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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Commissioners Bryan County, Georgia

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bryan County, Georgia, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the County's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. We did not audit the financial statements of the Bryan County Board of Health, a discretely presented component unit, which represents 0.3% of the assets, 0.6% of the net position, and 2.3% of the revenues of Bryan County, Georgia.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit. We did not audit the financial statements of the Bryan County Board of Health, a discretely presented component unit, which represents 0.3% of the assets, 0.6% of the net position, and 2.3% of the revenues of Bryan County, Georgia. Those financial statements were audited by other auditors whose report has been furnished to us, and our opinion, insofar as it relates to the amounts included for the Bryan County Board of Health, is based solely on the report of the other auditors. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinions

In our opinion, based on our audit and the report of other auditors, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bryan County, Georgia, as of December 31, 2015, and, the respective changes in financial position, and, where applicable, cash flows thereof, and the respective budgetary comparison for the General Fund and Fire Protection Fund for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Change in Accounting Principle

As described in Note 1F to the financial statements, in fiscal year 2015, the County adopted new accounting guidance, GASB Statement No. 68, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Pensions – an amendment of GASB Statement No. 27. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Required Supplementary Information

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis on pages 6 through 12 and other required supplementary information, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise Bryan County, Georgia's basic financial statements. The combining and individual major and nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules and schedule of projects paid with SPLOST proceeds are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements.

The combining and individual major and nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, and schedule of projects paid with SPLOST proceeds are the responsibility of management and were derived from and relate directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the combining and individual major and nonmajor fund financial statements and schedules, and schedule of projects paid with SPLOST proceeds are fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated June 30, 2016, on our consideration of Bryan County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on 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 Bryan County, Georgia's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Lanier, Westerfield, Oool + Prontos

Statesboro, GA June 30, 2016

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

Within this section of the Bryan County, Georgia (the County) annual financial report, the County's management is pleased to provide this narrative discussion and analysis of the financial activities of the County for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015. The County's financial performance is discussed and analyzed within the context of the accompanying financial statements and disclosures following this section. The discussion focuses on the County's primary government and, unless otherwise noted, component units reported separately from the primary government are not included.

Financial Highlights

- The County's assets exceeded its liabilities by \$75,447,903 (net position) for the fiscal year reported.
- Total net position is comprised of the following:
 - (1) Net investment in capital assets of \$55,709,911 includes property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation, and reduced for outstanding debt related to the purchase or construction of capital assets.
 - (2) Net position of \$6,168,381 is restricted by constraints imposed from outside the County such as debt covenants, grantors, laws, or regulations.
 - (3) Unrestricted net position of \$13,599,611 represents the portion available to maintain the County's continuing obligations to citizens and creditors.
- The County's governmental funds reported total ending fund balance of \$23,664,412 this year. This compares to the prior year ending fund balance of \$20,394,124 showing a significant increase of \$3,270,288 or 16% during the current year.
- At the end of the current fiscal year, unassigned fund balance for the General Fund was \$17,635,511 or 102% of total General Fund expenditures.
- Overall, the County continues to maintain a strong financial position.

The above financial highlights are explained in more detail in the "financial analysis" section of this document.

Overview of the Financial Statements

This Management Discussion and Analysis document introduces the County's basic financial statements. The basic financial statements include: (1) government-wide financial statements, (2) fund financial statements, and (3) notes to the basic financial statements. The County also includes in this report additional information to supplement the basic financial statements. Comparative data is presented when available.

Government-wide Financial Statements

The County's annual report includes two government-wide financial statements. These statements provide both long-term and short-term information about the County's overall financial status. Financial reporting at this level uses a perspective similar to that found in the private sector with its basis in accrual accounting and elimination or reclassification of activities between funds.

The first of these government-wide statements is the Statement of Net Position. This is the government-wide statement of position presenting information that includes all of the County's assets and liabilities, with the difference reported as net position. Over time, increases or decreases in net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the County as a whole is improving or deteriorating. Evaluation of the overall health of the County would extend to other nonfinancial factors such as diversification of the taxpayer base or the condition of County infrastructure, in addition to the financial information provided in this report.

The second government-wide statement is the *Statement of Activities*, which reports how the County's net position changed during the current fiscal year. All current year revenues and expenses are included regardless of when cash is received or paid. An important purpose of the design of the statement of activities is to show the financial reliance of the County's distinct activities or functions on revenues provided by the County's taxpayers.

Both government-wide financial statements distinguish governmental activities of the County that are principally supported by fees, charges for services, grants, and property taxes from business-type activities that are intended to recover all or a significant portion of their costs through user fees and charges. The major governmental activities include general government; judicial, public safety, public works, health and welfare, libraries and recreation, and housing and development. Business-type activities include the water and sewer enterprise fund. The County's fiduciary activities simply hold resources temporarily for others and are not included in the government-wide statements since these assets are not available to fund County programs.

The County's financial reporting includes the funds of the County (primary government) and, additionally, organizations for which the County is accountable (component units). These component units operate independently or provide services directly to the citizens, though the County remains accountable for their activities. These component units are governed by a board of directors that the County Commission has appointed. These organizations, such as the Bryan County Board of Health and the Development Authority of Bryan County, are reported separately from the primary government though included in the County's overall reporting entity.

The government-wide financial statements are presented on pages 13 & 14 of this report.

Fund Financial Statements

A fund is an accountability unit used to maintain control over resources segregated for specific activities or objectives. The County uses funds to ensure and demonstrate compliance with finance-related laws and regulations. Within the basic financial statements, fund financial statements focus on the County's most significant funds rather than the County as a whole. Major funds are separately reported while all others are combined into a single, aggregated presentation. Individual fund data for non-major funds is provided in the form of combining statements in a later section of this report.

The County has three kinds of funds:

Governmental funds are reported in the fund financial statements and encompass the same functions reported as
governmental activities in the government-wide financial statements. However, the focus is very different with fund
statements providing a distinctive view of the County's governmental funds. These statements report short-term fiscal
accountability focusing on the use of spendable resources and balances of spendable resources available at the end of the
year. They are useful in evaluating annual financing requirements of governmental programs and the commitment of
spendable resources for the near-term.

Since the government-wide focus includes the long-term view, comparisons between these two perspectives may provide insight into the long-term impact of short-term financing decisions. Both the governmental fund balance sheet and the governmental fund operating statement provide a reconciliation to assist in understanding the differences between these two perspectives.

Budgetary comparison statements are included in the basic financial statements for the general fund and fire protection special revenue fund. Budgetary comparison schedules for other special revenue funds and debt service funds can be found in a later section of this report. These statements and schedules demonstrate compliance with the County's adopted and final revised budget.

The basic governmental fund financial statements are presented on pages 15 - 21 of this report.

Individual fund information for non-major governmental funds is found in combining statements in a later section of this report.

2. Proprietary funds are reported in the fund financial statements and generally report services for which the County charges customers a fee. The County's proprietary fund is classified as an enterprise fund. This enterprise fund

essentially encompasses the same functions reported as business-type activities in the government-wide statements. Services are provided to customers external to the County organization for water and sewer services.

The basic enterprise fund financial statements are presented on pages 22-24 of this report.

3. Fiduciary funds (i.e., the agency funds) are reported in the fiduciary fund financial statements, but are excluded from the government-wide reporting. Fiduciary fund financial statements report resources that are not available to fund County programs.

The basic fiduciary fund financial statement is presented on page 25 of this report.

Notes to the Basic Financial Statements

The accompanying notes to the financial statements provide information essential to a full understanding of the government-wide and fund financial statements. The notes to the financial statements begin on page 26 of this report.

Supplementary Information

In addition to the basic financial statements and accompanying note disclosures, this report also presents certain required supplementary information concerning the County's budget presentations. The budgetary comparison statement is included as a basic financial statement for the general fund and fire protection fund. Budgetary comparison schedules for all other governmental funds can be found in a later section of this report. These statements and schedules demonstrate compliance with the County's adopted and final revised budget.

As discussed, the County reports major funds and component units in the basic financial statements. Combining and individual statements and schedules for non-major funds are presented in this section of this report beginning on page 55.

Financial Analysis of the County as a Whole

The County's net position at fiscal year-end is \$75,477,903. The following table provides a summary of the County's net position:

Summary of Net Position

	Govern	mental	Busine	ss-type	To	Percentage			
	Activ	vities	Activ	ities		<u></u>	of T	fotal	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2014 2015 2014		2015	2014	
Assets:									
Current assets	\$25,128,995	\$22,273,525	\$ 256,405	\$ 290,864	\$25,385,400	\$22,564,389	28%	25%	
Capital assets	53,324,189	55,975,182	10,679,116	10,420,315	64,003,305	66,395,497	71%	74%	
Other noncurrent assets	-		670,718	670,763_	670,718	670,763	1%	1%	
Total assets	78,453,184	78,248,707	11,606,239	11,381,942	90,059,423	89,630,649	100%	100%	
Deferred Outflows of Resources:									
Resources related to pensions	882,726				882,726		100%	100%	
Liabilities:									
Current liabilities	1,865,997	2,412,263	712,533	737,379	2,578,530	3,149,642	17%	23%	
Long-term liabilities	7,513,302	4,804,201	5,372,414	6,039,692	12,885,716	10,843,893	83%	77%	
Total fiabilities	9,379,299	7,216,464	6,084,947	34,947 6,777,071 15,464,246 13,993,5		13,993,535	100%	100%	
Net position:									
Net investment in capital assets	50,699,734	52,670,564	5,010,177	4,099,450	55,709,911	56,770,014	74%	75%	
Restricted	5,868,381	5,865,102	300,000	300,000	6,168,381	6,165,102	8%	8%	
Unrestricted	13,388,496	12,496,577	211,115	205,421	13,599,611	12,701,998	18%	17%	
Total net position	\$69,956,611	\$71,032,243	\$5,521,292	\$4,604,871	\$75,477,903	\$75,637,114	100%	100%	

The County continues to maintain a high current ratio. The current ratio compares current assets to current liabilities and is an indication of the ability to pay current obligations. For 2015 and 2014, the current ratio was 9.8 and 7.2, respectively.

Note that approximately 74% of the County's net position is invested in capital assets. The County uses these capital assets to provide services to its citizens.

The following table provides a summary of the changes in net position, with comparative data for both 2015 and 2014.

Summary of Changes in Net Position

•	Govern	mental	Busines	s-type	Tot	al	Percent	
	Activ		Activ				of Tot	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Revenues:								
Program:							18%	18%
Fees, fines and charges for services	\$ 5,299,366	\$ 5,439,858	\$ 434,464	\$ 269,982	\$ 5,733,830	\$ 5,709,840	2%	2%
Operating grants and contributions	526,641	537,347	-		526,641	537,347	5%	5%
Capital grants and contributions	738,018	884,884	942,065	584,248	1,680,083	1,469,132	370	370
General:					12 740 400	13 004 730	43%	41%
Property taxes	13,740,499	13,004,729	-	-	13,740,499	13,004,729 8,662,605	26%	28%
Sales taxes	8,411,003	8,662,605	-	-	8,411,003		3%	3%
Insurance premium tax	984,383	919,259	-	-	984,383	919,259	2%	376 2%
Other taxes	585,178	805,954	-	-	585,178	805,954	270	274
Interest	36,001	21,721	130	391	36,131	22,112	-	-
Gain on sale of capital assets	44,010	-	-	~\	44,010		1%	1%
Other	260,313	239,379			260,313	239,379	176	170
Total revenues	30,625,412	30,515,736	1,376,659	854,621	32,002,071	31,370,357	100%	100%

Program Expenses:			•			2 512 224	9%	9%
General government	2,795,306	. 2,712,226		•	2,795,306	2,712,226	34%	35%
Public safety	9,963,465	10,618,217	-	-	9,963,465	10,618,217	54% 6%	53% 6%
Judicial	1,775,298	1,710,641	=	-	1,775,298	1,710,641	29%	29%
Public works	8,669,502	8,586,949	-	-	8,669,502	8,586,949	29% 4%	4%
Health and welfare	1,262,916	1,323,324	-	-	1,262,916	1,323,324	4% 8%	9%
Libraries and recreation	2,429,536	2,620,706	-	-	2,429,536	2,620,706	6%	5%
Housing and development	1,663,187	1,575,253	-	-	1,663,187	1,575,253	0%	0%
Interest	78,249	104,563			78,249	104,563	4%	. 3%
Water and Sewer			1,088,017	888,106	1,088,017	888,106	470	. 376
Total expenses	28,637,459	29,251,879	1,088,017	888,106	29,725,476	30,139,985	100%	100%
Excess (deficiency)	1,987,953	1,263,857	288,642	(33,485)	2,276,595	1,230,372 -		
Transfers	(627,779)	(1,205,359)	627,779	1,205,359				
Change in net position	1,360,174	58,498	916,421	1,171,874	2,276,595	1,230,372		
Prior period adjustment for pensions	(2,435,806)		-	-	(2,435,806)	-		
Beginning net position, as restated	71,032,243	70,973,745	4,604.871	3,432,997	75,637,114	74,406,742		
			£ 5501.000	P 4 604 971	\$ 75,477,903	\$ 75,637,114		
Ending net position	\$ 69,956,611	\$ 71,032,243	\$ 5,521,292	\$ 4,604,871	\$ 13,411,903	<i>a</i> 13,037,114		

Total revenues increased by 0.2% from the previous year. Property taxes and sales taxes provided 69% of the County's total revenues. Governmental program revenues cover 25% of governmental operating expenses. Property taxes increased by 6% from the prior year and sales taxes decreased by 3%.

Capital grants for governmental activities included \$397,350 in LMIG funds received from the Georgia Department of Transportation for road construction projects.

Total expenses decreased by \$414,509 or 1% over the previous year. Total expenses for business-type activities increased by \$199,911 or 23% from the prior year. This increase was primarily for depreciation and operating expenses. The public safety function comprises 34% of the County's total expenses. Public works costs represent 29% of the total expenses. Of the total \$30,139,985 in County expenses, \$4,960,180 or 16% consists of depreciation.

Financial Analysis of the County's Funds

Governmental Funds

As discussed, governmental funds are reported in the fund statements with a short-term, inflow and outflow of spendable resources focus. This information is useful in assessing resources available at the end of the year in comparison with upcoming financing requirements. Governmental funds reported ending fund balances of \$23,664,412, compared to \$20,394,124 in 2014. Of this year-end total, \$17,599,545 is unassigned indicating availability for continuing County service requirements.

The total ending fund balances of governmental funds show an increase of \$3,270,288 or 16% from the prior year. In fiscal year 2014, the total ending fund balances of governmental funds increased by \$3,127,821 or 18%.

Major Governmental Funds

The General Fund is the County's primary operating fund and the largest source of day-to-day service delivery. The General Fund's fund balance increased by \$3,267,009 or 22%. In fiscal year 2014, the fund balance increased by \$2,468,055 or 20%.

The General Fund revenues decreased by \$110,157 or .5%. Taxes increased \$209,884 or 1%. Licenses and permits increased \$118,578 or 31%. Intergovernmental revenue decreased \$236,237 or 17%. Fines and forfeitures decreased \$300,262 or 15%.

The General Fund expenditures decreased by \$735,375 or 4%. Public works expenditures decreased \$603,595 or 23% primarily because of completing two large road projects in 2014.

The General Fund's ending fund balance is considered very adequate, representing the equivalent of 99% of annual expenditures and transfers out.

The Fire Protection special revenue fund revenues increased by \$6,837 or .5% and expenditures increased by \$2,166 or 0.15%.

The Fire Protection special revenue fund's ending fund balance decreased by \$73,684 or 99%.

In the SPLOST VI capital projects fund, the County recognized \$5,357,365 in sales tax revenue. Total SPLOST revenue decreased by \$159,768 or 3%. Total expenditures for capital projects and debt service within the SPLOST VI capital projects fund totaled \$5,044,515 for 2015, an increase of \$1,033,267 or 26%.

The SPLOST VI capital projects fund's ending fund balance decreased \$11,195 or .3%.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Total revenues for the General Fund were \$1,771,529 over the amount budgeted. Total expenditures for the General Fund were \$1,299,545 under budget. The total favorable variance for 2015 compared to budget was \$3,467,581.

Capital Assets and Debt Administration

Capital Assets

The County's investment in capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, for governmental and business-type activities as of December 31, 2015, was \$53,324,189 and \$10,679,116 respectively, for a total of \$64,003,305. Net capital assets for governmental activities decreased \$2,650,993 and net capital assets for business-type activities increased \$258,801 from the prior year. Major capital asset additions during the current fiscal year were as follows:

- 1. Completion of the Bacontown Road project in the amount of \$732,557
- 2. Road resurfacing projects totaling \$393,626
- 3. Completion of the Henderson Park concession stands in the amount of \$320,522

		Capital	Assets			
	Government	al Activities	Business-typ	e Activities	To	tal
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Non-depreciable assets: Land Construction in progress	\$ 1,646,776 318,450	\$ 1,646,776 9,600	\$ 644,151 -	\$ 644,151 237,672	\$ 2,290,927 318,450	\$ 2,290,927 247,272
Total non-depreciable	1,965,226	1,656,376	644,151	881,823	2,609,377	2,538,199
Depreciable assets: Buildings Improvements other than buildings Machinery and equipment Infrastructure	20,094,502 11,887,899 19,643,574 91,726,276	19,773,980 11,887,899 19,197,876 91,131,574	11,967,792 9,645	11,099,465 9,645	20,094,502 23,855,691 19,653,219 91,726,276	19,773,980 22,987,364 19,207,521 91,131,574
Total depreciable assets	143,352,251	141,991,329	11,977,437	11,109,110	155,329,688	153,100,439
Less accumulated depreciation	91,993,288	87,672,523	1,942,472	1,570,618	93,935,760	89,243,141
Book value - depreciable assets	51,358,963	54,318,806	10,034,965	9,538,492	61,393,928	63,857,298
Percentage depreciated	64%	62%	16%	14%	60%	58%
Total book value	\$ 53,324,189	\$ 55,975,182	\$ 10,679,116	\$ 10,420,315	\$ 64,003,305	\$ 66,395,497

See Note 6 for additional information about changes in capital assets during the fiscal year.

Long-term Debt

The County's governmental activities reported capital leases of \$1,594,302. Notes payable for governmental activities consisted primarily of a loan with an outstanding amount of \$1,002,874 for the refinance of the DFCS/DJJ building. Total long-term debt for governmental activities decreased by \$520,264 or 9% from the prior year.

Total long-term debt outstanding for business-type activities decreased by \$651,926 or 10% from the prior year.

					Outstan	ding D	ebt				
		Government	tal Acti	ivities	Business -	type Ac	tivity		To	tals	
		2015		2014	2015		2014		2015		2014
Capital leases	\$	1,594,302	\$	2,199,173	 -		-	\$	1,594,302	\$	2,199,173
Notes payable		1,030,153		1,105,445	-		-		1,030,153		1,105,445
Bonds payable		5,000		40,000	\$ 6,039,702	\$	6,691,628		6,044,702		6,731,628
Accrued landfill post-closure care costs		325,000		350,000	-		-		325,000		350,000
Net other postemployment benefit obligation		1,563,163		1,333,103	-		-		1,563,163		1,333,103
Compensated absences		786,567		796,728	 -				786,567		796,728
Total	\$_	5,304,185	\$	5,824,449	\$ 6,039,702		6,691,628	_\$_	11,343,887	\$	12,516,077

See Notes 7, 8, 9, 10, and 11 for additional information about the County's long-term debt.

Economic Factors and Next Year's Budget

The General Fund budget for 2016 reflects a \$1,198,005 increase in operational expenditures or a 6% increase from the 2015 original budget.

The 2015 budget is conservative and revenues must meet expected amounts or the use of unassigned fund balance will be required. The Commissioners have allocated \$200,000 for contingencies. This represents 1% of the operational budget and provides reasonable assurance that funds are available for unexpected expenditures.

Contacting the County's Financial Management

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the County's finances, comply with finance-related laws and regulations, and demonstrate the County's commitment to public accountability. If you have questions about this report or would like to request additional information, contact the Bryan County Board of Commissioners at P.O. Box 430, Pembroke, Georgia, 31321, or at (912) 653-3899.

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF NET POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2015

Soment Units Development Authority of Bryan County \$ 343,010 81,774 21,600
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BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015.

				Program	Program Revenues				Net (Expense) Revenue and Changes in Net Position	nue and sition		
								Primary Government	•		Component Units	ts
Program/Function	Expenses	Fe.	Fees, Fines, and Charges for Services	Operati and Cor	Operating Grants and Contributions	Capital Grants and Confributions	Governmental	Business-Type Activities	Total	Bryan County Board of Health		Development Authority of Bryan County
Primary Government Governmental Activities		i										
General government	2,795,306	\$00 \$000	814,854	G.	2 9 1 9	•	\$ (1,980,452) (1,622,534)		\$ (1,980,452) (1,622,534)			
Judicial Public safety	9.963,465	465	3.551.729		33,288		(1,022,034)		(1,022,334)			
Public works	8,669,502	502	7,381		. •	\$ 647,350	. 80	•	(8,014,771)			
Health and welfare	1,262,916	916	24,410		489,535				(748,971)			
Libraries and recreation Housing and develonment	2,429,536	187	373,833		. ,	90,668	(1,960,655)		(1,960,655)			
Interest	78,	78,249	220,000		170 505	- 220 011	(78,249)		(78,249)			
total governmental activities	404,160,02	127	3,429,300		320,025	010,057	155,073,134		(+6+,010,424)			
Business-Type Activities Water and Sewer	1,088,017	,017	434,464		Parameter State of the State of	942,065		\$ 288,512	288,512			
Total - Primary Government	\$ 29,725,476	,476 \$	5,733,830	69	526,641	\$ 1,680,083	(22,073,434)	. 288,512	(21,784,922)			-
Component Units: Bryan County Board of Health Development Authority of Bryan County	654,738 803,111	738	249,912 189,608		366,792 727,632	380,000				\$ (38	(38,034)	494,129
Total Component Units	\$ 1,457,849	849 \$	439,520	6/3	1,094,424	380,000	·			(38	(38,034)	494,129
		Gene	General Revenues Property taxes levied for:	for:			٠					
		ŏ t	General purposes				11,281,074		11,281,074			
		So	Solid waste collection	ion	-		1,240,243	,	1,240,243			•
		ă	Debt service for special service districts	ecial servic	e districts		18,946	,	18,946		,	
		Sales	Sales taxes	;			8,411,003		8,411,003			, ,
		Othe	msurance premium tax Other taxes	4			585,178	•	585,178			•
		Inter	Interest carned				36,001	130	36,131		•	1,698
		Gain Misc	Gain on sale of capital assets Miscellaneous	il assets			44,010 260,313	, ,	44,010 260,313	118	118,723	
		Tota	Total General Revenues	unes			24,061,387	130	24,061,517	. 118	118,723	1,698
		Tran	Transfers				(627,779)	(527,779	and open a		,	i
		Tota	Total General Revenues and T	nues and T	fransfers		23,433,608	627,909	24,061,517	118	118,723	1,698
		Cha	Change in Net Position	ion			1,360,174	916,421	2,276,595)8	689,08	495,827
		Net	Net Position Beginning of Year, As Restated	ing of Yea	r, As Restate	-	68,596,437	4,604,871	73,201,308	(510	(516,097)	6,547,910
		Net	Net Position End of Year	Year			\$ 69,956,611	\$ 5,521,292	\$ 75,477,903	\$	(435,408) \$	7,043,737

See accompanying notes to the basic financial statements.

BALANCE SHEET GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

		General		Fire Protection Fund	s	PLOST VI	Go	Other overnmental Funds	Ge	Total overnmental Funds
ASSETS Cash Certificates of deposit	\$	12,642,843 2,362,466	. \$	1,169,502	\$	3,115,251	\$	2,549,546	\$	19,477,142 2,362,466
Receivables: Taxes Intergovernmental		646,061 692,571		110,140		898,057		115,464 994		871,665 1,591,622
Other Due from other funds Prepaid items		76,150 1,802,186 141,476		- - - ,		- - -		116,167 - 39,182		192,317 1,802,186 180,658
Inventories TOTAL ASSETS	\$	19,044 18,382,797	\$	1,279,642		4,013,308	\$	2,821,353	\$	19,044 26,497,100
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES										
LIABILITIES Accounts payable Accrued payroll Unearned revenue Due to other funds	\$	161,732 118,949 10,660	\$	1,696 - - 1,222,638	\$	470,337 - - -	\$	123,431 - - 315,309	\$	757,196 118,949 10,660 1,537,947
TOTAL LIABILITIES		291,341		1,224,334	_	470,337		438,740		2,424,752
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue - property taxes		295,425		54,818				57,693		407,936
FUND BALANCES Nonspendable Restricted Unassigned		160,520 - 17,635,511		- 490 -		- 3,542,971 -		39,182 2,321,704 (35,966)	•	199,702 5,865,165 17,599,545
TOTAL FUND BALANCES	_	17,796,031		490		3,542,971		2,324,920		23,664,412
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES	\$	18,382,797		1,279,642	\$	4,013,308	<u> </u>	2,821,353	\$	26,497,100

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

DECEMBER 31, 2015

Amounts reported for governmental active of net position are different because:	ities in the statement				
of het position are different because.					
Total Governmental Fund Balances				\$	23,664,412
Capital assets used in governmental activities	s are not financial				
resources and therefore are not reported in					
Cost		\$ 1	145,317,477		
	accumulated depreciation	((91,993,288)		53,324,189
Other long-term assets are not available to pa	ay for current period expenditures				
and, therefore, are reported as unavailable					
	erty taxes				407,936
The internal service fund is used by manager	nent to charge the				
costs of the County's employee health reim	bursement plan to				
individual funds. Certain assets and liabilit			•		
service funds are included in the government					
of the statement of net position.					164,407
	. 1.6 1.				
Interfund receivables and payables between	governmental runds				
are reported on the fund balance sheet but					
government-wide statement of net position		ith.	1 542 206		-
	fund receivables	\$	1,543,206		
Inter	fund payables		(1,543,206)		-
Deferred outflows and deferred inflows relat	red to pensions is not reported in				
the governmental funds	· ·				882,726
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A liability is reported on the government-wie					
position for the County's cumulative under	runding of its annual				(3,178,797)
required contribution to its pension plan.			-		(3,170,777)
Long-term liabilites are not due and payable					
period and therefore are not reported in the	e funds but are				
reported on the statement of net position:					
	rued interest payable	\$	(4,077)		
Cap	ital leases payable		(1,594,302)		
•	es payable		(1,030,153)		
	ds payable		(5,000)		
	dfill postclosure care costs		(325,000)		
	other postemployment		,		
	nefit obligation		(1,563,163)		
	ppensated absences		(786,567)		(5,308,262)
N.D. 11 O.G				\$	69,956,611
Net Position Of Governmental Activities				—	

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	 General	Fire Protection Fund	SPLOST VI	Other Governmental Funds	G-	Total overnmental Funds
REVENUES						
Taxes	\$ 15,902,782	\$ 1,199,573	\$ 5,357,365	\$ 1,260,158	\$	23,719,878
Licenses and permits	496,393	-	-	6,020		502,413
Charges for services	1,653,082	80,000	-	1,108,656		2,841,738
Fines and forfeitures	1,682,918	-	- '	253,641		1,936,559
Intergovernmental	1,160,841	-	100,000	3,818		1,264,659
Interest	29,039	286	5,252	1,269		35,846
Other	257,313	-	3,000	18,656		278,969
Total revenues	21,182,368	1,279,859	5,465,617	2,652,218		30,580,062
EXPENDITURES				-		
Current:						0.500.050
General government	2,538,252	-	-	-	•	2,538,252
Judicial	1,761,766	~	-	7,593		1,769,359
Public safety	6,651,791	1,289,168	-	1,293,726		9,234,685
Public works	2,028,235		-	1,303,379		3,331,614
Health and welfare	1,247,530	-	-			1,247,530
Libraries and recreation	1,731,249	-	-	286,311		2,017,560
Housing and development	1,251,225	•	-	-		1,251,225
Capital outlay	-	44,966	2,154,882	44,160		2,244,008
Intergovernmental	-	-	2,305,274	-		2,305,274
Debt service:						
Principal	63,031	113,276	555,719	178,619		910,645
Interest	 32,494	1,136	28,640	18,165		80,435
Total expenditures	 17,305,573	1,448,546	5,044,515	3,131,953		26,930,587
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER	2 077 705	(160 697)	421,102	(479,735)		3,649,475
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	 3,876,795	(168,687)	421,102	(479,733)		J,0 1 2,173
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)						
Proceeds from capital leases	-	-	195,482	-		195,482
Sale of capital assets	53,110	-	-	-		53,110
Transfers in	30,000	95,003	-	597,893		722,896
Transfers out	(692,896)		(627,779)	(30,000)		(1,350,675)
Total other financing sources (uses)	 (609,786)	95,003	(432,297)	567,893	_	(379,187)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	3,267,009	(73,684)	(11,195)	88,158		3,270,288
FUND BALANCES, JANUARY 1, 2015	 14,529,022	74,174	3,554,166	2,236,762		20,394,124
FUND BALANCES, DECEMBER 31, 2015	\$ 17,796,031	\$ 490	\$ 3,542,971	\$ 2,324,920	\$	23,664,412

RECONCILIATION OF THE GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES TO THE STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	·			
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of activities are different because:	•	•		
Net Changes In Fund Balances - Total Governmental Funds			\$	3,270,288
Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures. However, in the statement of activities, the cost of those assets is allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation expense. This is the amount by which depreciation expense exceeded capitalized capital outlay in the current period.				
	Depreciation expense Capital outlay	\$ (4,588,326) 2,634,662		(1,953,664)
	Capital outlay	 2,00 1,002		(-,,,)
Revenues in the statement of activities that do not provide current financial resources are not reported as revenues in the governmenta	l funds.			
	Property taxes: Deferred @ 12/31/15 Deferred @ 12/31/14	\$ 407,936 (406,751)		1,185
Elimination of transfers between governmental funds:	Transfers in Transfers out	\$ 722,896 (722,896)		-
Governmental funds do not report the cost of disposed capital assets cost is reported on the statement of activities.	but the			(697,329)
The internal service fund used by management to charge the costs of employee health reimbursement plan to individual funds is not repoint the government-wide statement of activities. Governmental fund expenditures and related internal service fund revenues are eliminated.	orted			43,507
Other financing sources for proceeds from capital leases and notes pa on the fund level operating statement but are reported as a liability government-wide financial statements.				(195,482)
The change in the net pension liability and pension related deferred of inflows is reported on the gevernment-wide statement of activities governmental funds.				173,737
Repayment of bonds, notes and capital lease principal is an expendit governmental funds, but the repayment reduces long-term liabilitie statement of net position.	ure in the s in the			910,645
Some expenses reported in the statement of activities, such as compe accrued interest payable, landfill post-closure care costs, and other benefit obligation costs do not require the use of current financial r	postemployment			(100.710)
are not reported as expenditures in governmental funds.			_	(192,713)
Change In Net Position of Governmental Activities				1,360,174

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Original Budget	Final Budget		Actual	Variance Positive Negative)
REVENUES					
Taxes:					
Property	\$ 10,493,500	\$ 10,493,500	\$	11,279,583	\$ 786,083
Local option sales tax	3,000,000	3,000,000		3,053,638	53,638
Insurance premium tax	850,000	850,000		984,383	134,383
Alcoholic beverage	160,000	160,000		197,966	37,966
Other	318,200	318,200		387,212	69,012
Licenses and permits	315,000	315,000		496,393	181,393
Charges for services	1,564,150	1,464,150		1,653,082	188,932
Fines and forfeitures	1,824,300	1,824,300		1,682,918	(141,382)
Intergovernmental	735,000	735,000		1,160,841	425,841
Interest	16,000	16,000		29,039	13,039
Other	 234,689	 234,689		257,313	 22,624
Total revenues	19,510,839	 19,410,839		21,182,368	 1,771,529
EXPENDITURES Current:			-		
General government:					0.50 0.55
County government	1,385,728	1,385,728		1,127,673	258,055
Tax commissioner	577,663	577,663		564,126	13,537
Elections	181,260	181,260		162,473	18,787
County buildings maintenance	230,650	230,650		196,125	34,525
Tax assessor	 501,152	 501,152		487,855	 13,297
Total general government	 2,876,453	 2,876,453	_	2,538,252	 338,201
Judicial:				227.450	41 456
Superior Court	368,914	368,914		327,458	41,456
State Court	428,466	428,466		431,199	(2,733)
Clerk of Courts	545,388	545,388		531,610	13,778
Probate Court	204,248	225,793		225,753	40
Magistrate Court	121,718	121,718		103,216	18,502
Juvenile Court	84,029	126,348		126,296	52
Juvenile Justice	 15,325	 15,325	_	16,234	 (909)
Total judicial	 1,768,088	 1,831,952		1,761,766	 70,186
Public safety:					
Sheriff	4,689,460	4,689,460		4,327,384	362,076
Emergency medical service	1,996,494	1,996,494		2,036,698	(40,204)
Coroner	31,026	32,026		31,879	147
Emergency management	57,564	57,564		54,173	3,391
Animal control	 203,298	203,298	_	201,657	 1,641
Total public safety	6,977,842	 6,978,842		6,651,791	 327,051

GENERAL FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE - BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	•			
	Original	Final		Variance Positive
	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Negative)
EXPENDITURES (Continued)	Dager			
Public works:				
Roads	\$ 2,204,528	\$ 2,204,528	\$ 1,873,093	\$ 331,435
Maintenance shop	323,095	223,095	127,077	96,018
Solid waste	30,000	30,000	28,065	1,935
Total public works	2,557,623	2,457,623	2,028,235	429,388
Health and welfare:				15.065
Health department	197,272	209,804	193,937	15,867
Family connections	150,836	178,508	178,250	258
Family and children services	46,465	46,465	46,283	182
Senior citizens program	241,198	251,990	252,296	(306)
Summer lunch program	83,933	100,495	100,289	206
Section 5311 transit program	441,180	441,180	453,396	(12,216)
- Mosquito control	41,368	41,368	23,079	18,289
Total health and welfare	1,202,252	1,269,810	1,247,530	22,280
Libraries and recreation:				
Recreation	1,318,727	1,383,545	1,382,005	1,540
Libraries	345,912	349,244	349,244	-
Total libraries and recreation	1,664,639	1,732,789	1,731,249	1,540
Housing and development:		75.500	Z0 000	1 2 4 4
Extension service	75,583	75,583	70,939	4,644
Forestry commission	50,188	50,188	45,747	4,441
Planning and zoning	421,960	421,960	395,129	26,831
Engineering and inspections	263,875	263,875	211,432	52,443
Economic development	527,632	527,632	527,978	(346)
Total housing and development	1,339,238	1,339,238	1,251,225	88,013
Debt service:				
Principal	71,890	71,890	63,031	8,859
Interest	46,521	46,521	32,494	14,027
Total debt service	118,411	118,411	95,525	22,886
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Total expenditures	18,504,546	18,605,118	17,305,573	1,299,545
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER				
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	1,006,293	805,721	3,876,795	3,071,074
OTHER EDIANCING COURCES (LISES)				
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			53,110	53,110
Sale of capital assets	-	-	30,000	30,000
Transfers in	(1,006,202)	(1.006.202)	(692,896)	313,397
Transfers out	(1,006,293)	(1,006,293)	(609,786)	396,507
Total other financing sources (uses)	(1,006,293)	(1,006,293)	(609,780)	390,307
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE	\$ -	\$ (200,572)	3,267,009	\$ 3,467,581
FUND BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR			14,529,022	
FUND BALANCE, END OF YEAR			\$17,796,031	

FIRE PROTECTION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

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

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Original Budget	Final Budget	Actual	I	ariance Positive Jegative)
REVENUES		•			(0.551)
Taxes	\$ 1,120,000	\$ 1,208,294	\$ 1,199,573	\$	(8,721)
Charges for services	80,000	80,000	80,000		-
Interest	 1,000	 1,000	286		(714)
Total revenues	 1,201,000	 1,289,294	 1,279,859		(9,435)
EXPENDITURES					
Current:					(1 (5 5 6 6)
Public safety	1,116,591	1,272,405	1,289,168		(16,763)
Capital outlay:					20.024
Public safety	65,000	65,000	44,966		20,034
Debt service:					
Principal	113,276	113,276	113,276		-
Interest	 1,136	 1,136	 1,136		
Total expenditures	 1,296,003	 1,451,817	 1,448,546		3,271
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER					
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES	 (95,003)	 (162,523)	 (168,687)		(6,164)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES					,
Transfers in	95,003	95,003	95,003		
Total other financing sources	95,003	 95,003	 95,003		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	(67,520)	(73,684)		(6,164)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	 74,174	 74,174	 74,174		· <u>-</u>
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	 74,174	\$ 6,654	 490	\$	(6,164)

STATEMENT OF NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

		Business Type Activities - Enterprise Fund Water and Sewer Fund		Internal Emplo	ntal Activities - Service Fund oyee Health rsement Fund
ASSETS	•				
Current Assets					1875 101
Cash		\$	450,744	\$	175,101
Accounts receivable			64,641		175 101
Total Current Assets			515,385		175,101
Noncurrent Assets					
Restricted cash			670,718	<u></u>	:
Capital Assets					
Land			644,151		-
Water and sewer system			11,967,792		-
Equipment			9,645		-
Less accumulated depreciation			(1,942,472)		
Total Capital Assets			10,679,116		
Total Noncurrent Assets			11,349,834		_
Total Assets			11,865,219		175,101
LIABILITIES					
Current Liabilites					
Accounts payable			-		5,435
Accrued interest payable	4		45,245		_
Current portion of bonds payable	•		667,288		-
Due to other funds			258,980		5,259
Total Current Liabilities			971,513		10,694
Long Term Liabilites					
Bonds payable, less current portion			5,372,414		
Total Liabilities			6,343,927		10,694
	-				
NET POSITION			5,010,177		_
Net investment in capital assets			250,000		-
Restricted for debt service			50,000		-
Restricted for renewal and extension			211,115		164,407
Unrestricted		<u> </u>		\$	164,407
Total Net Position		\$	5,521,292	P	107,70/

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIASTATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION PROPRIETARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Ac Enter Water	ness Type tivities - prise Fund and Sewer Fund	Activitie Servi Employ	rnmental es - Internal ce Fund yee Health sement Fund
OPERATING REVENUES	Φ.	242.564		
Water and sewer sales	\$.	243,564 190,900		_
Tap and connection fees Health care reimbursement fees		190,900	\$	102,000
Total operating revenues		434,464	Ψ.	102,000
OPERATING EXPENSES				
Depreciation		371,854		_
Purchased services		419,476		14,972
Materials and supplies		111,297		_
Claims		´-		43,676
Total operating expenses		902,627		58,648
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)		(468,163)		43,352
NONOPERATING REVENUE (EXPENSE)				
Interest income		130		155
Interest expense		(185,390)		_
Total nonoperating revenue (expense)	-	(185,260)		155
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS				
AND TRANSFERS		(653,423)		43,507
Capital contributions/Cost recovery fees		942,065		-
Transfers in		627,779		
CHANGE IN NET POSITION		916,421		43,507
NET POSITION, JANUARY 1, 2015		4,604,871		120,900
NET POSITION, DECEMBER 31, 2015	\$	5,521,292	<u>\$</u>	164,407

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS PROPRIETARY FUNDS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	A	riness Type ctivities - erprise Fund	Governmental Activities - Internal Service Fund		
	Wate	er and Sewer Fund	-	oyee Health bursement Fund	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	Ф	407.224			
Cash received from customers and others	\$	427,324	ď	102,000	
Receipts from interfund charges		- (5(7,017)	\$	•	
Cash payments for goods and services		(567,017)		(26,238)	
Cash payments for claims		-		(38,241)	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		(139,693)		37,521	
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
Transfers in		627,779		-	
Advances from (to) general fund		158		-	
Capital contributions/Cost recovery fees		942,065		-	
Interest paid		(189,344)		-	
Acquisition and construction of capital assets		(630,655)		-	
Payments on bonds payable		(651,926)			
Net cash provided by capital and related financing activites		98,077		-	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES					
Interest received		130		155	
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		(41,486)	٠	37,676	
CASH, JANUARY 1, 2015		1,162,948		137,425	
CASH, DECEMBER 31, 2015	\$	1,121,462	\$	175,101	
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED (USED) BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES Operating income (loss)	\$	(468,163)	\$	43,352	
, · · · ·	Ψ	(100,105)	Ψ	,5,552	
Adjustments:		271 054			
Depreciation		371,854		-	
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable		(7,140)		-	
Increase (decrease) in due to other funds		-		(11,266)	
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable		(36,244)		5,435	
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities	\$	(139,693)	\$	37,521	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUNDS

DECEMBER 31, 2015 AND 2014

	2015	2014
ASSETS Cash	\$ 1,814,372	\$ 1,450,259
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 1,814,372	\$ 1,450,259
LIABILITIES Due to other entities and individuals	\$ 1,814,372	\$ 1,450,259
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$ 1,814,372	\$ 1,450,259

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2015

Bryan County, Georgia (the "County") operates under a Commissioner – County Administrator form of Government. The County is governed by a board of six commissioners elected by the voters of the County.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the County have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States (GAAP) as applied to governments. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) is the accepted standard-setting body for governmental accounting and financial reporting. The County also applies Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) statements and interpretations issued on or before November 30, 1989, to its governmental and business-type activities at the government-wide financial reporting level and to its enterprise funds at the fund reporting level, provided they do not conflict with or contradict GASB pronouncements.

The most significant of the County's accounting policies are described below.

1-A. Reporting Entity

The reporting entity is comprised of the primary government, component units and other organizations that are included to ensure that the financial statements are not misleading. The primary government of the County consists of all funds, departments, boards, and agencies that are not legally separate from the County.

Component units are legally separate organizations for which the County is financially accountable. The County is financially accountable for an organization if the County appoints a voting majority of the organization's governing board and (1) the County is able to significantly influence the programs or services performed or provided by the organizations; or (2) the County is legally entitled to or can otherwise access the organization's resources; the County is legally obligated or has otherwise assumed the responsibility to finance the deficits of, or provide financial support to, the organization; or the County is obligated for the debt of the organization. Component units also may include organizations that are fiscally dependent on the County in that the County approves the budget, levies their taxes, or issues their debt.

The component unit columns included on the government-wide financial statements identify the financial data of the County's discretely presented component units. They are reported separately to emphasize that they are legally separate from the County.

A brief description of the County's discretely presented component units follows:

Development Authority of Bryan County (the Authority) – The Development Authority of Bryan County was created on July 12, 2005 to promote industry, trade, and economic growth in the County. The County appoints the members of the authority's board and assists with its funding. The Bryan County-Pembroke Development Authority and Coastal Bryan Development Authority were dissolved as of July 12, 2005 and their net position was transferred to the newly created Development Authority of Bryan County. Complete financial statements for the Authority can be obtained at the Authority's administrative office at:

Development Authority of Bryan County 116 Lanier Street Pembroke, Georgia

Bryan County Board of Health (Health Department) – The Health Department provides health care services and health education to residents of Bryan County. The Health Department receives financial support from Bryan County, Georgia, the State of Georgia and the Federal Government. The County Commission appoints a majority of the Board of Directors. The Health Department issued separately audited financial statements with a fiscal year ended June 30, 2015. Copies of these financial statements may be obtained from their administrative office at:

Bryan County Board of Health 430 Ledford Street Pembroke, Georgia

1-B. Basis of Presentation

The County's basic financial statements consist of government-wide statements, including a statement of net position and a statement of activities, and fund financial statements, which provide a more detailed level of financial information.

Government-wide Financial Statements – The government-wide financial statements include the statement of net position and the statement of activities. These statements report financial information for the County as a whole. The primary government and the component units are presented separately within these financial statements with the focus on the primary government. Fiduciary activities are not included at the government-wide reporting level. Individual funds are not displayed but the statements distinguish governmental activities, generally supported by taxes, grants and the County's general revenues, from business-type activities, generally financed in whole or part with service charges to external customers.

The statement of net position presents the financial position of the governmental and business-type activities of the County and its discretely presented component units at year-end.

The statement of activities presents a comparison between direct expenses and program revenues for each function of the County's governmental activities and for each identifiable activity of the business-type activities of the County. Direct expenses are those that are specifically associated with a function and therefore clearly identifiable to that particular function. The County does not allocate indirect expenses to functions in the statement of activities.

The statement of activities reports the expenses of a given function offset by program revenues directly connected with the functional program. A function is an assembly of similar activities and may include portions of a fund or summarize more than one fund to capture the expenses and program revenues associated with a distinct functional activity. Program revenues include: (1) charges for services which report fees and other charges to users of the County's services; (2) operating grants and contributions which finance annual operating activities including restricted investment income; and (3) capital grants and contributions which fund the acquisition, construction, or rehabilitation of capital assets. These revenues are subject to externally imposed restrictions to these program uses. For identifying to which function program revenue pertains, the determining

factor for charges for services is which function generates the revenue. For grants and contributions, the determining factor is to which function the revenues are restricted.

Other revenue sources not properly included with program revenues are reported as general revenues of the County. The comparison of direct expenses with program revenues identifies the extent to which each governmental function and each identifiable business activity is self-financing or draws from the general revenues of the County.

Fund Financial Statements – During the year, the county segregates transactions related to certain County functions or activities in separate funds in order to aid financial management and to demonstrate legal compliance. Fund financial statements are designed to present financial information of the County at this more detailed level. Fund financial statements are provided for governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary funds.

Major individual governmental funds are reported in separate columns with composite columns for non-major funds. Fiduciary funds are reported by type.

Fund Accounting – The County uses funds to maintain its financial records during the year. A fund is a fiscal and accounting entity with a self-balancing set of accounts. The County only uses three categories of funds: governmental, proprietary, and fiduciary.

Governmental Funds – Governmental funds are those through which most governmental functions typically are financed. Governmental fund reporting focuses on the sources, uses and balances of current financial resources. Expendable assets are assigned to the various governmental funds according to the purposes for which they may or must be used. Fund liabilities are assigned to the fund from which they will be liquidated. The County reports the difference between governmental fund assets and liabilities as fund balance. The following are the County's major governmental funds:

The General Fund – The general fund accounts for all financial resources except those required to be accounted for in another fund. The general fund's fund balance is available to the County for any purpose provided it is expended or transferred according to the general laws of the State of Georgia.

Fire Protection Special Revenue Fund – This fund is used to account for the collection of fire taxes used for fire protection services provided by the County.

SPLOST VI Capital Projects Fund — This fund accounts for the special purpose local option sales tax collected pursuant to a referendum for various capital improvements within the County.

Proprietary Funds - Proprietary fund reporting focuses on the determination of operating income, changes in net position, financial position and cash flows. The proprietary funds are classified as enterprise funds and internal service funds. The following are the County's proprietary funds:

Water and Sewer Fund – This fund accounts for the activities associated with the operation of the water and sewer system at the County's industrial development park and for water and sewer systems in South Bryan County.

Employee Health Reimbursement Fund – This internal service fund accounts for the County's employee health reimbursement plan.

Fiduciary Funds – The County's fiduciary funds are agency funds. These agency funds are custodial in nature (assets equal liabilities) and do not involve measurement of results of operations. Constitutional officers use these funds to temporarily hold assets.

1-C. Measurement Focus

Government-wide Financial Statements – The government-wide financial statements are prepared using the economic resources measurement focus. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of the County are included on the statement of net position. The statement of activities reports revenues and expenses.

Fund Financial Statements – All governmental funds are accounted for using a flow of current financial resources measurement focus. With this measurement focus, only current assets and current liabilities generally are included on the balance sheet. The statement of revenues, expenditures and changes in fund balances reports the sources (i.e., revenues and other financing sources) and uses (i.e., expenditures and other financing uses) of current financial resources. This approach differs from the manner in which the governmental activities of the government-wide financial statements are prepared. Governmental fund financial statements therefore include a reconciliation with brief explanations to better identify the relationship between the government-wide statements and the governmental fund statements.

Like the government-wide statements, all proprietary fund types are accounted for on a flow of economic resources measurement focus on both financial reporting levels. All assets and all liabilities associated with the operation of these funds are included on the statement of net position. The statement of changes in net position presents increases (i.e., revenues) and decreases (i.e., expenses) in total net position. The statement of cash flows provides information about how the County finances and meets the cash flow needs of its proprietary activities.

1-D. Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Government-wide financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. At the fund reporting level, the governmental funds use the modified accrual basis of accounting and fiduciary funds use the accrual basis of accounting at both reporting levels. Differences in the accrual and the modified accrual basis of accounting arise in the recognition of revenue, the recording of deferred outflows/inflows of resources, and in the presentation of expenses versus expenditures.

Revenues – Exchange Transactions – Revenue resulting from exchange transactions, in which each party gives and receives essentially equal value is recorded on the accrual basis when the exchange takes place. On the modified accrual basis, revenue is recorded when the exchange takes place and in the fiscal year in which the resources are measurable and become available. Available means that the resources will be collected within the current fiscal year or are expected to be collected soon enough thereafter to be used to pay liabilities of the current fiscal year. For the County, the phrase "available for exchange transactions" means expected to be received within 60 days of year-end.

Revenue – Non-exchange Transactions – Non-exchange transactions in which the County receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include sales taxes, property taxes, grants and donations. On an accrual basis, revenue from sales taxes is recognized in the period in which the taxable sale takes place. Revenue from property taxes is recognized in the fiscal year for which the taxes are levied. Revenue from grants and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the year when the resources are required to be used or the year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the County must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the County on a reimbursement basis. On a modified accrual basis, revenue from non-exchange transactions also must be available (i.e., collected within 60 days) before it can be recognized.

Under the modified accrual basis, the following revenue sources are considered to be susceptible to accrual: property taxes, sales taxes, interest and federal and state grants.

Expenses/Expenditures — On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred. On the modified accrual basis, expenditures generally are recognized in the accounting period in which the related fund liability is incurred and due, if measurable.

1-E. Assets, Liabilities, Deferred Outflows/Inflows of Resources, and Net Position

Cash, Cash Equivalents, and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents include amounts in demand deposits as well as short-term investments with a maturity date within three months of the date acquired by the County.

Investments are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices.

Georgia law authorizes the County to invest in the following type of obligations:

- Obligations of the State of Georgia or of any other states
- Obligations of the United States Government
- Obligations fully insured or guaranteed by the United States Government or United States Government agency
- Obligations of any corporation of the United States Government
- Prime bankers' acceptances
- The State of Georgia local government investment pool (i.e., Georgia Fund I)
- Repurchase agreements
- Obligations of the other political subdivisions of the State of Georgia

Receivables

All trade and property tax receivables are reported net of an allowance for uncollectibles, where applicable.

Interfund Balances

On the fund financial statements, receivables and payables resulting from short-term interfund loans are classified as "due from/to other funds." These amounts are eliminated in the governmental and business-type activities columns on the statement of net position, except for any net residual amounts due between governmental and business-type activities, which are reclassified and presented as internal balances on this statement. These amounts are ultimately eliminated from the total column on the statement of net position.

Consumable Inventories

On the government-wide financial statements, inventories are presented at the lower of cost or market on a first-in, first-out basis and are expensed when used (i.e., the consumption method).

Prepaid Items

Payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond December 31, 2015, are recorded as prepaid items using the consumption method by recording an asset for the prepaid amount and reflecting the expenditure/expense in the year in which services are consumed.

Restricted Assets

Restricted cash represents amounts restricted for debt service, renewal and extension, and construction required by the refunding revenue bonds within the water and sewer enterprise fund.

Capital Assets

General capital assets are those assets not specifically related to activities reported in the proprietary funds. These assets generally result from expenditures in governmental funds. The County reports these assets in the governmental activities column of the government-wide statement of net position but does not report these assets in the County fund financial statements. Capital assets utilized by proprietary funds are reported both in the business-type activities column of the government-wide statement of net position and in proprietary funds' statement of net position.

All capital assets are capitalized at cost (or estimated historical cost) and updated for additions and retirements during the year. Donated capital assets are recorded at their fair market values as of the date received. The County maintains a capitalization threshold of five thousand dollars. The County's infrastructure consists of roads and bridges. Improvements to capital assets are capitalized. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend an asset's life are expensed. Interest incurred during the construction of capital assets utilized by enterprise funds is capitalized.

All reported capital assets are depreciated except for land, right-of-ways and construction in progress. Improvements are depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the related capital assets. Useful lives for infrastructure were estimated based on the County's historical records of necessary improvements and replacement. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Description	Estimated Lives
Buildings	15-40 years
Improvements other than buildings	15-40 years
Machinery and equipment	5-15 years
Infrastructure	15-50 years

At the inception of capital leases at the governmental fund reporting level, expenditures and an "other financing source" of an equal amount are reported at the net present value of future minimum lease payments.

Compensated Absences

Personal leave benefits are accrued as a liability as the benefits are earned if the employees' rights to receive compensation are attributable to services already rendered and it is probable that the employer will compensate the employees for the benefits through paid time off or some other means.

The total compensated absence liability is reported on the government-wide financial statements. Governmental funds report the compensated absence liability at the fund reporting level only "when due."

Accrued Liabilities and Long-term Obligations

All payables, accrued liabilities, and long-term obligations are reported in the government-wide financial statements.

In general, governmental fund payables and accrued liabilities that, once incurred, are paid in a timely manner and in full from current financial resources, are reported as obligations of these funds. However, compensated absences that will be paid from governmental funds are reported as a liability in the fund financial statements only to the extent that they are "due for payment" during the current year. Bonds, notes payable, and capital leases are recognized as a liability in the governmental fund financial statements when due.

Debt Premiums, Discounts and Issuance Costs

On the government-wide statement of net position and the proprietary fund type statements of net position, debt premiums and discounts are netted against the debt payable. On the government-wide and proprietary fund type statement of activities, debt premiums and discounts are amortized over the life of the debt using the effective interest method and debt issuance costs are expensed in the current period.

At the governmental fund reporting level, debt premiums and discounts are reported as other financing sources and uses, separately from the face amount of the debt issued. Debt issuance costs are reported as debt service expenditures.

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 position that applies to a future period(s) and so will not be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense/expenditure) until then. The County only has one item that qualifies for reporting in this category. It is resources related to pensions reported at the government-wide level for governmental activities.

In addition to liabilities, the statement of financial position 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 position 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 an item, which arises only under a modified accrual basis of accounting, that qualifies for reporting in this category. Accordingly, the item, unavailable revenue, is reported only in the governmental funds balance sheet. The governmental funds report unavailable revenues from property taxes. This amount is deferred and recognized as an inflow of resources in the period that the amount becomes available. The County can also have deferred inflows of resources related to its pension plan at the government-wide level for governmental activities.

Fund Equity

Fund equity at the governmental fund financial reporting level is classified as "fund balance." Fund equity for all other reporting is classified as "net position."

Fund Balance – Generally, fund balance represents the difference between the current assets and current liabilities. In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report fund classifications that comprise a hierarchy based primarily on the extent to which the County is bound to honor constraints on the specific purposes for which amounts in those funds can be spent. Fund balances are classified as follows:

Nonspendable — Fund balances are reported as nonspendable when amounts cannot be spent because they are either (a) not in spendable form (i.e. items that are not expected to be converted to cash) or (b) legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

Restricted — Fund balances are reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the County or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

Committed—Fund balances are reported as committed when they can be used only for specific purposes pursuant to constraints imposed by formal action of the Board of Commissioners through the adoption of a resolution. Only the Board of Commissioners also may modify or rescind the commitment.

Assigned— Fund balances are reported as assigned when amounts are constrained by the Board of Commissioners' intent to be used for specific purposes, but are neither restricted nor committed. Through resolution, the Board of Commissioners has authorized the County Administrator or Finance Director to assign fund balances.

Unassigned—Fund balances are reported as unassigned as the residual amount when the balances do not meet any of the above criterion. The County reports positive unassigned fund balance only in the general fund. Negative unassigned fund balances may be reported in all funds.

The County's policy is to maintain an adequate general fund unassigned fund balance to provide liquidity in the event of an economic downturn or natural disaster. Through resolution, the Board of Commissioners has adopted a financial standard to maintain an average general fund minimum unassigned fund balance equivalent to 25% of annual budgeted expenditures.

Flow Assumptions — When both restricted and unrestricted amounts of fund balance are available for use for expenditures incurred, it is the County's policy to use restricted amounts first and then unrestricted amounts as they are needed. For unrestricted amounts of fund balance, it is the County's policy to use fund balance in the following order:

- Committed
- Assigned
- Unassigned

Net Position – Net position represents the difference between assets and liabilities. Net investment in capital assets consists of capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation, reduced by the outstanding balances of any borrowing used for the acquisition, construction or improvement of those assets. Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the County or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors, or laws or regulations of other governments. All other net position is reported as unrestricted.

The County applies restricted resources first when an expense is incurred for purposes for which both restricted and unrestricted net positions are available.

Operating Revenues and Expenses

Operating revenues are those revenues that are generated directly from the primary activity of the proprietary funds. For the County, these revenues are charges for services for water and sewer. Operating expenses are necessary costs incurred to provide the goods or service that are the primary activity of each fund and include administrative expenses and depreciation on capital assets. All revenues and expenses not meeting this definition are reported as nonoperating revenues and expenses.

Interfund Activity

Exchange transactions between funds are reported as revenues in the seller funds and as expenditures/expenses in the purchaser funds. Flows of cash or goods from one fund to another without a requirement for repayment are reported as interfund transfers. Interfund transfers are reported as other financing sources/uses in governmental funds and after the nonoperating revenues/expenses section in proprietary funds. Repayment from funds responsible for particular expenditures/expenses to the funds that initially paid for them are not presented on the financial statements (i.e., they are netted).

Transfers between governmental and business-type activities on the government-wide statement of activities are reported as general revenues. Transfers between funds reported in the governmental activities column are eliminated. Transfers between funds reported in the business-type activities column are eliminated. Transfers between governmental and business-type activities are eliminated from the total column.

Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

Comparative Data

Comparative total data for the prior year have been presented only for individual funds in the fund financial statements in order to provide an understanding of the changes in the financial position and operations of these funds. Also, certain amounts presented in the prior year data have been reclassified to be consistent with the current year's presentation.

1-F. Restatements

Effective for the year ended December 31, 2015, the County implemented Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 68. Implementation of this new accounting standard required a restatement of beginning net position for net pension liabilities and deferred outflows and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions. These items were previously not required to be booked by the County.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

The above restatement had the following impact on previously reported balances.

	Governmentat
	Activities
Net Position, January 1, 2015, as previously reported	\$ 71,032,243
Restatement of net pension liability at January 1, 2015, as restated by actuary	(2,435,806)
Net Position, January 1, 2015, as restated	\$ 68,596,437

NOTE 2 - STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Budgetary Information

The County adopts an annual operating budget for the general fund, each special revenue fund, debt service fund and capital projects fund. The budget resolution reflects the total of each department's appropriation in each fund.

All budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with GAAP.

The legal level of control (the level at which expenditures may not legally exceed appropriations) for each adopted annual operating budget generally is the department level within each individual fund. The County Administrator may approve budget transfers within departments. Any change in total to a fund or departmental appropriation within a fund requires approval of the Board of Commissioners.

During the year, the Board of Commissioners approved budget revisions.

All unexpended annual appropriations lapse at year-end.

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations

Expenditures exceeded appropriations for the year ended December 31, 2015 in the following departments for the general fund:

Gen	eral Fund
\$	2,733
	909
	40,204
	853
	306
	12,216
	346

The overexpenditures in these areas were funded by under expenditures in other departments.

NOTE 2 – STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY (Continued)

Expenditures exceeded appropriations in the following funds and these overexpenditures were funded by additional revenues over amounts budgeted and/or by available fund balance.

	Overe	xpenditures
Special Revenue Funds:		
Sheriff forfeiture fund	\$	2,320
Inmate telephone commission fund		4,164
Jail commissary fund		797

NOTE 3 – DEPOSITS

Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the County's deposits may not be returned to it. The County has a policy to reduce its exposure to this risk by requiring deposits to be collateralized in accordance with State law.

At December 31, 2015, the carrying amount of the County's deposits (checking and certificates of deposit) was \$24,950,543 and the bank balance was \$26,415,756. Of the bank balance, \$1,684,135 was covered by federal depository insurance and \$24,731,621 was collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the County's name.

Discretely Presented Component Units

At December 31, 2015, the carrying amount of deposits for the Development Authority of Bryan County was \$486,426 and the bank balance was \$500,999. Of the bank balance, \$453,298 was covered by federal depository insurance and \$47,701 was collateralized with securities held by the pledging financial institution's trust department or agent in the Authority's name.

At June 30, 2015, the carrying amount of the Bryan County Board of Health's bank deposits was \$245,775 and the bank balance was \$246,593. The Board of Health did not have any balances exposed to custodial credit risk as uninsured and uncollateralized.

NOTE 4 – INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS

The composition of interfund balances as of December 31, 2015, is as follows:

Receivable Fund	Payable Fund	Amount
General	Fire Protection	\$ 1,222,638
	Water and sewer	258,980
	Emergency Telephone	313,857
	Belfast Subdivision Special Service District	1,452
	Employee Health Reimbursement	5,259
		\$ 1,802,186

Interfund balances at December 31, 2015 represent reimbursable expenses and temporary loans. The County expects to repay all interfund balances within one year.

NOTE 4 - INTERFUND RECEIVABLES, PAYABLES, AND TRANSFERS (Continued)

Interfund transfers for the year ended December 31, 2015 consisted of \$597,893 in transfers from the general fund to the Emergency Telephone special revenue fund to help fund its deficit. The general fund also transferred \$95,003 to help fund the operating deficit for the Fire Protection special revenue fund. The SPLOST VI capital projects fund transferred \$627,779 to the water and sewer enterprise fund for construction costs. The Law Library special revenue fund transferred \$30,000 to the general fund to help fund furniture and equipment purchases for the Courts.

NOTE 5 – PROPERTY TAXES

Property taxes attach as an enforceable lien on property as of January 1. Property taxes are billed on or about October 20th of each year and are payable within sixty days. The County bills and collects its own property taxes and also collects property taxes for the Bryan County Board of Education, the Cities of Pembroke and Richmond Hill, and the State of Georgia. Collection of the County's taxes and for the other government agencies is the responsibility of the Tax Commissioner's Office, which is accounted for in an Agency Fund.

County property tax revenues at the fund reporting level are recognized when levied to the extent that they result in current receivables (i.e., collectible in 60 days). For 2015, property taxes were levied on August 21, 2015 and were due November 15, 2015.

NOTE 6 – CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2015 was as follows:

	Balance 1/1/2015	Additions	Deductions_	Balance 12/31/2015
Governmental Activities:			× .	
Capital assets not being depreciated: Land Construction in progress	\$ 1,646,776 9,600	\$ 313,650	\$ 4,800	\$ 1,646,776 318,450
Total capital assets not being depreciated	1,656,376	313,650	4,800	1,965,226
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings	19,773,980	320,522	-	20,094,502
Improvements other than buildings	11,887,899	-	-	11,887,899
Machinery and equipment	19,197,876	722,359	276,661	19,643,574
Infrastructure	91,131,574	1,282,931	688,229	91,726,276
Total capital assets being depreciated	141,991,329	2,325,812	964,890	143,352,251
Total capital assets	143,647,705	2,639,462	969,690	145,317,477
Accumulated depreciation:				-
Buildings	7,280,956	456,862	-	7,737,818
Improvements other than buildings	3,153,703	490,149	-	3,643,852
Machinery and equipment	15,718,767	980,650	267,561	16,431,856
Infrastructure	61,519,097	2,660,665		64,179,762
Total accumulated depreciation	87,672,523	4,588,326	267,561	91,993,288
Governmental activities capital assets, net	\$ 55,975,182	\$ (1,948,864)	702,129	\$ 53,324,189

NOTE 6 – CAPITAL ASSETS (Continued)

Governmental activities depreciation expense:

General government	\$ 243,709
Judicial	1,774
Public safety	951,538
Public works	2,793,082
Health and welfare	37,897
Libraries and recreation	550,005
Housing and development	10,321
Total governmental activities depreciation expense	\$ 4,588,326

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2015 for the County's enterprise fund was as follows:

	Balance 01/01/15	Additions	Deductions	Balance 12/31/15
Business-type activities:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 644,151	-	-	\$ 644,151
Construction in progress	237,672		\$ 237,672	
Total capital assets not being depreciated	881,823		237,672	644,151
Capital assets being depreciated:				
Water and sewer system	11,099,465	\$ 868,327	-	11,967,792
Machinery and equipment	9,645	- AN	_	9,645
Total capital assets being depreciated	11,109,110	868,327	<u></u>	11,977,437
Total capital assets	11,990,933	868,327	237,672	12,621,588
Accumulated depreciation:				
Water and sewer system	1,563,530	370,575	=	1,934,105
Machinery and equipment	7,088	1,279	-	8,367
Total accumulated depreciation	1,570,618	371,854		1,942,472
Business-type activities capital				
assets, net	\$ 10,420,315	\$ 496,473	\$ 237,672	\$ 10,679,116

NOTE 6 – CAPITAL ASSETS (Continued)

Capital asset activity for the year ended December 31, 2015 for the County's component units was as follows:

	Balance 01/01/15	Additions	Deductions	Balance 12/31/15
Component units:				
Capital assets not being depreciated:				
Land	\$ 9,978,979	-	-	\$ 9,978,979
Industrial park improvements	5,579,494	\$ 107,603	-	5,687,097
Total capital assets not being depreciated	15,558,473	107,603	-	15,666,076
Other capital assets being depreciated:				
Buildings	1,494,904	-	• -	1,494,904
Improvements other than buildings	339,068	<u>.</u>	-	339,068
Machinery and equipment	82,113	5,528	\$ 525	87,116
Total other capital assets being depreciated	1,916,085	5,528	525	1,921,088
Total capital assets	17,474,558	113,131	525	17,587,164
Accumulated depreciation:				
Buildings	80,067	59,796	-	139,863
Machinery and equipment	75,757	2,627	525	77,859
Improvements other than buildings	158,449	16,071_		174,520
Total accumulated depreciation	314,273	78,494	525	392,242
Component units capital				
assets, net	\$17,160,285	\$ 34,637	\$	\$ 17,194,922

NOTE 7 – ACCRUED LANDFILL POSTCLOSURE CARE COSTS

State and federal laws and regulations required the County to place a final cover on its two closed landfill sites and to perform certain maintenance and monitoring functions at the sites for five to thirty years after closure. The County reports a liability for these postclosure care costs in its government-wide statement of net position. The accrued landfill postclosure care costs at December 31, 2015, are based on what it would cost to perform all postclosure care in 2015. Actual costs may be higher due to inflation, unexpected mitigation requirements, changes in technology, or changes in regulations.

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NOTE 8 – NOTES PAYABLE

Notes payable at December 31, 2015 consisted of the following:

Governmental activities:

\$111,427 Note payable to Heritage Bank for the financing of road construction and stormwater drainage improvements for the Belfast Subdivision, payable in annual installments of \$14,861 including interest at 6.25% through January 20, 2017.

\$ 27,279

\$1,142,000 Note payable to Ameris Bank for the refinancing of the Bryan County Department of Family and Children Services building, secured by real estate, payable in 180 monthly installments of \$7,960 including interest at 3.09% through September 20, 2028.

1,002,874

\$ 1,030,153

As of December 31, 2015, annual debt service requirements to maturity for notes payable are as follows:

Year ending	Governmental Activities			
December 31	Principal	Interest		Total
2016	78,685	31,701	\$	110,386
2017	81,561	28,825		110,386
2018	69,692	25,833		95,525
2019	71,876	23,649		95,525
2020	74,129	21,396		95,525
2021-2025	406,987	70,640		477,627
2026-2028	247,223	10,589		257,812
	\$ 1,030,153	\$ 212,633	\$	1,242,786

NOTE 9 – CAPITAL LEASES

The County has entered into lease agreements as lessee for financing of construction of recreational facilities and the acquisition of various equipment costing \$4,025,300. These lease agreements qualify as capital leases for accounting purposes and, therefore, have been recorded at the present value of the future minimum lease payments as of the date of inception. Amortization of the cost of these capital assets is included in depreciation expense in the government-wide financial statements and accumulated depreciation was \$1,252,657 at December 31, 2015.

The following is a schedule of future minimum lease payments under these capital leases, and the present value of the net minimum lease payments at December 31, 2015:

Year ending December 31	:
2016	731,065
2017	621,676
2018	41,426
2019	154,450
2020	95,000
Total minimum lease payments	1,643,617
Less amount representing interest	49,315
Present value of future minimum lease payments	\$ 1,594,302

NOTE 10– BONDS PAYABLE

In December 2002, the County issued \$175,000 in general obligation bonds for the construction of road and stormwater drainage improvements for the Jerico Subdivision. These bonds are to be repaid from taxes assessed on the Jerico Subdivision Special Service District (debt service fund).

The bonds are due in annual installments of \$10,000 to \$20,000 from March 1, 2003 to March 1, 2016, and bear interest at 5.18 percent payable semiannually on September 1 and March 1 each year.

In September 2013, the County issued \$7,532,000 in refunding revenue bonds to pay off outstanding Water and Sewer Fund note obligations. Bonds were issued in three series. Series 2013A bonds were issued for \$1,749,000 with an interest rate of 3.0 percent and a maturity date of July 1, 2028. Series 2013B bonds were issued for \$1,233,000 with an interest rate of 1.59 percent and a maturity date of July 1, 2017. Series 2013C bonds were issued for \$4,550,000 with an interest rate of 3.09 percent and a maturity date of July 1, 2028. The bonds require quarterly principal and interest payments from the Water and Sewer Fund beginning October 1, 2013 as follows:

Series 2013A	\$ 36,175
Series 2013B	79,448
Series 2013C	 94,694
Total quarterly payments	\$ 210,317

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NOTE 10-BONDS PAYABLE (Continued)

As of December 31, 2015, debt service requirements to maturity are as follows:

Year ending	Governmental Activities Business-Type							
December 31	Principal	Interest	Total	Principal	Interest	Total		
2016	\$ 5,000	\$ 345	\$ 5,345	\$ 667,288	\$ 173,982	\$ 841,270		
2017	-	· <u>-</u>	_	604,576	157,246	761,822		
2018	_	-	_	379,711	143,765	523,476		
2019		-	_	391,649	131,827	523,476		
2020	_	_	_	403,625	119,851	523,476		
2021-2025			_	2,218,243	399,138	2,617,381		
2026-2028	_	_	_	1,374,610	64,947	1,439,557		
2020-2020	<u> </u>	\$ 345	\$ 5,345	\$ 6,039,702	\$ 1,190,756	\$ 7,230,458		
	\$ 5,000	\$ 343	\$ 3,343	\$ 0,039,702	Ψ 1,170,750	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		

NOTE 11 - CHANGES IN LONG-TERM DEBT

•	Balance January 1, 2015	Additions	Reductions_	Balance December 31, 2015	Amounts Due In One Year
Governmental Activities:	-				
Compensated absences payable	\$ 796,728	\$ 85,517	\$ 95,678	\$ 786,567	\$ 157,313
Accrued landfill	350,000	_	25,000	325,000	25,000
postclosure care costs Capital leases payable	2,199,173	195,482	800,353	1,594,302	703,682
Notes payable	1,105,445	-	75,292	1,030,153	78,685
Bonds payable	40,000	<u> </u>	35,000	5,000	5,000
Net other postemployment				•	
benefit obligation	1,333,103	230,060		1,563,163	
	\$5,824,449	\$ 511,059	\$ 1,031,323	\$ 5,304,185	\$ 969,680
Business-type Activities:					
Bonds payable	\$6,691,628	\$ -	\$ 651,926	\$ 6,039,702	\$ 667,288

The accrued landfill postclosure care costs will be paid from the General Fund. Principal and interest payments on the bonds payable for governmental activities are financed from taxes levied for the special service district debt service funds.

The compensated absences liability will be paid from the governmental fund from which the employees' salaries are paid which is primarily the General Fund. The capital lease obligations will be paid from the General Fund, Fire Protection and Emergency Telephone Special Revenue Funds, and the SPLOST VI Capital Projects Fund. The notes payable for governmental activities will be paid from the General Fund, and the bonds payable for business-type activities will be paid from the Water and Sewer Enterprise Fund.

NOTE 12 - FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS

As of December 31, 2015, governmental fund balances are composed of the following:

						Other		Total
		F	ire		Gov	vernmental	Go	vernmental
	General	Prot	ection	SPLOST VI		Funds		Funds
Nonspendable:								
Prepaid items/ inventories	\$ 160,520				\$	39,182	_\$	199,702
•	,			•				
Restricted:								
Capital projects	- .		-	\$3,542,971		-		3,542,971
Sheriff	-		-	· -		170,122		170,122
Law library	-		-	•		128,918		128,918
Clerk of courts	-		-	-		12,856		12,856
Drug education	-		-	-		173,348		173,348
Jail	_		-	-		388,099		388,099
Fire protection	-	\$	490	-		-		490
Engineering and inspections	-		-	-		10,159		10,159
Juvenile services			_	-		12,826		12,826
Sanitation	-		_	-		899,596		899,596
Recreation	-		_	-		506,766		506,766
Debt service - Subdivision								
special service districts	-		-	-		19,014		19,014
Total restricted			490	3,542,971		2,321,704		5,865,165
Unassigned	17,635,511		- `			(35,966)		17,599,545
Total fund balances	\$17,796,031	\$	490	\$3,542,971	\$	2,324,920	\$2	23,664,412
					-			

NOTE 13 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLANS

Plan Description

The County's defined benefit pension plan, the Bryan County Defined Benefit Plan (the "Plan"), provides retirement, disability, and death benefits to plan members and beneficiaries. The Plan is affiliated with the Association County Commissioners of Georgia (ACCG) Defined Benefit Plan (the "Plan"), an agent multiple-employer public employee retirement system that acts as a common investment and administrative agent for participating counties in Georgia. The specific benefit provisions of the County's plan were established by an adoption agreement executed by the Bryan County Board of Commissioners. The ACCG issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements and required supplementary information. The report can be obtained by writing to GEBCorp, 191 Peachtree Street NE, Suite 700, Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

NOTE 13 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLANS (Continued)

Benefits Provided

All full-time County employees are eligible to participate in the Plan after completing three years of service. Benefits are fully vested after five years of service. Participants become eligible to retire at age 65 with three years of participation in the plan. At that time, an employee is entitled to a lifetime pension equal to 1.00% of average annual compensation up to \$6,600 plus 1.50% of average annual compensation in excess of \$6,600 plus \$54 multiplied by the years of service.

Compensation is averaged over a five-year period prior to retirement or termination. The plan also provides benefits in the event of death or disability. These benefit provisions and all other requirements, including amendments or termination, are established by an adoption agreement executed by the Bryan County Board of Commissioners.

Employees Covered by Benefit Terms

Retirees and beneficiaries receiving benefits	52
Deferred vested (former employees)	97
Active participants	164
Total plan participants	313
Covered Compensation	\$ 5,631,450

Contributions

The County is required to contribute an actuarially determined amount annually to the Plan's trust. The contribution amount is determined using actuarial methods and assumptions approved by the ACCG Plan trustees and must satisfy the minimum contribution requirement contained in section 47-20 of the Georgia Code. Administrative expenses are based on total covered compensation of active plan participants and are added to the state-required annual funding requirement. The County contributed \$796,173 to the Plan for the year ended December 31, 2015.

The Georgia Constitution enables the governing authority of the County, the Board of Commissioners, to establish, and amend from time-to-time the contribution rates for the County and its plan participants.

Net Pension Liability

The County's net pension liability was measured as of December 31, 2014, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2014.

NOTE 13 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLANS (Continued)

Actuarial Assumptions

The total pension liability in the January 1, 2014 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Investment rate of return

7.50% per year

Future salary increases

4.50% plus an aged base scale ranging from -1.0% to 1.5%

Mortality

RP-2000, Combined

Future payroll grwoth

5.50% per year

Inflation

3.00%

The actuarial assumptions used in the January 1, 2014 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2014.

The Plan's financial statements are prepared on an accrual basis, modified to include unrealized gains or losses on marketable securities owned by the Plan and incremental changes in the cash value of pre-retirement life insurance policies owned by the trust. County contributions are recognized when due and the County has made a formal commitment to provide the contributions. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable.

Investments in securities are valued at current market price. The trust fund is invested approximately 70% in equities and 30% in fixed income securities on a cost basis.

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

Discount Rate

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.50 percent. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that County contributions will be made at rates equal to the actuarially determined contribution rates. Based on the assumptions, the pension plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

NOTE 13 – EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLANS (Continued)

Changes in the Net Pension Liability

s in the Net I clision Liability	Total Pension Liability (a)	n Fiduciary et Position (b)	Net Pension Liability (c) = (a)-(b)
Balance, January 1, 2014	\$ 11,392,468	\$ 8,126,487	\$ 3,265,981
Changes for the year:			
Service cost	317,967	-	317,967
Interest on the total pension liability	838,487	-	838,487
Contributions from the employer	-	796,173	(796,173)
Net investment income	-	580,839	(580,839)
Administrative expenses	-	(29,342)	29,342
Benefit payments	(425,275)	(425,275)	- ·
Other changes	-	(104,032)	104,032
Net Changes	731,179	818,363	(87,184)
Balance, December 31, 2014	\$ 12,123,647	\$ 8,944,850	\$ 3,178,797

Sensitivity of the net pension liability to changes in the discount rate

The following presents the net pension liability of the County, calculated using the discounted rate of 7.50 percent, as well as what the County's net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is one percentage point lower (6.50 percent) or one percentage point higher (8.50 percent) than the current rate:

	Disco	unt Rate - 1% (6.50%)	t Discount Rate (7.50%)		unt Rate + 1% (8.50%)
County's net pension liability	\$	4,846,443	\$ 3,178,797	\$.	1,819,389

Pension Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources Related to Pensions

For the year ended December 31, 2015, the County recognized pension expense of \$645,267. At December 31, 2015, the County reported deferred outflows of resources from the following sources:

	red Outflows Resources
Net differences between projected and actual net investment income Employer contributions after measurement date	\$ 63,722 819,004
1 4	\$ 882,726

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NOTE 13 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLANS (Continued)

Amounts reported as deferred outflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in pension expense as follows:

Year ending	
December 31	
2016	\$ 834,934
2017	15,930
2018	15,931
2019	15,931
	\$ 882,726

Judges of the Probate Courts Retirement Fund of Georgia

The Probate Judge is covered under a pension plan which requires that certain sums from marriage licenses and fines or bond forfeitures be remitted to the pension plan before the payment of any costs or other claims.

Clerk of Superior Court Retirement Fund

The Clerk of Superior Court is covered under a pension plan which requires that certain sums from fees and fines or bond forfeitures be remitted to the pension plan before the payment of any costs or other claims.

Sheriff's Retirement Fund/Peace Officers' Annuity and Benefit Fund

The Sheriff and sheriff deputies are covered under separate pension plans which require that certain sums from fines or bond forfeitures be remitted by the Magistrate Court and Clerk of Superior Court to the pension plans before the payment of any costs or other claims.

Magistrates Retirement Fund of Georgia

The Magistrate Judge is covered under a pension plan which requires that certain sums from fees and fines or bond forfeitures be remitted to the state sponsored pension plan.

Georgia Judicial Retirement System

This system provides retirement benefits for Superior Court Judges, District Attorneys, State Court Judges, Solicitors-General of the State Courts, and Juvenile Court Judges.

Employee's Retirement System of Georgia

Bryan County tax officials are covered under this retirement plan.

NOTE 13 - EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT PLANS (Continued)

Bryan County Board of Health (component unit)

The employees of the Bryan County Board of Health participate in the Georgia State Employees Retirement System (ERS). The plan is administered by the State of Georgia. ERS issues a publicly available financial report that can be obtained at www.ers.ga.gov. The retirement contributions for the year ended June 30, 2015 were \$75,567. Contributions are fully vested to employees after 10 years of continuous service.

At June 30, 2015, the Board of Health reported \$604,600 for its proportionate share of the net pension liabilities. For the year ended June 30, 2015, the Board of Health recognized pension expense of \$48,735.

NOTE 14 - OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

Plan Description. The County sponsors a single-employer post-retirement medical plan. The plan provides medical, prescription, and death benefits to eligible retirees and their spouses. Since the plan has no assets, reporting an other employee benefit trust fund in the accompanying financial statements is not required nor was a separate or stand-alone report issued.

Funding Policy. The contribution requirements of plan members and the County are established and may be amended by the Board of Commissioners. Plan members are not required to contribute; however, plan members receiving healthcare benefits pay for 20% of the health care insurance premium for individual and family coverage if the employee had 10 years of service at retirement.

For the year ended December 31, 2015, the County made no contributions and instead elected to continue funding on a *pay-as-you-go* basis, which amounted to \$68,371 for 2015. The County is currently developing its policy of funding OPEB liabilities beyond the *pay-as-you-go* basis and may pre-fund any unfunded annual required contribution as determined under GASB Statement 45; accordingly, liabilities have been discounted at a blended rate between a fully pre-funded approach and a simple *pay-as-you-go* approach.

Annual OPEB Cost and Net OPEB Obligation. The County's annual other post-retirement benefit (OPEB) cost (expense) is calculated based on the annual required contribution of the employer (ARC), an amount actuarially determined in accordance with the parameters of GASB Statement 45. The ARC represents a level of funding that, if paid on an ongoing basis, is projected to cover normal cost each year and amortize any unfunded actuarial liabilities (or funding excess) over a period not to exceed 30 years. The following table shows the components of the County's annual OPEB cost for the year, the amount actually contributed to the plan, and changes in the County's net OPEB Obligation.

NOTE 14 – OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (Continued)

Annual required contribution	\$ 286,459
Interest on net OPEB obligation	79,986
Adjustment to annual required contribution	 (68,014)
Annual OPEB cost (expense)	 298,431
Contributions made	(68,371)
Increase in net obligation	230,060
Net OPEB obligation (BOY)	 1,333,103
Net OPEB obligation (EOY)	\$ 1,563,163

The County's annual OPEB cost, the percentage of annual OPEB cost contributed to the plan, and the net OPEB obligation is as follows:

Fiscal Year	1	Annual	OPEB Cost	ľ	Net OPEB
Ended	Ol	PEB Cost	Contributed	(Obligation
12/31/15	\$	298,431	22.9%	\$	1,563,163
12/31/14		280,256	17.4%		1,333,103
12/31/13		280,256	17.0%		1,101,736

Funded Status and Funding Progress. As of January 1, 2015, the most recent actuarial valuation date, the plan was 0% funded. The actuarial accrued liability for benefits was \$2,530,192 and the actuarial value of assets was \$0 resulting in an unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) of \$2,530,192. The covered payroll (annual payroll of active employees covered by the plan) was \$5,631,450 and the ratio of the UAAL to the covered payroll was 44.9%.

Actuarial valuations of an ongoing plan involve estimates of the value of reported amounts and assumptions about the probability of occurrence of events far into the future. Examples include assumptions about future employment, mortality, and the healthcare cost trend. Amounts determined regarding the funded status of the plan and the annual required contributions of the employer are subject to continual revision as actual results are compared with past expectations and new estimates are made about the future.

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions. Projections of benefits for financial reporting purposes are based on the substantive plan (the plan as understood by the employer and the plan members) and includes the type of benefits provided at the time of each valuation and the historical pattern of sharing the benefit costs between the employer and plan members to that point. The actuarial methods and assumptions used include techniques that are designed to reduce the effects of short-term volatility in actuarial accrued liabilities and the actuarial value of assets, consistent with the long-term perspective of the calculations.

NOTE 14 – OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (Continued)

In the January 1, 2015 actuarial valuation, the projected unit credit actuarial cost method was used. The actuarial assumptions included a 6.0% investment rate of return (net of administrative expenses), and an annual healthcare cost trend rate of 8% initially, reduced by decrements to an ultimate rate of 5% after ten years. The actuarial value of assets was determined using a standard balanced portfolio expectation for retirement plan asset returns. The UAAL is being amortized as a level percentage of payroll on an open basis. The remaining amortization period at January 1, 2015 was 30 years.

NOTE 15 – RISK MANAGEMENT

The County is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft of, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. The County has joined together with other counties in the state as part of the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia (ACCG) Interlocal Risk Management Agency Property and Liability Insurance Fund and the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia (ACCG) Group Self-Insurance Workers Compensation Fund, a public entity risk pool currently operating as a common risk management insurance program for member local governments.

As part of these risk pools, the County is obligated to pay all contributions and assessments as prescribed by the pools, to cooperate with the pool's agents and attorneys, to follow loss reduction procedures established by the funds, and to report as promptly as possible, and in accordance with any coverage descriptions issued, all incidents which could result in the funds being required to pay any claim of loss. The County is also to allow the pool's agents and attorneys to represent the County in investigation, settlement discussions and all levels of litigation arising out of any claim made against the County within the scope of loss protection furnished by the funds.

The funds are to defend and protect the members of the funds against liability or loss as prescribed in the member government contract and in accordance with the worker's compensation law of Georgia. The funds are to pay all cost taxed against members in any legal proceeding defended by the members, all interest accruing after entry of judgement, and all expenses incurred for investigation, negotiation or defense.

Settled claims in the past three years have not exceeded the coverages.

NOTE 16 - CONTINGENCIES

In November, 2015, a County taxpayer filed a request for a refund for taxes for the 2010 to 2014 tax years. The base refund requested was \$648,266 and the claim seeks interest of \$129,875. The County disputes the claims and a mediation of such claims is scheduled in July, 2016.

The County is also a defendant in various other lawsuits. Although the outcome of these lawsuits is not presently determinable, in the opinion of the County attorney, the resolution of these matters probably will not have a material adverse effect on the financial condition of the County.

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 17 – JOINT VENTURE

Under Georgia law, the County, in conjunction with other cities and counties in the ten county Southeast Georgia areas, is a member of the Coastal Regional Commission of Georgia (RC) and is required to pay annual dues thereto. During its year ended December 31, 2015, the County paid \$24,383 in such dues. Membership in an RC is required by the Official Code of Georgia Annotated (OCGA) Section 50-8-33 which provides for the organizational structure of the RC in Georgia. The RC Regional Council membership includes the chief elected official of each county and municipality of the area. OCGA 50-8-39 provides that the member governments are liable for any debts or obligations of an RC. Separate financial statements may be obtained from:

Coastal Regional Commission of Georgia 1181 Coastal Drive SW Darien, Georgia 31305

NOTE 18 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The County evaluated subsequent events through June 30, 2016, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued.

BRYAN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

BRYAN COUNTY DEFINED BENEFIT PLAN

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN THE NET PENSION LIABILITY AND RELATED RATIOS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	2015 (1)
Total pension liability	
Service cost	\$ 317,967
Interest	838,487
Benefit payments	(425,275)
Net change in total pension liability	731,179
Total pension liability-beginning	11,392,468
Total pension liability-ending (a)	\$ 12,123,647
Plan fiduciary net position	
Contributions-employer	\$ 796,173
Net investment income	580,839
Benefit payments	(425,275)
Administrative expense	(29,342)
Other	(104,032)
Net change in plan fiduciary net position	818,363
Plan fiduciary net position-beginning	8,126,487
Plan fiduciary net position-ending (b)	\$ 8,944,850
Net pension liability-ending (a)-(b)	\$ 3,178,797
Plan fiduciary net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	73.78%
Covered-employee payroll	5,361,450
Net pension liability as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	59.29%

⁽¹⁾ Only fiscal year 2015 was available. The County will continue to present information for years available until a full 10-year trend is compiled.

BRYAN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION BRYAN COUNTY DEFINED BENEFIT PLAN SCHEDULE OF CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

		2015
Actuarially determined contribution		*
Contributions in relation to the actuarially de	etermined contribution	*
Contribution deficiency (excess)		*
Covered-employee payroll		*
Contributions as a percentage of covered-en	nployee payroll	
*2015 information will be determined after:	fiscal year end and will be included in t	he 2015 valuation report
Notes to Schedule:	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	
Methods and assumptions used to determine	e contribution rates:	
Actuarial Cost Method Amortization Method Remaining Amortization Period	Entry Age Normal Closed level dollar for remaining un N/A	funded liability
Asset Valuation Method	Smoothed market value with a 5-year	ar smoothing period
Actuarial Assumptions:		
Net Investment Rate of Return Projected Salary Increases Cost of Living Adjustments	7.75% 4.50% plus an aged base scale rangi N/A	ng from -1.0% to 1.5%
Retirement Age	Probability of retirement calculated 30% at age 65 to 69, and 100% at ag	as 10% at age 55 to 60, 20% at age 61 to 64, ge 70
Mortality	RP-2000 Combined	

GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS \$ 12,642,843 \$ 9,441,863 Certificates of deposit 2,362,466 2,362,014 Receivables: Taxes 646,061 631,670 Intergovernmental 692,571 746,594 Interest - 514 514 Other 76,150 18,738 Due from other funds 1,802,186 1,796,000 Prepaid items 141,476 125,002 Inventories 19,044 17,878 TOTAL ASSETS \$ 18,382,797 \$ 15,139,333 LIABILITIES *** Accounts payable *** Accounts payable *** Accounts payable *** Accounts payable *** 118,949 *** 124,366 19,044 124,366 Unearned revenue ** 10,660 *** 291,341 316,377 *** DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue *** property taxes 295,425 *** 293,934 FUND BALANCE Nonspendable Unassigned 176,635,511 142,880 142,880 Unassigned 177,635,511 143,86,142 17,796,031 145,29,022 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCE \$ 18,382,797 \$ 15,139,333		DEC	CEMBER 31, 2015	DE	CEMBER 31, 2014
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Prepaid items	Other		76,150		18,738
Inventories	Due from other funds		1,802,186		1,795,060
TOTAL ASSETS \$ 18,382,797 \$ 15,139,333	Prepaid items		141,476		125,002
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Accounts payable \$ 161,732 \$ 192,011 Accrued payroll 118,949 124,366 Unearned revenue 10,660 - Total liabilities 291,341 316,377 DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue - property taxes 295,425 293,934 FUND BALANCE Nonspendable 160,520 142,880 Unassigned 17,635,511 14,386,142 Total fund balance 17,796,031 14,529,022	TOTAL ASSETS	\$	18,382,797	\$	15,139,333
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Nonspendable 160,520 142,880 Unassigned 17,635,511 14,386,142 Total fund balance 17,796,031 14,529,022 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS	Unavailable revenue - property taxes		295,425		293,934
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Total fund balance 17,796,031 14,529,022 TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS	Nonspendable		160,520		142,880
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS	Unassigned		17,635,511		14,386,142
•	Total fund balance		17,796,031		14,529,022
OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCE \$ 18,382,797 \$ 15,139,333	TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS				
	OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCE	\$	18,382,797	\$	15,139,333

GENERAL FUND

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

		YEAR I	ENDE	ED
	DE	CEMBER 31,	DEC	CEMBER 31,
		2015		2014
ŔEVENUES				
Taxes	\$	15,902,782	\$	15,692,898
Licenses and permits		496,393		377,815
Charges for services		1,653,082		1,583,195
Fines and forfeitures		1,682,918		1,983,180
Intergovernmental		1,160,841		1,397,078
Interest		29,039		18,980
Other		257,313		239,379
Total revenues		21,182,368		21,292,525
EXPENDITURES				
Current:		•		
General government	÷	2,538,252		2,496,663
Judicial		1,761,766		1,678,451
Public safety		6,651,791		6,980,364
Public works		2,028,235		2,631,830
Health and welfare		1,247,530		1,275,490
Libraries and recreation		1,731,249		1,623,086
Housing and development		1,251,225		1,259,539
Debt service:				
Principal		63,031		61,093
Interest		32,494		34,432
Total expenditures		17,305,573		18,040,948
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES		3,876,795		3,251,577
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Sale of capital assets		53,110		-
Transfers in		30,000		_
Transfers out		(692,896)		(783,522)
Total other financing sources (uses)		(609,786)		(783,522)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		3,267,009		2,468,055
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		14,529,022		12,060,967
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	17,796,031	\$	14,529,022

FIRE PROTECTION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

,	DEC	EEMBER 31, 2015	DEC	EMBER 31, 2014
ASSETS Cash Taxes receivable Other receivable	\$	1,169,502 110,140	\$	811,702 118,913 4,423
TOTAL ASSETS		1,279,642	\$	935,038
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable	. \$	1,696	\$	8,077
Due to other funds		1,222,638		798,632
Total liabilities		1,224,334		806,709
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES		•		
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		54,818		54,155
FUND BALANCE				
Restricted		490		74,174
Total fund balance		490		74,174
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES	\$	1,279,642	\$	935,038

FIRE PROTECTION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

		YEAR I	ENDE	D
	DEC	EMBER 31,	DEC	EMBER 31,
		2015		2014
REVENUES				
Taxes	\$	1,199,573	\$	1,183,875
Intergovernmental		-		6,750
Charges for services		80,000		81,969
Interest		286		428
Total revenues		1,279,859		1,273,022
EXPENDITURES				
Current:				
Public safety		1,289,168		1,203,449
Capital outlay:				
Public safety		44,966		44,346
Debt service:			•	
Principal		113,276		188,139
Interest		1,136		10,446
Total expenditures		1,448,546		1,446,380
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER				
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES		(168,687)		(173,358)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES				
Transfers in		95,003		90,914
Total other financing sources		95,003		90,914
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		(73,684)		(82,444)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		74,174		156,618
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	490	\$	74,174

SPLOST VI CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS

	DEC	CEMBER 31, 2015	DEC	2014
ASSETS Cash Intergovernmental receivable	\$	3,115,251 898,057	\$	3,947,615 971,062
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	4,013,308	\$	4,918,677
LIABILI FUND E	TIES AN			
LIABILITIES Accounts payable Due to other funds Total liabilities	\$	470,337	\$	909,278 455,233 1,364,511
FUND BALANCE - Restricted	·	3,542,971	<u></u>	3,554,166
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$	4,013,308	\$	4,918,677

SPLOST VI CAPITAL PROJECTS FUND

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

		YEAR]	ENDE	D
	DEC	EMBER 31,	DEC	EMBER 31,
·		2015		2014
REVENUES				
Intergovernmental	\$	100,000		-
Sales taxes		5,357,365	\$	5,517,133
Interest		5,252		6,656
Other		3,000		
Total revenues		5,465,617		5,523,789
EXPENDITURES				
Capital outlay:			- '	
General government		47,467		208
Public safety		52,519		371,172
Roads		1,245,484		390,818
Culture and recreation		429,412		9,600
Housing and development		380,000		300,000
Intergovernmental		2,305,274		2,374,322
Debt service:				
Principal		555,719		531,033
Interest		28,640		34,095
Total expenditures	.	5,044,515		4,011,248
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER				
(UNDER) EXPENDITURES		421,102		1,512,541
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)				
Proceeds from capital leases	•	195,482		390,818
Transfers out		(627,779)		(1,205,359)
Total other financing sources (uses)		(432,297)		(814,541)
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		(11,195)		698,000
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		3,554,166		2,856,166
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR		3,542,971		3,554,166

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET

NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

		Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds	SPLOST V Capital Projects Fund	\$	onmajor Debt Service Funds		Total Nonmajor overnmental Funds
ASSETS	a.	2.520.206		\$	20,340	\$	2,549,546
Cash	\$	2,529,206	-	Þ	20,340	Φ	2,343,340
Receivables:		114.570			. 885		115,464
Taxes		114,579 994	-		. 003		994
Intergovernmental			-		-		116,167
Other		116,167	-		-		39,182
Prepaid items		39,182	-				39,162
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	2,800,128		\$	21,225	\$	2,821,353
LIABILITIES							
Liabilities:		•					
Accounts payable	\$	123,431	-		-	\$	123,431
Due to other funds		313,857	-	\$	1,452		315,309
Total liabilities		437,288			1,452		438,740
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES							
Unavailable revenue - property taxes		56,934	-		759		57,693
FUND BALANCES							
Nonspendable		39,182	-		-		39,182
Restricted		2,302,690	-		19,014		2,321,704
Unassigned		(35,966)	_		1		(35,966)
Total fund balances		2,305,906	-		19,014		2,324,920
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND							
FUND BALANCES	\$	2,800,128	-	\$	21,225	\$	2,821,353

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds	SPLOST V Capital Projects Fund	Nonmajor Debt Service Funds	Total Nonmajor Governmental Funds
REVENUES			\$ 20,300	\$ 1,260,158
Taxes	\$ 1,239,858	-	\$ 20,300	6,020
Licenses and permits	6,020	•	-	1,108,656
Charges for services	1,108,656	-	-	253,641
Fines and forfeitures	253,641	-	-	3,818
Intergovernmental	3,818	-	-	1,269
Interest	1,269	-	-	18,656
Other	18,656	-	20,300	2,652,218
Total revenues	2,631,918		20,300	2,032,218
EXPENDITURES				•
Current:		•		7.502
Judicial	7,593	-	-	7,593
Public safety	1,293,726	_	-	1,293,726
Public works	1,303,379	-	=	1,303,379
Recreation	286,311	-	=	286,311
Capital outlay:				1.000
General government	-	1,909	-	1,909
Public safety	21,934	-	<u></u>	21,934
Housing and development	20,317	-	-	20,317
Debt service:				180 610
Principal	131,358	-	47,261	178,619
Interest	14,239		3,926	18,165
Total expenditures	3,078,857	1,909	51,187	3,131,953
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER)				•
EXPENDITURES	(446,939)	(1,909)	(30,887)	(479,735)
OTHER FOLINGING SOURCES (HEES)				
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in	597,893	_	_	597,893
Transfers out	(30,000)		-	(30,000)
Total financing sources (uses)	567,893	-	-	567,893
Toma Illianding populary (4000)				~~~
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	120,954	(1,909)	(30,887)	88,158
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	2,184,952	1,909	49,901	2,236,762
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$ 2,305,906	\$ -	\$ 19,014	\$ 2,324,920

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

			l				l				l		l	
	H T	Emergency Telephone	Jai	Jail Fund	G	Sheriff Forfeiture Fund		Law Library	So	Curbside Solid Waste Fund	Tel Com Com	Inmate Telephone Commission Fund	F F	NPDES Permit Fees Fund
ASSETS Cash	€9	163,031	€9	326,407	€9	170,122	€	128,918	€9	952,111	↔	8,405	€?	10,159
Receivables: Taxes		ı		ı		ŧ				114,579		ı		
Intergovernmental		. •		1		1						r		1
Other Prenaid items		116,167 35,966		3.216			•			1 1		1 J		1 1
TOTAL ASSETS	€>	315,164	€ ~	329,623	€9	\$ 170,122	\$	128,918	€-3	1,066,690	€9	8,405	6-3	10,159
LIABILITIES														
Accounts payable	↔	1,307	€?	6,147		1			↔	110,160		1 1		r ı
Lue to other runds Total liabilities		315,164		6,147		-		1		110,160				t
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue - property taxes		1		1				1		56,934		1		1
FUND BALANCES Nonspendable Restricted		35,966		3,216 320,260	€9	170,122	↔	-128,918		- 965,668	€9	8,405	↔	-10,159
Unassigned Total fund balances		(35,966)		323,476		170,122		128,918		899,596		8,405		10,159
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES	€	315,164	€	329,623	8	170,122	↔	128,918	↔	1,066,690	€>	8,405	8	10,159

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Recre	Recreation Fund	Com	Jail Commissary Fund	Super Ge Purpo	Superior Court General Purpose Fund	Dru Treat Educe	Drug Abuse Treatment and Education Fund	Ju Supp	Juvenile Supplemental Services Fund		Total Noumajor Special Revenue Funds
ASSETS Cash	\$ 50	507,570	€	64,447	8	12,856	↔	172,354	. 69	12,826	€9	2,529,206
Receivables: Taxes Intergovernmental		1 , 1				1 1		- 994		1 1		114,579
Other Prepaid items		, ,		, ,				1 1		1 1		116,167 39,182
TOTAL ASSETS	↔	507,570	€-	64,447	e-s	12,856	64	173,348	69	12,826	8	2,800,128
LIABILITIES Accounts payable Due to other funds Total liabilities	↔	804	€-	5,013		1 1				1 1 4	↔	123,431 313,857 437,288
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue - property taxes		1		t		1		1		1		56,934
FUND BALANCES Nonspendable Restricted Unassigned Total fund balances	56	506,766		59,434	↔	12,856	↔	173,348	↔	12,826		39,182 2,302,690 (35,966) 2,305,906
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES	\$	507,570	↔	64,447	€	12,856	€	173,348	↔	12,826	€9	2,800,128

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDÍTURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Emergency	sy le	Jail Fund	Sk For	Sheriff Forfeiture Fund	Law Library	S	Curbside Solid Waste Fund	Inmate Telephone Commission Fund	Inmate Telephone Commission Fund	NPDES Permit Fees Fund	DES nit Fund
REVENUES Taxes		ı	ı		ľ	1	€?	1,239,858	-	ı		1
Licenses and permits		. ;	•			1					69	6,020
Charges for services Fines and forfeitures	\$ 695,131		- \$ 111,661	€	45,642	\$ 28,713	63			1 1		F 1
Intergovernmental					ı	•		t		1		ı
Interest	t	86 5	146		249	125	ς, ·	283	€	9 200		15
Other Total revenues	7,367	7,367	111,807		45,891	28,838		1,240,141	-	6,794		6,035
EXPENDITURES Current:									•			
Judicial			ı			4,805	5	•		ı		ı
Public safety	1,153,958	856	65,798		12,820	•		t	1	12,674		1
Public works		ŕ			1	1		1,303,379				ı
Recreation			Ī		1 .	1		·				
Capital outlay:			000									,
Public safety		934	21,000		•	1		ı		'	C	20317
Housing and development			ı		r	1		r		ı	7	110,0
Debt set vice.	131.	131,358	1		,	1		•	,	1		ţ
Interest	14,	14,239	1		1	1		1				,
Total expenditures	1,300,489	489	86,798		12,820	4,805)5	1,303,379		12,674	7	20,317
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	(597,893)	893)	25,009		33,071	24,033		(63,238)		(5,880)	(1)	(14,282)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES) Transfers in	597,893	893	,	-	•	1 6	Ś	. •		1		
Transfers out	207	507 803	: !	į		(30,000)	 	1		ι	ŀ	.
Total Other Illianeing sources (uses)								000		000		7000
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES			25,009		33,071	(5,967)	57)	(63,238)		(088,c)	こ	(14,282)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR			298,467		137,051	134,885	35	962,834		14,285		24,441
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	€>		\$ 323,476	↔	170,122	\$ 128,918	81 8 8	899,596	50	8,405	\$	10,159

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR SPECIAL REVENUE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Recreation Fund	Jail Commissary Fund	Superior Court General Purpose Fund	Drug Abuse Treatment and Education Fund	Juvenile Supplemental Services Fund	Total Nonmajor Special Revenue Funds
REVENUES Taxes	1	,	,		1	\$ 1,239,858
Licenses and permits	•	ı	•	l Se		6,020
Charges for services	\$ 373,712	\$ 39,813	,			1,108,656
Fines and forfeitures		•		\$ 65,375	\$ 2,250	253,641
Intergovernmental	ı	•	\$ 3,818	•	1	3,818
Interest	214	89	11	49	2	1,269
Other	4,501	1 00		VCV 37	2366	18,656
Total revenues	3/8,42/	39,881	3,829	03,474	6,433	2,031,910
EXPENDITURES	•					
Current:					-	1
Judicial	1	•	2,788	•	t	7,593
Public safety	Ī	38,897	3	7,024	2,555	1,293,726
Public works	•	1	•	1	•	1,303,379
Recreation	286,311	•	•		ı	286,311
Capital outlay:						1037
Public safety	•	1	t	•	1	21,934
Housing and development	•	1	ı	•	1	715,02
Debt service:					ı	131 358
Principal	ı	•	1			14.239
Interest	- 0000	100	1 000	700 2	2 555	3 078 857
Total expenditures	286,311	38,897	7,700	1,02,1		1000
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	92,116	984	1,041	58,400	(300)	(446,939)
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES)			•			507 803
Transfers in	•	, ,	1 1		1 1	(30,000)
ransfers our Total other financing sources (uses)	ı L			• 1		567,893
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	92,116	984	1,041	58,400	(300)	120,954
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	414,650	58,450	11,815	114,948	13,126	2,184,952
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$ 506,766	\$ 59,434	\$ 12,856	\$ 173,348	\$ 12,826	\$ 2,305,906

EMERGENCY TELEPHONE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	Original and Final Budget	Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)	2014 Actual	
REVENUES					
Charges for services	\$ 645,000	\$ 695,131	\$ 50,131	\$ 678,521	
Interest	500	98	(402)	257	
Other	1,000	7,367	6,367	5,081	
Total revenues	646,500	702,596	56,096	683,859	
EXPENDITURES Current: Public safety	1,272,107	1,153,958	118,149	1,081,068	
Capital outlay: Public safety	2,000	934	1,066	11,717	
Debt service: Principal Interest	261,344 22,339	131,358 14,239	129,986 8,100	258,591 25,091	
Total expenditures	1,557,790	1,300,489	257,301	1,376,467	
DEFICIENCY OF REVENUES UNDER EXPENDITURES	(911,290)	(597,893)	313,397	(692,608)	
OTHER FINANCING SOURCES Transfers in	911,290	597,893	(313,397)	692,608	
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	-	-	-	-	
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR					
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	<u>\$</u>	\$ -	<u> </u>	\$ -	

JAIL SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

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

	Original and Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES Fines and forfeitures Interest Total revenues	\$	107,700 500 108,200	\$	111,661 146 111,807	\$	3,961 (354) 3,607	\$	122,671 295 122,966
EXPENDITURES Current:				65,798		12,202		74,700
Public safety Capital outlay: Public safety Total expenditures		78,000 10,000 88,000		21,000 86,798		(11,000) 1,202	-	44,730 119,430
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		20,200		25,009		4,809		3,536
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		298,467		298,467				294,931
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	318,667		323,476	\$	4,809		298,467

SHERIFF FORFEITURE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	Original and Final Budget Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)		2014 Actual		
REVENUES Fines and forfeitures Intergovernmental Interest Total revenues	\$	10,000 - 500 10,500	\$ 45,642 249 45,891	\$	35,642 (251) 35,391	\$	8,328 8,000 269 16,597
EXPENDITURES Current: Public safety Capital:		10,500	12,820		(2,320)		6,502
Public safety Total expenditures		10,500	 12,820		(2,320)		12,884 19,386
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		<u>.</u>	33,071		33,071		(2,789)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	<u> </u>	137,051 137,051	\$ 137,051	\$	33,071	\$	139,840

LAW LIBRARY SPECIAL REVENUE FUND

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

	Original and Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES								
Fines and forfeitures	\$	29,000	\$	28,713	\$	(287)	\$	33,297
Interest		200		125		(75)		118
Total revenues		29,200		28,838		(362)	-	33,415
EXPENDITURES								
Current:								
Judicial		29,200		4,805		24,395		4,055
Capital outlay:		•						
Judicial		-						
Total expenditures		29,200		4,805		24,395	:	4,055
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-		24,033		24,033		29,360
OTHER FINANCING USES								•
Transfer to general fund				(30,000)		(30,000)		
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES		-		(5,967)		(5,967)		29,360
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		134,885		134,885		_		105,525
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$.	134,885		128,918	\$	(5,967)		134,885

CURBSIDE SOLID WASTE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

		Original Budget		Final Budget	Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES	ø	1 120 400	\$	1 240 400	\$	1,239,858	\$	(8,622)	\$	1,234,157
Taxes Interest	\$	1,138,480 1,500	Þ	1,248,480 1,500	Ф	283	Ψ	(1,217)	Ψ	625
Total revenues		1,139,980		1,249,980		1,240,141		(9,839)		1,234,782
EXPENDITURES										
Current:										1.055.060
Solid waste		1,139,980		1,303,379		1,303,379				1,255,068
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-		(53,399)		(63,238)		(9,839)		(20,286)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		962,834		962,834		962,834		-		983,120
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	962,834	_\$	909,435	\$	899,596	\$	(9,839)	\$	962,834

INMATE TELEPHONE COMMISSION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	7	ginal and al Budget		Actual	P	ariance ositive egative)		2014 Actual
REVENUES	Φ.	10	Φ.	6	\$	(4)	\$	11
Interest	\$	10	\$	6	Ф	(4)	Φ	7,528
Telephone commissions		8,500		6,788		(1,712)		
Total revenues		8,510		6,794		(1,716)		7,539
EXPENDITURES Current: Public safety		8,510		12,674		(4,164)		3,179
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-		(5,880)		(5,880)		4,360
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		14,285		14,285				9,925
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$.	14,285	_\$_	8,405	\$	(5,880)	\$	14,285

NPDES PERMIT FEES SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	Original Budget		Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES						6.020	Φ.		ď	2.027
Permit fees	\$	3,000	\$	6,020	\$	6,020	\$	_	\$	3,836
Interest		30		15		15				23
Total revenues		3,030		6,035		6,035		***		3,859
EXPENDITURES Capital outlay: Housing and development		3,030		20,317		20,317				<u>-</u>
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-		(14,282)		(14,282)		-		3,859
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		24,441		24,441		24,441			-	20,582
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	24,441	\$	10,159	_\$_	10,159	\$	-	\$	24,441

RECREATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

			Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)		2014 Actual	
REVENUES Charges for services	\$	488,679	\$	283,330	\$	373,712	\$	90,382	\$	454,644
Interest	Ψ	300	Ÿ	-	-	214		214		425
Other		1,550		6,150		4,501		(1,649)		4,209
		490,529		289,480		378,427		88,947		459,278
EXPENDITURES Current: Recreation	<u></u>	440,229		289,480		286,311		3,169		464,983
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		50,300		-	-	92,116	"	92,116		(5,705)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		414,650		414,650		414,650				420,355
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	464,950	\$	414,650	\$	506,766	\$	92,116	\$	414,650

JAIL COMMISSARY SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE

BUDGET AND ACTUAL FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015_

· .	-	ginal and al Budget	 Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES							
Commissary sales	\$	38,000	\$ 39,813	\$	1,813	\$	41,003
Interest		100	68		(32)		63
Total revenues		38,100	39,881		1,781		41,066
EXPENDITURES Current: Public safety		38,100	 38,897		(797)		37,526
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES			984		984		3,540
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		58,450	 58,450		-		54,910
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	58,450	\$ 59,434	\$	984	\$	58,450

SUPERIOR COURT GENERAL PURPOSE SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

		ginal and al Budget	 Actual	Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES Intergovernmental Interest	\$	6,500 10	\$ 3,818 11	\$	(2,682)	\$	3,745 11
Total revenues		6,510	 3,829		(2,681)		3,756
EXPENDITURES Current: Judicial		6,510	2,788	ser	3,722		1,588
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-	1,041		1,041		2,168
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u></u>	11,815	11,815				9,647
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	11,815	 12,856	\$	1,041	\$	11,815

DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT AND EDUCATION SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	an	riginal d Final Budget		Actual	P	ariance ositive egative)		2014 Actual
REVENUES	_	15.250	Ф	(5.375	\$	50.025	\$	53,326
Fines and forfeitures	\$	15,350 60	\$	65,375 49	Ф	50,025 (11)	Φ	97,520
Interest Total revenues		15,410		65,424		50,014		53,423
EXPENDITURES						4		
Current: Public safety		15,410		7,024		8,386		24,506
Total expenditures		15,410		7,024		8,386		24,506
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-		58,400		58,400		28,917
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		114,948		114,948		· -		86,031
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	_\$	114,948	\$	173,348	\$	58,400		114,948

JUVENILE SUPPLEMENTAL SERVICES SPECIAL REVENUE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	Original Budget		Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive (Negative)			2014 Actual
REVENUES Fines and forfeitures	\$	1,480	 \$	2,243	\$	2,250	\$	7	\$	1,255
Interest	Φ	1,-30	Ψ	12	Ψ	5	*	(7)	-	13
Total revenues		1,492		2,255		2,255		-		1,268
EXPENDITURES Current: Public safety		1,492		2,555		2,555				1,265
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	•	-		(300)		(300)		-		3
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR				13,126		13,126				13,123
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR			\$	12,826	\$	12,826	\$		\$	13,126

COMBINING BALANCE SHEET NONMAJOR DEBT SERVICE FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Sub Speci	erico division al Service istrict	Sul Spec	Belfast odivision ial Service District	No Deb	Total onmajor ot Service Funds
ASSETS						-0 0 1 ô
Cash	\$	4,899	\$	15,441	\$	20,340
Taxes receivable		885				885
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	5,784	\$	15,441	\$	21,225
LIABILITIES	,					
Due to general fund		-	\$	1,452	\$	1,452
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES Unavailable revenue - property taxes	\$	759		-		759
FUND BALANCES Restricted		5,025		13,989		19,014
TOTAL LIABILITIES, DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES, AND FUND BALANCES	\$	5,784	\$	15,441	\$	21,225

COMBINING STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES NONMAJOR DEBT SERVICE FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

	Sub Spec	Jerico odivision ial Service District	Sul Spec	Belfast odivision ial Service District	No Del	Total ommajor ot Service Funds
REVENUES						
Taxes	\$	3,923	\$	16,377	\$	20,300
Interest				-		
Total revenues		3,923		16,377		20,300
EXPENDITURES Debt service: Principal Interest Total expenditures		35,000 1,326 36,326		12,261 2,600 14,861		47,261 3,926 51,187
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		(32,403)		1,516	·	(30,887)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		37,428		12,473		49,901
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	5,025	\$	13,989	\$	19,014

JERICO SUBDIVISION SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT DEBT SERVICE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	Original Budget			Final Budget		Actual		Variance Positive Vegative)	 2014 Actual
REVENUES							_		47.400
Taxes	\$	21,555	\$	36,326	\$	3,923	\$	(32,403)	\$ 17,108
Interest		-							 <u> </u>
Total revenues		21,555		36,326		3,923		(32,403)	17,109
EXPENDITURES Debt service: Principal Interest		20,000 1,555	.•	34,771 1,555		35,000 1,326		(229) 229	15,000 2,472
Total expenditures	-	21,555		36,326		36,326		<u>-</u>	17,472
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES		-		- -		(32,403)		(32,403)	(363)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR		37,428		37,428		37,428			 37,791
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$	37,428	\$	37,428	\$	5,025	\$	(32,403)	 37,428

BELFAST SUBDIVISION SPECIAL SERVICE DISTRICT DEBT SERVICE FUND SCHEDULE OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE BUDGET AND ACTUAL

	ginal and al Budget	Actual	P	ariance ositive egative)	2014 Actual
REVENUES		 	Φ.	1.516	 10.460
Taxes	\$ 14,861	\$ 16,377	\$	1,516	\$ 12,469
EXPENDITURES Debt service:					
Principal	10,965	12,261		(1,296)	11,669
Interest	3,896	2,600		1,296	 3,192
Total expenditures	14,861	14,861		_	 14,861
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER (UNDER) EXPENDITURES	-	1,516		1,516	(2,392)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	 12,473	 12,473			 14,865
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$ 12,473	\$ 13,989	\$	1,516	\$ 12,473

WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NET POSITION

	DECEMBER 31, 2015	DECEMBER 31, 2014
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Cash	\$ 450,744	\$ 492,185
Accounts receivable	64,641	57,501
Total Current Assets	515,385	549,686
Noncurrent Assets		
Restricted cash	670,718	670,763
Capital Assets		
Construction in progress	-	237,672
Land	644,151	644,151
Water and sewer system	11,967,792	11,099,465
Equipment	9,645	9,645
Less accumulated depreciation	(1,942,472)	(1,570,618) 10,420,315
Total Capital Assets	10,679,116	10,420,313
Total Noncurrent Assets	11,349,834	11,091,078
TOTAL ASSETS	11,865,219	11,640,764
LIABILITIES Current Liabilites		•
Accounts payable	_	36,244
Accrued interest payable	45,245	49,199
Current portion of bonds payable	667,288	651,936
Due to other funds	258,980	258,822
Total Current Liabilities	971,513	996,201
Long Term Liabilites		
Bonds payable, less current portion	5,372,414	6,039,692
Total Liabilities	6,343,927	7,035,893
NET POSITION		
Net investment in capital assets	5,010,177	4,099,450
Restricted for debt service	250,000	250,000
Restricted for renewal and extension	50,000	50,000
Unrestricted	211,115	205,421
	\$ 5,521,292	\$ 4,604,871

WATER AND SEWER ENTERPRISE FUND COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENSES, AND CHANGES IN NET POSITION

	YEAR F	ENDED
	DECEMBER 31,	DECEMBER 31,
	2015	2014
OPERATING REVENUES		
Water and sewer sales	\$ 243,564	\$ 163,407
Tap and connection fees	190,900	106,575
Total operating revenues	434,464	269,982
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Depreciation	371,854	325,098
Purchased services	419,476	299,714
Materials and supplies	111,297	62,429
Total operating expenses	902,627	687,241
OPERATING LOSS	(468,163)	(417,259)
NONOPERATING REVENUE (EXPENSE)		
Interest income	130	391
Interest expense	(185,390)	(200,865)
Total nonoperating revenue (expense)	(185,260)	(200,474)
LOSS BEFORE CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS	ŧ	
AND TRANSFERS	(653,423)	(617,733)
Capital contributions/Cost recovery fees	942,065	584,248
Transfers in	627,779	1,205,359
CHANGE IN NET POSITION	916,421	1,171,874
NET POSITION, JANUARY 1	4,604,871	3,432,997
NET POSITION, DECEMBER 31	\$ 5,521,292	\$ 4,604,871

BRYAN COUNTY, GEORGIA COMBINING STATEMENT OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUNDS DECEMBER 31, 2015

											Victims			,	
		Tax	Probate	Ü	Clerk of	Magi	Magistrate		Planning and		Assistance		Totals	ls	
	Co	Commissioner	Court)	Courts	රි	Court	Sheriff	Zoning		Fund		2015	2014	4
ASSETS Cash	€-9	1,020,581 \$ 13,548 \$ 559,234 \$ 13,828 \$ 201,666	\$ 13,548	€	559,234	\$	13,828	\$ 201,666	\$	€	5,515 \$ 1,814,372 \$ 1,450,259		1,814,372	\$ 1,45	0,259
TOTAL ASSETS	S	1,020,581 \$	\$ 13,548	€-9	559,234	↔	13,828	13,828 \$ 201,666	·	↔	5,515	89	5,515 \$ 1,814,372 \$ 1,450,259	\$ 1,45	0,259
LIABILITIES Due to other entities and individuals	↔	1,020,581 \$	\$ 13,548	64)	559,234	ee	13,828	13,548 \$ 559,234 \$ 13,828 \$ 201,666		€	5,515	€9	5,515 \$ 1,814,372 \$ 1,450,259	\$ 1,45	0,259
TOTAL LIABILITIES	↔	1,020,581 \$	\$ 13,548	↔	\$ 559,234	59	13,828	\$ 13,828 \$ 201,666	∽	∞ ∥	5,515	8	5,515 \$ 1,814,372 \$ 1,450,259	\$ 1,45	0,259

COMBINING STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES AGENCY FUNDS

		Balance December 31, 2014		Additions	D	Deductions	Balance December 31, 2015			
Tax Commissioner										
Assets										
Cash	\$	907,517		43,536,548	\$	43,423,484	\$	1,020,581		
Liabilities										
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	907,517		43,536,548	\$	43,423,484	\$	1,020,581		
Probate Court	·									
Assets										
Cash	\$	12,018	\$	181,690	\$	180,160	\$	13,548		
Liabilities			,							
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	12,018	\$	181,690	\$	180,160	\$	13,548		
Clerk of Courts		•	•							
Assets						•				
Cash	\$	324,034	\$	2,806,023		2,570,823	\$	559,234		
Liabilities										
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	324,034		2,806,023		2,570,823	\$	559,234		
Magistrate Court										
Assets										
Cash	\$	10,399		118,464		115,035	\$	13,828		
Liabilities										
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	10,399	\$	118,464		115,035	\$	13,828		
Sheriff										
Assets		v				•				
Cash	\$	189,999	\$	67,575		55,908	\$	201,666		
Liabilities										
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	189,999	<u>\$</u>	67,575	\$	55,908	<u>\$</u>	201,666		
Planning and Zoning										
Assets							4			
Cash	\$			244,878		244,878	\$			
Liabilities					4	0.4.4.070	ф			
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	-	\$	244,878		244,878	\$	-		
Victims Assistance Fund										
Assets	4		•	00.040	ø	00.006	c r	£ £1£		
Cash	<u> </u>	6,292		89,249		90,026	\$	5,515		
Liabilities			,		^	00.007	m	E		
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	6,292		89,249		90,026	\$	5,515		
Total Agency Funds										
Assets		4 450 550	•	47.044.407	ø	AC CON 21 A	e	1,814,372		
Cash		1,450,259_		47,044,427	\$	46,680,314	\$	1,014,372		
Liabilities	_		•	45.044.405	•	46 600 214	c	1 01/1277		
Due to other entities and individuals	\$	1,450,259		47,044,427		46,680,314	\$	1,814,372		

SCHEDULE OF PROJECTS PAID WITH SPECIAL PURPOSE LOCAL OPTION SALES TAX PROCEEDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2015

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										Estimated
		Original		Current		Expend	liture	±S		Percentage
		Estimated		Estimated		Prior		Current		of
Project		Cost		Cost		Years		Year	Total	Completion
Administrative complex		3,037,500	\$	5,558,971	\$	5,558,971		_	\$ 5,558,971	100%
County-wide recreation		3,862,617		5,958,000		5,956,094		-	5,956,094	100%
Emergency services		930,000		1,078,731		1,078,731		-	1,078,731	100%
County buildings		700,000		238,412		236,503	\$	1,909	238,412	100%
Roads and bridges		3,000,000		4,795,336		4,795,336		-	4,795,336	100%
Water and sewer improvements		1,000,000		1,141,110		1,141,110		-	1,141,110	100%
Richmond Hill -										
Convention/Aquatic center		1,565,000		1,565,000		1,565,000			1,565,000	100%
Streets, drainage, water/sewer,										
Parks/recreation		3,173,047		6,053,130		6,053,130		-	6,053,130	100%
Pembroke -										
Municipal facilities		535,000		535,300		535,300		-	535,300	100%
Water/sewer, streets, drainage		1,384,013		2,368,201		2,368,201		-	 2,368,201	100%
	-\$	19,187,177	\$	29,292,191	\$	29,288,376	\$	1,909	\$ 29,290,285	100%
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SPLOST VI

SPLOST VI		Original		Current	Expen	diture	%			Estimated Percentage
		Estimated		Estimated	Prior		Current			of
Project		Cost		Cost	Years		Year		Total	Completion
Library	\$	1,500,000	\$	1,500,000	 	-\$	48,500		48,500	3%
Recreation projects		5,105,000		5,105,000	\$ 2,268,815		907,856	\$.	3,176,671	62%
Building renovations	•	1,185,000		1,185,000	599		47,467		48,066	4%
911 upgrades (debt servicing)		1,000,000		1,000,000	920,903		-		920,903	92%
Emergency services equipment/Firehouse		800,000		800,000	312,900		30,364		343,264	43%
Roads, streets, and bridges		2,500,000		2,500,000	1,387,462		908,552		2,296,014	92%
Water and sewer		2,500,000		2,500,000	1,274,939		627,779		1,902,718	76%
Public works equipment		300,000		300,000	38,184		98,865		137,049	46%
Development Authority		3,300,000		3,300,000	600,000		380,000		980,000	30%
Public safety (Sheriff vehicles)		360,000		360,000	175,289		-		175,289	49%
Animal control		250,000		250,000	_		19,155		19,155	8%
City of Richmond Hill		11,000,000		11,000,000	4,803,064		1,785,610		6,588,674	60%
City of Pembroke		3,200,000	_	3,200,000	 1,398,131		519,664		1,917,795	60%
	\$	33,000,000	_\$	33,000,000	\$ 13,180,286	\$	5,373,812	_\$_	18,554,098	56%

Reconciliation of current year expenditures to Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances:

Total SPLOST VI fund expenditures per Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes	
in Fund Balances	\$ 5,044,515
Intergovernmental revenue	(100,000)
Other revenue	(3,000)
Proceeds from capital leases	(195,482)
Transfers to other funds	 627,779_
Total current year expenditures per above	\$ 5,373,812

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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

To the Board of Commissioners Bryan County, Georgia

LEE ANN LANE, CPA

JENNIFER GROOMS, CPA WILLIAM BLAKE BLOSER, CPA

> 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, the business-type activities, the aggregate discretely presented component units, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bryan County, Georgia, as of and for the year ended December 31, 2015, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise Bryan County's basic financial statements and have issued our report thereon dated June 30, 2016. Our report includes a reference to other auditors who audited the financial statements of the Bryan County Board of Health, a component unit, as described in our report on Bryan County, Georgia's financial statements. This report does not include the results of the other auditors' testing of internal control over financial reporting or compliance and other matters that are reported on separately by those auditors.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

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

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is 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 may exist that have not been identified.

Compliance and Other Matters

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

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the 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.

Lanier, Westerfield, Ood + Proctor

Statesboro, Georgia June 30, 2016