the effectiveness of the County's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is
  expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

### **Report on Internal Control Over Compliance**

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

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

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

Waco, Texas

March 13, 2023

# SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AND STATE AWARDS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

Federal Grantor/Pass-through Grantor/ Program Title	Federal Assistance <u>listing Numbe</u> r	Pass-through Entity Identifying r <u>Numbe</u> r	Expenditures	Pass-Through Expenditures
FEDERAL AWARDS				
U. S. Department of Agriculture  Passed through Texas State Comptroller of Public Accounts:  U.S. Forest Service - Mineral Receipts  Total Forest Service Schools and Roads Cluster  Total Passed through Texas State Comptroller of Public Accounts	10.666 s	N/A	\$ 148,300 148,300 148,300	\$ 148,300 148,300 148,300
Total U. S. Department of Agriculture			148,300	148,300
<u>U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development</u> Passed through Texas General Land Office:  CDBG Disaster Recovery - Harvey Round 1  Total Passed through Texas General Land Office	14.228	20-065-104-C279	2,449,506 2,449,506	
Passed through Texas Department of Agriculture: CDBG Disaster Recovery Total Passed through Texas Department of Agriculture Total 14.228	14.228	7220490	7,520 7,520 2,457,026	7,520 7,520 7,520
Total U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development			2,457,026	7,520
U. S. Department of Justice  Direct programs: State Criminal Alien Assistance Program Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant Program Total direct programs	16.606 16.607	N/A N/A	11,642 632 12,274	
Passed through Texas Office of the Governor - Criminal Justice Division: Victims of Crime Act Formula Grant Program Total Passed through Texas Office of the Governor - Criminal Justice Division	16.575	3872602	50,897	
Passed through City of Huntsville, Texas: 2020 Justice Assistance Grant Program (JAG) Total Passed through City of Huntsville, Texas	16.738	15PBJA-21-GG-01881-JAGX	6,380 6,380	
Total U. S. Department of Justice			69,551	
U. S. Department of Treasury Direct Program: Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund - COVID-19	21.027	2020	6,739,685	
Total U. S. Department of Treasury			6,739,685	
<u>U. S. Office of National Drug Control Policy</u> Direct Program:				
High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas Program Total U.S. Office of National Drug Control Policy	95.001	G21HN0025A	24,271 24,271	
U.S. Department of Homeland Security				<del></del>
Passed through Texas Division of Emergency Management: Disaster Grants- Public Assistance	97.036	4485-DR-TX	30,869	-
Disaster Grants- Public Assistance Disaster Grants- Public Assistance Disaster Grants- Public Assistance Disaster Grants- Public Assistance Total 97.036	97.036 97.036 97.036 97.036	3540-DR-TX 4332-DR-TX 4485-DR-TX 4416-DR-TX	3,477 18,528 68,880 66,815 188,569	- - - -
Emergency Management Performance Grants			16,060	
Total Passed through Texas Division of Emergency Management			204,629	<u>-</u>
Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security			204,629	-
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			\$ 9,643,462	\$ 155,820

# SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AND STATE AWARDS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

State Grantor/ Grant Description	Pass-through Grantor's Number	Expenditures	Pass-through Expenditures
STATE AWARDS			
Office of Court Administration			
Direct Program: Task Force on Indigent Defense	212-20-236	\$ 35,772	\$
Total Office of Court Administration	212-20-230	35,772	·
Office of the Governor			
Direct Program:			
Prosecution of Prison Crimes - Criminal	SF-11-A10-14918-20	1,505,634	
Total Office of the Governor		1,505,634	
Texas Commission on Environmental Quality			
Direct Program:			
Tire Collection Event	20-16-04	8,103	
Total Texas Commission on Environmental Quality		8,103	
Office of Attorney General			
Direct Program: Statewide Victim Information and Notification Everyday System	20192044900-516-01	18,587	_
Total Office of Attorney General	20192044900-310-01	18,587	
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Office of the Governor - Criminal Justice Division  Passed through Houston-Galveston Area Council:			
Regional Juvenile Mental Health Services	26067	10,000	_
Total passed through Houston-Galveston Area Council	20007	10,000	
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Total Office of the Governor - Criminal Justice Division		10,000	
Texas Department of State Health Services			
Passed through Southeast Texas Trauma Regional Advisory Council:		12.706	
EMS Trauma Care System	N/A	13,796	
Total Southeast Texas Trauma Regional Advisory Council		13,796	
Total Texas Department of State Health Services		13,796	
Texas Department of Motor Vehicles			
Passed through Montgomery County:	600 21 170000	00 620	
Texas Department of Motor Vehicles	608-21-1700000	98,629 98,629	
Total Passed through Montgomery County		98,629	
Total Texas Department of Motor Vehicles		90,029	
Office of the Secretary of the State			
Direct Program:	NI/A	1,835	_
Chapter 19 Voter Funds  Total Office of Secretary of State	N/A	1,835	
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Total Expenditures of State Awards		\$ <u>1,692,356</u>	Ψ
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Total Expenditures of Federal and State Awards		\$ <u>11,335,818</u>	\$ <u>155,820</u>



### NOTES TO THE SCHEDULE OF EXPENDITURES OF FEDERAL AND STATE AWARDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

## 1. GENERAL

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards presents the activity of all federal and state financial assistance programs of Walker County, Texas, for the year ended September 30, 2022. The County's reporting entity is defined in Note I to the County's financial statements. The Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards includes all Federal and State awards expended by the County, regardless of whether the award was received directly from the Federal or State agency or passed through another agency.

# 2. BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards is presented using the modified accrual basis of accounting, which is described in Note I to the County's financial statements.

# 3. INDIRECT COSTS

The County has elected not to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed in the Uniform Guidance.

# SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

### **Summary of Auditor's Results**

Financial Statements:

Type of auditor's report issued Unmodified

Internal control over financial reporting:

Material weakness(es) identified?

Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not

considered a material weakness? None reported

Noncompliance material to financial statements

noted? None

Federal and State Awards:

Internal control over major programs:

Material weakness(es) identified?

Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not

considered a material weakness?

None reported

Type of auditor's report issued on compliance

for major programs Unmodified

Any audit findings disclosed that are required

to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR 100.516(a) or the

State of Texas Uniform Grant Management Standards? None

Identification of major programs:

Assistance Listing Number(s): Name of Program or Cluster:

14.228 CDBG Disaster Recovery

21.027 Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal

Recovery Fund - COVID-19

State Prosecution of Prison Crimes -

Criminal

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A

and type B federal programs. \$750,000

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between type A

and type B state programs. \$300,000

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee for federal single audit? Yes

Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee for state single audit?

Findings Relating to the Financial Statements Which are Required to be Reported in Accordance With Generally Accepted Government Auditing Standards

None

# **Findings and Questioned Costs for Federal and State Awards**

None

# SUMMARY SCHEDULE OF PRIOR AUDIT FINDINGS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

NONE

