GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY A Component Unit of the Township of Gloucester



CAMDEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

REPORT OF AUDIT

WITH SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

FOR THE FISCAL YEARS ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 2022 AND 2021



Report of Audit For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

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GLOUCESTER TOWNHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Roster of Officials

As of February 28, 2022

Members

Richard P. Calabrese Joseph Pillo Franklin Schmidt Frank Dintino Dorothy Bradley Alisa Smith

Donna Jones

Other Officials

Raymond J. Carr. Marlene Hrynio Thomas Leisse Howard C. Long, Jr., Esq. TD Bank Wealth Management Fulton Bank

Position

Chairman Vice-Chairman Secretary Treasurer Assistant Secretary Assistant Treasurer, Alternate Member Alternate Member

Executive Director Administrative Secretary Engineer Solicitor Trustee Legal Depository

FINANCIAL SECTION



INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Chairman and Members of the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority Glendora, New Jersey

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority (the "Authority"), in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey, a component unit of the Township of Gloucester, as of and for the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority, in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey, a component unit of the Township of Gloucester, as of February 28, 2022 and 2021, and the respective changes in financial position and cash flows thereof for the fiscal years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and in compliance with audit requirements as prescribed by the Bureau of Authority Regulation, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Authority and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

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

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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

In performing an audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and *Government Auditing Standards*, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, which raise substantial doubt about the Authority's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

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

Required Supplementary Information

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

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements. The accompanying supplementary schedules, as listed in the table of contents, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The 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 themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the accompanying supplementary schedules are fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated February 27, 2023 on our consideration of the Authority's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Authority's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

Respectfully submitted,

BOWMAN : COMPANY LUP

BOWMAN & COMPANY LLP Certified Public Accountants & Consultants

Voorhees, New Jersey February 27, 2023



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

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

The Chairman and Members of the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority Glendora, New Jersey

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, the standards applicable to financial statement audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, and in compliance with audit requirements as prescribed by the Bureau of Authority Regulation, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, the financial statements of the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority (the "Authority"), in the County of Camden, State of New Jersey, a component unit of the Township of Gloucester, as of and for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022, and the related notes to the financial statements, which collectively comprise the Authority's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated February 27, 2023.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Authority's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Authority'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 combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

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

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Authority's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*, and audit requirements as prescribed by the Bureau of Authority Regulation, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

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* and audit requirements as prescribed by the Bureau of Authority Regulation, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey, in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

BOWMAN : COMPANY LUP

BOWMAN & COMPANY LLP Certified Public Accountants & Consultants

Voorhees, New Jersey February 27, 2023

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION PART I

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

Management's Discussion & Analysis (Unaudited)

The Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority's ("Authority") primary function is to maintain and service the Gloucester Township sewer system, which consists of 51 pumping stations with an associated 13 miles of sanitary sewer force mains, 368 miles of sanitary gravity sewer mains and 4,851 manholes. We maintain over 300 miles of pipe that transport 8.8 million gallons of sewage per day from the Authority to the Camden County M.U.A.'s regional treatment plant. The age of various system components ranges from 50 plus years to the present. Currently, there are 30,091 equivalent dwelling units (300 GPD/EDU) with an associated estimated average daily flow (# of EDU's x 300 g/EDU) of 9.02 MGD.

Flows from the Authority collection system are discharged into the Camden County Municipal Utilities Authority's ("CCMUA") regional collection system for treatment and disposal at the CCMUA's Delaware No. 1 Treatment Plant in the City of Camden.

The Authority primarily services Gloucester Township. There are also minor points of connection from the neighboring municipalities of the Boroughs of Runnemede, Pine Hill, Magnolia, and the Township of Winslow.

The majority of Gloucester Township is serviced by public sewer, with the exception of a few small areas still on individual septic systems. In order to accomplish these services, the Authority must maintain a fleet of twenty-one vehicles, including a TV camera and two Jet Vac trucks. The TV camera can capture and record on video, pictures of such problems as breaks in sewer mains, grease blockages and intrusive tree roots. Once this camera pinpoints the problem, it enables a crew to uncover the underground pipe and make repairs with minimal interruption of service. Some problems can be fixed without unearthing the pipe by simply using a high pressure Jet Vac that can clear many blockages. When no emergencies exist, both of these pieces of equipment are used to inspect and clean the Township's sewer mains on a routine schedule as part of a preventative maintenance program. In addition to the mains, the Authority is also responsible for the lateral line from the curb line to the main. There are emergency generators located at forty-four pumping stations in case there is a power outage. The generators will automatically "power up" to insure that there is no interruption in service. In addition, there are three portable generators that are utilized to maintain the remaining pumping stations.

Although budgeted separately, the Authority is also responsible for the Township's Solid Waste program. The primary function of this program is to collect recyclables (cans, bottles, newspapers) and grass & leaves. We maintain and operate a sixty-acre compost site. This budget is supported by the Township along with revenue from compost sales and tipping fees. In order to accomplish these services, the Authority must maintain another fleet of vehicles, which includes recycling trucks, compactor trucks and composting equipment. Gloucester Township has joined several other towns across New Jersey by successfully implementing a Single-Stream Recycling program. Single-Stream Recycling refers to a collection system where all of your recyclables can be put into a single collection container. Rather than having to separate items such as paper and cardboard from items such as metal and glass, the new system allows for commingling of all recyclable items for the first time. The new system allows more of what people once threw into their trash cans, into their recycling containers instead. This has lightened the load of trash disposal considerably, thereby reducing the costs for the Township. The Township purchased five Single-Stream Automated Recycling Trucks, one Compactor Truck and one retro-fitted truck. The Township also purchased 20,500 Automated Recycling Carts (Toters). The toters have scan bars in them, which tells the Authority the address, the tonnage amount recycled and if recycling is being done at all. The recycling trucks have GPS systems installed which informs the Authority of their locations at all times. The Authority began Single-Stream Recycling collection on November 28, 2012.

In order for all of these services to run smoothly, we have to maintain billing, bookkeeping and accounting departments. Primary functions include budgeting; accounting; managing and investing cash; managing debt; paying invoices; executing payroll; and billing and collection of receivables (sewer rents, interest on delinquent accounts, connection fees, searches, tower rentals and other various revenues). The Authority's management is responsible for the financial reporting to the Board of Commissioners. We are also responsible for purchasing and maintaining all operating equipment and supplies at our location.

The Authority's main office is located at 401 W. Landing Road, Blackwood, in the Chews Landing section of the Township, adjacent to the central maintenance garage and composting facility. All data processing, billing and administration are conducted at this location. Rules and regulations, plus standards for operation and control, are maintained to regulate development and existing facilities.

For the fiscal year ending February 28, 2022, the Authority's net revenues were sufficient to satisfy the Authority's Bond Resolution requirement contained in Section 6.10. The Authority's ability to meet its Bond Resolution requirement for the last nine fiscal years is the result of rate increases adopted in August, 2012. The increases were as follows: October 1, 2012 - \$41.00 to \$43.00 and January 1, 2014 - \$43.00 to \$46.00 for a total increase of \$5.00 per quarter.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- 1) NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan Series 2001A On November 1, 2001, the Authority received a Wastewater Trust Infrastructure Loan, which enabled us to implement preventive measures in the repair of old lines and pump stations. These measures have kept our emergency repairs to a minimum. We borrowed 2.1 million dollars, of which half is interest free and the other half carries a 4% rate of interest. Although the Authority does not operate under any debt limitations, it is required to receive approval by Township resolution prior to issuing any new debt. The Authority has completed the slip-lining of some of the oldest lines in the Township and upgraded several pump stations. The Glen Oaks, College Drive, Girard Avenue and Cherrywood Pump Stations have all been completely renovated due to the funds received from this loan. The final principal payment on this loan was on August 1, 2021.
- 2) NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan Series 2004A The Authority applied for and received a second loan from the Trust totaling 4.1 million dollars. These funds were used for the following projects: fifteen new emergency generators, a new truck mounted hydraulic sewer cleaner with video inspection equipment, one central station, twenty-one remote telemetry units and slip-lining in Catalina Hills, Pine Run Interceptor and Prospect Avenue. This encompassed the rehab of 29,500 linear feet of gravity sewer mains. Manholes were slip-lined due to deterioration from hydrogen sulfide. The Black Horse Pike needed new manholes because they were too far apart and we needed to fill in the gaps. The following pumping stations were upgraded: Pine Run and Timber Cove. A new pumping station at Lincoln Drive was installed. The Authority had been band aiding the Pine Run Interceptor since 1985 with expensive emergency repairs. This preventive maintenance has been very cost effective.
- 3) NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan Series 2008A (Refunded in 2016) The Authority received a third loan from the Trust totaling 4.5 million dollars. The Authority has completed 100% of the work funded by the third loan. We slip-lined many areas in the Township that are thirty years old or more. The lines consisted of asbestos and concrete pipes, which were badly deteriorating. Work on slip-lining of all easements was completed; this included some properties with wooded and marshy areas behind homes. Laurel Hills, Tilford Road and Woods Lane Pumping Stations were the last to be rehabilitated. They are the latest pumping stations to convert to submersible Flygt Pumps. These conversions make the pumps more accessible and less hazardous to repair. The major difference is that instead of sending four men out for a problem, we only need one. A sorely needed project was a new Administration Building. The original building was very old and it would not be cost effective to renovate it. The Authority went out for bids and the project moved forward. The employees moved into the new building in May 2012. The Authority purchased a Compost Screener several years ago. This machine can screen three times the amount of compost per day than our old screener could. Since we are screening faster, we have the time to re-screen overs (waste material from screener). This procedure saves on disposal fees, trucking cost and increases our material available for sale. The Authority also purchased a new Compost Turner. This machine can turn a windrow (leaf & grass pile) in seven minutes. Our old turner needed two - twenty minute passes to complete. The process of turning windrows almost six times as fast enables us to turn more often. This all results in giving us a better product and gives our operators more time for site maintenance. Both of these pieces of equipment were acquired through this loan. The Township reimburses the Authority on a yearly basis for their share of the loan.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (CONT'D)

- 4) NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan Series 2010A The Authority applied for and received a fourth loan from the Trust totaling 2.2 million dollars. The projects were as follows: Pumping Station Installation and Rehab Clementon Avenue submersible pump, including site work, pumps, control system, generator set, electrical work, etc. This is the very last station that was converted to the new submersible Flygt Pumps. Other Projects included were gravity sewer lines, wet well rehab, sanitary sewer CIPP and manhole rehab. One wet well was slip-lined at the Glen Oaks Pump Station, which included cleaning and coating of the wet well. The concrete deteriorates, so the epoxy coating protects the well from erosion that is incurred by gases. White Birch and the older sections of Glendora were all slip-lined up to the Front & Rowand Pumping Station discharge area. The Orr Road Pumping Station was upgraded with a new lined wet well, bypass pump, three vari-drives, three motors and a new Channel Monster. Slip-lining was completed for the Central Avenue Pumping Station sending district and the Glenn Avenue Pumping Station sending district.
- 5) NJ Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loan Series 2017A The Authority settled on its fifth loan from the Trust totaling 1.295 million dollars during the fiscal year ending February 28, 2018. The projects were as follows: Sewer Vacuum Truck. This truck releases water pressure of approximately 75 gallons per minute into the manhole. The water flushes out the debris (stones, bottles, grease, sludge, etc.) that may be lodged in the pipe. The air vacuum system then sucks all the debris and pushes it into disposal bins. Regular cleaning of the lines ensures that we reside in an environmentally safe neighborhood. Another project is slip-lining. With this project, we were able to "sleeve" the older pipes in the Hydes Chemical Pumping Station discharge area and also several broken pipes in the Blackwood Estates Section without having to excavate a newly paved street. The last project is Pump Station Monitoring & Control Hardware & Software Upgrades. This project entails the installation of new SCADA (Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition) hardware/software. This equipment monitors, gathers and processes real-time data for our pumping stations. It helps maintain efficiency at our Pumping Stations and communicates to the staff any issues with keeping the sewage flowing. It also records any events into a log file.
- 6) Sewer Charge Collection Rate The collection rate for fiscal year ending February 28, 2022 was 93.42%. Sewer rents were up approximately \$38,000.00.
- 7) Connection Fees Connection fee revenue for fiscal year ending February 28, 2022 was \$268,925.00. This represents a 1.14% decrease compared to last fiscal year. The decrease totaled \$3,100.00.
- 8) Total Sewer Operating Revenue Operating revenue for fiscal year ended February 28, 2022 was \$5,903,940.20, which is a decrease from last fiscal year's amount of \$5,936,472.72.
- **9)** Total Sewer Operating Expenses For fiscal year ending February 28, 2022, operating expenses of \$3,695,008.63 were incurred, which was a decrease from last fiscal year's amount of \$4,341,299.01. This decrease primarily resulted from a reduction in the actuarially determined expenses realized by the Authority for its pensions and other postemployment benefits plan.
- **10)** Solid Waste Revenue The Authority operates a state-of-the-art composting facility that converts leaves and grass into high quality compost and topsoil that is sold to the public. Compost sales and tipping fees generated revenue totaling \$308,236.96, which is an increase of \$15,866.05 from the previous fiscal year. The Authority also collects all of the recyclable materials in the Township. All of this is accomplished with a savings of more than a half million dollars per year to the Township.
- **11)** Total Capital Assets (Completed) Total capital assets (completed) at cost for fiscal year ending February 28, 2022 totaled \$73,182,377.74, which includes land, buildings, pipelines, pump stations, vehicles, equipment, alarms, telemetering, etc. Capital assets (completed), net of accumulated depreciation, totaled \$45,426,662.74.
- 12) Debt Service As of February 28, 2022, the Authority has outstanding debt, New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Loans, totaling \$4,247,054.41, excluding premiums. The Authority's Bond Resolution requires the Authority to generate "Net Revenues" that will exceed 110% of their current fiscal years' Debt Service. For the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022, the percentage of "Net Revenues" to Debt Service was 419%.
- **13) Interest Income -** For the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022, the Authority generated \$4,680.45 in interest income from investments. This was \$718.56 higher than the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021.

OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The basic financial statements report information about the Authority as a whole using accounting methods similar to those used by private-sector companies. The comparative statements of net position include all of the Authority's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflows of resources, and net position. The Authority follows the accrual method of accounting, current year's revenues and expenses are accounted for in the comparative statements of revenues, expenses and changes in net position regardless of when cash is received or paid. Net position, the difference between the Authority's assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, and deferred inflows of resources, is a measure of the Authority's financial health or position.

The comparative statements of revenues, expenses and changes in net position provide a breakdown of the various areas of revenues and expenses encountered during the current year.

The comparative statements of cash flows provide a breakdown of the various sources of cash, which include operating activities, noncapital financing activities, capital and related financing activities and investing activities.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE AUTHORITY

The Authority's total assets were \$56,833,333.18 as of February 28, 2022. Total assets, total deferred outflows of resources, total liabilities, total deferred inflows of resources, and total net position are detailed below.

Net Position

				Change from FY	2021 to 2022
	Feb. 28, 2022	<u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>	<u>Feb. 29, 2020</u>	Amount	Percentage
Current Assets Capital Assets (net of	\$ 9,647,484.38	\$ 9,160,474.63	\$ 8,624,845.56	\$ 487,009.75	5.32%
accumulated depreciation)	46,689,239.52	46,938,356.11	47,033,849.99	(249,116.59)	-0.53%
Other Assets	496,609.28	570,855.65	644,006.24	(74,246.37)	-13.01%
Total Assets	56,833,333.18	56,669,686.39	56,302,701.79	163,646.79	0.29%
Total Deferred					
Outflows of Resources	3,634,152.07	3,937,003.32	1,830,438.52	(302,851.25)	-7.69%
Current Liabilities	2,846,240.49	3,103,933.05	2,811,469.53	(257,692.56)	-8.30%
Long-term Liabilities	18,193,595.42	19,907,248.94	18,110,712.01	(1,713,653.52)	-8.61%
Total Liabilities	21,039,835.91	23,011,181.99	20,922,181.54	(1,971,346.08)	-8.57%
Total Deferred					
Inflows of Resources	7,959,092.00	8,086,268.00	8,998,350.00	(127,176.00)	-1.57%
Net Position					
Net Investment in Capital Assets	42,914,636.58	42,427,296.49	41,865,543.12	487,340.09	1.15%
Restricted	2,918,179.52	2,954,795.33	2,862,356.65	(36,615.81)	-1.24%
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(14,364,258.76)	(15,872,852.10)	(16,515,291.00)	1,508,593.34	-9.50%
Total Net Position	\$ 31,468,557.34	\$ 29,509,239.72	\$ 28,212,608.77	\$ 1,959,317.62	6.64%

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS OF THE AUTHORITY (CONT'D)

The Authority realized operating income of \$2,386,528.77 for the current fiscal year, and when combined with net nonoperating revenues (expenses) of (\$435,724.70) and capital contributions totaling \$8,513.55, net position increased by \$1,959,317.62.

				Change from FY	2021 to 2022
	Feb. 28, 2022	<u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>	<u>Feb. 28, 2020</u>	Amount	Percentage
Operating Revenues:					
Service Charges	\$ 5,496,783.82	\$ 5,458,789.18	\$ 5,457,266.38	\$ 37.994.64	0.70%
Service Agreements (Twp.)	1,732,579.41	1,716,530.80	1,718,167.13	16,048.61	0.93%
Connection Fees	268,925.00	272,025.00	88,050.00	(3,100.00)	-1.14%
Miscellaneous Charges	446,467.93	498,029.04	439,781.80	(51,561.11)	-10.35%
Total Operating Revenues	7,944,756.16	7,945,374.02	7,703,265.31	(617.86)	-0.01%
Operating Expenses	4,540,025.14	5,111,704.25	4,716,053.89	(571,679.11)	-11.18%
Depreciation Expense	1,018,202.25	996,434.71	882,034.37	21,767.54	2.18%
Total Operating Expenses	5,558,227.39	6,108,138.96	5,598,088.26	(549,911.57)	-9.00%
Operating Income	2,386,528.77	1,837,235.06	2,105,177.05	549,293.71	29.90%
Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)					
Investment Income	4,680.45	3,961.89	112,857.00	718.56	18.14%
Net Unemployment Claims	26,587.11	25,969.59	16,344.15	617.52	-
Bond and Loan Interest	(43,277.51)	(59,075.01)	(71,020.23)	15,797.50	-26.74%
Net Reserve for System Improvements	40,099.95	31,086.00	(711.76)	9,013.95	29.00%
Net Reserve for Payment of Debt	(258.74)	(212.51)	(275.43)	(46.23)	21.75%
Township Agreement - Excess Funds					
Due to Township of Gloucester	(212,455.16)	(275,560.48)	(300,932.37)	63,105.32	-22.90%
Municipal Appropriation	(249,500.00)	(248,700.00)	(247,600.00)	(800.00)	0.32%
Loss on Disposal of Fixed Assets	(1,600.80)	(18,073.59)	(1,213.07)	16,472.79	-91.14%
Total Nonoperating					
Revenues (Expenses)	(435,724.70)	(540,604.11)	(492,551.71)	104,879.41	-19.40%
Capital Contributions	8,513.55		45,073.41	8,513.55	100.00%
Change in Net Position	1,959,317.62	1,296,630.95	1,657,698.75	662,686.67	51.11%
Net Position - Beginning of Year	29,509,239.72	28,212,608.77	26,554,910.02	1,296,630.95	4.60%
Net Position - End of Year	\$ 31,468,557.34	\$ 29,509,239.72	\$ 28,212,608.77	\$ 1,959,317.62	6.64%

Revenues, Expenses & Changes in Net Position

OVERALL ANALYSIS

Overall, the Authority is in a sound financial position due, in part, to the long-term goal of eliminating its reliance on connection fee revenue in order to meet its revenue obligations. It is felt that connection fees, particularly at the level the Authority has long been accustomed to, are winding down and at some future date, the Authority must be in a financial position to afford operating expenses, debt service and capital expenditures without a substantial portion of revenue dependent on connection fees.

Connection fee revenue in the current fiscal year decreased from the prior fiscal year by \$3,100.00. Developers pay connection fees upon submittal of plans to connect residential developments, commercial properties, etc. into the Authority's sewer system. The Authority treats these payments as liabilities until issuing the developer a Certificate of Approval (CA) of their hookup into our system. Then the developer must acquire a Certificate of Occupancy (CO) from the Township. This release of a CA triggers the Authority's recognition of connection fee revenue and the property is subsequently billed for sewer charges.

OVERALL ANALYSIS (CONT'D)

The Authority operates very efficiently with minimal staffing. We have saved a substantial amount of money in the past few years by having higher salaried employees retire. We did not replace most of them because we have a very hard working staff in place that has absorbed much of the extra work. The few positions that were filled were at lower entry salary levels. We have also saved money because our diligent workers provided the labor for some projects in lieu of hiring independent contractors. A few examples are new generators at Lincoln Avenue, Stephens Drive and Erial Road pumping stations. We replaced two pumps at Lincoln Avenue, Cherrywood and Timber Cove pumping stations. One pump was replaced at the Stephens Drive and Fay Ann Drive pumping stations. Various pumps were repaired throughout the system. The transfer switch at Revere Run pumping station was replaced. Lincoln Avenue's electrical wiring was all replaced. We purchased three wet well wizards for Pierce Battery, Cobblestone and Sicklerville Road pumping stations to assist with odor control. We continue to replace old piping along Orr Road. Crimson Meadows, Cherrywood, Woodbridge and Revere Run pumping station driveways have all been replaced. We also continue to work on and upgrade the Scada alarm system to ensure that when there is a problem at a pumping station, the Authority staff is notified so they can respond quicker and avoid overflows.

Our sewer cleaning crew has cleaned fifty-four miles of pipe, with thirty-two main blockages cleared and thirty-four miles of internal pipelines televised. We repaired two main breaks and six laterals. These saving measures all help in keeping the sewer charges as low as possible.

The Authority purchased equipment to map (GIS) out our sanitary sewer system.

The Authority slip-lined 5,259 linear feet of 8" and 1,196 linear feet of 18" sanitary sewer pipe in the Blenheim section of town from Pineland Avenue to the Pierce Battery pumping station, along with Good Intent Road and Little Gloucester Road. These pipes were all over 45 years old.

We rehabilitated several manholes throughout the Township.

The Authority has 51 pumping stations, which are checked, maintained and serviced by Authority staff daily. All force main locations are marked in order to get to them faster in an emergency and are inspected yearly. The Authority Personnel also performed the following services this year: emergency callouts, most of which are outside of normal working hours, inspected new sewer mains & laterals, maintenance of vehicles, repaired generators & pumps, investigated odor complaints and reviewed proposed pumping stations and design. Service calls are provided to our users seven days a week, 24 hours a day for sewer back-ups. Last year alone, we performed approximately 992 service calls, which saved the Township residents money by not having to contact a plumber. The staff also performs mark-outs to ensure that other contractors working on other facilities do not hit our sanitary sewer lines, causing an interruption of service for the residents.

All Authority collection system staff are trained in various safety programs and attend seminars to keep up with the latest technology throughout the year.

The Authority has a very old sewer system. Some of our lines were put in as early as 1958. The original pipe that was installed was asbestos clay and terracotta. House connections (laterals) were orangeburg and that was not much better than heavy tarpaper rolled up to make a pipe. Over the years, these pipes have deteriorated badly and need to be replaced. In order to do this, utilizing conventional methods, the street would have to be dug up, the lines replaced with PVC pipe and then the street filled in and repaved. This is a very costly measure. The Authority found a better, less expensive method called slip-lining. This procedure is done by creating a bypass to the existing line of flow. Then a heavy canvass bag is inserted in the old line and pulled through to the other end. It is then heated to a very high temperature, cooled for several hours and it hardens to the same diameter as the old pipe. This procedure has been very successful and has a 50-year warranty. All this is done without tearing up the street and replacing it. In the past, pipes would deteriorate, the street would collapse and total restoration would have to be implemented. Obviously, it is easier and accomplished at a much lower cost than the old methods.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the Gems Landfill Trust are using the public sewer system as a vehicle for removing groundwater from the Superfund site, despite the possibility that the groundwater could be contaminated with radioactive uranium, radium and other pollutants. The DEP and "Gems Superfund" contended that the water was now at "Drinking Water Standards."

OVERALL ANALYSIS (CONT'D)

The Authority believed that the groundwater might still be contaminated with radioactive material. The Authority maintains that the safety of their employees is the top priority, as they are the ones who have to monitor, maintain and repair the pump stations that will be handling this water. As a result, the employees had to take HAZMAT courses and they need to wear badges that will detect levels of radiation. They need portable meters and preventive safety gear, such as boots, gloves and protective suits. The Camden County MUA performs monthly tests on the groundwater before it is discharged into the closest pumping station, which is located in Erial. The Authority collects user fees of approximately \$10,000.00 per year. These funds are used for the purchase of all the safety equipment noted above. Testing is still performed regularly and on a positive note, after twelve (12) full years of reporting, there are still no problems and Gems has met their Industrial Discharge Monitoring standards.

The Authority's recycling, grass/leaf collection and composting facility have become enormously successful. In fiscal year 2022, we collected 8,757 tons of recyclables/vegetative waste and the total amount of materials that Gloucester Township accepted at our facility was 16,705 tons. If a private contractor had taken this to a landfill, the cost to the Township would have exceeded \$1,000,000.00 plus collection costs. The Authority has been accepting leaves and grass clippings from twenty (20) neighboring communities, who are paying us a tipping fee of \$3.00 per cubic yard for leaves and \$8.00 for a cubic yard of grass.

The Authority also accepts material from landscapers for a charge of \$5.00 per cubic yard for leaves and \$10.00 per cubic yard for grass. Revenue was \$104,161.50 from this source in our fiscal year ending February 28, 2022. This added income lowers the Authority's operational costs as well as provides us with another source of income from selling compost derived from other community's waste co-mingled with ours.

Expanding this and other revenue producing endeavors is high on our list of priorities. The composting program processes grass and leaves only. Composting of yard waste is done on-site by Authority employees. Revenue from the sale of compost was \$204,045.00 during the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022. Total revenue for all three (3) programs was \$308,236.55. Additional fees would be added to the trash collection fees paid by the Township if the Authority were not collecting grass and leaves. That figure could be well over \$300,000.00 a year for collection and \$370,000.00 for disposal. If these programs were implemented privately, additional costs and fees would be well over \$800,000.00 a year. After operational costs are factored in, we realize a savings of over \$1.2 million yearly.

Since the Camden County M.U.A. took over the treatment of our wastewater several years ago, we feel that the Authority has been very innovative in finding other avenues of responsibility and revenue to support them. We are always looking for ways to improve the Authority in order to better serve our community.

BUDGET VARIANCES

The Authority expended 85.36% of its \$4,990,047.00 sewer operating budget with several variances. It expended 90.34% of its \$2,089,250.00 Solid Waste operating budget with several variances. The Authority was not required to amend its fiscal year ended February 28, 2022 budgets. The percentage of amount expended to amount budgeted compares favorably to past years budgets.

CAPITAL ASSET AND LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY

During the current fiscal year, the Authority expended \$774,072.29 from its Renewal & Replacement Fund for capital activities. \$15,498.11 was classified as repairs/other expenses and charged as operating expenses. During the current year, the Authority disbursed \$183,740.68 for capital assets.

The more significant disbursements were for sewer system rehabilitation and pumping station upgrades. The result of these major improvements is being felt already. Our major emergency repairs were down from past fiscal years as a result of slip-lining and pumping station upgrades. The lines presently consist of asbestos and terracotta, which are badly deteriorating and at the end of their serviceable life and are subject to hydrogen gases. The Authority is planning for continuation of slip-lining and various other improvements. Future improvements include Prospect Avenue, Orr Road & Pierce Battery Force Main Replacements, Somerdale Road Pumping Station Improvements, Glen Oaks Pumping Station Rehabilitation/Replacement, Miscellaneous Generator Replacements, New Pumps at Various Pumping Stations, Force Main Condition Testing, Force Main Locations (GIS), Gravity System Locations (GIS), Sewer Rehabilitation - Gravity Main and Lateral Lining.

CAPITAL ASSET AND LONG-TERM DEBT ACTIVITY (CONT'D)

All of these improvements will help the Authority to serve the public in a safer, more efficient capacity.

The fiscal year ended February 28, 2022 sewer & solid waste capital budgets and five-year capital programs are \$19,422,000.00 and \$33,534,000.00, respectively. The major line items of the capital budget are:

1) Equipment Replacement	\$2,300,000.00
2) Telemetry	25,000.00
3) Standby Generators	2,150,000.00
4) Sewer Rehab Program	3,525,000.00
5) Buildings & Grounds	100,000.00
6) Computer Upgrade	30,000.00
7) Electrical Upgrade	5,000.00
8) Pump Station Upgrades	9,775,000.00
9) Administration Building	40,000.00
10) Vehicles	250,000.00

These projects are currently underway at different stages in the process.

Looking at the five-year Capital Program, two projects should be mentioned because these are the projects that we are actively pursuing.

1) Sewer Rehab Program	FY 22 - 26	\$6,525,000.00
2) Pump Station Upgrades	FY 22 - 26	15,025,000.00

In any planning that is done by the Authority, these projects must be included every year as part of the capital budget. They are essential projects that will have an effect on the operation of our sewer facilities. The two projects are set up to upgrade and renew our aging lines and pump stations. We have been reaping the benefits of the five (5) trust loans by seeing a major drop in emergency repairs. This is because we were able to upgrade several pump stations and implement slip-lining of the sewer lines, which we have discussed in detail in our Overall Analysis. The second, third, fourth and fifth trust loans have given the Authority more than double the financial relief from emergency repairs and hopefully this trend will continue.

The Authority has not experienced any change in its credit rating, nor does it anticipate any. The Authority does not operate under any debt limitations; it is required, however, to receive approval from the Local Finance Board prior to issuing of debt.

CONTACTING THE AUTHORITY'S MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide New Jersey, Gloucester Township residents and in particular, our customers, clients, investors and creditors, with a general overview of the Authority's finances. If you have any questions about this report or need additional information, contact the Authority at the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority, 401 W. Landing Road, P.O. Box 216, Glendora, NJ 08029 or visit our website at: www.gtmua.com.

BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Comparative Statements of Net Position As of February 28, 2022 and 2021

	<u>February 28, 2022</u>	<u>February 28, 2021</u>
ASSETS		
Current Assets: Unrestricted Assets: Revenue/Operating Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Consumer Accounts Receivable Refunds Receivable Other Accounts Receivable Due from Township of Gloucester Prepaid Expenses	<pre>\$ 1,909,827.77</pre>	\$ 4,081,261.58 376,949.42 1,801.73 29,073.48 154,430.40 127,452.42
Total Unrestricted Assets	3,016,045.06	4,770,969.03
Restricted Assets: Debt Service Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Debt Service Reserve Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Renewal and Replacement Account:	478,618.29	423,215.48 147,095.86
Cash and Cash Equivalents Due from Township of Gloucester - Restricted for Debt Service Other Accounts:	5,563,921.09 67,156.74	3,297,849.72 66,060.97
Cash and Cash Equivalents	521,743.20	455,283.57
Total Restricted Assets	6,631,439.32	4,389,505.60
Total Current Assets	9,647,484.38	9,160,474.63
Noncurrent Assets: Capital Assets: Construction in Progress Completed (Net of Accumulated Depreciation) Total Capital Assets Other Assets: Due from Township of Gloucester - Restricted for Debt Service	1,262,576.78 45,426,662.74 46,689,239.52 496,609.28	881,887.00 46,056,469.11 46,938,356.11 570,855.65
Total Noncurrent Assets	47,185,848.80	47,509,211.76
Total Assets	56,833,333.18	56,669,686.39
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES		
Deferred Loss on Refunding of Loan Related to Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Related to Pensions	76,206.25 2,957,662.82 600,283.00	87,092.84 2,733,304.48 1,116,606.00
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	3,634,152.07	3,937,003.32
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Comparative Statements of Net Position As of February 28, 2022 and 2021

	<u>February 28, 2022</u>	<u>February 28, 2021</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current Liabilities Payable from Unrestricted Assets: Accounts Payable - Operations Accounts Payable - Related to Pensions Prepaid Rental Charges Unearned Revenue Compensated Absences Payable Accrued Liabilities	\$ 168,543.27 306,937.00 1,199,810.89 2,494.84 33,432.90 722.59	\$ 228,987.40 301,272.00 1,194,837.00 2,450.19 39,428.08 1,023.56
Total Current Liabilities Payable from Unrestricted Assets	1,711,941.49	1,767,998.23
Current Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets: Accounts Payable Accounts Payable - Due to Township of Gloucester N. J. Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans Payable - Current Portion Accrued Loan Interest Payable Accrued Liabilities Escrow Deposits	8,883.73 212,455.16 638,696.68 6,855.83 8,710.60 258,697.00	60,225.84 275,560.48 764,677.71 8,329.79 8,710.60 218,430.40
Total Current Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets	1,134,299.00	1,335,934.82
Total Current Liabilities	2,846,240.49	3,103,933.05
Long-term Liabilities: N. J. Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans Payable Net Pension Liability Other Postemployment Benefits Liability (OPEB) Accrued Liabilities - Related to Pension Compensated Absences Payable	3,772,279.79 3,104,840.00 11,029,652.00 204,625.00 82,198.63	4,433,225.37 4,491,028.00 10,677,689.00 200,848.00 104,458.57
Total Long-term Liabilities	18,193,595.42	19,907,248.94
Total Liabilities	21,039,835.91	23,011,181.99
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES		
Deferred Connection Fee Revenue Related to Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Related to Pensions	417,220.00 5,252,081.00 2,289,791.00	414,045.00 5,615,205.00 2,057,018.00
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	7,959,092.00	8,086,268.00

Comparative Statements of Net Position As of February 28, 2022 and 2021

	<u>February 28, 2022</u>	<u>February 28, 2021</u>
NET POSITION		
Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted for: Bond Covenants:	\$ 42,914,636.58	\$ 42,427,296.49
Debt Service Reserve Requirement		143,068.88
Renewal and Replacement Operating Requirement	500,000.00 1,895,003.00	500,000.00 1,854,978.25
Reserve for Payment of Bond Principal and Interest	184.88	443.62
Unemployment Claims	263,149.73	236,562.62
Reserve for System Upgrades	259,841.91	219,741.96
Total Restricted Net Position	2,918,179.52	2,954,795.33
Unrestricted (Deficit)	(14,364,258.76)	(15,872,852.10)
Total Net Position	\$ 31,468,557.34	\$ 29,509,239.72

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

Comparative Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

	February 28, 2022	February 28, 2021
OPERATING REVENUES		
Service Charges Service Agreements Connection Fees Miscellaneous Charges	\$ 5,496,783.82 1,732,579.41 268,925.00 446,467.93	\$ 5,458,789.18 1,716,530.80 272,025.00 498,029.04
Total Operating Revenues	7,944,756.16	7,945,374.02
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Administration: Salaries and Wages Fringe Benefits Other Expenses	580,929.58 130,770.36 301,092.22	619,939.13 303,920.91 298,428.97
Total Administration	1,012,792.16	1,222,289.01
Cost of Providing Services: Salaries and Wages Fringe Benefits Other Expenses	1,772,998.03 323,955.16 1,409,496.69	1,770,923.76 656,401.97 1,273,026.26
Total Cost of Providing Services	3,506,449.88	3,700,351.99
Major Repairs and Other Expenses Depreciation	20,783.11 1,018,202.25	189,063.25 996,434.71
Total Operating Expenses	5,558,227.39	6,108,138.96
Operating Income (Loss)	2,386,528.77	1,837,235.06
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)		
Investment Income Net Unemployment Claims Loss on Disposal of Capital Assets Net Reserve for System Improvements Net Reserve for Payment of Bond & Loan	4,680.45 26,587.11 (1,600.80) 40,099.95	3,961.89 25,969.59 (18,073.59) 31,086.00
Principal and Interest Loan Interest Township Agreement - Excess Funds	(258.74) (43,277.51)	(212.51) (59,075.01)
Due to Township of Gloucester Municipal Appropriation	(212,455.16) (249,500.00)	(275,560.48) (248,700.00)
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	(435,724.70)	(540,604.11)
Income Before Contributions (Carried Forward)	1,950,804.07	1,296,630.95

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Comparative Statements of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

	Fe	bruary 28, 2022	<u>Fe</u>	bruary 28, 2021
Income Before Contributions (Brought Forward)	\$	1,950,804.07	\$	1,296,630.95
Capital Contributions		8,513.55		-
Change in Net Position		1,959,317.62		1,296,630.95
Net Position - Beginning		29,509,239.72		28,212,608.77
Net Position - End of Year: Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted (Deficit)	\$ \$ \$	42,914,636.58 2,918,179.52 (14,364,258.76)	\$ \$ \$	42,427,296.49 2,954,795.33 (15,872,852.10)

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

Comparative Statements of Cash Flows

For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

	<u>February 28, 2022</u>	<u>February 28, 2021</u>
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Receipts from Customers Receipts from Township Payments to Suppliers Payments to Employees Other Operating Receipts Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$ 5,838,397.26 1,490,450.00 (3,261,516.46) (2,353,927.61) 375,638.83 2,089,042.02	\$ 5,885,843.20 1,639,485.00 (3,015,060.79) (2,390,862.89) 417,539.49 2,536,944.01
CASH FLOWS FROM NONCAPITAL FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Contribution to Township of Gloucester - Municipal Appropriation Planning Escrow Activity	(249,500.00) 40,266.60	(248,700.00) 22,638.47
Cash Flows Used in Noncapital Financing Activities	(209,233.40)	(226,061.53)
CASH FLOWS FROM CAPITAL AND RELATED FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Capital Acquisitions Developer's Contributions - System Upgrades Excess Funds Transferred to Township Interest Earned on Investments - Reserved to Pay Debt Service Debt Service: Principal Interest Net Cash Used in Capital and Related Financing Activities	(758,574.18) 40,099.95 (275,560.48) 34,741.26 (764,677.71) (91,113.77) (1,815,084.93)	(881,848.42) 31,086.00 (300,932.37) 35,787.49 (755,050.15) (108,751.27) (1,979,708.72)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Interest on Investments	4,680.45	3,671.34
Net Increase in Cash and Cash Equivalents	69,404.14	334,845.10
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning	8,404,706.21	8,069,861.11
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Ending	\$ 8,474,110.35	\$ 8,404,706.21

Comparative Statements of Cash Flows

For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

	<u>February 28, 2022</u>		<u>February 28, 2021</u>	
RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING INCOME (LOSS) TO NET CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Operating Income	\$	2,386,528.77	\$	1,560,240.67
Adjustments to Reconcile Operating Income	•	, ,		, ,
to Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities:				
Depreciation		1,018,202.25		996,434.71
Pension Liability (Benefit) Expense		(627,650.00)		(74,768.00)
Other Postemployment Benefits Liability (Benefit) Expense		(235,519.34)		82,705.00
(Increase) Decrease in Consumer Accounts Receivable		(9,757.38)		(33,094.06)
(Increase) Decrease in Due from Township		(330,043.38)		(146,884.75)
(Increase) Decrease in Refunds Receivable		(14,813.97)		4,259.78
(Increase) Decrease in Other Accounts Receivable		(1,962.22)		(5,155.07)
(Increase) Decrease in Prepaid Expenses		(59,932.89)		(18,758.47)
(Increase) Decrease in Due from Township - Restricted for				
Debt Service		73,150.59		71,999.20
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable		(115,384.97)		49,661.21
Increase (Decrease) in Prepaid Rents		4,973.89		187,566.13
Increase (Decrease) in Unearned Revenue		44.65		168.82
Increase (Decrease) in Deferred Connection Fee Revenue		3,175.00		(84,700.00)
Increase (Decrease) in Accrued Liabilities		(300.97)		(27,338.20)
Increase (Decrease) in Reserve for Unemployment Claims		26,587.11		25,969.59
Increase (Decrease) in Compensated Absences Payable		(28,255.12)		(51,362.55)
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$	2,089,042.02	\$	2,536,944.01

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

Notes to Financial Statements For the Fiscal Years Ended February 28, 2022 and 2021

Note 1: SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority (the "Authority"), a component unit of the Township of Gloucester, in Camden County, New Jersey, have been prepared to conform with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("GAAP") as applied to governmental units. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles. The following is a summary of the more significant of these policies.

Reporting Entity

The Township of Gloucester (the "Township) is located in the western portion of the County of Camden, approximately fifteen miles southeast of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and fifty-nine miles south of Trenton, New Jersey, and is bounded by the Borough of Runnemede on the north, the Boroughs of Lindenwold, Stratford and Pine Hill on the east, Winslow Township on the south and Deptford Township on the west.

The Township, by ordinance dated October 6, 1958 and amended November 29, 1963, created the Gloucester Township Municipal Utilities Authority (the "Authority'). The Authority is organized under P.L. 1957 C.183 of the laws of the State of New Jersey (the Act). The Act grants power to every municipality of the State by means and through agency of a municipal utilities authority to acquire, construct, maintain, operate or improve works for the accumulation, supply or distribution of water and works for the collection, treatment, purification or disposal of sewage or other wastes. A seven-member board governs the Authority. The Township Council appoints members of the Board for five-year terms on a staggered basis. The members of the Board oversee the Authority's operations.

The Authority operates and maintains a sewage collection system within the municipal boundaries of the Township. The sewerage is then passed on to the Camden County Municipal Utilities Authority (CCMUA) system. The CCMUA in turn is responsible for the treatment of all waste materials.

The Authority bills and collects for its services from all customers and is entitled to a connection fee for new hook-ups.

Under its solid waste department, the Authority provides curbside recycling for the Township under an intralocal service agreement that is executed annually detailing the arrangements with the Township. In addition to its curbside recycling, the Authority collects grass and leaves throughout the Township and receives grass and leaves from other municipalities within the County at a compost facility that is operated and maintained by the Authority.

Basis of Presentation

The financial statements of the Authority have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America applicable to enterprise funds of State and Local Governments on a going concern basis. The focus of enterprise funds is the measurement of economic resources, that is, the determination of operating income, changes in net position (or cost recovery), financial position and cash flows. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") is the accepted standard setting body for establishing governmental accounting and financial reporting principles.

Basis of Presentation (Cont'd)

The Authority is a single enterprise fund and maintains its records on the accrual basis of accounting. Enterprise funds account for activities (i) that are financed with debt that is secured solely by a pledge of the net revenues from fees and charges of the activity; or (ii) that are required by law or regulations that the activity's cost of providing services, including capital cost (such as depreciation or debt service), be recovered with fees and charges, rather than with taxes or similar revenues; or (iii) that the pricing policies of the activity establish fees and charges designed to recover its costs, including capital costs (such as depreciation or debt service).

Under this method, revenues are recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when the related liability is incurred.

The transactions of the Authority are divided into two separate activities (sewer and solid waste) within the enterprise fund type. Each activity is accounted for by providing a separate set of self-balancing accounts that comprise its assets, deferred outflows of resources, liabilities, deferred inflow of resources, net position, revenues and expenses.

Basis of Accounting

Basis of accounting determines when transactions are recorded in the financial records and reported on the financial statements. Enterprise funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting.

Revenues -- Exchange and Non-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. Sewer and solid waste charges are recognized as revenue when services are provided. Connection fees are collected in advance and, accordingly, the Authority defers these revenues until the municipality issues a release for certificate of occupancy and determines that sewage collection services are being provided to the properties.

Non-exchange transactions, in which the Authority receives value without directly giving equal value in return, include grants, contributed capital, and donations. Revenue from grants, contributed capital, and donations is recognized in the fiscal year in which all eligibility requirements have been satisfied. Eligibility requirements include timing requirements, which specify the fiscal year when the resources are required to be used or the fiscal year when use is first permitted, matching requirements, in which the Authority must provide local resources to be used for a specified purpose, and expenditure requirements, in which the resources are provided to the Authority on a reimbursement basis.

Expenses - On the accrual basis of accounting, expenses are recognized at the time they are incurred.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting

The Authority must adopt an annual budget in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:31-2. N.J.A.C. 5:31-2 requires the governing body to introduce the annual Authority budget at least 60 days prior to the end of the current fiscal year and to adopt not later than the beginning of the Authority's fiscal year. The governing body may amend the budget at any point during the fiscal year. The budget is adopted on the accrual basis of accounting with provisions for cash payments for bond principal. Depreciation expense, loan premiums, deferred losses on refunding of debt, and the annual required contribution for the Authority's other postemployment benefits (OPEB) plan are not included in the budget appropriations.

The legal level of budgetary control is established at the detail shown on the comparative statements of revenues, expenses and changes in net position. All budget transfers and amendments to those accounts must be approved by resolution of the Authority as required by the Local Finance Board. Management may transfer among supplementary line items as long as the legal level line items are not affected. There are no statutory requirements that budgetary line items not be over-expended. The Authority did not adopt an amending budget resolution during the fiscal year.

Budgets and Budgetary Accounting (Cont'd)

The Authority records encumbrances. An encumbrance represents a commitment related to unperformed contracts for goods or services. The issuance of a purchase order or the signing of a contract would create an encumbrance. The encumbrance does not represent an expenditure for the period, only a commitment to expend resources. At fiscal year-end, the accounting records are adjusted to record only expenses in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Cash, Cash Equivalents and Investments

Cash and cash equivalents include petty cash, change funds and cash in banks and all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase and are stated at cost plus accrued interest. Such is the definition of cash and cash equivalents used in the statement of cash flows. U.S. treasury and agency obligations and certificates of deposit with maturities of one year or less when purchased are stated at cost. All other investments are stated at fair value.

New Jersey governmental units are required by N.J.S.A. 40A:5-14 to deposit public funds in a bank or trust company having its place of business in the State of New Jersey and organized under the laws of the United States or of the State of New Jersey or in the New Jersey Cash Management Fund. N.J.S.A. 40A:5-15.1 provides a list of investments which may be purchased by New Jersey governmental units. These permissible investments generally include bonds or other obligations of the United States of America or obligations guaranteed by the United States of America, government money market mutual funds, any obligation that a federal agency or a federal instrumentality has issued in accordance with an act of Congress, bonds or other obligations of the local unit or bonds or other obligations of school district of which the local unit is a part or within which the school district is located, bonds or other obligations approved by the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs for investment by local units, local government investment pools, deposits with the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund, and agreements for the purchase of fully collateralized securities with certain provisions. In addition, other State statutes permit investments in obligations issued by local authorities and other state agencies.

N.J.S.A. 17:9-41 et seq. establishes the requirements for the security of deposits of governmental units. The statute requires that no governmental unit shall deposit public funds in a public depository unless such funds are secured in accordance with the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"), a multiple financial institutional collateral pool, which was enacted in 1970 to protect governmental units from a loss of funds on deposit with a failed banking institution in New Jersey. Public depositories include State or federally chartered banks, savings banks or associations located in or having a branch office in the State of New Jersey, the deposits of which are federally insured. All public depositories must pledge collateral, having a market value at least equal to five percent of the average daily balance of collected public funds, to secure the deposits of governmental units. If a public depository fails, the collateral it has pledged, plus the collateral of all other public depositories, is available to pay the amount of their deposits to the governmental units.

Additionally, the Authority has adopted a cash management plan which requires it to deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act. In lieu of designating a depository, the cash management plan may provide that the local unit make deposits with the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund.

Inventories

Inventories are valued at cost, which approximates market. The costs are determined on a first-in, first-out method. Inventories are recorded as expenses when consumed rather than when purchased. The Authority has determined that no significant inventory existed as of February 28, 2022 and 2021.

Prepaid Expenses

Prepaid expenses recorded on the financial statements represent payments made to vendors for services that will benefit periods beyond the applicable fiscal year end.

Capital Assets

Capital assets primarily consist of expenditures to acquire, construct, place in operation and improve the facilities of the Authority. Assets are stated at actual cost or estimated cost. Donated capital assets are recorded at acquisition value as of the date received.

Expenditures, which enhance the asset or significantly extend the useful life of the asset are considered improvements and are added to the capital asset's currently capitalized cost. The cost of normal repairs and maintenance are not capitalized. Costs incurred during construction of an asset are recorded as construction in progress. In the fiscal year that the project is completed, these costs are transferred to capital assets - completed.

Expenditures are capitalized when they meet the following requirements:

- 1) capitalize cost of \$1,000.00 or more
- 2) capitalize useful life of more than one year
- 3) Asset is not affected by consumption

Depreciation

Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over the following estimated useful life of the assets:

Description	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	30-40
Major Movable Equipment	5-20
Vehicles	7
Infrastructure	40

Loan Premiums

Loan premiums arising from the issuance of long-term debt (loans) are amortized over the life of the loans, in a systematic and rational method, from the issue date to maturity as a component of interest expense. Loan premiums are presented as an adjustment of the face amount on the loans.

Deferred Outflows and Deferred Inflows of Resources

The comparative statements of net position reports separate sections for deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources. Deferred outflows of resources, reported after total assets, represents a reduction of net position that applies to a future period(s) and will be recognized as an outflow of resources (expense) at that time. Deferred inflows of resources, reported after total liabilities, represents an acquisition of net position that applies to a future period(s) and will be recognized as an inflow of resources (revenue) at that time.

Transactions are classified as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources only when specifically prescribed by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) standards. The Authority is required to report the following as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources: loss on refunding of the Authority's 2008 New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust loan by the Trust, connection fees received prior to providing sewer services, defined benefit pension plans, and postemployment benefit plans (OPEB).

Compensated Absences

Compensated absences are those absences for which employees will be paid, such as vacation, sick leave, and sabbatical leave. A liability for compensated absences that are attributable to services already rendered, and that are not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the Authority and its employees, is accrued as the employees earn the rights to the benefits. Compensated absences that relate to future services, or that are contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the Authority and its employees, are accounted for in the period in which such services are rendered or in which such events take place.

Unearned Revenue

Unearned revenue arises when assets are recognized before revenue recognition criteria have been satisfied and is recorded as a liability until the revenue is both measurable and the Authority is eligible to realize the revenue.

Pensions

For purposes of measuring the net pension liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions, and pension (benefit) expense, information about the fiduciary net position of the Public Employees' Retirement System ("PERS") and additions to/deductions from PERS' fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the plans. For this purpose, benefit payments (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions (OPEB) - State Health Benefits Local Government Retired Employees Plan

For purposes of measuring the net OPEB liability, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB, and OPEB (benefit) expense, information about the respective fiduciary net position of the State Health Benefits Local Government Retired Employees Plan (the Plan) and additions to/deductions from the Plan's respective fiduciary net position have been determined on the same basis as they are reported by the Plan. Accordingly, contributions (including refunds of employee contributions) are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the benefit terms. Investments are reported at fair value.

Net Position

Net position represents the difference between the summation of assets and deferred outflows of resources, and the summation of liabilities and deferred inflows of resources. Net position is classified into the following three components:

Net Investment in Capital Assets - This component represents capital assets, net of accumulated depreciation or amortization of intangible capital assets, net of outstanding balances of borrowings used for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of those assets.

Restricted - Net position is reported as restricted when there are limitations imposed on their use either through the enabling legislation adopted by the Authority or through external restrictions imposed by creditors, grantors or laws or regulations of other governments.

Unrestricted - Net position is reported as unrestricted when it does not meet the criteria of the other two components of net position.

Income Taxes

The Authority operates as defined by the Internal Revenue Code Section 115 and appropriately is exempt from income taxes under Section 115.

Operating and Nonoperating Revenues and Expenses

Operating revenues include all revenues derived from facility charges (i.e., sewer service, connection fees and solid waste revenues) and other revenue sources. Nonoperating revenues principally consist of interest income earned on various interest-bearing accounts, net unemployment claims and deposits for system improvements.

Operating expenses include expenses associated with the operation, maintenance and repair of the sewer system, solid waste operations and general administrative expenses. Nonoperating expenses principally include expenses attributable to the Authority's interest on funded debt and amounts payable to the Township of Gloucester.

Accounting Estimates

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

Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

The GASB has issued the following Statements which will become effective in future fiscal years as indicated below:

Statement No. 87, *Leases*. The objective of this Statement is to better meet the information needs of financial statement users by improving accounting and financial reporting for leases by governments. This Statement increases the usefulness of governments' financial statements by requiring recognition of certain lease assets and liabilities for leases that previously were classified as operating leases and recognized as inflows of resources or outflows of resources based on the payment provisions of the contract. This Statement originally would have become effective for the Authority in the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021, but as a result of GASB Statement 95 will become effective in the fiscal year ending February 28, 2023. Management has not yet determined the impact of this Statement on the financial statements.

Note 2: STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Compliance with Finance Related Legal and Contractual Provisions

Management of the Authority is unaware of any material violations of finance related legal and contractual provisions.

General Bond Resolution

The Authority is subject to the provisions and restrictions of the 1993 Bond Resolution. A summary of the activities of each account created by the Bond Resolution is covered as follows:

Revenue Account - All revenues collected by the Authority are required to be deposited in the Revenue Account. A balance equal to an amount for operating expenses for the ensuing three months is maintained in the Revenue Account. In each quarter commencing with February 15th of each year, the Trustee to the extent that monies are available, is required to transfer or credit to the following accounts: Operating, Sinking/Debt Service, Debt Service Reserve and Renewal and Replacement.

Note 2: STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY (CONT'D)

General Bond Resolution (Cont'd)

Debt Service Account - This fund is maintained to pay maturing interest and principal on the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans of the Authority. On or before February 15, May 15, August 15, and November 15 amounts equal to a pro rata portion of the Debt Service Requirement for the immediately ensuing Interest Payment Date plus a pro rata portion of the amount necessary to pay the maturing Loan principal should be deposited from the Revenue Account into this Account.

Debt Service Reserve Account - The amount of funds on deposit must be maintained at a level equal to the maximum annual debt service outstanding. As of February 28, 2022 and in accordance with the Authority's bond resolution, the Authority has no funds restricted and deposited with the Authority's trustee. Debt service reserve requirements for the Authority's outstanding loans are detailed in the following paragraph.

Funding of the debt service reserve requirement for the 2004 New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Loans has been provided by the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust. The debt service reserve fund contribution for the 2004 Ioan was \$178,776.61. These funds were deposited with an agent for the Trust and will be returned to the Trust upon maturity of the Ioans. The 2008 Ioan (refunded by the 2016 Ioan), 2010 Ioan, and 2017 Ioan were issued as subordinate debt under the General Bond Resolution and shall be payable out of and secured by a subordinate pledge of gross revenues, and there was no deposit required into the Debt Service Reserve Fund.

Renewal and Replacement Account - All excess funds of the Authority are recorded in the Renewal and Replacement account. Amounts may be withdrawn from this account for costs necessary with respect to the System for major repairs, renewals, replacements or maintenance items of a type not recurring annually or at shorter intervals. Funds on deposit must be equal to the System Reserve Requirement, currently established at \$500,000.00. The System Reserve Requirement is established by the Consulting Engineer's Certificate most recently filed with the Trustee or five percent of the Gross Revenues set forth in the Authority's then-current budget.

Construction Account - The Construction account is designated as depository for moneys from any source including proceeds from the sale of additional bonds for the construction or acquisition to the system. All moneys in the Construction account are pledged to secure the principal or redemption price and interest on the Bonds. Currently, there is no balance or required balance for the Construction Account.

Rebate Account - This account was established for the purpose of paying to the United States any rebatable arbitrage. All amounts in this account shall be held by the Trustee free and clear of any liens created by the Bond resolution. Currently, there is no balance or required balance for the rebate account.

Other Restricted Accounts

In addition to those accounts required by the trust indentures, an escrow fund and an unemployment trust account are maintained to hold monies that are being held in trust for others.

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Note 2: STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE, AND ACCOUNTABILITY (CONT'D)

Debt Service Coverage

Section 6.10 of the 1993 Bond Resolution requires certain ratios of Net Revenues to Debt Service. Compliance with this covenant is calculated as follows:

	Bond Year Ending March 1,		
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>	
1993 Revenue Bond Resolution:			
Operating Revenue Interest Revenue	\$ 7,944,756.16 4,680.45	\$ 7,945,374.02 3,961.89	
Total Revenues	7,949,436.61	7,949,335.91	
Operating Expenses: Administration Cost of Providing Services	1,012,792.16 3,506,449.88	1,222,289.01 3,700,351.99	
Total Operating Expenses	4,519,242.04	4,922,641.00	
Net Revenues	3,430,194.57	3,026,694.91	
110% of Current Fiscal Year's Annual Debt Service Requirement: Annual Debt Service Percentage	819,317.52 110%	825,487.46 110%	
	901,249.27	908,036.21	
Excess of Revenues	\$ 2,528,945.30	\$ 2,118,658.70	
Percentage of Net Revenues to Debt Service	419%	366%	

The ratio for bond years ending March 1, 2022 and 2021 meets the required debt service coverage of 110% required under the 1993 Bond Resolution. The bond years ending March 1, 2022 and 2021 include the Authority's New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Loans.

Note 3: DETAIL NOTES - ASSETS

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Custodial Credit Risk Related to Deposits - Custodial credit risk is the risk that, in the event of a bank failure, the Authority's deposits might not be recovered. Although the Authority does not have a formal policy regarding custodial credit risk, N.J.S.A. 17:9-41 et seq. requires that governmental units shall deposit public funds in public depositories protected from loss under the provisions of the Governmental Unit Deposit Protection Act ("GUDPA"). Under the Act, the first \$250,000.00 of governmental deposits in each insured depository is protected by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC"). Public funds owned by the Authority in excess of FDIC insured amounts are protected by GUDPA. However, GUDPA does not protect intermingled agency funds such as salary withholdings or funds that may pass to the Authority relative to the happening of a future condition. Such funds are classified as uninsured and uncollateralized.

Note 3: DETAIL NOTES - ASSETS (CONT'D)

Cash and Cash Equivalents (Cont'd)

Custodial Credit Risk Related to Deposits (Cont'd) - As of February 28, 2022 and 2021, the Authority's bank balances were exposed to custodial credit risk as follows:

	<u>Feb. 28, 2022</u>	<u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>	
Insured by FDIC Insured by GUDPA Uninsured and Uncollateralized	\$ 500,000.00 8,000,278.31 <u>55,561.38</u>	\$ 500,000.00 7,997,352.24 51,460.85	
Total Bank Balance	<u>\$ 8,555,839.69</u>	<u>\$ 8,548,813.09</u>	

Service Fees

The following is a three-year comparison of service charge billings and collections for all types of accounts maintained by the Authority:

Fiscal <u>Year</u>	Beginning <u>Balance</u>	Billings	Total <u>Collections</u>	Percentage of <u>Collections</u>
2022	\$376,949.42	\$5,496,783.82	\$5,487,026.44	93.42%
2021	343,855.36	5,458,789.18	5,425,695.12	93.50%
2020	373,528.90	5,457,266.38	5,486,939.92	94.10%

Capital Assets

During the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022, the following changes in capital assets occurred:

	Balance <u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>	Additions	<u>Disposals</u>	Balance <u>Feb. 28, 2022</u>
Capital Assets not being Depreciated:	¢ 404 015 59			¢ 404.015.59
Land	\$ 494,015.58			\$ 494,015.58
Capital Assets Being Depreciated:				
Buildings and Improvements	2,523,969.46	\$ 9,250.00		2,533,219.46
Moveable Equipment	2,161,961.02	6,408.27		2,168,369.29
Vehicles	2,265,623.47			2,265,623.47
Infrastructure	65,362,819.83	374,338.41	\$ 16,008.30	65,721,149.94
Total Capital Assets being Depreciated	72,314,373.78	389,996.68	16,008.30	72,688,362.16
Total Capital Assets	72,808,389.36	389,996.68	16,008.30	73,182,377.74
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	26,751,920.25	1,018,202.25	14,407.50	27,755,715.00
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 46,056,469.11	\$ (628,205.57)	\$ 1,600.80	\$ 45,426,662.74

Note 3: DETAIL NOTES - ASSETS (CONT'D)

Capital Assets (Cont'd)

During the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021, the following changes in capital assets occurred:

	Balance <u>Feb. 29, 2020</u>	Additions	<u>Disposals</u>	Balance <u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>
Capital Assets Not Being Depreciated:	¢ 404.045.50			¢ 404.045.50
Land	\$ 494,015.58			\$ 494,015.58
Capital Assets Being Depreciated:				
Buildings and Improvements	2,523,969.46			2,523,969.46
Moveable Equipment	2,114,995.73	\$ 46,965.29		2,161,961.02
Vehicles	1,784,944.16	659,993.58	\$ 179,314.27	2,265,623.47
Infrastructure	64,617,249.90	746,991.61	1,421.68	65,362,819.83
Total Capital Assets being Depreciated	71,041,159.25	1,453,950.48	180,735.95	72,314,373.78
Total Capital Assets	71,535,174.83	1,453,950.48	180,735.95	72,808,389.36
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	25,918,147.90	996,434.71	162,662.36	26,751,920.25
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 45,617,026.93	\$ 457,515.77	\$ 18,073.59	\$ 46,056,469.11
Buildings and Improvements Moveable Equipment Vehicles Infrastructure Total Capital Assets being Depreciated Total Capital Assets Less: Accumulated Depreciation	2,114,995.73 1,784,944.16 64,617,249.90 71,041,159.25 71,535,174.83 25,918,147.90	659,993.58 746,991.61 1,453,950.48 1,453,950.48 996,434.71	1,421.68 180,735.95 180,735.95 162,662.36	2,161,961 2,265,623 65,362,819 72,314,373 72,808,389 26,751,920

Note 4: DETAIL NOTES - LIABILITIES

Long-term Liabilities

During the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022, the following changes occurred in long-term obligations:

	<u> </u>	Balance Feb. 28, 2021		Additions	<u>Reductions</u>	ļ	Balance Feb. 28, 2022	Oue Within One Year
Loans Payable:								
NJEIT Loans	\$	5,011,732.12			\$ (764,677.71)	\$	4,247,054.41	\$ 638,696.68
Premiums		186,170.96			 (22,248.89)		163,922.06	
Total Loans Payable		5,197,903.08			 (786,926.60)		4,410,976.47	 638,696.68
Other Liabilities:								
Net Pension Liability		4,491,028.00	\$	2,126,297.00	(3,512,485.00)		3,104,840.00	
Net OPEB Obligation		10,677,689.00		8,322,813.00	(7,970,850.00)		11,029,652.00	
Accrued Liabilities -								
Related to Pension		200,848.00		204,625.00	(200,848.00)		204,625.00	
Compensated Absences Payable		143,886.65		5,995.18	(34,250.30)		115,631.53	33,432.90
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Total Other Liabilities		15,513,451.65		10,659,730.18	 (11,718,433.30)		14,454,748.53	 33,432.90
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$	20,711,354.73	\$	10,659,730.18	\$ (12,505,359.90)	\$	18,865,725.00	\$ 672,129.58
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$	20,711,354.73	\$	10,659,730.18	\$ (12,505,359.90)	\$	18,865,725.00	\$ 672,129.58

Long-term Liabilities (Cont'd)

During the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021, the following changes occurred in long-term obligations:

	Balance <u>Feb. 29, 2020</u>	Additions	<u>Reductions</u>	Balance <u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>	Due Within <u>One Year</u>
Loans Payable: NJEIT Loans	\$ 5,766,782.2		\$ (755,050.15)	\$ 5,011,732.12	\$ 764,677.71
Premiums	208,419.8	4	(22,248.88)	186,170.96	<u> </u>
Total Loans Payable	5,975,202.1	1	(777,299.03)	5,197,903.08	764,677.71
Other Liabilities:					
Net Pension Liability	4,671,646.0	0 \$ 3,119,988.00	(3,300,606.00)	4,491,028.00	
Net OPEB Obligation	7,903,093.0	0 8,864,746.35	(6,090,150.35)	10,677,689.00	
Accrued Liabilities -					
Related to Pension	168,129.0	0 200,848.00	(168,129.00)	200,848.00	
Compensated Absences Payable	195,249.2	5,986.67	(57,349.22)	143,886.65	39,428.08
Total Other Liabilities	12,938,117.2	0 12,191,569.02	(9,616,234.57)	15,513,451.65	39,428.08
Total Long-Term Liabilities	\$ 18,913,319.3	1 \$ 12,191,569.02	\$ (10,393,533.60)	\$ 20,711,354.73	\$ 804,105.79

Compensated Absences Payable

The Authority accounts for compensated absences (e.g., unused vacation, sick leave) as directed by Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 16, *Accounting for Compensated Absences*. A liability for compensated absences attributable to services already rendered and not contingent on a specific event that is outside the control of the employer and employee is accrued as employees earn the rights to the benefits.

Authority employees are entitled to fifteen (15) paid sick leave days each year. Unused sick leave may be accumulated and carried forward to subsequent years, up to a maximum of forty-five (45) days. Vacation days not used during the year may not be accumulated and carried forward; however, employees have until March 31 of the succeeding year to use any unused vacation days from the prior year. Authority employees are permitted to sell back a maximum of fifteen sick days a year. Upon separation in good standing or retirement from the Authority, the employee may sell back up to forty-five accumulated sick days at the time of departure or retirement. Any employee hired after March 1, 2010 shall be limited to thirty (30) days upon separation of service or retirement. The payout at the time of separation or retirement shall be paid at the salary level in effect for the employee at that time.

Authority employees are also entitled to compensatory time, which is defined as paid time away from the job that is earned and accrued by an employee in lieu of cash payment for overtime, which is accrued at the rate of no less than one and one half hours of compensatory time for each hour of overtime worked. Accrued compensatory time can be paid out at time of good separation or retirement from Authority. Employees cannot accrue more than 240 hours of compensatory time, and any employee engaged in public safety activity, emergency response activity, or seasonal activity cannot accrue more than 480 hours of compensatory time and compensatory time at February 28, 2022 and 2021 is estimated at \$115,631.53 and \$143,886.65, respectively.

New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans

2001A Loan - In November 2001, the Authority closed on loans from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust totaling \$1,095,000.00 from the Trust and \$1,095,500.00 from the Fund. The loan proceeds were used to fund a sewer system rehabilitation project. As of February 28, 2022, the Authority has drawn all of these funds.

The Fund Loan is a non-interest bearing loan with the first semi-annual principal payment paid August 1, 2003. The Trust Loan carries rates from 4.00% to 5.50%. Both loans matured on August 1, 2021.

2004A Loan - In November 2004, the Authority closed on loans from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust totaling \$2,110,000.00 from the Trust and \$2,069,790.00 from the Fund. The loan proceeds were used to fund the continuation of a sewer system rehabilitation project. As of February 28, 2022, the Authority has drawn all of these funds.

The Fund Loan is a non-interest bearing loan with its semi-annual principal payment due August 1 and February 1. The Trust Loan carries rates from 3.00% to 5.00%. Both loans have a final maturity of August 1, 2024.

2008A Loan - In November 2008, the Authority closed on loans from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust totaling \$1,960,000.00 from the Trust (subsequently refunded by the 2016A Refunding Loan) and \$1,937,488.00 from the Fund. The loan proceeds were used to fund the continuation of a sewer system rehabilitation project, construct a new administration building and provide equipment for its composting facility. As of February 28, 2021, the Authority has drawn all of these funds.

The Fund Loan is a non-interest bearing loan with its semi-annual principal payment due August 1 and February 1. The Trust Loan carries rates from 5.00% to 5.50%. Both loans have a final maturity of August 1, 2028

2010A Loan - In November 2010, the Authority closed on loans from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust totaling \$540,000.00 from the Trust and \$1,653,750.00 from the Fund. The loan proceeds were used to fund the continuation of a sewer system rehabilitation project. As of February 28, 2022, the Authority has drawn down \$2,142,933.69. The loan proceeds not drawn by the Authority, totaling \$50,816.31, were de-obligated by the Trust and as a result, the corresponding receivable was canceled in fiscal year 2017.

The Fund Loan is a non-interest bearing loan with its semi-annual principal payment due August 1 and February 1. The Trust Loan carries rates from 3.00% to 5.00%. Both loans have a final maturity of August 1, 2029.

2016A Refunding Loan - In May 2016, the Authority closed on a refunding loan from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust totaling \$1,132,000.00 from the Trust. The loan proceeds are being used to refund \$1,260,000.00 of the Authority's 2008 Trust Loan. The Authority receives "savings credits" that offset future principal and interest payments.

The Trust Loan carries rates from 4.25% to 4.75% with its semi-annual principal and interest payments due August 1 and February 1. The loan has a final maturity of August 1, 2028.

2017A Loan - In May 2017, the Authority closed on loans from the New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust totaling \$320,000.00 from the Trust and \$975,000.00 from the Fund. The loan proceeds were used to fund the continuation of a sewer system rehabilitation project. As of February 28, 2022, the Authority has drawn down all of these funds.

The Fund Loan is a non-interest bearing loan with its semi-annual principal payment due August 1 and February 1. The Trust Loan carries rates from 3.00% to 5.00%. Both loans have a final maturity of August 1, 2036.

New Jersey Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans (Cont'd)

The following schedule reflects the Debt Service Requirements for the Authority's N.J.E.I.T. Loans until 2037.

Bond Year Ending <u>March 1,</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>	<u>Total</u>
2023	\$ 638,696.68	\$ 74,945.02	\$ 713,641.70
2024	645,481.81	60,651.27	706,133.08
2025	672,585.55	46,098.14	718,683.69
2026	401,952.89	34,413.76	436,366.65
2027	404,817.23	26,663.76	431,480.99
2028	415,482.85	19,073.76	434,556.61
2029	426,893.14	10,951.26	437,844.40
2030	165,635.64	5,668.76	171,304.40
2031	69,576.26	4,268.76	73,845.02
2032	69,576.26	3,668.76	73,245.02
2033	69,576.26	3,068.76	72,645.02
2034	69,576.26	2,456.26	72,032.52
2035	69,576.26	1,818.76	71,395.02
2036	69,576.26	1,168.76	70,745.02
2037	 58,051.06	421.88	58,472.94
	4,247,054.41	\$ 295,337.67	\$ 4,542,392.08
Premium	163,922.06		
Current Portion	 (638,696.68)		
Long-Term	\$ 3,772,279.79		

Net Pension Liability

The Authority's annual required contribution to the Public Employees' Retirement System is budgeted and paid on an annual basis.

Net OPEB Liability

The Authority's contributions to the postemployment benefits plan are budgeted and paid as they are due.

PENSION PLANS

A substantial number of the Authority's employees participate in the following defined benefit pension plan: the Public Employees' Retirement System ("PERS"), which is administered by the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits. In addition, several Authority employees participate in the Defined Contribution Retirement Program ("DCRP"), which is a defined contribution pension plan. This Plan is administered by Empower (formerly Prudential Financial) for the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits. Each Plan has a Board of Trustees that is primarily responsible for its administration. The Division issues a publicly available financial report that includes financial statements, required supplementary information and detailed information about the PERS plan's fiduciary net position which can be obtained by writing to or at the following website:

State of New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits P.O. Box 295 Trenton, New Jersey 08625-0295 https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml

General Information about the Pension Plans

Plan Descriptions

Public Employees' Retirement System - The Public Employees' Retirement System is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan, which was established as of January 1, 1955, under the provisions of N.J.S.A. 43:15A. The PERS' designated purpose is to provide retirement, death, disability and medical benefits to certain qualified members. Membership in the PERS is mandatory for substantially all full-time employees of the Authority, provided the employee is not required to be a member of another state-administered retirement system or other state pensions fund or local jurisdiction's pension fund. The PERS' Board of Trustees is primarily responsible for the administration of the PERS.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program - The Defined Contribution Retirement Program is a multiple-employer defined contribution pension fund established on July 1, 2007 under the provisions of P.L. 2007, c. 92 and P.L. 2007, c. 103, and expanded under the provisions of P.L. 2008, c. 89 and P.L. 2010, c. 1. The DCRP is a tax-qualified defined contribution money purchase pension plan under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) § 401(a) et seq., and is a "governmental plan" within the meaning of IRC § 414(d). The DCRP provides retirement benefits for eligible employees and their beneficiaries. Individuals covered under DCRP are employees enrolled in PERS on or after July 1, 2007, who earn salary in excess of established "maximum compensation" limits; employees enrolled in New Jersey State Police Retirement System (SPRS) or the Police and Firemen's Retirement System (PFRS) after May 21, 2010, who earn salary in excess of established "maximum compensation" limits; employees otherwise eligible to enroll in PERS on or after November 2, 2008, who do not earn the minimum annual salary for tier 3 enrollment but who earn salary of at least \$5,000.00 annually; and employees otherwise eligible to enroll in PERS after May 21, 2010 who do not work the minimum number of hours per week required for tiers 4 or 5 enrollment, but who earn salary of at least \$5,000.00 annually.

Vesting and Benefit Provisions

Public Employees' Retirement System - The vesting and benefit provisions are set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A. PERS provides retirement, death and disability benefits. All benefits vest after ten years of service.

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

General Information about the Pension Plans (Cont'd)

Vesting and Benefit Provisions (Cont'd)

Public Employees' Retirement System (Cont'd) - The following represents the membership tiers for PERS:

Tier Definition

- 1 Members who were enrolled prior to July 1, 2007
- 2 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after July 1, 2007 and prior to November 2, 2008
- 3 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after November 2, 2008 and prior to May 22, 2010
- 4 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after May 22, 2010 and prior to June 28, 2011
- 5 Members who were eligible to enroll on or after June 28, 2011

Service retirement benefits of 1/55th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tiers 1 and 2 members upon reaching age 60 and to tier 3 members upon reaching age 62. Service retirement benefits of 1/60th of final average salary for each year of service credit is available to tier 4 members upon reaching age 62 and tier 5 members upon reaching age 65. Early retirement benefits are available to tiers 1 and 2 members before reaching age 60, tiers 3 and 4 with 25 years or more of service credit before age 62, and tier 5 with 30 or more years of service credit before age 65. Benefits are reduced by a fraction of a percent for each month that a member retires prior to the age at which a member can receive full early retirement benefits in accordance with their respective tier. Tier 1 members can receive an unreduced benefit from age 55 to age 60 if they have at least 25 years of service. Deferred retirement is available to members who have at least 10 years of service credit and have not reached the service retirement age for the respective tier.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program - Eligible members are provided with a defined contribution retirement plan intended to qualify for favorable Federal income tax treatment under IRC Section 401(a), a noncontributory group life insurance plan and a noncontributory group disability benefit plan. A participant's interest in that portion of his or her defined contribution retirement plan account attributable to employee contributions shall immediately become and shall at all times remain fully vested and non-forfeitable. A participant's interest in that portion of his or her defined contribution retirement plan account attributable to employer contributions shall be vested and non-forfeitable on the date the participant commences the second year of employment or upon his or her attainment of age 65, while employed by an employer, whichever occurs first.

Contributions

Public Employees' Retirement System - The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15A and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. Pursuant to the provisions of P.L. 2011, C. 78, the member contribution rate is currently 7.50% of base salary, effective July 1, 2018. The rate for members who are eligible for the Prosecutors Part of PERS (P.L. 2001, C. 366) is 10.0%. Employers' contributions are based on an actuarially determined amount, which includes the normal cost and unfunded accrued liability.

The Authority's contractually required contribution rate for the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021 was 15.71% and 15.72% of the Authority's covered payroll. This amount was actuarially determined as the amount that, when combined with employee contributions, is expected to finance the costs of benefits earned by employees during the year, including an additional amount to finance any unfunded accrued liability.

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

General Information about the Pension Plans (Cont'd)

Contributions (Cont'd)

Public Employees' Retirement System (Cont'd) - Based on the most recent PERS measurement date of June 30, 2021, the Authority's contractually required contribution to the pension plan for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022 was \$306,937.00, and was payable by April 1, 2022. For the prior year measurement date of June 30, 2020, the Authority's contractually required contribution to the pension plan for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021 was \$301,272.00, and was paid by April 1, 2021.

Employee contributions to the Plan for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022 and 2021 were \$150,418.42 and \$144,996.60, respectively.

Defined Contribution Retirement Program - The contribution policy is set by N.J.S.A. 43:15C-3 and requires contributions by active members and contributing employers. In accordance with Chapter 92, P.L. 2007 and Chapter 103, P.L. 2007, Plan members are required to contribute 5.5% of their annual covered salary. In addition to the employee contributions, the Authority contributes 3% of the employees' base salary, for each pay period.

There were no employee contributions for the fiscal year ended February 28, 2022. For the fiscal year ended February 28, 2021, employee contributions totaled \$99.70. The Authority recognized pension expense of \$73.40 for the fiscal year February 28, 2021, which equaled the required contributions. There were no forfeitures during the fiscal years.

Pension Liabilities, Pension (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to the Public Employees' Retirement System

Pension Liability - As of February 28, 2022, the Authority's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability was \$3,104,840.00. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2021 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020. The total pension liability was calculated through the use of updated procedures to roll forward from the actuarial valuation date to the measurement date of June 30, 2021. The Authority's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Authority's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined. For the June 30, 2021 measurement date, the Authority's proportion was 0.0262089273%, which was a decrease of 0.0013309164% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2020.

As of February 28, 2021, the Authority's proportionate share of the PERS net pension liability was \$4,491,028.00. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2020 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2019. The total pension liability was calculated through the use of updated procedures to roll forward from the actuarial valuation date to the measurement date of June 30, 2020. The Authority's proportion of the net pension liability was based on a projection of the Authority's long-term share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the projected contributions of all participating employers, actuarially determined. For the June 30, 2020 measurement date, the Authority's proportion was 0.0275398437%, which was an increase of 0.0016128785% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2019.

Pension (Benefit) Expense - For the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, the Authority recognized its proportionate share of the PERS pension (benefit) expense of (\$326,379.00) and \$177,434.00, respectively. These amounts were based on the Plan's June 30, 2021 and 2020 measurement dates, respectively.

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

Pension Liabilities, Pension (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to the Public Employees' Retirement System (Cont'd)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources - At February 28, 2022 and 2021, the Authority had deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions from the following sources:

	February 28, 2022 Measurement Date June 30, 2021					February 28, 2021 Measurement Date June 30, 2020			
	C	Deferred Outflows of Resources		Deferred Inflows of Resources		Deferred Outflows of Resources		Deferred Inflows of Resources	
Differences between Expected and Actual Experience	\$	48,967.00	\$	22,227.00	\$	81,774.00	\$	15,882.00	
Changes of Assumptions		16,170.00		1,105,343.00		145,694.00		1,880,436.00	
Net Difference between Projected and Actual Earnings on Pension Plan Investments		-		817,897.00		153,507.00		-	
Changes in Proportion and Differences between Authority Contributions and Proportionate Share of Contributions		330,521.00		344,324.00		534,783.00		160,700.00	
Authority Contributions Subsequent to the Measurement Date		204,625.00		-		200,848.00		-	
	\$	600,283.00	\$	2,289,791.00	\$	1,116,606.00	\$	2,057,018.00	

Deferred outflows of resources in the amounts of \$204,625.00 and \$200,848.00 will be / has been included as a reduction of the net pension liability during the fiscal years ending February 28, 2023 and 2022, respectively. These amounts are based on an estimated April 1, 2023 and April 1, 2022 contractually required contribution, prorated from the pension plan's measurement date of June 30, 2021 and 2020 to the Authority's fiscal year end of February 28, 2022 and 2021.

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

Pension Liabilities, Pension (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to the Public Employees' Retirement System (Cont'd)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources (Cont'd) - The Authority will amortize the other deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions over the following number of years:

	Deferred Outflows of Resources	Deferred Inflows of Resources
Differences between Expected	<u></u>	<u></u>
and Actual Experience		
Year of Pension Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2014	-	-
June 30, 2015	5.72	-
June 30, 2016	5.57	-
June 30, 2017	5.48	-
June 30, 2018	-	5.63
June 30, 2019	-	5.21
June 30, 2020	5.16	-
June 30, 2021	5.13	-
Net Difference between Projected		
and Actual Earnings on Pension		
Plan Investments		
Year of Pension Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2014	-	-
June 30, 2015	-	-
June 30, 2016	5.00	-
June 30, 2017 June 30, 2018	5.00 5.00	-
June 30, 2019	5.00	-
June 30, 2019	5.00	-
June 30, 2021	5.00	-
Changes of Assumptions		
Year of Pension Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2014	6.44	-
June 30, 2015	5.72	-
June 30, 2016	5.57	-
June 30, 2017	-	5.48
June 30, 2018	-	5.63
June 30, 2019	-	5.21
June 30, 2020	-	5.16
June 30, 2021	5.13	-
Changes in Proportion and Differences between Authority Contributions and Proportionate Share of Contributions		
Year of Pension Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2014	6.44	6.44
June 30, 2015	5.72	5.72
June 30, 2016 June 30, 2017	5.57 5.48	5.57 5.48
June 30, 2018	5.63	5.63
June 30, 2019	5.21	5.21
June 30, 2019	5.16	5.16
June 30, 2021	5.13	5.13

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

Pension Liabilities, Pension (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to the Public Employees' Retirement System (Cont'd)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources (Cont'd) - Other amounts included as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to pensions will be recognized in future periods as follows:

Fiscal Year Ending <u>February 28,</u>	
2023	\$ (687,949.00)
2024	(532,137.00)
2025	(353,375.00)
2026	(313,418.00)
2027	(7,254.00)
	\$ (1,894,133.00)

Actuarial Assumptions

The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020 and 2019. The total pension liability was calculated through the use of updated procedures to roll forward from the actuarial valuation date to the measurement date of June 30, 2021 and 2020. This actuarial valuation used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

	Measurement Date June 30, 2021	Measurement Date June 30, 2020
Inflation Rate:		
Price	2.75%	2.75%
Wage	3.25%	3.25%
Salary Increases:		
Through 2026	2.00% - 6.00%	2.00% - 6.00%
	Based on Years of Service	Based on Years of Service
Thereafter	3.00% - 7.00%	3.00% - 7.00%
	Based on Years of Service	Based on Years of Service
Investment Rate of Return	7.00%	7.00%
Period of Actuarial Experience Study upon which Actuarial		
Assumptions were Based	July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2018	July 1, 2014 - June 30, 2018

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

Actuarial Assumptions (Cont'd)

For the June 30, 2021 measurement date, pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee mortality table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis.

For the June 30, 2020 measurement date, pre-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Employee mortality table with an 82.2% adjustment for males and 101.4% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Post-retirement mortality rates were based on the Pub-2010 General Below-Median Income Healthy Retiree mortality table with a 91.4% adjustment for males and 99.7% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis. Disability retirement rates used to value disabled retirees were based on the Pub-2010 Non-Safety Disabled Retiree mortality table with a 127.7% adjustment for males and 117.2% adjustment for females, and with future improvement from the base year of 2010 on a generational basis.

In accordance with State statute, the long-term expected rate of return on Plan investments (7.00% at June 30, 2021 and 2020) is determined by the State Treasurer, after consultation with the Directors of the Division of Investments and Division of Pensions and Benefits, the board of trustees and the actuaries. The long-term expected rate of return 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. Best estimates of arithmetic rates of return for each major asset class included in PERS' target asset allocation as of June 30, 2021 and 2020 are summarized in the table that follows:

		rement Date <u>e 30, 2021</u>	Measurement Date June 30, 2020			
Asset Class	Target <u>Allocation</u>	Long-Term Expected Real <u>Rate of Return</u>	Target <u>Allocation</u>	Long-Term Expected Real <u>Rate of Return</u>		
U.S. Equity	27.00%	8.09%	27.00%	7.71%		
Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity	13.50%	8.71%	13.50%	8.57%		
Emerging Markets Equity	5.50%	10.96%	5.50%	10.23%		
Private Equity	13.00%	11.30%	13.00%	11.42%		
Real Estate	8.00%	9.15%	8.00%	9.56%		
Real Assets	3.00%	7.40%	3.00%	9.73%		
High Yield	2.00%	3.75%	2.00%	5.95%		
Private Credit	8.00%	7.60%	8.00%	7.59%		
Investment Grade Credit	8.00%	1.68%	8.00%	2.67%		
Cash Equivalents	4.00%	0.50%	4.00%	0.50%		
U.S. Treasuries	5.00%	0.95%	5.00%	1.94%		
Risk Mitigation Strategies	3.00%	3.35%	3.00%	3.40%		
	100.00%		100.00%			

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

Actuarial Assumptions (Cont'd)

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2021. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00% and a municipal bond rate of 2.16% as of the June 30, 2021 measurement date based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from Plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers and the nonemployer contributing entity would be based on 100% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the state employer and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the Plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00% as of June 30, 2020. This single blended discount rate was based on the long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments of 7.00% and a municipal bond rate of 2.21% as of the June 30, 2020 measurement date based on the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed that contributions from Plan members will be made at the current member contribution rates and that contributions from employers would be based on 78% of the actuarially determined contributions for the State and 100% of actuarially determined contributions for the local employers. Based on those assumptions, the Plan's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make projected future benefit payments of current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on Plan investments was applied to all projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of Authority's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the Authority's proportionate share of the net pension liability as of the June 30, 2021 measurement date, calculated using a discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the Authority's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher than the current rates used:

	February 28, 2022					
	1% Decrease <u>(6.00%)</u>	Current Discount Rate <u>(7.00%)</u>	1% Increase <u>(8.00%)</u>			
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 4,228,163.00	\$ 3,104,840.00	\$ 2,151,542.00			

PENSION PLANS (CONT'D)

Sensitivity of Authority's Proportionate Share of Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate (Cont'd)

The following presents the Authority's proportionate share of the net pension liability as of the June 30, 2020 measurement date, calculated using a discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the Authority's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher than the current rates used:

		February 28, 2021					
	1% Decrease <u>(6.00%)</u>	Current Discount Rate <u>(7.00%)</u>	1% Increase <u>(8.00%)</u>				
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 6,262,504.00	\$ 4,491,028.00	\$ 3,858,398.00				

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN

General Information about the State Health Benefit Local Government Retired Employees Plan

Plan Description and Benefits Provided - The Authority contributes to the State Health Benefits Local Government Retired Employees Plan (the "Plan"), which is a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit other postemployment benefit ("OPEB") plan with a special funding situation. It covers employees of local government employers that have adopted a resolution to participate in the Plan. The Plan meets the definition of an equivalent arrangement as defined in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for the Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions* (GASB Statement No. 75); therefore, assets are accumulated to pay associated benefits. For additional information about the Plan, please refer to the State of New Jersey (the "State"), Division of Pensions and Benefits' (the "Division") annual financial statements, which can be found at https://www.state.nj.us/treasury/pensions/financial-reports.shtml.

The Plan provides medical and prescription drug to retirees and their covered dependents of the participating employers. Under the provisions of Chapter 88, P.L 1974 and Chapter 48, P.L. 1999, local government employers electing to provide postretirement medical coverage to their employees must file a resolution with the Division. Under Chapter 88, local employers elect to provide benefit coverage based on the eligibility rules and regulations promulgated by the State Health Benefits Commission. Chapter 48 allows local employers to establish their own age and service eligibility for employer paid health benefits coverage for retired employees. Under Chapter 48, the employer may assume the cost of postretirement medical coverage for employees and their dependents who: 1) retired on a disability pension; or 2) retired with 25 or more years of service credit in a State or locally administered retirement system and a period of service of up to 25 years with the employer at the time of retirement as established by the employer; or 3) retired and reached the age of 65 with 25 or more years of service credit in a State or locally administered retirement as established by the employer; or 4) retired and reached age 62 with at least 15 years of service with the employer. Further, the law provides that the employer paid obligations for retiree coverage may be determined by means of a collective negotiations agreement.

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (CONT'D)

<u>General Information about the State Health Benefit Local Government Retired Employees Plan</u> (Cont'd)

Plan Description and Benefits Provided (Cont'd) - Pursuant to Chapter 78, P.L. 2011, future retirees eligible for postretirement medical coverage who have less than 20 years of creditable service on June 28, 2011 will be required to pay a percentage of the cost of their health care coverage in retirement provided they retire with 25 or more years of pension service credit. The percentage of the premium for which the retiree will be responsible will be determined based on the retiree's annual retirement benefit and level of coverage.

Contributions - The funding policy for the OPEB plan is pay-as-you-go; therefore, there is no prefunding of the liability. However, due to premium rates being set prior to each calendar year, there is a minimal amount of net position available to cover benefits in future years. Contributions to pay for the health benefit premiums of participating employees in the OPEB plan are collected from the State of New Jersey, participating local employers, and retired members.

The Authority was billed monthly by the Plan and paid \$200,860.74 and \$98,070.72, for the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, respectively. These amounts represent 10.28% and 5.12% of the Authority's covered payroll. During the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, retirees were not required to contribute to the Plan.

OPEB Liability, OPEB (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources

OPEB Liability - At February 28, 2022, the Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability was \$10,061,518.00. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2021, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2021. The Authority's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on the ratio of the Plan members of an individual employer to the total members of the Plan during the measurement period July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021. For the June 30, 2021 measurement date, the Authority's proportion was 0.55898%, which was an increase of 0.002155% from its proportion measured as of the June 30, 2020 measurement date.

At February 28, 2021, the Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability was \$9,645,048.00. The net OPEB liability was measured as of June 30, 2020, and the total OPEB liability used to calculate the net OPEB liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2019, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2020. The Authority's proportion of the net OPEB liability was based on the ratio of the Plan members of an individual employer to the total members of the Plan' during the measurement period July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. For the June 30, 2020 measurement date, the Authority's proportion was 0.053743%, which was an increase of 0.002773% from its proportion measured as of the June 30, 2019 measurement date.

OPEB (Benefit) Expense - At February 28, 2022, the Authority's proportionate share of the OPEB (benefit) expense, calculated by the Plan as of the June 30, 2021 measurement date, was (\$30,323.00).

At February 28, 2021, the Authority's proportionate share of the OPEB (benefit) expense, calculated by the Plan as of the June 30, 2020 measurement date, was (\$125,075.00).

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (CONT'D)

<u>OPEB Liability, OPEB (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows</u> of Resources (Cont'd)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources - At February 28, 2022, the Authority had deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources from the following sources:

	<u>Februar</u>	<u>y 28, 2022</u>	<u>February 28, 2021</u>			
		ment Date 30, 2021	Measurement Date June 30, 2020			
	Deferred Outflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Outflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>		
Differences between Expected and Actual Experience	\$ 225,768.00	\$ 2,105,018.00	\$ 254,043.00	\$ 1,796,088.00		
Changes of Assumptions	1,447,379.00	1,778,491.00	1,442,596.00	2,144,910.00		
Net Difference between Projected and Actual Earnings on OPEB						
Plan Investments	4,811.00	-	6,125.00	-		
Changes in Proportion	1,071,426.00	1,335,779.00	781,451.00	1,662,754.00		
Contributions Subsequent to						
the Measurement Date	135,208.82		65,380.48			
	\$ 2,884,592.82	\$ 5,219,288.00	\$ 2,549,595.48	\$ 5,603,752.00		

Deferred outflows of resources in the amount of \$135,208.82 was the result of the Authority contributions subsequent to the Plan's measurement date of June 30, 2021. This amount will be included as a reduction of the Authority's net OPEB liability during the year ending February 28, 2023.

Deferred outflows of resources in the amount of \$65,380.48 was the result of the Authority contributions subsequent to the Plan's measurement date of June 30, 2020. This amount was included as a reduction of the Authority's net OPEB liability during the year ending February 28, 2022.

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (CONT'D)

OPEB Liability, OPEB (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources (Cont'd)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources (Cont'd) - The Authority will amortize the above other deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the OPEB liability over the following number of years:

	Deferred Outflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>
Differences between Expected		
and Actual Experience		
June 30, 2018	-	8.14
June 30, 2019	-	8.05
June 30, 2020	7.87	-
June 30, 2021	-	7.82
Changes of Assumptions		
Year of OPEB Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2017	-	8.04
June 30, 2018	-	8.14
June 30, 2019	-	8.05
June 30, 2020	7.87	-
June 30, 2021	7.82	-
Net Difference between Projected		
and Actual Investment Earnings		
on OPEB Plan Investments		
Year of OPEB Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2017	5.00	-
June 30, 2018	5.00	-
June 30, 2019	5.00	-
June 30, 2020	5.00	-
June 30, 2021	5.00	-
Changes in Proportion		
Year of OPEB Plan Deferral:		
June 30, 2017	8.04	8.04
June 30, 2018	8.14	8.14
June 30, 2019	8.05	8.05
June 30, 2020	7.87	7.87
June 30, 2021	7.82	7.82

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (CONT'D)

<u>OPEB Liability, OPEB (Benefit) Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows</u> of Resources (Cont'd)

Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources (Cont'd) - Other amounts included as deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to the OPEB liability will be recognized in future periods as follows:

Fiscal <u>Year Ending</u>	
February 28, 2023 February 29, 2024 February 28, 2025 February 28, 2026 February 28, 2027 Thereafter	\$ (741,217.00) (742,007.00) (742,729.00) (419,882.00) (96,257.00) 272,188.00
	\$ (2,469,904.00)

Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial valuation at June 30, 2021 and 2020 used the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods in the measurement:

	Measurement Date June 30, 2021	Measurement Date June 30, 2020
Inflation Rate	2.50%	2.50%
Salary Increases * PERS: Initial Fiscal Year Applied: Rate through 2026 Rate Thereafter	2.00% to 6.00% 3.00% to 7.00%	2.00% to 6.00% 3.00% to 7.00%

* salary increases are based on years of service within the respective Plan

For the June 30, 2021 measurement date, PERS mortality rates were based on Pub-2010 General classification headcount weighted mortality with fully generational morality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2021. For the June 30, 2020 measurement date, PERS mortality rates were based on Pub-2010 General classification headcount weighted mortality with fully generational morality improvement projections from the central year using Scale MP-2020.

Actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2020 and June 30, 2019 valuation were based on the results of the PERS experience studies prepared for July 1, 2013 to June 30, 2018 and July 1, 2014 to June 30, 2018, respectively.

100% of active members in both the June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020 measurement dates are considered to participate in the Plan upon retirement.

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (CONT'D)

Actuarial Assumptions (Cont'd)

All of the Plan's investments are in the State of New Jersey Cash Management Fund (the "CMF"). The New Jersey Division of Investments manages the CMF, which is available on a voluntary basis for investment by State and certain non-State participants. The CMF is considered to be an investment trust fund as defined in GASB Statement No. 31, *Certain Investments and External Investment Pools.* The CMF invests in U.S. government and agency obligations, commercial paper, corporate obligations and certificates of deposit. Units of ownership in the CMF may be purchased or redeemed on any given business day (excluding State holidays) are the unit cost of value of \$1.00. Participant shares are valued on a fair value basis. The CMF pay interest to participants on a monthly basis.

Discount Rate - The discount rate used to measure the OPEB liability at June 30, 2021 and 2020 were 2.16% and 2.21%, respectively. This represents the municipal bond return rate as chosen by the State. The source is the Bond Buyer Go 20-Bond Municipal Bond Index, which includes tax-exempt general obligation municipal bonds with an average rating of AA/Aa or higher. As the long-term rate of return is less than the municipal bond rate, it is not considered in the calculation of the discount rate, rather the discount rate is set at the municipal bond rate.

Annual Pate of Increase

	Annual Rate of Increase						
		Prescription					
Fiscal Year				Drug			
<u>Ending</u>	<u>Pre-65</u>	<u>PPO Post-65</u>	HMP Post-65	Trend			
2021	5.65%	13.08%	13.76%	6.75%			
2022	5.55%	3.34%	3.22%	6.50%			
2023	5.45%	0.52%	0.17%	6.25%			
2024	5.35%	7.56%	7.79%	6.00%			
2025	5.20%	14.43%	15.23%	5.50%			
2026	5.00%	12.55%	13.19%	5.00%			
2027	4.75%	8.95%	9.29%	4.75%			
2028	4.50%	5.92%	6.04%	4.50%			
2029	4.50%	5.38%	5.46%	4.50%			
2030	4.50%	4.86%	4.89%	4.50%			
2031	4.50%	4.55%	4.56%	4.50%			
2032 and Later	4.50%	4.50%	4.50%	4.50%			

Health Care Trend Assumptions - The health care trend assumptions used is as follows:

For the June 30, 2020 measurement date, the trend rate for pre-Medicare medical benefits, is initially 5.6% and decreases to a 4.5% long-term trend rate after seven years. For post-65 medical benefits, the actual fully insured Medicare Advantage trend rates for fiscal year 2021 through 2022 are reflected. The rates used for 2023 and 2024 are 21.83% and 18.53%, respectively, trending to 4.5% for all future years. For prescription drug benefits, the initial trend rate is 7.00% and decreases to a 4.5% long-term trend rate after seven years.

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

STATE HEALTH BENEFIT LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN (CONT'D)

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The net OPEB liability as of June 30, 2021, the Plan's measurement date, for the Authority calculated using a discount rate of 2.16%, as well as using a discount rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher than the current rate used, is as follows:

	 February 28, 2022				
	1% Decrease <u>(1.16%)</u>	ſ	Current Discount Rate <u>(2.16%)</u>		1% Increase <u>(3.16%)</u>
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 11,840,477.00	\$	10,061,518.00	\$	8,651,655.00

The net OPEB liability as of June 30, 2020, the Plan's measurement date, for the Authority calculated using a discount rate of 2.21%, as well as using a discount rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher than the current rate used, is as follows:

		February 28, 2021				
	1% Decrease <u>(2.50%)</u>		Current Discount Rate <u>(3.50%)</u>		1% Increase <u>(4.50%)</u>	
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$	11,402,485.00	\$	9,645,048.00	\$	8,253,877.00

Sensitivity of the Net OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rate

The Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as of June 30, 2021, the Plan's measurement date, using a healthcare cost trend rate that is 1% lower or 1% higher than the current healthcare cost trend rate used, is as follows:

	 February 28, 2022					
	1% <u>Decrease</u>	H	ealthcare Cost <u>Trend Rate</u>		1% Increase	
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 8,394,695.00	\$	10,061,518.00	\$	12,236,516.00	

The Authority's proportionate share of the net OPEB liability as of June 30, 2020, the Plan's measurement date, using a healthcare cost trend rates that are 1% lower or 1% higher than the current healthcare cost trend rate used is as follows:

	 February 28, 2021				
	1% Healthcare Cost Decrease <u>Trend Rate</u>			1% <u>Increase</u>	
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 7,981,287.00	\$	9,645,048.00	\$	11,823,766.00

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

AUTHORITY PLAN

General Information about the OPEB Plan

Plan Description and Benefits Provided - The Authority provides dental, prescription and vision coverage to retirees and their covered dependents through their own single-employer defined benefit OPEB plan. The Plan is available to employees and their dependents upon retirement provided the employee has completed twenty five years of service and is at least age sixty. The reimbursements are administered by the Authority; therefore, payments are made directly by the Authority to the retirees. No assets are accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75, Accounting and Financial Reporting for Postemployment Benefits other than Pensions.

Employees Covered by Benefit Terms - At February 28, 2022 and 2021, the following employees were covered by the benefit terms:

	February 28, 2022	<u>February 28, 2021</u>
Inactive Employees or Beneficiaries Currently Receiving Benefit Payments	19	16
Inactive Employees Entitled to but Not Yet Receiving Benefit Payments	-	-
Active Employees	41	41
	60	57

Contributions - Employees are not required to contribute to the Plan.

Total OPEB Liability

The Authority's total OPEB liability of \$968,134.00 as of February 28, 2022 and \$1,032,641.00 as of February 28, 2021 was measured as of the same dates, respectively. The February 28, 2022 liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of February 28, 2022, while the February 28, 2021 liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of February 29, 2020 and rolled forward to February 28, 2021.

Actuarial Assumptions and Other Inputs

The following actuarial assumptions and other inputs, applied to all periods included in the measurement, unless otherwise specified:

	<u>February 28, 2022</u>	February 28, 2021
Inflation	2.60% Annually	2.50% Annually
Salary Increases	3.00% Annually	3.00% Annually
Discount Rate	2.55%	2.15%
Healthcare Cost Trend Rates		
Dental Administrative Expenses	3.00%	2.50%
Dental and Vision	4.00%	4.00%
Prescription Reimbursement	1.50%	1.50%
Mortality:		
Pre-Retirement - U.S. Public Pension P	lan Mortality (2010)	General Headcount-
Weighted Healthy I	Employee Male / Fen	nale Mortality
Projected with Sca	le MP-2021	
Post-Retirement - U.S. Public Pension I	Plan Mortality (2010)	General Headcount-
Weighted Healthy	Annuitant Male / Fen	nale Mortality
Projected with Sca		
Disabled - U.S. Public Pension Plan Mo	ortality (2010) General	Headcount-Weighted
Disabled Annuitant Male /	Female Mortality Pro	jected with
Scale MP-2021		
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Participation Rates - 100% of future retirees will participate in the plan upon retirement Spousal Coverage - 55% of future retirees are assumed to have spousal coverage

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

AUTHORITY PLAN (CONT'D)

Actuarial Assumptions and Other Inputs (Cont'd)

An experience study was not performed on the actuarial assumptions used in the February 28, 2022 and 2021 valuation since the plan had insufficient data to produce a study with credible results. The actuary used professional judgement in applying these assumptions to this plan.

Changes in the Total OPEB Liability

The following table shows the changes in the total OPEB liability for the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, respectively:

	February 28, 2022		February 28, 2021		
Balance at Beginning of Fiscal Year Changes for the Year:		\$ 1,032,641.00		\$	998,661.00
Service Cost Interest Cost Benefit Payments Changes of Assumptions Differences Between Expected and Actual Demographic Experience	\$ 25,776.00 22,535.00 (20,549.00) (49,826.00) (42,443.00)		\$20,853.00 22,759.00 (15,995.00) 6,363.00		
Net Changes		(64,507.00)			33,980.00
Balance at End of Fiscal Year		\$ 968,134.00		\$ ^	1,032,641.00

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the Authority, as well as what the Authority's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated for using a discount rate that is 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current discount rate:

	February 28, 2022					
	1.00% Decrease <u>(1.55%)</u>	Current Discount Rate <u>(2.55%)</u>	1.00% Increase <u>(3.55%)</u>			
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 1,129,451.00	\$ 968,134.00	\$ 837,050.00			
	I	February 28, 2021				
	1.00% Decrease <u>(1.15%)</u>	Current Discount Rate <u>(2.15%)</u>	1.00% Increase <u>(3.15%)</u>			
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 1,207,414.00	\$1,032,641.00	\$ 890,533.00			

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

AUTHORITY PLAN (CONT'D)

Sensitivity of the Total OPEB Liability to Changes in the Healthcare Cost Trend Rates

The following presents the total OPEB liability of the Authority, as well as what the Authority's total OPEB liability would be if it were calculated using healthcare cost trend rates that are 1-percentage-point lower or 1-percentage-point higher than the current healthcare cost trend rates:

		February 28, 2022	
	1.00% <u>Decrease</u>	Healthcare Cost <u>Trend Rate</u>	1.00% Increase
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 859,731.0	0 \$ 968,134.00	\$ 1,069,514.00
		February 28, 2021	
	1.00% <u>Decrease</u>	Healthcare Cost <u>Trend Rate</u>	1.00% Increase
Total OPEB Liability	\$ 911,217.0	0 \$ 1,032,641.00	\$ 1,144,172.00

<u>OPEB (Benefit) Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources</u> Related to OPEB

For the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, the Authority recognized OPEB (benefit) expense of \$88,021.00 and \$98,700.00. At February 28, 2022 and 2021, the Authority reported deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

	February	28, 2022	February	28, 2021				
	Deferred Outflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Outflows <u>of Resources</u>	Deferred Inflows <u>of Resources</u>				
Changes of Assumptions	\$ 61,870.00	\$ (3,806.00)	\$ 166,909.00	\$ 8,994.00				
Plan Demographics	11,200.00	36,599.00	16,800.00	2,459.00				
	\$ 73,070.00	\$ 32,793.00	\$ 183,709.00	\$ 11,453.00				

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

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AUTHORITY PLAN (CONT'D)

<u>OPEB (Benefit) Expense and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources</u> <u>Related to OPEB (Cont'd)</u>

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

Year Ending	
February 28, 2023	\$ 39,707.00
February 29, 2024	45,434.00
February 28, 2025	(14,107.00)
February 28, 2026	(15,378.00)
February 28, 2027	(15,379.00)
Thereafter	-

\$ 40,277.00

Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions (OPEB)- Summary of State and Authority Plans

For the fiscal years ended February 28, 2022 and 2021, the Authority reported deferred outflows of resources, net OPEB liability and deferred inflows of resources related to OPEB from the following sources:

Deferred Outflows of Resources - Related to OPEB	<u>Fet</u>	Balance oruary 28, 2021	Additions Reduction			<u>Reductions</u>	Balance <u>February 28, 2022</u>		
State Plan Authority Plan	\$	2,549,595.48 183,709.00	\$	1,043,957.50 -	\$	(708,960.16) (110,639.00)	\$	2,884,592.82 73,070.00	
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources - Related to OPEB	\$	2,733,304.48	\$	1,043,957.50	\$	(819,599.16)	\$	2,957,662.82	
Net OPEB Liability									
State Plan Authority Plan	\$	9,645,048.00 1,032,641.00	\$	8,322,813.00	\$	(7,906,343.00) (64,507.00)	\$	10,061,518.00 968,134.00	
Total Net OPEB Liability	\$	10,677,689.00	\$	8,322,813.00	\$	(7,970,850.00)	\$	11,029,652.00	
Deferred Inflows of Resources - Related to OPEB									
State Plan Authority Plan	\$	5,603,752.00 11,453.00	\$	1,000,333.68 42,443.00	\$	(1,384,797.68) (21,103.00)	\$	5,219,288.00 32,793.00	
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources - Related to OPEB	\$	5,615,205.00	\$	1,042,776.68	\$	(1,405,900.68)	\$	5,252,081.00	

POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION BENEFITS (OPEB) (CONT'D)

Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions (OPEB)- Summary of State and Authority Plans (Cont'd)

	Feb	Balance oruary 29, 2020	Additions	Reductions	<u>Fe</u>	Balance bruary 28, 2021
Deferred Outflows of Resources - Related to OPEB						
State Plan Authority Plan	\$	383,864.09 238,159.00	\$ 2,775,178.56 6,363.00	(609,447.17) (60,813.00)	\$	2,549,595.48 183,709.00
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources - Related to OPEB	\$	622,023.09	\$ 2,781,541.56	\$ (670,260.17)	\$	2,733,304.48
Net OPEB Liability						
State Plan Authority Plan	\$	6,904,432.00 998,661.00	\$ 8,814,771.35 49,975.00	(6,074,155.35) (15,995.00)	\$	9,645,048.00 1,032,641.00
Total Net OPEB Liability	\$	7,903,093.00	\$ 8,864,746.35	\$ (6,090,150.35)	\$	10,677,689.00
Deferred Inflows of Resources - Related to OPEB						
State Plan Authority Plan	\$	6,455,631.00 17,178.00	\$ 387,997.08	\$ (1,239,876.08) (5,725.00)	\$	5,603,752.00 11,453.00
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources - Related to OPEB	\$	6,472,809.00	\$ 387,997.08	\$ (1,245,601.08)	\$	5,615,205.00

Note 5: DETAIL NOTES - DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES

Connection Fees

The Authority receives payments for connection fees when new users connect to the sewer system. The Authority does not supply the user with supplies or services to make the physical connection and is therefore considered a non-exchange transaction. The Authority recognizes the revenue in the period that the user exercises their right to connect to the system.

Note 6: DETAIL NOTES - NET POSITION

Reserve for System Upgrades

The Authority has several agreements with developers whose projects have connected to the Authority's system. These agreements require that money be deposited with the Authority for future costs that the Authority may incur as a result of the impact on the system by the developer's project. The Authority records these funds as "Reserve for System Upgrades."

Note 7: 1983 SERVICE CONTRACT

Under a Service Contract, dated October 24, 1983 between the Township of Gloucester and the Authority, the Township is obligated to pay to the Authority "amounts" equal to any deficits in Authority revenues necessary to pay or provide for (i) operation and maintenance expenses and administrative or other expenses of the Authority, (ii) the principal of and interest on bonds or notes of the Authority, iii) the maintenance of such reserves as may be required by the General Bond Resolution or by any contract deemed necessary by the Authority, and (iv) amounts necessary to enable the Authority to comply with the terms of the General Bond Resolution.

Amounts referred to above are considered revenues if and when received under the General Bond Resolution.

Note 8: INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENTS

The Authority has entered into three agreements with the Township of Gloucester. The first agreement is for the collection of residential grass clippings. The Authority provides curbside collection from April to October. The second agreement is for recycling in the Township. The Authority provides curbside collection of recyclable material on a year round basis. The third agreement is for the operation and expansion of the Authority's compost facilities. The Township has agreed to provide the funding for this project. Each agreement is renewed annually.

Note 9: RISK MANAGEMENT

The Authority 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. These risks are covered by commercial insurance purchased from independent third parties. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded coverage for the past several years.

Note 10: CONTINGENCIES

<u>Litigation</u> - The Authority is a defendant in several legal proceedings that are in various stages of litigation. It is believed that the outcome, or exposure to the Authority, from such litigation is either unknown or potential losses, if any, would not be material to the financial statements.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION PART II

SCHEDULES RELATED TO ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR PENSIONS

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Required Supplementary Information - Part II Schedule of the Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Last Nine Plan Years

			Measure	me	nt Date Ended Ju	une	<u>30</u> ,			
	<u>2021</u>		<u>2020</u>		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>		<u>2017</u>	
Authority's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.0262089273%	(0.0275398437%		0.0259269652%	0	0.0270784407%	C	0.0260001908%	
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 3,104,840.00	\$	4,491,028.00	\$	4,671,646.00	\$	5,331,610.00	\$	6,052,429.00	
Authority's Covered Payroll (Plan Measurement Period)	\$ 1,970,824.00	\$	1,956,888.00	\$	1,803,508.00	\$	1,922,956.00	\$	1,801,284.00	
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	157.54%		229.50%		259.03%		277.26%		336.01%	
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	70.33%		58.32%		56.27%		53.60%		48.10%	

Measurement Date Ended June 30,

	<u>2016</u>		<u>2015</u>		<u>2014</u>		<u>2013</u>
Authority's Proportion of the Net Pension Liability	0.0240242494%	(0.0234298649%	(0.0275628306%	C	0.0270311242%
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability	\$ 7,115,294.00	\$	5,259,535.00	\$	5,160,516.00	\$	5,166,185.00
Authority's Covered Payroll (Plan Measurement Period)	\$ 1,652,700.00	\$	1,599,116.00	\$	1,877,712.00	\$	1,395,720.00
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	430.53%		328.90%		274.83%		370.14%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total Pension Liability	40.14%		47.93%		52.08%		48.72%

This schedule is presented to illustrate the requirement to show information for 10 years; however, until a full 10-year trend is compiled, this presentation will only include information for those years for which information is available.

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Required Supplementary Information - Part II Schedule of the Authority's Pension Contributions Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS) Last Nine Fiscal Years

				<u>Fiscal</u>	Ye	ar Ended Febru	ary	<u>28/29,</u>	
		<u>2022</u>		<u>2021</u>		<u>2020</u>		<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Authority's Contractually Required Contribution	\$	306,937.00	\$	301,272.00	\$	252,193.00	\$	269,343.00	\$ 240,864.00
Authority's Contribution in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution		(306,937.00)		(301,272.00)		(252,193.00)		(269,343.00)	 (240,864.00)
Authority's Contribution Deficiency (Excess)	_							-	 -
Authority's Covered Payroll (Calendar Year)	\$	1,953,614.00	\$	1,915,886.00	\$	1,959,585.00	\$	1,840,154.00	\$ 1,889,947.00
Authority's Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		15.71%		15.72%		12.87%		14.64%	12.74%
				<u>Fiscal</u>	Ye	ar Ended Febru	ary	<u>28/29,</u>	
		<u>2017</u>		<u>2016</u>		<u>2015</u>		<u>2014</u>	
Authority's Contractually Required Contribution	\$	213,428.00	\$	201,434.00	\$	227,224.00	\$	203,674.00	
Authority's Contribution in Relation to the Contractually Required Contribution		(213,428.00)		(201,434.00)		(227,224.00)		(203,674.00)	
Authority's Contribution Deficiency (Excess)			_			-		-	
Authority's Covered Payroll (Calendar Year)	\$	1,815,942.00	\$	1,697,126.00	\$	1,631,933.00	\$	1,829,983.00	
Authority's Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		11.75%		11.87%		13.92%		11.13%	

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GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Required Supplementary Information - Part II Notes to Required Supplementary Information Pensions For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS)

Changes in Benefit Terms:

The June 30, 2021 measurement date included one change to the plan provisions. Chapter 140, P.L. 2021 reopened the Worker's Compensation Judges (WCJ) Part of PERS and transferred WCJs from the Defined Contribution Retirement Program (DCRP) and regular part of PERS into the WCJ Part of PERS.

Changes in Assumptions:

The discount rate used as of June 30 measurement date is as follows:

Year	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>
2021	7.00%	2017	5.00%
2020	7.00%	2016	3.98%
2019	6.28%	2015	4.90%
2018	5.66%	2014	5.39%

The long-term expected rate of return used as of June 30 measurement date is as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>
2021	7.00%	2017	7.00%
2020	7.00%	2016	7.65%
2019	7.00%	2015	7.90%
2018	7.00%	2014	7.90%

The mortality assumption was updated upon direction from the Division of Pensions and Benefits.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION PART III

SCHEDULES RELATED TO ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR OTHER POSTEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB)

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Required Supplementary Information - Part III AUTHORITY PLAN Schedule of Changes in the Authority's Total OPEB Liability and Related Ratios Last Five Plan Fiscal Years

		<u>Fiscal</u>	Yea	ar Ended Febru	ary	28/29,	
	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>		<u>2020</u>		<u>2019</u>	<u>2018</u>
Total OPEB Liability							
Service Cost	\$ 25,776.00	\$ 20,853.00	\$	10,406.00	\$	10,281.00	\$ 9,886.00
Interest	22,535.00	22,759.00		28,015.00		27,037.00	26,335.00
Changes of Benefit Terms	-	-		-		-	-
Differences between Expected and Actual Experience	(42,443.00)	-		28,000.00		(6,146.00)	-
Changes of Assumptions or Other Inputs	(49,826.00)	6,363.00		269,699.00		(22,482.00)	-
Benefit Payments	 (20,549.00)	 (15,995.00)		(20,690.00)		(16,883.00)	 (20,361.00)
Net Change in Total OPEB Liability	(64,507.00)	33,980.00		315,430.00		(8,193.00)	15,860.00
Total OPEB Liability, Beginning of Fiscal Year	 1,032,641.00	 998,661.00		683,231.00		691,424.00	 675,564.00
Total OPEB Liability, End of Fiscal Year	\$ 968,134.00	\$ 1,032,641.00	\$	998,661.00	\$	683,231.00	\$ 691,424.00
Covered-Employee Payroll	\$ 2,139,996.00	\$ 1,915,886.00	\$	1,959,585.00	\$	1,840,154.00	\$ 1,889,947.00
Total OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Covered-Employee Payroll	45.24%	53.90%		50.96%		37.13%	36.58%

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GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Required Supplementary Information - Part III AUTHORITY PLAN Notes to Required Supplementary Information Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Changes in Benefit Terms:

None

Changes in Assumptions:

The discount rate used as of the February 28/29 measurement date is as follows:

Fiscal <u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>
2022	2.55%
2021	2.15%
2020	2.25%
2019	4.10%
2018	3.90%

Mortality Rates - For the fiscal year 2022, the mortality rates utilized were the U.S. Public Pension Plan Mortality (2010) Headcount – Weighted Healthy Employee Male / Female Mortality Projected with Scale MP-2020, the U.S. Public Pension Plan Mortality (2010) Headcount – Weighted Healthy Annuitant Male / Female Mortality Projected with Scale MP-2020 and the U.S. Public Pension Plan Mortality (2010) Headcount-Weighted Disabled Annuitant Male / Female Mortality Projected with Scale MP-2020 which was a change from the mortality rates Projected with Scale MP 2020 that were utilized for the fiscal year 2021.

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Required Supplementary Information - Part III STATE HEALTH BENEFITS LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN Schedule of the Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability Last Five Plan Years

	Measurement Date Ended June 30,								
	<u>2021</u>		<u>2020</u>		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>		<u>2017</u>
Authority's Proportion of the Net OPEB Liability	0.055898%		0.053743%		0.050970%		0.056970%		0.055282%
Authority's Proportionate Share of the Net OPEB Liability	\$ 10,061,518.00	\$	9,645,048.00	\$	6,904,432.00	\$	8,925,272.00	\$	11,286,256.00
Authority's Covered Payroll (Plan Measurement Period)	\$ 1,888,248.00	\$	1,963,069.00	\$	1,878,499.00	\$	1,860,085.00	\$	1,846,360.00
Authority's Proportionate Share of the OPEB Liability as a Percentage of Covered Payroll	532.85%		491.32%		367.55%		479.83%		611.27%
Plan Fiduciary Net Position as a Percentage of the Total OPEB Liability	0.28%		0.91%		1.98%		1.97%		1.03%

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GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Required Supplementary Information - Part III STATE HEALTH BENEFITS LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN Schedule of the Authority's OPEB Contributions

Last Five Fiscal Years

	Fiscal Year Ended February 28/29,									
		<u>2022</u>		<u>2021</u>		<u>2020</u>		<u>2019</u>		<u>2018</u>
Authority's Required Contributions	\$	200,860.74	\$	98,070.72	\$	116,124.96	\$	178,608.93	\$	219,442.97
Authority's Contributions in relation to the Required Contribution		(200,860.74)		(98,070.72)		(116,124.96)		(178,608.93)		(219,442.97)
Authority's Contribution Deficiency (Excess)		-		-		-		-		-
Authority's Covered Payroll (Fiscal Year)	\$	1,953,614.00	\$	1,915,886.00	\$	1,959,585.00	\$	1,840,154.00	\$	1,889,947.00
Authority's Contributions as a Percentage of Covered Payroll		10.28%		5.12%		5.93%		9.71%		11.61%

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GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Required Supplementary Information - Part III STATE HEALTH BENEFITS LOCAL GOVERNMENT RETIRED EMPLOYEES PLAN Notes to Required Supplementary Information Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Changes in Benefit Terms:

The actuarial valuation as of July 1, 2020, which was rolled forward to June 30, 2021, included changes due to employers adopting and /or changing Chapter 48 provisions.

Changes in Assumptions:

The discount rate used as of the June 30 measurement date is as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>
2021 2020	2.16% 2.21%	2018 2017	3.87% 3.58%
2019	3.50%	2011	0.0070

The expected investment rate of return is based on guidance provided by the State. These expected rates of return are the same as the discount rates listed above.

In addition to changes in the discount rate, other factors that affected the valuation of the net OPEB liability included changes in the trend and updated mortality improvement assumptions.

In October 2021, the Society of Actuaries (SOA) released an updated set of life expectancy mortality improvement assumptions, Scale MP-2021. The MP-2021 scale reflects more recent mortality data for the U.S. population.

OTHER SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Schedule of Net Position by Department As of February 28, 2022

	<u>Sewer</u>	5	Solid Waste	Total
ASSETS				
Current Assets: Unrestricted Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents Consumer Accounts Receivable Refunds Receivable Other Accounts Receivable Due from Township of Gloucester Prepaid Expenses	\$ 2,117,716.32 386,706.80 16,615.70 27,465.70 136,144.74	\$	(207,888.55) 3,570.00 484,473.78 51,240.57	\$ 1,909,827.77 386,706.80 16,615.70 31,035.70 484,473.78 187,385.31
Total Unrestricted Assets	 2,684,649.26		331,395.80	 3,016,045.06
Restricted Assets: Debt Service Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Renewal and Replacement Account: Cash and Cash Equivalents Due from Township of Gloucester -	478,618.29 5,563,921.09			478,618.29 5,563,921.09
Restricted for Debt Service Other Accounts: Cash and Cash Equivalents	 521,743.20		67,156.74	 67,156.74 521,743.20
Total Restricted Assets	 6,564,282.58		67,156.74	 6,631,439.32
Total Current Assets	 9,248,931.84		398,552.54	 9,647,484.38
Noncurrent Assets: Capital Assets: Construction in Progress Completed (Net of Accumulated Depreciation)	 1,262,576.78 44,868,641.83		558,020.91	 1,262,576.78 45,426,662.74
Total Capital Assets	 46,131,218.61		558,020.91	 46,689,239.52
Other Assets: Due from Township of Gloucester - Restricted for Debt Service	 		496,609.28	 496,609.28
Total Noncurrent Assets	 46,131,218.61		1,054,630.19	 47,185,848.80
Total Assets	 55,380,150.45		1,453,182.73	 56,833,333.18
DEFERRED OUTFLOWS OF RESOURCES				
Deferred Loss on Refunding of Loan Related to Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB) Related to Pensions	 50,753.35 2,957,662.82 600,283.00		25,452.90	 76,206.25 2,957,662.82 600,283.00
Total Deferred Outflows of Resources	 3,608,699.17		25,452.90	 3,634,152.07

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Schedule of Net Position by Department As of February 28, 2022

	<u>Sewer</u>	Solid Waste	Total
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities Payable from Unrestricted Assets: Accounts Payable - Operations	\$ 104,031.	72 \$ 64,511.55	\$ 168,543.27
Accounts Payable - Related to Pensions Prepaid Rental Charges	306,937. 1,199,810.	00 89	306,937.00 1,199,810.89
Unearned Revenue Compensated Absences Payable Accrued Liabilities	2,494. 19,729. 722.	74 13,703.16	2,494.84 33,432.90 722.59
Total Current Liabilities Payable from Unrestricted Assets	1,633,726.	78 78,214.71	1,711,941.49
Current Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets:			
Accounts Payable Accounts Payable - Due to Township of Gloucester N. J. Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans	8,883.	73 212,455.16	8,883.73 212,455.16
Payable - Current Portion	571,539.		638,696.68
Accrued Loan Interest Payable Accrued Liabilities	5,734. 8,710.	-	6,855.83 8,710.60
Escrow Deposits	258,697.		258,697.00
Total Current Liabilities Payable from Restricted Assets	853,566.	25 280,732.75	1,134,299.00
Total Current Liabilities	2,487,293.	358,947.46	2,846,240.49
Long-term Liabilities:			
N. J. Environmental Infrastructure Trust Loans Payable	3,275,670.		3,772,279.79
Net Pension Liability Other Postemployment Benefits Liability (OPEB)	3,104,840. 11,029,652.		3,104,840.00 11,029,652.00
Accrued Liabilities - Related to Pension	204,625.		204,625.00
Compensated Absences Payable	42,593.		82,198.63
Total Long-term Liabilities	17,657,381.	536,214.36	18,193,595.42
Total Liabilities	20,144,674.	09 895,161.82	21,039,835.91
DEFERRED INFLOWS OF RESOURCES			
Deferred Connection Fee Revenue	417,220.	00	417,220.00
Related to Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)	5,252,081.		5,252,081.00
Related to Pensions	2,289,791.		2,289,791.00
Total Deferred Inflows of Resources	7,959,092.	- 00	7,959,092.00

Schedule of Net Position by Department As of February 28, 2022

	<u>Sewer</u>	<u>s</u>	olid Waste	Total
NET POSITION				
Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted for: Bond Covenants:	\$ 42,331,162.77	\$	583,473.81	\$ 42,914,636.58
Renewal and Replacement Operating Requirement	500,000.00 1,895,003.00			500,000.00 1,895,003.00
Reserve for Payment of Bond Principal and Interest Unemployment Claims	184.88 263,149.73			184.88 263,149.73
Reserve for System Upgrades	 259,841.91			 259,841.91
Total Restricted Net Position	 2,918,179.52		-	 2,918,179.52
Unrestricted (Deficit)	 (14,364,258.76)			 (14,364,258.76)
Total Net Position	\$ 30,885,083.53	\$	583,473.81	\$ 31,468,557.34

Schedule of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position by Department For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Sewer</u>	Solid Waste	<u>Total</u>		
OPERATING REVENUES					
Service Charges Service Agreements	\$ 5,496,783.82	\$ 1,732,579.41	\$	5,496,783.82 1,732,579.41	
Connection Fees Miscellaneous Charges	 268,925.00 138,231.38	308,236.55		268,925.00 446,467.93	
Total Operating Revenues	 5,903,940.20	2,040,815.96		7,944,756.16	
OPERATING EXPENSES					
Administration: Salaries and Wages Fringe Benefits Other Expenses	 399,002.19 53,604.22 301,092.22	181,927.39 77,166.13		580,929.58 130,770.36 301,092.22	
Total Administration	 753,698.64	259,093.52		1,012,792.16	
Cost of Providing Services: Salaries and Wages Fringe Benefits Other Expenses	 947,944.24 (30,996.81) 1,027,291.57	825,053.79 354,951.97 382,205.12		1,772,998.03 323,955.16 1,409,496.69	
Total Cost of Providing Services	 1,944,239.00	1,562,210.88		3,506,449.88	
Major Repairs and Other Expenses Depreciation	 20,783.11 976,287.89	41,914.36		20,783.11 1,018,202.25	
Total Operating Expenses	 3,695,008.63	1,863,218.76		5,558,227.39	
Operating Income (Loss)	 2,208,931.57	177,597.20		2,386,528.77	
NONOPERATING REVENUES (EXPENSES)					
Investment Income Net Unemployment Claims Loss on Disposal of Capital Assets Net Reserve for System Improvements Net Reserve for Payment of Loan Principal and Interest Loan Interest	4,680.45 26,587.11 (1,600.80) 40,099.95 (258.74) (32,585.00)	(10,692.51)		4,680.45 26,587.11 (1,600.80) 40,099.95 (258.74) (43,277.51)	
Township Agreement - Excess Funds Due to Township of Gloucester Municipal Appropriation	 (249,500.00)	(212,455.16)		(212,455.16) (249,500.00)	
Total Nonoperating Revenues (Expenses)	 (212,577.03)	(223,147.67)		(435,724.70)	
Income (Loss) Before Contributions	1,996,354.54	(45,550.47)		1,950,804.07	
Capital Contributions	 8,513.55			8,513.55	
Change in Net Position	2,004,868.09	(45,550.47)		1,959,317.62 (Continued)	

Schedule of Revenues, Expenses and Changes in Net Position by Department For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

		Sewer	Solid Waste			Total
Net Position - Beginning	\$	28,880,215.44	\$	629,024.28	\$	29,509,239.72
Net Position - End of Year: Net Investment in Capital Assets Restricted Unrestricted (Deficit)	\$ \$ \$	42,331,162.77 2,918,179.52 (14,364,258.76)	\$ \$	583,473.81 - -	\$ \$ \$	42,914,636.58 2,918,179.52 (14,364,258.76)

GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Schedule of Cash Receipts, Cash Disbursements and Changes in Cash and Cash Equivalents For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

		Aco	cou	nts Required	by	Bond Resolu	tion			
	Revenue / Operating <u>Accounts</u>	<u>Revenue</u>		Debt Service <u>Reserve</u>		Debt <u>Service</u>	-	Renewal and Replacement	Other <u>Accounts</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents Balance February 28, 2021	\$ 142,565.78	\$ 3,938,695.80	\$	147,095.86	\$	423,215.48	\$	3,297,849.72	\$ 455,283.57	\$ 8,404,706.21
Receipts:										
Service Fees	4,292,189.44									4,292,189.44
Service Agreements	1,490,450.00									1,490,450.00
Connection Fee Deposits	67,200.00									67,200.00
Penalties on Delinquent Accounts - Sewer Other Revenue - Sewer	71,802.09 58.702.38									71,802.09 58,702.38
Other Revenue - Solid Waste	304.666.55									304.666.55
Prepaid Sewer Rents	1,199,810.89									1,199,810.89
Deferred Connection Fee Revenue	204,900.00									204,900.00
Prepaid Land Lease Agreements	2,494.84									2.494.84
Due from Township of Gloucester	5.385.40									5.385.40
Other Accounts Receivable	6.884.50									6,884.50
Refunds Receivable	1,801.73									1,801.73
Reserve for System Upgrades	,							106,741.50		106,741.50
Planning Escrow Deposits								,	99,499.79	99,499.79
Investment Income	3,718.17			22.16				940.12		4,680.45
Payroll Deduction Payable	2,806,240.38									2,806,240.38
Unemployment Account Deposits									27,026.98	27,026.98
Reserve to Pay Future Debt Service						34,741.26				34,741.26
Transfers In	 5,899,895.00	 7,852,760.62				883,945.58		3,584,389.91		 18,220,991.11
Total Cash and Cash Equivalents Available	 16,558,707.15	 11,791,456.42		147,118.02		1,341,902.32		6,989,921.25	581,810.34	 37,410,915.50

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GLOUCESTER TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL UTILITIES AUTHORITY Schedule of Cash Receipts, Cash Disbursements and Changes in Cash and Cash Equivalents For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	-	Ace	counts Required	by	Bond Resolut	tion			
Disbursements:	Revenue / Operating <u>Accounts</u>	<u>Revenue</u>	Debt Service <u>Reserve</u>		Debt <u>Service</u>	-	Renewal and Replacement	Other <u>Accounts</u>	<u>Total</u>
Budgetary Expenses: Sewer Solid Waste Prepaid Expenses Accounts Payable Payroll Deductions Payable Refunds Receivable Loan Principal Loan Interest Transfers Out	\$ 3,650,794.46 1,720,322.79 180,438.86 228,987.40 2,806,541.35 16,615.70 7,705,545.05	\$ 10,110,941.41	\$ 147,118.02	\$	764,677.71 91,113.77 7,492.55	\$	60,225.84 249,500.00	\$ 394.08	\$ 3,650,794.46 1,720,322.79 180,438.86 289,213.24 2,806,541.35 16,615.70 764,677.71 91,113.77 18,220,991.11
Capital Outlays: Expensed Capital Assets Construction in Progress Reserve for System Upgrades Due to Township of Gloucester Due from Township - Major Repairs Expenditures for Planning Escrow Unemployment Expenses	20,148.78						15,498.11 183,740.68 574,833.50 66,641.55 275,560.48	59,233.19 439.87	15,498.11 183,740.68 574,833.50 66,641.55 275,560.48 20,148.78 59,233.19 439.87
Total Disbursements	16,329,394.39	10,110,941.41	147,118.02		863,284.03		1,426,000.16	 60,067.14	 28,936,805.15
Cash and Cash Equivalents Balance February 28, 2022	\$ 229,312.76	\$ 1,680,515.01		\$	478,618.29	\$	5,563,921.09	\$ 521,743.20	\$ 8,474,110.35

Schedule of Sewer Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	Variance Favorable <u>(Unfavorable)</u>
Operating Revenues:			
Service Charges	\$ 4,776,378.00	\$ 5,496,783.82	\$ 720,405.82
Connection Fees	100,000.00	268,925.00	168,925.00
Other Revenue	173,500.00	138,231.38	(35,268.62)
Total Operating Revenues	5,049,878.00	5,903,940.20	854,062.20
Other Budget Revenues:			
Investment Income	17,000.00	4,680.45	(12,319.55)
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Total Anticipated Revenues	5,066,878.00	5,908,620.65	841,742.65
Operating Expenses:			
Administration:			
Salaries and Wages:			
Board members	30,450.00	26,825.00	3,625.00
Administrative Employees	219,000.00	209,529.35	9,470.65
Office Personnel	205,000.00	150,117.00	54,883.00
Overtime - Summer Help	8,000.00	232.73	7,767.27
Longevity	14,000.00	12,298.11	1,701.89
Total Salaries and Wages	476,450.00	399,002.19	77,447.81
Employee Benefits:			
Prescription	6,500.00	3,265.33	3,234.67
Dental	24,000.00	11,773.11	12,226.89
Hospitalization	241,000.00	196,076.96	44,923.04
Eye Care	4,500.00	2,818.00	1,682.00
Social Security Tax	36,700.00	31,278.68	5,421.32
Public Employees' Retirement System	55,100.00	55,082.38	17.62
Unemployment Insurance	500.00	484.60	15.40
Total Employee Benefits	368,300.00	300,779.06	67,520.94
Other Expenses:			
Services	4,000.00	4,128.74	(128.74)
Compliance Testing	5,000.00	3,145.00	1,855.00
Payroll Services	17,000.00	19,342.50	(2,342.50)
Postage and Envelopes	28,200.00	19,440.76	8,759.24
Stationery and Printing	13,500.00	9,722.05	3,777.95
Maintenance Contracts	15,000.00	10,918.92	4,081.08
Archiving	25,000.00	34.00	24,966.00
Supplies - Office	13,000.00	9,485.72	3,514.28
Equipment and Repairs	9,000.00	6,280.87	2,719.13
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Schedule of Sewer Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

		<u>Budget</u>		Actual		Variance Favorable Jnfavorable)
Operating Expenses (Cont'd):						
Administration (Cont'd):						
Other Expenses (Cont'd):	٠	50,000,00	~	40 750 00	^	4 050 00
Auditor Fees	\$	50,000.00	\$	48,750.00	\$	1,250.00
Trustee Fees Solicitor Fees/Retainer		33,000.00 40,000.00		38,227.50 16,927.40		(5,227.50) 23,072.60
Engineer Fees/Retainer		35,200.00		30,091.25		5,108.75
Workers' Compensation Insurance		5,000.00		4,997.75		2.25
Auto Insurance		675.00		661.41		13.59
General Liability Insurance Policies		8,500.00		8,610.17		(110.17)
Bank Service Fees		22,000.00		10,991.86		11,008.14
Bond Counsel		10,000.00		10,331.00		10,000.00
Public Official Bond		6,900.00		6,890.54		9.46
Contingencies		6,500.00		5,972.91		527.09
Employee Appreciation		3,000.00		600.68		2,399.32
Telephone		10,000.00		7,870.40		2,129.60
Gas and Oil		2,000.00		1,404.89		595.11
I.T. Support		10,000.00		9,992.88		7.12
Service Agreement with Township		14,000.00		10,625.00		3,375.00
Hardware & Software Maintenance		16,500.00		15,974.02		525.98
Registration		300.00		,		300.00
Tires		450.00				450.00
Transportation-Other		100.00		5.00		95.00
Total Other Expenses		403,825.00		301,092.22		102,732.78
Total Administration		1,248,575.00		1,000,873.47		247,701.53
Cost of Providing Services:						
Salaries and Wages:						
Foreman/Laborers/Inspection Salaries		1,008,500.00		842,131.53		166,368.47
Overtime (Laborers)		37,000.00		60,831.99		(23,831.99)
Overtime (Inspections)		2,500.00		3,569.60		(1,069.60)
Summer Help		28,000.00		19,010.48		8,989.52
Longevity (Laborers)		19,400.00		17,909.41		1,490.59
Longevity (Inspections)		4,400.00		4,491.23		(91.23)
Total Salaries and Wages		1,099,800.00		947,944.24		151,855.76
Employee Benefits:						
Prescription		12,000.00		2,833.96		9,166.04
Dental		37,500.00		17,932.30		19,567.70
Hospitalization		433,600.00		337,439.95		96,160.05
Eye Care		7,550.00		4,382.41		3,167.59
Social Security Tax		84,500.00		74,759.48		9,740.52
Public Employees' Retirement System		145,900.00		146,202.17		(302.17)
Unemployment Insurance		1,000.00		1,447.42		(447.42)
Total Employee Benefits		722,050.00		584,997.69		137,052.31
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Schedule of Sewer Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Budget</u>	Actual	Variance Favorable Infavorable)
Operating Expenses (Cont'd):			
Cost of Providing Services (Cont'd):			
Other Expenses:			
Services	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 1,571.87	\$ 2,428.13
Custodial Supplies	7,000.00	4,947.04	2,052.96
Pollution Insurance	11,000.00	8,335.75	2,664.25
Equipment - Other	28,000.00	16,284.32	11,715.68
Equipment - Automotive	34,000.00	17,212.06	16,787.94
Workers' Compensation Insurance	50,000.00	92,172.13	(42,172.13)
Auto Insurance	17,000.00	17,172.24	(172.24)
General Liability/Special Multi-peril Insurance Policies	19,000.00	19,096.30	(96.30)
Boiler Insurance	10,000.00	10,101.32	(101.32)
Maintenance Contracts	16,500.00	3,995.35	12,504.65
Electricity	280,000.00	280,168.02	(168.02)
Uniforms	11,000.00	3,896.40	7,103.60
Telecommunications/Mobile Units	12,000.00	10,292.85	1,707.15
Force Main Inspections	13,500.00	7,173.00	6,327.00
Water	13,000.00	11,370.87	1,629.13
Hardware & Software Maintenance	6,000.00		6,000.00
Natural Gas	23,000.00	18,615.88	4,384.12
Gas and Oil	70,000.00	47,802.25	22,197.75
Registration	1,000.00	371.00	629.00
Garage Expenses	10,000.00	9,945.32	54.68
Tires	11,500.00	3,750.78	7,749.22
Transportation-Other	1,500.00	30.00	1,470.00
Hardware Supplies	1,900.00	1,469.67	430.33
Safety Shoes	4,200.00	2,699.77	1,500.23
Administration Building Expenses	15,000.00	15,033.75	(33.75)
Hydrogen Sulfide Remediation	100,000.00	117,573.76	(17,573.76)
Maintenance/Equipment/Repairs	50,000.00	17,185.08	32,814.92
Collection System Pump Stations	27,000.00	25,528.73	1,471.27
Collection System Supplies	27,000.00	14,105.26	12,894.74
Solicitor Fees	9,000.00	4,717.83	4,282.17
Telemetry	50,000.00	24,864.00	25,136.00
Equipment	5,300.00	1,917.18	3,382.82
351 Landing Road	50,000.00	4,645.28	45,354.72
Engineer Fees	20,000.00	19,728.96	271.04
Emergency Repairs	80,000.00	83,609.88	(3,609.88)
Miscellaneous	1,600.00	686.03	913.97
Trash Disposal	1,000.00	1,000.00	
Mark-outs	11,000.00	12,807.54	(1,807.54)

Schedule of Sewer Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Budget</u>	Actual	Variance Favorable <u>(Unfavorable)</u>
Operating Expenses (Cont'd): Cost of Providing Services (Cont'd):			
Other Expenses (Cont'd):			
Safety Equipment	\$ 15,000.00	\$ 13,588.88	\$ 1,411.12
Generator Maintenance	49,000.00	41,218.23	7,781.77
Generator Repairs	40,000.00	25,606.99	14,393.01
MUA Contribution/Unemployment	15,000.00	15,000.00	·
Total Other Expenses	1,221,000.00	1,027,291.57	193,708.43
Total Cost of Service	3,042,850.00	2,560,233.50	482,616.50
Principal Payments on Debt in Lieu of Depreciation	698,622.00	698,616.74	5.26
Total Operating Expenses	4,990,047.00	4,259,723.71	730,323.29
Nonoperating Appropriations:			
Interest on Loans	76,831.00	40,493.79	36,337.21
Municipal Appropriation	249,500.00	249,500.00	·
Total Operating Expenses, Principal Payments and			
Nonoperating Appropriations	5,316,378.00	4,549,717.50	766,660.50
Excess (Deficiency) Revenues over Expenses		\$ 1,358,903.15	\$ 1,608,403.15
Net Position Utilized as Revenue	\$ (249,500.00)		
Reconciliation to Operating Income (Loss)			
Excess Anticipated Revenues over Operating Expenses, Principal Payments and Non-Operating Appropriations			\$ 1,608,403.15
Add:			
Loan Principal		\$ 698,616.74	
Loan Interest		40,493.79	
Related to Pensions		627,650.00	
Related to Other Postemployment Benefits		235,519.34	
			1,602,279.87
			3,210,683.02
Deduct:			
Depreciation		976,287.89	
Major Repairs and Other Expenses Interest on Investments		20,783.11 4,680.45	
			1,001,751.45
Operating Income (Loss) (Schedule 2)			\$ 2,208,931.57
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Schedule of Solid Waste Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Budget</u>		<u>Actual</u>	F	/ariance Favorable nfavorable)
Operating Revenues:		•			
Service Agreements	\$ 1,788,535.00	\$	1,805,730.00	\$	17,195.00
Other Revenue	 315,000.00		308,236.55		(6,763.45)
Total Anticipated Revenues	 2,103,535.00		2,113,966.55		10,431.55
Operating Expenses:					
Administration:					
Salaries and Wages	187,000.00		175,537.01		11,462.99
Longevity	 6,300.00		6,390.38		(90.38)
	 193,300.00		181,927.39		11,372.61
Employees Benefits:					
Prescription	1,445.00		409.29		1,035.71
Dental	2,975.00		1,665.75		1,309.25
Hospitalization	47,957.00		42,444.76		5,512.24
Eye Care	893.00		311.09		581.91
Social Security Tax	12,678.00		10,954.14		1,723.86
Public Employees' Retirement System	20,961.00		21,053.60		(92.60)
Unemployment Insurance	 255.00		327.50		(72.50)
Total Employee Benefits	 87,164.00		77,166.13		9,997.87
Total Administration	 280,464.00		259,093.52		21,370.48
Cost of Providing Services:					
Salaries and Wages:					
Laborers	672,200.00		635,786.89		36,413.11
Mechanic	30,000.00		20,000.00		10,000.00
Temporary Help	133,000.00		110,111.11		22,888.89
Summer Help	2,489.00				2,489.00
Overtime	21,500.00		37,793.94		(16,293.94)
Longevity	 20,700.00		21,361.85		(661.85)
Total Salaries and Wages	 879,889.00		825,053.79		54,835.21
Employees Benefits:					
Prescription	7,055.00		1,998.31		5,056.69
Dental	14,525.00		8,132.75		6,392.25
Hospitalization	234,143.00		185,430.02		48,712.98
Eye Care	4,357.00		1,518.86		2,838.14
Social Security Tax	60,422.00		53,481.96		6,940.04
Public Employees' Retirement System	102,339.00		102,791.10		(452.10)
Unemployment Insurance	 1,245.00		1,598.97		(353.97)
Total Employee Benefits	 424,086.00		354,951.97		69,134.03

Schedule of Solid Waste Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	I	/ariance Favorable nfavorable)
Operating Expenses (Cont'd):				
Cost of Providing Services (Cont'd):				
Other Expenses:				
Workers' Compensation Insurance	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 132.31	\$	5,867.69
Auto Insurance	33,900.00	33,899.54		0.46
Office Supplies	4,950.00	4,993.07		(43.07)
Gas and Oil	78,000.00	102,601.19		(24,601.19)
Water - Fire Hydrant	2,300.00	2,322.65		(22.65)
Security	1,750.00	2,974.00		(1,224.00)
Custodial	1,000.00	1,933.28		(933.28)
Tires	54,500.00	47,447.15		7,052.85
Transportation - Other	450.00	5.10		444.90
Compost Testing	750.00	474.00		276.00
Uniforms	5,400.00	3,788.35		1,611.65
Other Services	500.00	483.32		16.68
Hardware	1,000.00	100.02		1,000.00
Hardware & Software Maintenance	4,000.00	337.50		3,662.50
Towing	2,500.00	1,475.00		1,025.00
General Liability Insurance Policies	23,600.00	23,822.27		(222.27)
Safety Shoes	3,000.00	2,519.91		480.09
Mobile Units	4,400.00	4,267.67		132.33
Testing Equipment	2,000.00	4,207.07		2,000.00
Other Equipment	41,500.00	26,473.21		15,026.79
Equipment - Automotive	34,500.00	29,313.58		5,186.42
Disposal and Tipping Fees	500.00	29,010.00		500.00
Trailer - Electric	4,000.00	3,002.30		997.70
RFID Hardware, Software, Reader & Truck Fees	20,150.00	6,077.00		14,073.00
I.T. Support	2,500.00	3,398.55		(898.55)
Miscellaneous Stationary and Brinting	8,000.00	6,384.48		1,615.52
Stationery and Printing	2,850.00	1,464.00		1,386.00
Residue & Trash Disposal	6,000.00	1,040.96		4,959.04
Compost Marketing, Delivery & Packaging	2,100.00	600.00		1,500.00
Grading Materials	15,000.00	13,475.44		1,524.56
County Inspection Fees	450.00	7 005 07		450.00
Solicitor Fees	6,000.00	7,885.27		(1,885.27)
Auditing Fees	4,500.00	4,500.00		
Screener Maintenance Contract	4,500.00	4,490.20		9.80
Compliance Testing	1,500.00	855.00		645.00
Payroll Service Fees	8,200.00	8,510.38		(310.38)
Engineering Fees	10,000.00	68.50		9,931.50
Communications	4,000.00	3,372.94		627.06
MUA Contribution / Unemployment	10,500.00	10,500.00		
N.J. DEP Inspection Fees	10,500.00	9,389.00		1,111.00

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Schedule of Solid Waste Anticipated Revenues, Operating Appropriations and Nonoperating Appropriations Compared to Budget - Non-GAAP (Budgetary) Basis For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Budget</u>		Actual	Variance Favorable <u>(Unfavorable)</u>
Operating Expenses (Cont'd): Cost of Providing Services (Cont'd):				
Other Expenses (Cont'd): N.J. Recycling Center Fees N.J. Permits		00.00	5 7,928.00	\$ 1,072.00 2,500.00
Total Other Expenses	438,75	50.00	382,205.12	56,544.88
Total Cost of Services	1,742,72	25.00	1,562,210.88	180,514.12
Principal Payments on Debt in Lieu of Depreciation	66,06	61.00	66,060.97	0.03
Total Operating Appropriations	2,089,25	50.00	1,887,365.37	201,884.63
Nonoperating Appropriations: Interest on Loans	14,28	35.00	14,146.02	138.98
Total Operating Expenses, Principal Payments and Nonoperating Appropriations	2,103,53	35.00	1,901,511.39	202,023.61
Excess (Deficiency) Revenues over Expenses		- :	\$ 212,455.16	\$ 212,455.16
Reconciliation to Operating Income (Loss)				
Excess Anticipated Revenues over Operating Expenses, Principal Payments and Non-Operating Appropriations				\$ 212,455.16
Add: Loan Principal Loan Interest		9	66,060.97 14,146.02	
				80,206.99
				292,662.15
Deduct: Service Agreement Revenue Associated with Debt Servic Depreciation	e Payment	_	73,150.59 41,914.36	
				115,064.95
Operating Income (Loss) (Schedule 2)				\$ 177,597.20

Schedule of Consumer Accounts Receivable For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Balance February 28, 2021 Increased by:			\$ 376,949.42
Service Fees			 5,496,783.82
			5,873,733.24
Decreased by: Collections Prepayments Applied	\$	4,292,189.44 1,194,837.00	
			5,487,026.44
Balance February 28, 2022			\$ 386,706.80
			Schedule 6
	Schedule of Connection Fees Receivable For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022		
Connection Charges Fiscal Year 2022 Decreased by: Collections Prepaid Connection Permit Applied	\$	67,200.00 201,725.00	\$ 268,925.00
		, ,	\$ 268,925.00
			Schedule 7
	Schedule of Penalties on Delinquent Accounts For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022		
Balance February 28, 2021 Increased by:			\$ 22,188.98
Accrued in Fiscal Year 2022			 77,078.81
			99,267.79
Decreased by: Collections			 71,802.09
Balance February 28, 2022			\$ 27,465.70

Schedule of Refunds Receivable

For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Sewer</u>	<u>Solid Waste</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance February 28, 2021	\$ 1,801.73		\$ 1,801.73
Increased by: Accrued in Fiscal Year 2022	16,615.70		 16,615.70
	18,417.43	-	18,417.43
Decreased by: Collections	1,801.73		1,801.73
Balance February 28, 2022	\$ 16,615.70		\$ 16,615.70

Schedule 9

Schedule of Interest Receivable For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	Balance <u>Feb. 28, 2021</u>		Interest <u>Earned</u>		Interest Collected	Balance <u>Feb. 28, 2022</u>
Unrestricted Earnings: Revenue Fund Debt Service Reserve Fund Renewal and Replacement Fund	\$	290.55	\$	3,427.62 22.16 940.12	\$ 3,718.17 22.16 940.12	
		290.55		4,389.90	4,680.45	-
Restricted Earnings: Performance Escrow Deposits		(290.55)		290.55	 	
Totals		-	\$	4,680.45	\$ 4,680.45	

Schedule of Service Agreements with the Township of Gloucester For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Balance February 28, 2021 Increased by: Fiscal Year 2022 Service Agreements: Recycling Services Grass Collection Compost	\$ 827,188.00 725,476.00 172,826.00 1,725,490.00	\$ 149,045.00
Agreement to Pay Debt Service	80,240.00	1,805,730.00
		 1,954,775.00
Decreased by: Collections		 1,490,450.00
Balance February 28, 2022		\$ 464,325.00

Schedule 11

Schedule of Prepaid Expenses For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	<u>Sewer</u>	Solid Waste	<u>Total</u>
Balance February 28, 2021	\$ 79,978.72	\$ 47,473.70	\$ 127,452.42
Add: Disbursements for Fiscal Year 2023	<u> 129,198.29</u> 209,177.01	<u>51,240.57</u> 98,714.27	<u>180,438.86</u> 307,891.28
Less: Charged to Operations Fiscal Year 2022	73,032.27	47,473.70	120,505.97
Balance February 28, 2022	\$ 136,144.74	\$ 51,240.57	\$ 187,385.31

Schedule of Deferred Connection Fee Revenue For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Balance February 28, 2021	\$ 414,045.00
Increased by: Cash Received	 204,900.00
	618,945.00
Decreased by: Applied	 201,725.00
Balance February 28, 2022	\$ 417,220.00

Schedule of Capital Assets - Completed For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	Balan <u>Feb. 28,</u>		<u>/</u>	Additions	<u>Disposals</u>		<u> </u>	Balance ⁻ eb. 28, 2022	Useful <u>Life</u>
Sewer:									
Capital Assets not being Depreciated:									
Land	\$ 394	,015.58		-		-	\$	394,015.58	
Capital Assets being Depreciated: Buildings and Improvements Sewer Mains Pumping Stations	52,901	9,957.23 ,736.26 ,379.79	\$	9,250.00 21,767.28 352,571.13	\$	12,200.00		1,976,207.23 52,923,503.54 12,512,750.92	40 Yrs. 40 Yrs. 40 Yrs.
Telemetry Alarm System Paging System Vehicles Telephone System Furniture	20 1 2,265 23	,703.78 ,125.66 ,861.50 ,623.47 ,039.00 ,630.29						288,703.78 20,125.66 1,861.50 2,265,623.47 23,039.00 37,630.29	15 Yrs. 15 Yrs. 20 Yrs. 7 Yrs. 20 Yrs. 10 Yrs.
Equipment-Other		,578.02		6,408.27		3,808.30		823,177.99	5-10 Yrs.
Total Capital Assets being Depreciated	70,498	,635.00		389,996.68		16,008.30		70,872,623.38	
Total Capital Assets	70,892	2,650.58		389,996.68		16,008.30		71,266,638.96	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	25,436	,116.74		976,287.89		14,407.50		26,397,997.13	
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 45,456	,533.84	\$	(586,291.21)	\$	1,600.80	\$	44,868,641.83	
Solid Waste: Capital Assets not being Depreciated: Land	\$ 100	,000.00		-		-	\$	100,000.00	
Capital Assets being Depreciated: Improvements Equipment-Other		,012.23 ,726.55						557,012.23 1,258,726.55	40 Yrs. 7 Yrs.
Total Capital Assets being Depreciated	1,815	,738.78		-		-		1,815,738.78	
Total Capital Assets	1,915	,738.78		-		-		1,915,738.78	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	1,315	,803.51	\$	41,914.36		-		1,357,717.87	
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 599	,935.27	\$	(41,914.36)		-	\$	558,020.91	
Recapitulation: Total Capital Assets	\$ 72,808	,389.36	\$	389,996.68	\$	16,008.30	\$	73,182,377.74	
Less: Accumulated Depreciation	26,751	,920.25	1	,018,202.25		14,407.50		27,755,715.00	
Total Capital Assets, Net	\$ 46,056	,469.11	\$	(628,205.57)	\$	1,600.80	\$	45,426,662.74	
Cash Disbursed Transfer from Construction in Progress		:	\$	183,740.68 206,256.00					
Total Capital Assets - Additions			\$	389,996.68					

Schedule of Construction in Progress For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Balance February 28, 2021 Increased by: Cash Disbursed Accounts Payable Contributed Capital	\$ 574,833.50 3,598.73 8,513.55	\$ 881,887.00
		 586,945.78
		1,468,832.78
Decreased by: Transferred to Capital Assets - Completed		 206,256.00
Balance February 28, 2022		\$ 1,262,576.78

Analysis of Balance

Project	<u>Sewer</u>	<u>Waste</u>		<u>Total</u>
Gravity Sewer Line Rehabilitation	\$ 461,397.65		\$	461,397.65
Orr Road Sewer Extension Phase II	19,148.15			19,148.15
Brookwood Generator	25,416.98			25,416.98
Pump Station Monitoring & Control Upgrades	 756,614.00			756,614.00
	\$ 1,262,576.78	-	\$	1,262,576.78

Schedule of Accrued Interest Payable on Loans For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

	Sewer	Solid Waste	<u>Total</u>
Balance February 28, 2021	\$ 7,069.78	\$ 1,260.01	\$ 8,329.79
Interest Charges for the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022: Budget: NJEIT Loans Amortization of Deferred Amount of Refunding	40,493.79 7,250.48	14,146.02 3,636.11	54,639.81 10,886.59
Amortization of Premium on NJEIT Loan	(15,159.27)	(7,089.62)	(22,248.89)
Total Interest Expense (Exhibit B)	32,585.00	10,692.51	43,277.51
Bond Service Account Interest (Sewer)	35,000.00		35,000.00
	67,585.00	10,692.51	78,277.51
	74,654.78	11,952.52	86,607.30
Decreased by:			
Interest Paid	76,828.59	14,285.18	91,113.77
Amortization of Deferred Amount of Refunding	7,250.48	3,636.11	10,886.59
Amortization of Premium on NJEIT Loan	(15,159.27)	(7,089.62)	(22,248.89)
	68,919.80	10,831.67	79,751.47
Balance February 28, 2022	\$ 5,734.98	\$ 1,120.85	\$ 6,855.83

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Schedule of Findings and Recommendations For the Fiscal Year Ended February 28, 2022

Schedule of Financial Statement Findings

This section identifies the significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, fraud, noncompliance with provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements related to financial statements for which *Government Auditing Standards* and audit requirements as prescribed the Bureau of Authority Regulation, Division of Local Government Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

None.

Summary Schedule of Prior Year Audit Findings and Recommendations as Prepared by Management

This section identifies the status of prior year findings related to the financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and with the audit requirements as prescribed by the Bureau of Authority Regulation, Division of Local Governmental Services, Department of Community Affairs, State of New Jersey.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FINDINGS

None.

APPRECIATION

We express my appreciation for the assistance and courtesies rendered by the Authority officials during the course of the audit.

Respectfully submitted,

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